



TO: All Providers

RE: Mosquito Repellent Bulletin

Consistent with guidance from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) issued June 1, 2016, effective immediately, the Department of Social Services (DSS) has added the following products as covered over the counter (OTC) products when prescribed by a Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP) enrolled prescribing provider:

46500-0717-64 Off Deep Woods Dry
46500-0710-37 Off Family Care
46500-0018-42 Off Deep Woods
46500-0018-10 Off Active
11423-0941-37 Repel Sportsmen
11423-0003-38 Repel Sportsmen Max
71121-0962-80 Cutter Backwoods
16500-0540-10 Cutter Skinsations

This addition of mosquito repellent coverage is intended to help prevent Medicaid beneficiaries from contracting the Zika virus.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued guidance as to the best methods to prevent the contraction and spread of the Zika virus. The application of mosquito repellent has proven to be a most effective line of defense.