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List of Diabetic Enteral Nutrition Products Available for Authorization

Since January 1, 2006, the Medi-Cal program has contracted for diabetic enteral nutrition products. Only diabetic enteral nutrition products made by manufacturers who have signed contracts are "benefits" and available for Medi-Cal and CCS/GHPP authorization, while those products without contracts are "non-benefits".

Beginning January 1, 2009, the Medi-Cal program will renew contracting for diabetic enteral nutrition products while adding some new contracted diabetic products.

Diabetic enteral nutrition products are defined as specialized enteral nutrition products that are designed to meet diabetic metabolic needs. The products provide complete enteral nutrition and are categorized as "replacement" formulas in CCS NL: 22:0805.

Continue to follow the CCS numbered letter for guidance in authorizing all enteral nutrition products including "available" diabetic enteral nutrition products.

The Medi-Cal contracts are **Product Number specific**; therefore products with similar names, but with different product numbers that don't appear on the approved list cannot be authorized.

CCS and GHPP must follow these procedures when reviewing requests for diabetic enteral nutrition products:

Determine if the requested item is a diabetic enteral nutrition product and whether the **Product Number** is found on the List of Diabetic Enteral Nutrition Products Available for Authorization.

- Only authorize SARs for diabetic enteral nutrition products that have **Product Numbers** matching those on the list.

- Always use the product number to determine what is available for authorization.
- Do NOT authorize SARs with Products Numbers for diabetic enteral nutrition products that have been end-dated in CMSNET.
- Do NOT manually enter a Product Number not shown on the List of Diabetic Enteral Nutrition Products Available for Authorization, as Medi-Cal post-payment review will recoup payments from pharmacies if non-contracted products are dispensed and paid.

Reference Tools

The following web based reference tools may be accessed:

1. Updates to List of Diabetic Enteral Nutrition Products Available for Authorization can be viewed on the CMS SAR Tools website at:
<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/cmsnet/Pages/SARTools.aspx#enteral>
2. Enteral Nutrition: List of Available Products can be viewed in the Medi-Cal Provider Manual website at:
http://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/publications/masters-mtp/part2/enteral_a04p00.doc
There may be discrepancies in the Medi-Cal Provider Manual due to delays in publishing updates.

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List of **Diabetic** Enteral Nutrition Products Available for Authorization
 Effective January 1, 2009
 (Sorted by Product Number)
 (Yellow highlighted items are new to list.)

Product Number	Product Label Name
00065908570	GLYTROL 250ml vanilla
00065908672	GLYTROL UltraPak 1000ml
00065908673	GLYTROL UltraPak 1500ml
00212355142	RESOURCE Diabetic TF 1000ml
00212355244	RESOURCE Diabetic TF 1500ml
00212360162	BOOST Diabetic 8oz vanilla
00212360262	BOOST Diabetic 8oz chocolate
00212360362	BOOST Diabetic 8oz strawberry
00212365051	DIABETISOURCE AC 250ml
00212365142	DIABETISOURCE AC 1000ml
00212365244	DIABETISOURCE AC 1500ml
70074050241	GLUCERNA 1.0 8 oz can
70074050903	GLUCERNA 1.2 1500ml rth
70074050905	GLUCERNA 1.2 8 oz can
70074050907	GLUCERNA 1.2 1000ml rth
70074051207	GLUCERNA 1.0 1000ml rth
70074052603	GLUCERNA 1.0 1500ml rth
70074053535	GLUCERNA 1.5 8 oz can
70074053537	GLUCERNA 1.5 1000ml rth
70074057702	GLUCERNA SELECT 8 oz can
70074057704	GLUCERNA SELECT 1000ml rth
70074057706	GLUCERNA SELECT 1500ml rth