



Medicare Advantage  
Provider Bulletin  
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## **Electronic Prescribing - House Bill 831 (2019)**

Dear Valued Provider,

In 2019, Florida's Governor Ron DeSantis signed House Bill 831 (2019), Electronic Prescribing, into law. The bill went into effect on January 1, 2020 and must be implemented by the time the prescriber renews their license, if that period is between January 01, 2021 and July 1, 2021. Prescribers who are not due for license renewal within that period must still comply to prescribe electronically by July 01, 2021.

The new bill provides important requirements for prescribers to generate and transmit all prescriptions electronically. The bill also provides exceptions to this requirement. Please refer to the links included below from the Florida Board of Pharmacy and the Florida Medical Association for additional and detailed information regarding House Bill 831 (2019) requirements.

- <https://floridaspharmacy.gov/latest-news/electronic-prescribing-requirements/>
- [https://www.flmedical.org/florida/Florida\\_Public/Docs/Floridas-new-e-prescribing-law.pdf](https://www.flmedical.org/florida/Florida_Public/Docs/Floridas-new-e-prescribing-law.pdf)

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