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## Overview

The **Clinically Preferred Drug List** or “PDL” is a continually updated list of prescription medications that represents the current clinical judgement of our clinical team, providers and experts in the diagnosis and treatment of different diseases. It contains clinical prescribing information that assists health care professionals when prescribing the highest quality affordable drugs to patients. The PDL represents the efforts of our clinical team to a method to evaluate the various drug products available. *Note that not all drugs that are available are listed in this document ... just those that are the most commonly dispensed by general practitioners and specialists. There are thousands of generic drugs for effective products that are readily available not listed in this book.* The PDL shows both generic and brand names for reference and convenience. Some plan sponsors, HMOs or Health Plans, Unions or Employers may be provided with the option of imposing further restrictions or choose not to reimburse some products listed in the PDL.

Additionally, as drug prices increase, new specialty drugs are released, and brand drugs lose patent, limiting drug selection to preferred products (generics, brands, as well as specialty) has become more critical. Our clinicians work to manage a balanced formulary, offering the best clinical products based on (1) safety, (2) efficacy, (3) availability, (4) lowest potential for abuse, (5) limited side effects, (6) viable clinical alternatives, (7) patient educational needs & availability, and finally (8) cost. While a very high percentage of plan designs follow this formulary, some small percentage may make plan design modifications and/or apply their own clinical management parameters.

## Coverage Limitation

The PDL does not provide information regarding specific coverage, limitations or exclusions, member out-of-pocket costs (known as “member contributions” or more commonly “copays”) that may be assigned at plan level. The PDL applies to out-patient drugs provided to members, and *does not* apply to medications used in the in-patient setting (with the exception of some physician administered office products). All applicable dosage forms and strengths of a particular drug are included in the PDL under the specific entry unless otherwise noted and listed separately.

## Compounded Drugs

Our Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee (“P&T Committee”) has recommended against the coverage of compounded products. This decision was based on our research that compounds are not currently FDA approved as indicated for therapeutic use. Compounds have not passed the standards of clinical safety nor clinical efficacy that the FDA has set for authorization to be used in human diseases. Furthermore, due to ongoing reports concerning compounded pharmacy products causing harm for their intended patients, the P&T Committee has decided to take a prudent position against approval of compounding products to keep the safety and best interests of our members as its highest priority. If you have any questions, please contact your account executive.

While the P&T Committee does not recommend the use or coverage of compounds, we maintain that every patient has the right to order, and pharmacies have the right to dispense, compounded drugs at their own risk and expense. Please note that some plan benefits may opt to include them on a limited basis.

## Drug Placement Determination

New Drugs are constantly being developed and approved by the FDA for the treatment of the different disease states. Due to vast availability of medication therapies and treatments, a reasonable process of drug selection and drug usage has been developed. The goal of the PDL is to enhance the physicians’ and pharmacists’ abilities to provide optimal cost-effective drug therapies to patients.

The development, maintenance, and improvement of the PDL are evolutionary processes that require the constant attention of our P&T Committee. As stated above, the PDL is a continually reviewed and revised list of drug products that mirrors the prevailing clinical opinion of the P&T Committee. Unfortunately, this dynamic process does not allow this document to be completely accurate in official print at all times. Updates are provided as necessary through newsletters and updates made readily available on the Internet for members, physicians, pharmacists and plan sponsors.

New Drugs being considered for formulary inclusion will be reviewed for their safety, efficacy, FDA-approved indications, contraindications, side effects, pharmacokinetic profile, patient compliance potential, drug cost and effects on other indirect health costs. A thorough medical literature review will place an emphasis on the following characteristics:

- Safety and Effectiveness of Product
- Potential for Patient Clinical or Utilization Abuse
- Comparison Studies with Similar Products if available
- Therapeutic Outcomes and Economic Data

Drugs that are given a "priority" review by the FDA will be reviewed for possible inclusion into the formulary in as little as 7 days if necessary. New drugs will have their characteristics compared to other similar drugs within a therapeutic class when available. New drugs that are added to an existing therapeutic class may result in the deletion of other drug(s) within the particular therapeutic class as clinical applications warrant. This process ensures the selection of the most clinically useful and cost-effective drugs within a specific therapeutic class.

## Preferred Brand Products

Brand drugs (listed in bold) that are added to the PDL in the "Preferred Brand" column include those that offer a clinical and/or cost advantage over other existing comparable brand drugs (listed under "Non-Preferred Brands") without sacrificing safety or effectiveness. Drugs will not be placed in either column if there currently is insufficient clinical evidence of its appropriate clinical effectiveness.

