## PROVIDER QUICK POINTS PROVIDER INFORMATION



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## Pharmacy Benefit Update - Endari™ Exclusion

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus (Blue Cross) is committed to providing subscribers with safe, quality, pharmacy care.

Effective April 1, 2018, Blue Cross will no longer cover Endari<sup>TM</sup> (L-glutamine) under the pharmacy benefit plan. Continued use of Endari<sup>TM</sup> will result in the subscriber paying full price. L-glutamine is available as an over-the-counter (OTC) nutritional supplement. A summary of the excluded medication and OTC alternative can be found below.

<b>Excluded Medication</b>	Over-the-Counter (OTC) Alternative Medication*
Endari <sup>TM</sup>	L-glutamine

<sup>\*</sup>OTC medications may be excluded from the subscriber's benefit plan.

## **Products Impacted**

This notice applies to commercial lines of business.

## **Ouestions?**

If you have questions, please contact provider services at (651) 662-5200 or 1-800-262-0820.

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