

Prostate – Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia Treatment (BPH)

Point-of-Sale (POS) edits are safety limitations that are automatically verified through computer programming at the time that a prescription claim is submitted at the pharmacy. These edits can be applied to *any* medication, whether or not it is listed in the Preferred Drug List / Non-Preferred Drug List (PDL/NPDL). The first section of this document is organized to follow the order of the therapeutic classes in the PDL/NPDL and explains the POS edits for those medications.

POS Abbreviations

AL – Age Limit	DS – Maximum Days’ Supply Allowed	PU – Prior Use of Other Medication is Required
BH – Behavioral Health Clinical Authorization for Children Younger than 7 Years of Age	DT – Duration of Therapy Limit	QL – Quantity Limit
BY – Diagnosis Codes Bypass Some Requirements	DX – Diagnosis Code Requirement	RX – Specific Prescription Requirement
CL – Additional Clinical Information is Required	ER – Early Refill	TD – Therapeutic Duplication
CU – Concurrent Use with Other Medication is Restricted	MD – Maximum Dose Limit	YQ – Yearly Quantity Limit
DD – Drug-Drug Interaction	MME – Maximum Morphine Milligram Equivalent is Restricted	

Pharmacy Prior Authorization Phone Numbers for MCOs and FFS

Aetna Better Health of Louisiana **1-855-242-0802**

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana **1-800-684-5502**

Fee-for-Service (FFS) Louisiana Legacy Medicaid **1-866-730-4357**

Healthy Blue **1-844-521-6942**

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~~Louisiana Healthcare Connections 1-888-929-3790~~

~~UnitedHealthcare 1-800-310-6826~~

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POS Edits

DT – Tadalafil (Cialis®) is limited to a maximum duration of therapy of 26 weeks if used in combination with finasteride (Proscar®).

– Finasteride/tadalafil (Entadfi®) is limited to a maximum duration of therapy of 26 weeks.

DX – Pharmacy claims for tadalafil ([Cialis®](#)) and finasteride/tadalafil ([Entadfi®](#)) must be submitted with an appropriate diagnosis code found at [THIS LINK](#).

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