Brand drugs, whose generic form is also listed in the "Generic Drugs" column, should be considered as Non-Preferred brands as there have readily available generic equivalents. Brand drugs listed in the "Generic Drugs" column that have a caret (^) are considered Preferred Brands with preferred brand copays. Brand drugs listed in the "Generic Drugs" column that have a hash or pound sign (#) are brand drugs with generic copays. Copays as always are part of the member's defined benefits and vary by plan for brands and generics for standard and specialty drugs.

Brand drugs that may vary from formulary to formulary are notated with an asterisk (\*). Brand drugs that have <sup>RECOMMEND</sup> next to their name may not have any tier limitations in place, although they are subject to the copay tier assigned.

Brand drugs that are crossed out (i.e. ~~Drug Name~~) are no longer marketed but are available generically.

*Exclusions & Grandfathering:* Patients on continuous therapy of a Non-Preferred brand that may be excluded or is in a higher formulary tier may continue to take these drugs at the Preferred Brand copay until therapy is discontinued (called "grandfathering"). Restart of such brand drugs may require restart of therapy and may be charged the higher Non-Preferred Brand copay.

## Generic Substitution

Whenever available, lower cost generic drugs approved by the FDA should be used regardless of the brand name indicated. Generic drugs provide the patients with a more cost effective, chemically and therapeutically equivalent option that can reduce the patient's out of pocket cost. Generic drugs will be listed in the "Generic Drugs" column, or in parenthesis next the brand drug name in the "Preferred Brands" or "Non-Preferred Brands" columns. The brand drugs listed under the "Generic Drugs" column are for reference only, do not have a generic copay, and do not guarantee coverage. This statement is not meant to preclude or override any state statutes that may exist (e.g., Non-Substitutable Drugs). Inclusion of a brand drug for generic substitution is subject to the following:

- An FDA Rating of "A" for generic equivalency as well as thorough review by the P&T Committee for efficacy and safety
- A narrow therapeutic index that makes it not subject to substitution due to complex pharmacokinetics, dosage forms, etc.

## Single & Dual Source Generics

Upon patent expiration, brand drugs become available from one or more generic manufacturers. If the brand drug becomes available from only one generic manufacturer – typically for an exclusivity period or when other competing generics are removed from the market – the generic drug is called a "*Single Source Generic*" or SSG. If a brand drug becomes available from two (2) manufacturers, the generic drugs are called "*Dual Source Generics*" or DSG; if a brand drug is available from many generic

manufacturers, it is then called a “Multi-Source Brand” or MSB, while the generic drugs are called “Multi-Source Generics” or MSG.

While a generic drug is a SSG or DSG, its price may only be slightly cheaper than the original equivalent brand drug. During this time, at the clinical team’s recommendation, the SSG or DSG may be priced according to one of the following algorithms:

- GENERIC discount with a GENERIC copay
- GENERIC discount with a BRAND copay
- BRAND discount with a GENERIC copay
- BRAND discount with a BRAND copay
- NDC blocked so that the member must buy the BRAND at the full cash price (100% copay) with our discounts being applied

## Prior Authorizations, Step Edits & Quantity Limits

*Prior Authorization:* Some brand drugs may require approval called “prior authorization” before the prescription can be dispensed. If a drug requires prior authorization, it may be noted in this PDL with either a P/A or P/A Req’d. Note that your plan may also restrict specific drugs and require a Prior Authorization that may not be shown on this PDL.

When a Prior Authorization is required, one or more of the following criteria must be fulfilled before the Prior Authorization will be issued:

1. Patient must have failed an appropriate trial of generics or other clinically Preferred Brand drugs (“step edit” – see below).
2. Use of a Preferred Brand drug(s) may cause documented underlying conditions or side effects, which would be detrimental to the patient’s health.
3. The treatment algorithm for that disease state is being followed according to the generally accepted published guidelines or the protocol in the FDA approved package insert.
4. A more cost effective, clinically equivalent agent is available as the Preferred Brand Drug.

*Step Edits:* Many drugs on the PDL may have specific step edits or quantity limits. A “step edit” is the process where another drug may be required to be used first before the prescribed drug is covered. Such drugs requiring use of another drug before it can be dispensed will be indicated in this PDL with an <sup>S/E</sup> or an <sup>S/E-2</sup>.

