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<u>Notification:</u>	<u>HUM 7590</u>
<u>Category:</u>	<u>HCPCS - Drugs &amp; Biologicals</u>
<u>Topic:</u>	<u>Louisiana Medicaid: brentuximab vedotin – HCPCS code J9042</u>
<u>What is changing? / Change Description:</u>	<p><u>For providers with a specialty other than pharmacy, we limit reimbursement of charges for HCPCS code J9042 to no more than 360 units every 6 weeks if billed with any of the following diagnoses:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Adult T-cell leukemia or lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>AIDS-related B-cell lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>B-cell lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>CD30-expressing mycosis fungoides</u></li> <li>• <u>Hodgkin lymphoma (classical)</u></li> <li>• <u>Pediatric Hodgkin lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>Peripheral T-cell lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>Post-transplant lymphoproliferative disorders</u></li> <li>• <u>Primary cutaneous anaplastic large cell lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>Primary cutaneous CD30+T-cell lymphoproliferative disorder</u></li> <li>• <u>Sezary syndrome</u></li> <li>• <u>Systemic anaplastic large cell lymphoma</u></li> <li>• <u>T-cell lymphoma</u></li> </ul>
<u>Why is Humana making this change? / Change Reason:</u>	<u>The above limitations are established according to the FDA-approved package insert and prescribing information and pharmaceutical compendia. Note: The limitations described above are based on maximum dosages established in milligrams. If any units are denied, the provider may dispute the decision through the appropriate process. The provider may submit information, including medical notes showing the patient's body weight, that substantiates the medical necessity of the additional units.</u>
<u>Language:</u>	<u>English</u>
<u>Impacted Products:</u>	<u>Medicaid- Louisiana</u>