

Date: December 2018  
To: All managed care plan providers  
From: The Ohio Department of Medicaid  
Subject: **Unified preferred drug list delayed indefinitely**

The Ohio Department of Medicaid, along with the Medicaid managed care plans (MCPs), previously communicated moving toward creating a unified preferred drug list (PDL).

The initiative to implement the unified PDL on January 1, 2019 has been **delayed indefinitely**.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and we apologize for any confusion. Providers may refer to the ODM Pharmacy website <https://pharmacy.medicaid.ohio.gov/> under “Drug Coverage” for more information or can contact [MEDICAID\\_PHARMACY@medicaid.ohio.gov](mailto:MEDICAID_PHARMACY@medicaid.ohio.gov) with questions or concerns.