*Quantity Limits:* Our clinical team strongly recommends that some method of utilization compliance, including quantity limits, be placed on many drugs. Many products may have quantity limits implemented in your plan benefit design that are consistent with their FDA approved package insert or appropriate clinical guidance to control utilization. They are not specifically marked in this PDL.

More information on specialty drug restrictions are detailed at the end of this PDL.

## 100% Copay vs. Excluded Drugs

Our P&T Committee and clinicians believe that drug exclusions limit the choice of physicians and patients in treating specific conditions. Some drugs are manufactured simply for patient convenience at a much higher price than available equivalent generic drugs, or have other brand drug options available at a much lower net cost. To maintain a complete patient profile of drugs, managed clients should *not* exclude the drugs indicated with 100% Copay but instead cover them at the 100% copay to the patient, with strong encouragement that the patient use manufacturer copay cards to reduce the patient’s out of pocket costs. If a patient is already on one of the drugs listed with a star (\*), therapy should be continued at the non-preferred copay.

The list includes but is not limited to:

Auvi-Q	Enteragam	Pexeva	Steglatro
Cambia	Epaned	Prexxartan	Steglujan
Carospir Soln	Esprontia	Protonix Soln	Taperdex
Conjupri	Evzio**	Qbrelis Soln	Tivorbex
Consensi	Fortamet ER	Rayos	Treximet
Cycloset	Glumetza	Riomet	Vimovo
Duexis	Katerzia	Roszet	Vivlodex
Durlaza	Millipred Pak	Seglentis	Yosprela
Edecrin	Noxafil	Segluromet	Zorvolex
Elyxyb Soln	Pennsaid 2%	Sitavig	

\*\* May be covered by some plan benefit designs at standard copay. 100% copay applies if P/A protocols are not met

## Non-Listed Drugs & Drug Categories

Drug categories that are not specifically listed in the book are generally categories of lower utilization where generic products are readily available (i.e. cough & cold) and shall be driven by plan design if covered. A specific brand drug may be “preferred”, “non-preferred” or “non-formulary” depending on the class.

Additionally, if a specific drug is not listed in the PDL, the drug is categorized under a general statement (such as that of HIV products on page 9), is covered under a medical benefit due to the location of administration, or is in a therapeutic class generally not seen in managed care. Oral products (other than oral oncology drugs) that are not listed should be considered as having a Non-Preferred brand copay.

## Formulary Modifications & Changes

Changes may be made to this PDL at any time based on availability or market conditions. Drugs approved by the FDA are added as Non-Preferred Brands with the same restrictions as other Non-Preferred Brands in the same clinical equivalent drug class until they are reviewed by the P&T Committee unless the clinical team determines that the product is a “line extension”. Drugs that are NOT listed in this book when the competitors *are* should be considered as excluded, not covered, or non-preferred drugs.

## Biosimilars

The FDA acknowledges a biosimilar drug as a specialty product that is highly similar to and has no clinically meaningful differences from an existing FDA-approved reference product, and listed in the FDA Purple Book, with the following definitions:

- “Highly Similar” means that a manufacturer developing a proposed biosimilar demonstrates that its product is highly similar to the original brand drug product by extensively analyzing (i.e., characterizing) the structure and function of both the reference product and the proposed biosimilar.

- “No Clinically Meaningful Differences” means that the manufacturer must demonstrate that its proposed biosimilar product has no clinically meaningful differences from the original brand drug in terms of safety, purity, and potency (safety and effectiveness).

## Changes to the PDL

The following changes have been or will be implemented on the date shown. Placement of new drugs can be found in the formulary newsletter.

Drug	Disease State	Date	Change
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# Antibiotics

