



In an effort to give timely notice to the pharmacy community concerning important pharmacy topics, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene's (DHMH) **Maryland Pharmacy Program** (MPP) has developed the **Maryland Pharmacy Program Advisory**. To expedite information timely to the pharmacy and prescriber communities, an email network has been established which incorporates the email lists of the Maryland Pharmacists Association, EPIC, CARE, Long Term Care Consultants, headquarters of all chain drugstores and prescriber associations and organizations. It is our hope that the information is disseminated to all interested parties. If you have not received this email through any of the previously noted parties or via DHMH, please contact the MPP representative at 410-767-1455.

Department of Health and Mental Hygiene's New Website & URL

The Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene relocated its website. All the Maryland Medicaid Pharmacy Program information is no longer at <u>www.dhmh.state.md.us</u>, but is on the new site <u>http://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov</u> where you can click on the Pharmacy Program tab to find our homepage that contains important "Information for Providers" including the most current Preferred Drug List (PDL), past Advisories, policies, mental health drugs carveout, PA forms, quantity limits, clinical criteria and SMAC/IDC table.

You will want to change your bookmarks or links accordingly as the old ones no longer work.

For example, the MedWatch form to request authorization for a multisource Brand name drug is now located at http://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/pap/docs/Maryland%20Medwatch%20Form.pdf