Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL) Program:
Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee Meeting

Wednesday September 3, 2003
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., DMAS Board Room

AGENDA

- **Welcome and Introductions** **Patrick W. Finnerty, Director**

- **Acceptance of Minutes** **Randy Axelrod, M.D.**
   from July 30th and August 12th Meetings **Chairman, P&T Committee**

- **Comments from the Secretary of Health and** **The Honorable Jane H. Woods,**
   Human Resources **Secretary of Health and Human Resources**

- **Comments from the Chairperson** **Randy Axelrod, M.D.**

- **Presentations on Drug Specific Clinical** **Randy Axelrod, M.D. and**
   Information **Interested Parties**

- **Drug Class Discussions:** **Mark Szalwinski , R.Ph.**
   Vice Chairman, P&T Committee

 - Angiotensin Converting Enzyme Inhibitors (ACEI)
 - Angiotensin II Receptor Antagonists (ARB)
 - Calcium Channel Blockers
 - Beta Adrenegic Blocking Agents (Beta Blockers)

- **Confidential Meeting** **P&T Committee**

- **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 Thursday, August 28, 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 Thursday, August 28, 2003.