## ANTIBIOTICS

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON- PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Penicillins &amp; Cephalosporins</b></p> <p><i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i></p> <p>W1</p>		<p><b>Spectracef</b> (Cefditoren Pivoxil)  <b>Suprax</b> (Cefixime) <sup>S/E</sup></p>
<p><b>Tetracyclines</b></p> <p>Doxycycline (various) / <b>Doryx, Vibramycin</b>            Minocycline / <b>Minocin, Dynacin, Solodyn</b></p> <p><i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i></p> <p>W1</p>		<p><b>Acticlate</b> (Doxycycline Hyclate)  <b>Oracea</b> (Doxycycline Monohydrate)</p>
<p><b>Macrolides, Clindamycins &amp; Ketolides</b></p> <p><i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i></p> <p>W9</p>		
<p><b>Sulfonamides, Sulfones &amp; Nitrofurantoin</b></p> <p><i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i></p> <p>W2</p>		<p><b>Furadantin Liquid</b> (Nitrofurantoin)</p>
<p><b>Quinolones</b></p> <p>Ciprofloxacin / <b>Cipro, Cipro-XR</b>            Levofloxacin / <b>Levaquin</b>            Moxifloxacin / <b>Avelox</b>            Ofloxacin / <b>Floxin</b></p> <p>W1</p>		<p><b>Baxdela</b> (Delafloxacin) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Factive</b> (Gemifloxacin)</p>
<p><b>Miscellaneous Antibiotics</b></p> <p>Vancomycin / <b>Vancocin</b>            Linezolid / <b>Zyvox</b></p> <p>W1</p>	<p><b>Dificid</b> (Fidaxomicin<sup>™</sup>)</p>	<p><b>FirVanq</b> (Vancomycin)</p>



# Antivirals

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>General Antivirals</b></p> <p><u>Antivirals:</u>                      Acyclovir / <b>Zovirax</b>                      Amantadine / <b>Symmetrel</b>                      Famciclovir / <b>Famvir</b>                      Ganciclovir / <b>Cytovene</b>                      Valacyclovir / <b>Valtrex</b>                      Valganciclovir / <b>Valcyte</b></p> <p>W5</p> <p><u>Flu Treatment/Flu Prevention:</u>                      Oseltamivir / <b>Tamiflu</b>                      Rimantadine / <b>Flumadine</b></p> <p>W5</p>	<p><u>Antivirals:</u></p> <p><u>Flu Treatment/Flu Prevention:</u></p>	<p><u>Antivirals:</u>  <b>Sitavig</b> (Acyclovir) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Prevymis</b> (Letermovir) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Flu Treatment/Flu Prevention:</u>  <b>Relenza</b> (Zanamivir)  <b>Xofluza</b> (Baloxavir Marboxil)</p>
<p><b>HIV Antiviral Drugs</b></p> <p><i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i></p> <p>W5</p>	<p>All <u>Other Single Source Brand</u> HIV Antiviral Drugs</p>	<p>All <u>Multi-Source Brand</u> HIV Antiviral Drugs</p>
<p><b>HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis Drugs</b></p> <p>Tenofovir/Emtricitabine / <b>Truvada</b> <sup>S/E/P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p>W5</p>	<p><b>Descovy</b> (Emtricitabine/Tenofovir Alafenamide)</p>	<p><b>Truvada</b> (Emtricitabine/Tenofovir Disproxil (TDF))</p>

ANTIVIRALS

## Anti-Infectives

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Anaerobic Anti-Infectives</b> Metronidazole / <b>Flagyl</b> Paromomycin Sulfate / <b>Humatin</b> Tinidazole / <b>Tindamax</b> W4		
<b>Antiparasitics</b> W4	<b>Alinia</b> (Nitazoxanide)	
<b>Antimalarials &amp; Antiprotozoals</b> Atovaquone/Proguanil / <b>Malarone</b> Hydroxychloroquine / <b>Plaquenil</b> Mefloquine / <b>Lariam</b> Quinine Sulfate / <b>Qualaquin</b> W4		<b>Arakoda</b> (Tafenoquine) <b>Daraprim</b> (Pyrimethamine) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Lampit</b> (Nifurtimox)
<b>Antihelminthic Drugs</b> Ivermectin / <b>Stromectol</b> W4		<b>Albenza</b> (Albendazole) <b>Biltricide</b> (Praziquantel) <b>Emverm</b> (Mebendazole)

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## Antiemetics

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Antiemetics (Assorted Use)</b> Aprepitant / <b>Emend</b> Dronabinol / <b>Marinol</b> Granisetron / <b>Kytril</b> Meclizine / <b>Antivert</b> Ondansetron / <b>Zofran, Zofran ODT</b> Doxylamine/Pyridoxine / <b>Diclegis</b> Prochlorperazine / <b>Compazine</b> Promethazine HCL / <b>Phenergan, Promethegan Supp.</b> Trimethobenzamide / <b>Tigan</b> H6	<b>Bonjesta ER'</b> (Doxylamine Succinate/Vitamin B6) <b>Transderm-Scop Patch</b> (Scopalamine)	<b>Akynzeo</b> (Netupitant/Palonosetron) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Sancuso Patch</b> (Granisetron) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Sustol Injectible</b> (Granisetron) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Syndros Oral Solution</b> (Dronabinol) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Varubi</b> (Rolapitant) <b>Zuplenz Film</b> (Ondansetron)

