



FINAL UPDATE: June 9, 2009

Attention: Providers and Pharmacies Serving UCare Members in Minnesota re: Federal Disaster Declarations

ALL DISASTER DECLARATIONS IN MINNESOTA EXPIRED ON FRIDAY, JUNE 5.

All special member provisions made by UCare in response to the declarations also have expired.

Special disaster declaration provisions expire after 30 days. Therefore, the last in the series of Federal Disaster Area declarations and allowances made in March, April, and May 2009 by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) expired on Friday, June 5.

Special network and medication refill provisions that UCare made for UCare members living in designated disaster areas have expired.

The FEMA declarations began in response to storm and flooding conditions in northwestern Minnesota's Red River Valley, and to weather-related situations in other Minnesota counties.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please direct any questions to UCare's **Provider Assistance Center: 612-676-3300 or 1-888-531-1493 (toll free), Monday- Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. CST.**

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