

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 76 (SB 77)

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Luneau

Existing law provides for prescription drug coverage in the Louisiana Medicaid program, including a preferred drug list established in conjunction with a prior approval process.

New law retains existing law but prohibits any restriction by prior authorization of a prescription drug prescribed to an adult patient and determined by a licensed prescriber to be medically necessary for the treatment and prevention of schizophrenia and schizotypal or any delusion disorders if, during the preceding year, the patient was unsuccessfully treated with the preferred drug or the patient has previously been prescribed and obtained prior authorization for the nonpreferred drug and the request is in accordance with federal requirements.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Adds R.S. 46:153.3(C)(2))