# **Urgent Care Assistance Card**

May 2021

\*Please Bring This Card to Urgent Care Provider\*



#### For Veterans:

- Call 844-698-2311 and select option 1 and then option 3 to verify your eligibility for urgent care services, or for general questions related to the urgent care benefit.
- Use the VA Facility Locator to find in-network urgent care and pharmacy locations https://www.va.gov./find-locations/.
- You must visit an in-network pharmacy location in the same state as your urgent care visit to avoid any issues filling your urgent care prescription.
- Bring a valid, government-issued photo ID to the in-network urgent care location/pharmacy. Ask and verify the urgent care provider/pharmacy is in VA network.
- **Call 888-901-6609 for assistance** if you have difficulty receiving urgent care or filling your urgent care prescription.
- DO NOT pay a copayment at the time of urgent care visit.

#### **For Providers:**

- Call 888 -901-6699 to confirm Veteran's eligibility for urgent care services.
- Ensure 14-day Rx is on VA Urgent/Emergent Formulary
   https://www.pbm.va.gov/PBM/NationalFormulary.asp if
   prescribing an urgent care prescription.
- Make sure you have activated Veteran's pharmacy benefit by calling to check their eligibility. DO NOT charge a copayment to Veteran.
- File urgent care claim within 30 days with Optum.
- After visit, submit medical documentation to the Veteran's home VA medical center (VAMC) within 30 days. Find a VAMC at <a href="https://www.va.gov./find-locations/">https://www.va.gov./find-locations/</a>.

## **Urgent Care Assistance Card**

May 2021

\*Please Bring This Card to Urgent Care Provider\*



#### For Veterans:

- Call 844-698-2311 and select option 1 and then option 3 to verify your eligibility for urgent care services, or for general questions related to the urgent care benefit.
- Use the VA Facility Locator to find in-network urgent care and pharmacy locations https://www.va.gov./find-locations/.
- You must visit an in-network pharmacy location in the same state as your urgent care visit to avoid any issues filling your urgent care prescription.
- Bring a valid, government-issued photo ID to the in-network urgent care location/pharmacy. Ask and verify the urgent care provider/pharmacy is in VA network.
- **Call 888-901-6609 for assistance** if you have difficulty receiving urgent care or filling your urgent care prescription.
- DO NOT pay a copayment at the time of urgent care visit.

#### **For Providers:**

- Call 888 -901-6699 to confirm Veteran's eligibility for urgent care services.
- Ensure 14-day Rx is on VA Urgent/Emergent Formulary
   https://www.pbm.va.gov/PBM/NationalFormulary.asp if
   prescribing an urgent care prescription.
- Make sure you have activated Veteran's pharmacy benefit by calling to check their eligibility. DO NOT charge a copayment to Veteran.
- File urgent care claim within 30 days with Optum.
- After visit, submit medical documentation to the Veteran's home VA medical center (VAMC) within 30 days. Find a VAMC at <a href="https://www.va.gov./find-locations/">https://www.va.gov./find-locations/</a>.

## \*\*Please Bring This Card to Urgent Care Provider\*\*

#### For Pharmacist

- Maximum day supply for a Veteran's initial fill is 14 days (7 days or fewer for opioids). No refills.
- Medication must be on VA Urgent/Emergent Formulary https://www.pbm.va.gov/PBM/NationalFormulary.asp.
- DO NOT charge Veteran a copayment for dispensed medications.
- Instruct Veteran to fill prescription(s) in the same state as their urgent care visit.
- Enter VA pharmacy claims using the following information:

Step 1: Enter BIN: 004336 Step 2: Enter PCN: ADV

Step 3: Enter Rx Group: RX4136

Step 4: Enter Veterans 9-digit SSN or 10-digit Veterans ID

number

**Step 5:** Enter Veteran's date of birth (YYMMDD format)

- If a non-contracted pharmacy is used, Veteran must pay outof-pocket for the prescription and then file a claim for reimbursement.
- If Veteran is not eligible for pharmacy benefits, but has an urgent care prescription, please advise him/her to call Optum at 888-901-6609 (7 a.m.—12 a.m. ET / 7 days a week).
- For questions, please call the CVS Caremark Pharmacy Help Desk at 800-364-6331 (24/7).

## \*\*Please Bring This Card to Urgent Care Provider\*\*

#### **For Pharmacist**

- Maximum day supply for a Veteran's initial fill is 14 days (7 days or fewer for opioids). No refills.
- Medication must be on VA Urgent/Emergent Formulary https://www.pbm.va.gov/PBM/NationalFormulary.asp.
- DO NOT charge Veteran a copayment for dispensed medications.
- Instruct Veteran to fill prescription(s) in the same state as their urgent care visit.
- Enter VA pharmacy claims using the following information:

Step 1: Enter BIN: 004336 Step 2: Enter PCN: ADV

Step 3: Enter Rx Group: RX4136

Step 4: Enter Veterans 9-digit SSN or 10-digit Veterans ID

number

**Step 5:** Enter Veteran's date of birth (YYMMDD format)

- If a non-contracted pharmacy is used, Veteran must pay outof-pocket for the prescription and then file a claim for reimbursement.
- If Veteran is not eligible for pharmacy benefits, but has an urgent care prescription, please advise him/her to call Optum at 888-901-6609 (7 a.m.—12 a.m. ET / 7 days a week).
- For questions, please call the CVS Caremark Pharmacy Help Desk at 800-364-6331 (24/7).



