

TABLE 19: MEDICAID PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES FOR OPIOIDS IN FEE-FOR-SERVICE IN ALL 50 STATES AND DC, FY 2015 – FY 2017

States	Opioid Quantity Limits			Prior Authorization for Opioids			Opioid Clinical Criteria			Opioid Step Therapy Requirements			Required use of Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs		
	In place FY 2015	2016	2017	In place FY 2015	2016	2017	In place FY 2015	2016	2017	In place FY 2015	2016	2017	In place FY 2015	2016	2017
Alabama	X			X			X			X					X
Alaska	X		X	X		X	X		X	X		X			
Arizona	X			X			X								
Arkansas	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X						
California	X			X											
Colorado	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Connecticut			X			X									X
Delaware	X		X	X			X	X	X	X					X
DC			X	X		X	X		X	X		X			
Florida	X			X			X			X					
Georgia	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X			
Hawaii															
Idaho	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		
Illinois	X		X	X	X		X		X						X
Indiana	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
Iowa	X	X		X	X		X	X		X	X			X	
Kansas	X			X		X	X					X			
Kentucky	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Louisiana	X	X	X				X	X	X					X	
Maine	X			X		X							X		
Maryland	X					X									
Massachusetts	X			X	X		X			X					X
Michigan	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Minnesota	X	X		X			X			X					
Mississippi	X			X			X	X							
Missouri	X		X	X		X	X		X			X			
Montana	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Nebraska	X		X	X		X	X			X		X	X		
Nevada	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
New Hampshire	X			X		X	X		X	X		X		X	X
New Jersey	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
New Mexico															
New York	X			X			X			X					
North Carolina	X		X	X		X	X		X	X	X		X		
North Dakota	X	X		X	X		X	X		X	X		X	X	
Ohio	X		X	X			X		X	X		X			
Oklahoma	X	X		X	X		X		X	X	X		X	X	
Oregon	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		X	
Pennsylvania	X	X	X	X	X		X	X							X
Rhode Island	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X					
South Carolina	X			X			X			X				X	
South Dakota	X			X			X			X			X		
Tennessee	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Texas	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X					
Utah	X		X	X		X	X			X		X			
Vermont	X		X	X						X			X		
Virginia	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	
Washington				X	X	X	X		X	X					
West Virginia	X	X	X	X		X			X			X			
Wisconsin	X		X			X									X
Wyoming	X	X	X	X			X			X					
Totals	46	22	30	45	18	27	42	20	27	32	13	20	12	10	11

NOTES: States were asked to report whether they had select pharmacy benefit management strategies in place in their FFS programs in FY 2015, had adopted or expanded these strategies in FY 2016, or had plans to adopt or expand these strategies in FY 2017.

SOURCE: Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured Survey of Medicaid Officials in 50 states and DC conducted by Health Management Associates, October 2016.