

January 29, 2008

To: All Local Presidents, Legacy SBC Bargaining Units

From: Kristie Darling, CWA Representative

Subj: Zyrtec and Zyrtec-D

Effective 2/1/2008 Zyrtec\* and Zyrtec-D\* will be going Over The Counter and will no longer be covered under the prescription drug program.

\*Although all Zyrtec strengths will be available OTC, the indications for young children (0-6 years) will still be considered prescription indications, based on current FDA guidelines. Therefore syrups and 5 mg chewable tablets will continue to be covered as a prescription.

OTC Zyrtec products will be on store shelves beginning Jan. 21, 2008.

Any Zyrtec prescriptions, for those strengths that are considered OTC that are in process at Caremark prior to 2/1 will be processed under the prescription drug program.

KD:mc  
opeiu2/afl-cio

cc: Seth Rosen, VP  
Sal LaCause, AVP  
D-4 Staff  
SBR's  
Annie Flack, RMC  
Marcy Gregory, RMC