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CareLink Pharmacy Statistics (Year-End Review)

	2007	2006
Member Months¹	640,009	630,657
Number of Prescriptions Filled	564,536	625,145
Number of Prescriptions Filled/Member/Month	0.88	1.00
Total Outpatient Pharmacy Costs	\$5,021,215	\$6,087,023
PMPM² Outpatient Pharmacy Costs	\$7.85	\$9.66
Pharmacy Co-pay Collections	\$4,194,410	\$3,422,821
MAP Savings	\$14,463,501	\$15,907,719
New Medications Added to UHS Formulary	13	24

¹ Number of CareLink members enrolled multiplied by the number of months members were enrolled (i.e. 10 members enrolled for 12 months= 120 member months).

² PMPM (per member per month) is the average amount of money spent on one member during a one month period of time.

1. Membership increased slightly from 2006 to 2007.
2. The number of total prescriptions and prescriptions filled per member per month decreased.
3. Total outpatient pharmacy costs decreased by \$1,065,808 during the last year.
4. Spending PMPM decreased \$1.81 from 2005 to 2006.
5. Co-pay collections increased by \$771,589.

Generic drug programs offered by local retailers had a significant impact on the number of prescriptions filled through the UHS pharmacies. Several high-dollar medications became available generically, shifting savings routinely obtained through MAPs. Despite all of the changes, CareLink continues to keep the overall costs to our program relatively low. Thank you, providers, for your help in making us successful!



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