

June 29, 2021

RESCISSION OF VHA DIRECTIVE 2011-035, VA SUPPORT FOR THE PROVISION OF MEDICATIONS TO ELIGIBLE VETERANS IN A STATE VETERANS NURSING HOME

1. By direction of the Office of the Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration (VHA), VHA Directive 2011-035, VA Support For The Provision Of Medications To Eligible Veterans In A State Veterans Nursing Home, dated September 14, 2011, is rescinded.
2. The information in this policy is available in other resources. An interprofessional resource document has been developed to assist in locating program-specific information. The resource document is available at the State Veterans Home (SVH) Surveys SharePoint (<https://dvagov.sharepoint.com/sites/VHAstate-veterans-homes>) and the State Home Per Diem Program Reference SharePoint (<https://dvagov.sharepoint.com/sites/vhavha-directives/state-home-per-diem-shpd-program/SitePages/Home.aspx?e=1%3A860703cfca33431d907810d06f269f90>). If the user needs to request access, then approval is granted promptly. **NOTE:** *These are internal Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) websites that are not available to the public.*
3. All inquiries concerning this action should be addressed to the Office of Patient Care Services, Pharmacy Benefits Management Services (12PBM) and the National Geriatric and Extended Care State Veterans Home Program Office (12GEC) at VHA12GECStateHomePerDiemInquiries@va.gov and VHAPBMPharmacyCompliance@va.gov.
4. This VHA notice will expire and be archived on June 30, 2022. However, the rescission information will remain in effect.

**BY DIRECTION OF THE OFFICE OF THE
UNDER SECRETARY FOR HEALTH:**

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