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# Neurologic: Parkinsons & Migraine Drugs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anti-Parkinsons Drugs</b></p> <p>Amantadine / <b>Symmetrel</b>                      Benzotropine / <b>Cogentin</b>                      Bromocriptine / <b>Parlodel</b>                      Carbidopa/Levodopa / <b>Sinemet/CR, Parcopa</b>                      Carbidopa/Levodopa/Entacapone / <b>Stalevo</b>                      Entacapone / <b>Comtan</b>                      Pramipexole / <b>Mirapex, Mirapex ER</b>                      Rasagiline / <b>Azilect</b>                      Ropinirole / <b>Requip, Requip XL</b>                      Tolcapone / <b>Tasmar</b></p> <p>H6</p> <p><u>Parkinsons Motion/Dyskinesia Drugs:</u></p> <p>H6</p> <p><u>Psychosis Drugs:</u></p> <p>H8</p>	<p><b>Parkinsons Motion/Dyskinesia Drugs:</b></p> <p><b>Gocovri</b><sup>†</sup> (Amantadine)  <b>Xadago</b><sup>†</sup> (Safinamide)</p> <p><b>Psychosis Drugs:</b></p>	<p><b>Apokyn Injectable, Kynmobi SL Film</b> (Apomorphine)  <b>Banzel</b> (Rufinamide)  <b>Imbrija Inhaler</b> (Levodopa) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Neupro Patch</b> (Rotigotine)  <b>Ongentys</b> (Opicapone)  <b>Osmolex ER</b> (Amantadine)  <b>Rytary ER</b> (Carbidopa/Levodopa ER) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Zelapar ODT</b> (Selegiline)</p> <p><u>Parkinsons Motion/Dyskinesia Drugs:</u></p> <p><u>Psychosis Drugs:</u></p> <p><b>Nuplazid</b> (Pimavanserin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Anti-Migraine Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Triptans:</u></p> <p>Sumatriptan Tablets &amp; Injectibles / <b>Imitrex</b>                      Sumatriptan / Naproxen Sodium <b>Treximet</b> <sup>100% Copay</sup></p> <p>{All Generic TRIPTANS}</p> <p><u>CGRP (Prevention):</u></p> <p><u>CGRP (Treatment):</u></p> <p><u>Other Products:</u></p> <p>Ergotamine / <b>Ergomar</b>                      Ergotamine/Caffeine / <b>Cafergot</b>                      Dihydroergotamine/ <b>Migranal Nasal</b></p> <p>H3</p>	<p><u>Triptans:</u></p> <p><b>Onzetra Xsail</b><sup>†</sup> (Sumatriptan Nasal)</p> <p><u>CGRP (Prevention):</u></p> <p><b>Ajovy</b><sup>†</sup> <b>Injector</b> (Fremanezumab) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Emgality</b><sup>†</sup> <b>Injector</b> (Galcanezumab<sup>†</sup>) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Qulipta Tablets</b><sup>†</sup> (Atogepant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>CGRP (Treatment):</u></p> <p><b>Reyvow</b> (Lasmiditan) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Ubrelvy</b> (Ubrogepant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Other Products:</u></p> <p><b>Nervio</b><sup>†</sup> REN Device<sup>†</sup></p>	<p><u>Triptans:</u></p> <p><b>Imitrex Spray</b> (Sumatriptan) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Tosymra Nasal Spray</b> (Sumatriptan) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Zembrace SymTouch</b> (Sumatriptan) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Zomig Nasal Spray only</b> (Zomitriptan) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>CGRP (Prevention):</u></p> <p><b>Aimovig Injector</b> (Erenumab) <sup>Clinical P/A – S/E</sup>  <b>Nurtec-ODT</b> (Rimegepant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>CGRP (Treatment):</u></p> <p><b>Nurtec-ODT</b> (Rimegepant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Other Products:</u></p> <p><b>Botox</b> (OnabotulinumtoxinA) <sup>Medical/Specialty</sup>  <b>Cambia Powder</b> (Diclofenac Potassium) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>GammaCore Device</b> – VNS  <b>Elyxyb Oral Solution</b> (Celecoxib) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Trudhesa Nasal Spray</b> (Dihydroergotamine) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>

