

## Contact Information



### How do I contact the DUR Board?

- ❖ Recommendations for review topics and/or comments about the DUR program may be directed to the DUR director at: [dur@npharm.org](mailto:dur@npharm.org).
- ❖ DUR Board meeting agendas and minutes are posted on the NPA's website at: [www.npharm.org](http://www.npharm.org).

## Drug Use Review (DUR)



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## Drug Use Review (DUR) Board

### What is the DUR Board?

The DUR Board is a group of health care professionals from across the state, contracted by the Nebraska Pharmacists Association (NPA) to provide Drug Use Review (DUR) services for the State of Nebraska. The Board was created to improve the quality of pharmacy services and to ensure rational, cost-effective medication therapy for Nebraska Medicaid recipients.



### Who are the members of the DUR Board?

The members of the DUR Board consist of:

- 8 licensed and actively practicing Nebraska pharmacists,
- 5 licensed and actively practicing Nebraska physicians, and
- 2 student pharmacists.



### What are the activities of the DUR Board?

- Reviews prescription drug use of Nebraska Medicaid patients.
- Provides recommendations for drug therapy issues and Prior Authorization criteria as requested by Nebraska Medicaid.
- Informs providers of their patients' drug use patterns through provider education and intervention letters.



### What are the cost savings for Nebraska residents?

The DUR Board has reported an estimated cost savings of over \$10 million through the use of the Prior Authorization program, Prospective DUR interventions, and Tablet Splitting Programs.

