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# NEWS & Views

## AMCP Launches Drug Product Pipeline

AMCP and Aperture are proud to present the AMCP Drug Product Pipeline, the latest innovation in providing access and insight into the formulary decision-making process. Designed to alleviate the workloads of pharmacy benefit managers and health care decision makers, the Pipeline aggregates data from government databases as well as other publicly available sources to provide a one-stop portal featuring the next generation of pharmaceuticals. AMCP members have exclusive access to the entire interactive portal.

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## AMCP Statement on California vs. Texas Decision

On June 17, the U.S. Supreme Court upheld the Affordable Care Act (ACA), protecting health care for millions of Americans. As the country emerges from a global health crisis, striking down the ACA could have negated pharmacy benefits and removed protections for the 135 million Americans who have pre-existing conditions — exposing them to higher prices for coverage and making coverage unattainable for many. We are pleased the highest Court upheld the ACA.

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### AMCP Comments on OMB RFI to Advance Equity

Yesterday, AMCP submitted comments to OMB that align with our strategic priority to reduce health disparities. Key recommendations include continuous 12-month Medicaid eligibility and simplifying the LIS enrollment process for Part D beneficiaries.

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### AMCP Foundation is Now Accepting Nominations for the Steven G. Avey Award

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Sponsor AMCP's Partnership Forum, "Digital Therapeutics 2.0," to help identify challenges and payer needs related to the evidence for digital therapeutics. Get your organization in front of valued industry leaders. This invitation-only forum will be held virtually from Aug. 31-Sep. 1, 2021. Contact [corpopportunities@amcp.org](mailto:corpopportunities@amcp.org) to become a sponsor.

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### Submit Your Proposal for AMCP Talks at AMCP Nexus 2021

You are invited to submit your proposal for AMCP Talks: Best Practices in Addressing Health Disparities. Share your thought leadership with other managed care leaders eager to advance their professional learning at Nexus 2021 in Denver, CO, on Oct. 18. Submit your proposals by Friday, July 23, 2021 at 11:59pm PT to be considered.

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### Upcoming PIE Webinars

The following webinar is only offered to payers, formulary committees, or other similar entities responsible for the selection of drugs for coverage or reimbursement:

- [Aug. 5](#): Difelikefalin, An Investigational Drug for CKD-associated Pruritus in HD Patients: Pre-approval Information Exchange presented by Vifor Pharma, Inc.

### Additional Upcoming Webinars

- [July 21](#): Recognition of Severe Eosinophilic Asthma & Comorbidities
- [July 27](#): FreeStyle Libre 2 System: Transforming Diabetes Care Through Life-Changing Technology

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