

## 42 C.F.R. § 423.154

## Appropriate dispensing of prescription drugs in long-term care facilities under PDPs and MA-PD plans.

- (a) *In general.* Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, when dispensing covered Part D drugs to enrollees who reside in long-term care facilities, a Part D sponsor must—
- (1) Require all pharmacies servicing long-term care facilities, as defined in § 423.100 to—
- (i) Dispense solid oral doses of brand-name drugs, as defined in § 423.4, to enrollees in such facilities in no greater than 14-day increments at a time;
- (ii) Permit the use of uniform dispensing techniques for Part D drugs dispensed to enrollees in long-term care facilities under paragraph (a)(1)(i) of this section as defined by each of the long-term care facilities in which such enrollees reside; and

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