

Provider Bulletin
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## **HIV and PrEP therapy**

This communication applies to the Medicaid programs for Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. (Simply) and Clear Health Alliance (CHA).

This notice is to remind providers that Simply and CHA follow the HIV therapy automated prior authorization logic and HIV/PrEP (pre-exposure prophylaxis) *Clinical Criteria* as posted on the Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA) website. HIV medication therapy must have specific diagnosis codes in the medical history. For PrEP, providers must submit an AHCA *HIV Diagnosis Verification Form or Prophylaxis for HIV Form*.

Find information on the HIV Diagnosis Verification Form or Prophylaxis for HIV Form here:

https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/Prescribed\_Drug/pharm\_thera/paforms/HIV\_Diagnosis\_Verification
\_Form.pdf. Please note, the HIV Diagnosis Verification Form or Prophylaxis for HIV Form is not appropriate for Fuzeon, Selzentry, or Serostim submissions, as these medications have their own form.

Find information on the AHCA Preferred Drug List here: https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/prescribed\_drug/pharm\_thera/pdf/PDL.pdf.

Find AHCA Clinical Criteria here: https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/prescribed\_drug/drug\_criteria.shtml.

There are exceptions for children younger than 1 year old and assault victims.

To ensure enough time for a diagnosis update or prior authorization submission, recipients or providers who verbally attest to an HIV/AIDS diagnosis will get an override for a one-month supply.