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**DUR BOARD
Quarterly Meeting
March 14, 2018**

AGENDA

- I. Welcome and Introductory Remarks**
- II. Annual Pipeline Continuing Education Program**
The Pipeline Update will provide a brief overview of clinical and/or regulatory updates regarding select pharmaceutical pipeline agents in late-stage development.
- III. VMAT2 Inhibitors Quality Assurance Analysis**
Quality Assurance Analysis is an evaluation of drug utilization and/or prior authorization requests to ensure evidence-based and cost-effective drug use.
- IV. MassHealth Drug List (MHDL) Update**
MHDL Overview including new additions, changes in Prior Authorization (PA) status, and related attachment updates to be implemented with an upcoming publication rollout.
- V. DUR Operational Update**
DUR Operational Overview including statistics associated with Prior Authorization (PA) review and PA response, and Call Center metrics.
- VI. MassHealth Update (Paul Jeffrey, MassHealth)**
MassHealth Update is a brief summary of recent developments in MassHealth in the context of pharmacy, managed care, or public health.
- VII. Anticonvulsants Quality Assurance Analysis
(time permitting)**
Quality Assurance Analysis is an evaluation of drug utilization and/or prior authorization requests to ensure evidence-based and cost-effective drug use.

Location: *DUR
Amphitheater
333 South Street
Shrewsbury, MA*

Time: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

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Next DUR Board (open meeting): June 13, 2018