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**Upcoming Events**

GeriMed staff will be in attendance at both the NCPA and ASCP conferences in October and November. Feel free to stop by and say hi. We look forward to seeing you!

NCPA - Booth# 1512



ASCP - Booth#721



**NCPDP Credentialing**

[Click here](#) for an overview of the new credentialing requirements by NCPDP.

For a copy of the updated training guide with specific instructions addressing

**Immunization Tips: Understanding Standing Orders**

[Click here](#) for an informative article by our partners at R.J. Hedges entitled "Immunization Tips: Understanding Standing Orders".

**HEALTH PLAN BULLETINS**



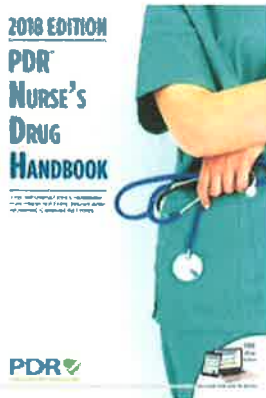
the additional credentialing requirements, [Click here](#).

### Daily Cost Sharing

[Click here](#) for an overview of daily cost share rules and guidelines.

### Billing Frequency

[Click here](#) here for a grid detailing the frequency with which pharmacies can bill and receive multiple dispensing fees for short cycle claims.



### 2018 PDR Nurse's Drug Handbooks

Gerimed is pleased to again offer the **2018 PDR Nurse's Drug Handbooks** at a 30% discount. Mail a check with the [order form](#) and it will

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### Audit Compliance & Resolution Services (ACRS)

With over 30 years of proven experience, GeriMed is your one stop partner in assisting and resolving audit issues by PBMs or Health Plans.

Our goal is to assist you in protecting your funds from erroneous PBM audit-related chargebacks, while simultaneously ensuring the overall regulatory compliance of your pharmacy and in-turn, the integrity of our Med D LTC Network.

### Audit Tips & Other Resources

-[Click here](#) for the most recent list of **audit tips**, assembled by the ACRS team to assist you in the PBM audit process and regulatory compliance.

-If you wish to receive our *pre/ongoing/post, on-site audit checklist*, please contact us and we will make that available to you immediately.

Our ACRS team is ready to assist you with any questions regarding PBM Audits. Please submit your inquiry to Lewis Romero at [lromero@gerimedgso.com](mailto:lromero@gerimedgso.com), by phone



be processed as soon as possible.

at 1-800-456-4374, ext 4127 or via fax at (502) 339-1417.

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**Non-Pharm Portfolio**

Other than the pharmaceutical contracts highlighted by the Cost Capsule, GeriMed and ComboMed members have access to 65 non-pharm vendor contracts offering an array of products and services throughout the healthcare industry. For a complete product/service listing as well as contact information for each vendor, please log onto our member's website, and select Pricing Tools from the Suite of Services. Questions and requests for additional information can be sent to [info@gerimedgso.com](mailto:info@gerimedgso.com).

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