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**Attention Providers ** Important Update on Hepatitis C Direct Acting Antivirals (DAAs)

The Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA), in coordination with their Pharmacy Benefits Manager Change Healthcare, has recently updated the Hepatitis C Treatment Prior Authorization form which can be found on the DVHA website https://dvha.vermont.gov/sites/dvha/files/documents/providers/Pharmacy/HepC_VT_3.23.21.pdf. The changes incorporate American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (AASLD) and Infectious Disease Society of America (IDSA) guidelines (https://www.hcvguidelines.org/treatment-naive/simplified-treatment) for simplified HCV treatment for treatment-naïve adults without cirrhosis. To further improve access to DAA therapies, effective 07/09/2021, DVHA will no longer require dispensing by an accredited specialty pharmacy. Prescriptions for the following medications can be filled at any VT Medicaid enrolled pharmacy.

- Epclusa® (sofosbuvir/velpatasvir)
- Harvoni[®] (ledipasvir/sofosbuvir)
- Ledipasvir/sofosbuvir
- Mavyret® (glecaprevir/pibrentasvir)*
- Sofosbuvir/velpatasvir*
 - * Preferred on the PDL

- Sovaldi® (sofosbuvir)
- Viekira PAK® (ombitasvir, paritaprevir, ritonavir tablet with dasabuvir tablet)
- Vosevi® (sofosbuvir/velpatasvir/voxilaprevir)
- Zepatier® (elbasvir/grazoprevir)

For questions, please contact the Change Healthcare Pharmacy Help Desk at 1-844-679-5362. Vermont providers can also send inquiries via email to PBA_VTHelpdesk@changehealthcare.com. Thank you for your continued support of Vermont's pharmacy benefits programs.