

## **AHCCCS Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee Public Testimony Form**

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best applies.: Committee.

Summary of Testimony:

Thanks to the Arizona State Health Department, AHCCCS physicians and pharmacists supporting the availability of antipsychotics type medications, including all available oral formulas and all available intramuscular injections too. These type of medications had been allowing patients to return to workforce and being productive members of society. Seeing and supporting patients on their promotions, enrollment in College classes, keeping themselves out of hospitalizations and

crisis is a markedly positive aspect of their progress, empowerement and recovery.

Drug/Product: All types of both oral and intramuscular antipsychotics medications, including and not limited to

Aripiprazole, Abilify, Brexpiprazole, Rexulti, Paliperidone, Invega, Cariprazine, Vraylar, Caplyta and

Lybalvi.

Therapeutic Drug Class:

Antipsychotics medications.

Testimony

Format: Written

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