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To: Insurers Offering a Health Benefit Plan
From: Jonathan T. Pike, Insurance Commissioner
Date: February 5, 2025
Subject: **Calendar Year 2026 Insulin Prescription Caps**

The Utah Insurance Department issues this Bulletin under Utah Code § [31A-22-626](#), Coverage of Diabetes, and Utah Admin. Code [R590-200](#), Diabetes Treatment and Management. This Bulletin notifies an insurer offering a health benefit plan of the annual inflation adjustment cap to the average wholesale price for insulin.

A policy issued or renewed during the 2026 calendar year with a 30-day prescription supply must offer at least one insulin in each therapy category. A 30-day prescription supply cap is set at \$10.00 for § [31A-22-626\(4\)\(a\)](#) and \$35.00 for § [31A-22-626\(6\)\(b\)](#).

The insulin cap is calculated using data provided by the Public Employees Health Plan (PEHP). PEHP calculated the Average Wholesale Price per Milliliter (AWP/mL) of insulin for calendar years 2019 through 2024. PEHP included all insulin modes and therapy categories in the calculation.

Calendar Year	Avg AWP/mL	% change in AWP/mL
2019	\$40.18	n/a
2020	\$37.85	-5.8%
2021	\$36.31	-4.1%
2022	\$36.83	1.5%
2023	\$37.64	2.2%
2024	\$14.54	-61.4%

For 2026 plans, the \$30 and \$100 caps in place for 2021 are adjusted as follows:

$$2026 \text{ cap} = (2024 \text{ Avg AWP/mL} / 2019 \text{ Avg AWP/mL}) * \text{Base Cap}$$

or

$$2026 \text{ low cap} = (14.54 / 40.18) * \$30 = \$10.85, \text{ rounded down to the nearest multiple of five dollars} \\ = \$10$$

2026 high cap = $(14.54 / 40.18) * \$100 = \36.19 , rounded down to the nearest multiple of five dollars = \$35

The annual price of insulin through the Utah Insulin Savings Program, under § [31A-22-626\(6\)\(a\)](#), is available at <https://www.utahinsulin.net/>.

An insurer with questions about this Bulletin is advised to contact the Health and Life Division at health.uid@utah.gov.

DATED this 5th day of February 2025.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jonathan T. Pike". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

Jonathan T. Pike
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