PARKINSONS

MIGRAINES

# Neurologic: Alzheimers, Anticonvulsants & Antiepileptics

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Alzheimer's Drugs</b></p> <p>Donepezil / <b>Aricept</b>/ODT                      Galantamine / <b>Razadyne</b>/ER                      Memantine /<b>Namenda</b>/XR                      Pyridostigmine / <b>Mestinon</b>                      Razadyne / <b>Reminyl</b>, <b>Reminyl</b> ER                      Rivastigmine / <b>Exelon</b> Capsules/Patches</p> <p>H1/J1</p>		<p><b>Namzaric</b> (Memantine/Donepezil) <sup>S/E</sup></p>
<p><b>Anticonvulsants &amp; Anti-Epileptics</b></p> <p><u>Anti-Convulsants</u>                      Carbamazepine / <b>Carbatrol</b>, <b>Tegretol</b>                      Clonazepam / <b>Klonopin</b>                      Divalproex Sodium / <b>Depakote</b>/ER/Sprinkles                      Gabapentin / <b>Neurontin</b>                      Lamotrigine / <b>Lamictal</b>, <b>Lamictal XR</b>, <b>Lamictal ODT</b>                      Oxcarbazepine / <b>Trileptal</b>                      Pregabalin / <b>Lyrica</b>                      Topiramate / <b>Topamax</b>, <b>Qudexy XR</b>                      Valproic Acid / <b>Depakene</b></p> <p><i>(Many other Generic Products are Available)</i></p> <p><u>Anti-Epileptic Drugs</u>                      Levetiracetam / <b>Keppra</b>, <b>Keppra XR</b>                      Phenytoin / <b>Dilantin</b>                      Phenytoin Sodium / <b>Phenytek</b></p> <p>H2/H4</p>	<p><u>Anti-Convulsants</u>  <b>Xcopri</b> (Cenobamate) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Anti-Epileptic Drugs</u>  <b>Dilantin 30mg ONLY</b> (Phenytoin)  <b>Spritam</b> (Levetiracetam) <sup>S/E</sup></p>	<p><u>Anti-Convulsants</u>  <b>Aptiom</b> (Eslicarbazepine) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Celontin</b> (Methsuximide) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Diacomit</b> (Stiripentol) <sup>S/E [Dravet]</sup>  <b>Diastat Acu-Dial Gel</b> (Diazepam) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Eprontia Solution</b> (Topiramate) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Fintepla</b> (Fenfluramine) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Fycompa</b> (Perampanel) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Lyrica CR</b> (Pregabalin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Nayzilam Nasal Spray</b> (Midazolam)  <b>Oxtellar XR</b> (Oxcarbazepine) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Sabril</b> (Vigabatrin) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Trokendi XR</b> (Topiramate) <sup>S/e</sup>  <b>Valtoco Nasal Spray</b> (Diazepam) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Vimpat</b> (Lucosamide) <sup>S/e</sup></p> <p><u>Anti-Epileptic Drugs</u>  <b>Briviact</b> (Brivaracetam) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Elepsia XR</b> (Levetiracetam) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Fibromyalgia, Neuropathic &amp; PHN** Drugs</b></p> <p>Duloxetine / <b>Cymbalta</b>                      Gabapentin / <b>Neurontin</b>                      Pregabalin / <b>Lyrica</b></p> <p>H4/H7</p>		<p><b>Gralise</b> (Gabapentin)  <b>Lyrica CR</b> (Pregabalin)**  <b>Savella</b> (Milnacipran)  <b>ZTLido</b> (Lidocaine Patch)**</p>
<p><b>Restless Leg Syndrome (RLS) Drugs</b></p> <p>Pramipexole / <b>Mirapex</b>                      Ropinirole / <b>Requip</b>, <b>Requip XL</b></p> <p>H6</p>		<p><b>Horizant</b> (Gabapentin Enacarbil)  <b>Neupro Patch</b> (Rotigotine)</p>

**ALZHEIMERS**

**EPILEPSY & SEIZURES**

\*\* - Post-Herpetic Neuralgia Pain (PHN)

