

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE FINANCE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

Department of Health Care Finance Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee

The Department of Health Care Finance (DHCF) Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee (Committee), pursuant to the requirements of Mayor's Order 2007-46, dated January 23, 2007, hereby announces a public meeting of the Committee to obtain input on the review and maintenance of a Preferred Drug List (PDL) for the District of Columbia. The meeting will be held **Thursday, December 1, 2011**, at 2:30pm in the 4th Floor Conference Room at 899 North Capitol Street, NE Washington, DC 20002.

The Committee will receive public comments from interested individuals on issues relating to the topics or class reviews to be discussed at this meeting. The clinical drug class review for this meeting will include:

Acne Agents, Topical	Calcium Channel Blockers
Aczone (single agent review)	Growth Hormones
Androgenic Agents	Immunomodulators, Atopic Dermatitis
Angiotensin Modulators - ACE and DRI	Lipotropics, Others
Angiotensin Modulators -ARBs	Lipotropics, Statins
Angiotensin Modulators Combinations	PAH Agents – PDE 5 and inhalation
Antibiotics, Inhaled	Pancreatic Enzymes
Antibiotics, Topical	Platelet Aggregation Inhibitors
Anticoagulants	Progestins for Cachexia
Antihyperuricemics	Psoriasis Agents, Topical
Antivirals Agents, Topical	Ranexa (single agent review)
Beta-Blockers	Soriatane CK (single agent review)
Bone Resorption Suppression & Related Agents	Tramadol & tramadol like agents

Any person or organizations who wish to make a presentation to the DHCF P&T Committee should furnish his or her name, address, telephone number, and name of organization represented by calling (202) 442-9076 **no later than 4:45pm on Tuesday, November 22, 2011**. The person or organization may also submit the aforementioned information via e-mail to Charlene Fairfax (charlene.fairfax@dc.gov).

An individual wishing to make an oral presentation to the Committee will be limited to three (3) minutes. A person wishing to provide written information should supply twenty (20) copies of the written information to the Committee **no later than 4:45pm on Tuesday, November 22, 2011. Handouts are limited to no more than two standard 8-1/2 by 11 inch pages of "bulleted" points (or one page front and back)**. The ready-to-disseminate, written information can also be mailed **to arrive no later than Tuesday, November 22, 2011** to:

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