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ATTENTION: South Dakota Medicaid Providers

FROM: South Dakota Medicaid

RE: NPI Use for Pharmacy Point of Sale Providers

For outpatient retail pharmacy claims, South Dakota Medicaid currently accepts the prescriber DEA or NPI. Beginning May 16, 2016 Medicaid will accept only the prescriber NPI; claims submitted with the prescriber DEA will deny. Medicaid encourages all retail pharmacies to contact their software help desk to initiate this transformation. The process usually will only take a few minutes.

If you have any questions you may contact South Dakota Medicaid through the Provider Help line at 1-800-452-7691.

Thank you,
South Dakota Medicaid