# Blood Modifiers

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anticoagulants /Anti-10A/Thrombin Inhibitors</b></p> <p>Warfarin Sodium / <b>Coumadin, Jantoven</b>                      Heparin Sodium</p> <p>M9</p>	<p><b>Eliquis'</b> (Apixaban)  <b>Xarelto 2.5mg, 15mg, 20mg'</b> (Rivaroxaban)  <b>&amp; Xarelto Starter Pak – all'</b></p>	<p><b>Savaysa</b> (Edoxaban Tosylate)  <b>Pradaxa'</b> (Dabigatran Etexilate)</p>
<p><b>Heparin-Related Drugs / DVT</b></p> <p>M9</p>	<p><b>Eliquis'</b> (Apixaban)  <b>Xarelto 10mg'</b> (Rivaroxaban)</p>	<p><b>Bevyxxa</b> (Betrixaban)  <b>Savaysa</b> (Edoxaban Tosylate)  <b>Pradaxa'</b> (Dabigatran Etexilate)</p>
<p><b>Platelet Aggregation Inhibitors / ACS</b></p> <p>Anagralide / <b>Agrylin</b>                      Cilostazol / <del><b>Pleta</b></del>                      Clopidogrel / <b>Plavix</b>                      Dipyridamole / <del><b>Persantine</b></del>                      Dipyridamole &amp; Aspirin / <b>Aggrenox</b>                      Pentoxifylline / <del><b>Trental</b></del>                      Prasugrel / <b>Effient</b></p> <p>M9 / N1</p>	<p><b>Brilinta'</b> (Ticagrelor)</p>	<p><b>Durlaza ER</b> (Aspirin) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>Other Drugs</b></p> <p>Aminocaproic Acid / <b>Amicar</b>                      Tranexamic Acid / <b>Lestya</b></p> <p>M9</p>		<p><b>Zontivity</b> (Vorapaxar)</p>

**BLOOD THINNERS**

# Cardiovascular: Alpha/Beta Blockers & CCBs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Alpha &amp; Beta Blockers</b></p> <p><u>Alpha Blockers</u>            Doxazosin / <del>Cardura</del>            Prazosin / <del>Minipress</del>            Terazosin / <del>Hytrin</del></p> <p>J7</p> <p><u>Beta Blockers</u>            Acebutolol / <del>Sectral</del>            Atenolol / <del>Tenormin</del>            Betaxolol / <del>Kerone</del>            Bisoprolol / <del>Zebeta</del>            Metoprolol / <del>Lopressor, Toprol/XL</del>            Nadolol / <del>Corgard</del>            Pindolol / <del>Visken</del>            Propranolol / <del>Inderal XL/LA</del>            Sotalol / <del>Betapace/AF</del>            Timolol / <del>Blocadren</del></p> <p>J7</p> <p><u>Alpha-Beta Blocker Combinations</u>            Carvedilol / <del>Coreg, Coreg CR</del>            Labetolol / <del>Normodyne, Trandate</del></p> <p>J7</p>	<p><u>Alpha Blockers</u></p> <p><u>Beta Blockers</u>  <b>Bystolic</b> (Nebivolol)</p> <p><u>Alpha-Beta Blocker Combinations</u></p>	<p><u>Alpha Blockers</u>  <b>Dibenzyline</b> (Phenoxybenzamine)</p> <p><u>Beta Blockers</u>  <b>Innopran XL</b> (Propranolol)  <b>Sotylize Solution</b> (Sotalol) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p> <p><u>Alpha-Beta Blocker Combinations</u></p>
<p><b>Antihypertensive Combinations, Misc.</b></p> <p>Atenolol/Chlorthalidone / <del>Tenoretic</del>            Bisoprolol/HCTZ / <del>Ziac</del>            Metoprolol/HCTZ/ <del>Lopressor HCT</del>            Nadolol/Bendroflumethiazide / <del>Corzide</del></p> <p>J7</p>		<p><b>Dutoprol</b> (Metoprolol Succinate/HCTZ)</p>
<p><b>Calcium Channel Blockers:</b></p> <p>Amlodipine / <del>Norvasc</del>            Diltiazem / <del>Cardizem/CD/LA</del>            Diltiazem / <del>Dilacor XR, Diltia XT, Tiazac ER</del>            Felodipine / <del>Plendil</del>            Isradipine / <del>Dynacirc</del>            Nicardipine / <del>Cardene</del>            Nifedipine / <del>Adalat/CC, Procardia/XL</del>            Nimodipine / <del>Nimetop</del>            Nisoldipine / <del>Sular</del>            Verapamil / <del>Calan/SR, Covera/HS, Isoptin/SR, Verelan/PM</del></p> <p>A9</p>		<p><b>Conjupri</b> (Levamlodipine) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Consensi</b> (Celecoxib/Amlodipine) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Katerzia Solution</b> (Amlodipine) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Nymalize Solution</b> (Nimodipine) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>

