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**Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL) Program:
Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee Meeting
Tuesday, January 6, 2004
1:00 p.m. DMAS Board Room
AGENDA**

- **Welcome and Introductions** Patrick W. Finnerty, Director
- **Comments from the Secretary of Health and Human Resources** The Honorable Jane H. Woods, Secretary of Health and Human Resources
- **Comments from the Chairperson** Randy Axelrod, M.D.
- **Acceptance of Minutes from November 11, 2003 Meeting** Randy Axelrod, M.D. Chairman, P&T Committee Members
- **Presentations on Drug Specific Clinical Information** Randy Axelrod, M.D. and Interested Parties
- **Drug Class Discussions:**
 - **Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors - Ophth**
 - **Alpha 2 Adrenergics - Ophth**
 - **Beta-blockers – Ophth**
 - **Prostaglandin Inhibitors - Ophth**Mark Szalwinski, R.Ph. Vice Chairman, P&T Committee
P&T Committee Members
- **Confidential Meeting** Confidential Meeting for P&T Committee Members, DMAS, and FHSC Pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1396r-8 to discuss pricing information
- **P&T Committee Discussion** Randy Axelrod, M.D. P&T Committee Members
- **Open Issues** Randy Axelrod, M.D.
- **Next Meeting** Randy Axelrod, M.D.

Oral presentations: The P&T Committee in conjunction with the Department will be allocating a limited number of slots for interested parties to present scientific and clinical information on the specific drug classes that are listed on the Agenda. All presentations must be clinical in nature and based on scientific material. No anecdotal accounts are to be given. Each speaker will be allocated to a 3 - 5 minutes time slot. The actual speakers and number of speakers will be decided by the Chairperson based on relevancy of the information and time limitations.

If you are interested in providing specific clinical drug information, please submit your written comments or an outline of discussion points, indicate your request to speak at the meeting and the name of the presenter. Please send information to pdlinput@dmas.state.va.us by COB Wednesday, December 31, 2003.

Written information/presentations: The P&T Committee will accept written comments for consideration. Please send information to pdlinput@dmas.state.va.us by COB Wednesday, December 31, 2003.