**HEART/CARDIAC**

# Cardiovascular: ACE, ARBs & Diuretics

HEART/CARDIAC

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>ACE Inhibitors with/without Diuretics</b></p> <p>Benazepril / <b>Lotensin</b> (Lotensin HCT)                      Captopril / <del>Capoten</del> (<del>Capozide</del>)                      Enalapril / <b>Vasotec</b> (Vaseretic)                      Fosinopril / <del>Monopril</del> (<del>Monopril HCT</del>)                      Lisinopril / <b>Prinivil</b> (Prinzide), <b>Zestril</b> (Zestoretic)                      Moexipril / <b>Univasc</b> (Uniretic)                      Quinapril / <b>Accupril</b> (Accuretic)                      Perindopril Erbumine / <del>Aceon</del>                      Ramipril / <b>Altace</b>                      Trandolapril / <b>Mavik</b></p>		<p><b>Epaned Solution</b> (Enalapril) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Qbrelis Solution</b> (Lisinopril) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>ACE Inhibitor / CCB Combination</b></p> <p>Benazepril/Amlodipine / <b>Lotrel</b> (all other strengths)                      Trandolapril/Verapamil / <b>Tarka</b></p>		<p><b>Prestalia</b> (Amlodipine / Perindopril) <sup>S/E</sup></p>
<p><b>ARBs without &amp; with Diuretics</b></p> <p>Candesartan, Candesartan HCTZ / <b>Atacand</b>, <b>Atacand HCT</b>                      Irbesartan, Irbesartan HCTZ / <b>Avapro</b>, <b>Avalide</b>                      Losartan, Losartan HCT / <b>Cozaar</b>, <b>Hyzaar</b>                      Olmesartan/HCT / <b>Benicar</b>, <b>Benicar HCT</b>                      Telmisartan, HCTZ / <b>Micardis</b>, <b>Micardis HCT</b>                      Valsartan, Valsartan HCTZ / <b>Diovan</b>, <b>Diovan HCT</b></p>	<p><b>Edarbi</b><sup>1</sup>, <b>Edarbyclor</b><sup>1</sup> (Azilsartan/Chlorthalidone)</p>	<p><b>Prexartan Solution</b> (Valsartan) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>ARB Combinations</b></p> <p>Olmesartan/Amlodipine/HCT / <b>Azor</b>, <b>Tribenzor</b>                      Telmisartan/Amlodipine / <b>Twynsta</b>                      Valsartan/Amlodipine/HCT / <b>Exforge</b>/HCT</p>		<p><b>Byvalson</b> (Valsartan/Nebivolol)</p>
<p><b>Naprilysin Inhibitors</b></p>	<p><b>Entresto</b><sup>1</sup> (Naprilysin/Valsartan)</p>	
<p><b>Diuretics</b></p> <p>Chlorothiazide / <del>Diuril</del>                      Chlorthalidone / <del>Hygroton</del>                      Furosemide / <b>Lasix</b>                      Spironolactone/HCTZ / <b>Aldactone</b>, <b>Aldactazide</b>                      Toesamide / <del>Demadex</del>                      Triamterene / HCTZ / <b>Dyazide</b>, <b>Maxzide</b>                      (Various other Generics)</p>		<p><b>Carospir Solution</b> (Spironolactone) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Dyrenium</b> (Triamterene)  <b>Edecrin</b> (Ethacrynic Acid) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>

# Cardiovascular: Anti-Arrhythmia & Vasodilators

HEART/CARDIAC

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Renin Inhibitors &amp; Combinations<sup>##</sup></b> <small>A4</small>	<b>Tekturna/HCT<sup>1</sup></b> (Aliskiren Hemifumarate/HCT)	
<b>Antiarrhythmics / Anti-Ischemic</b> Amiodarone / <b>Pacerone</b> Disopyramide / <b>Norpace/ Norpace CR 150mg</b> Dofetilide / <b>Tikosyn</b> Propafenone / <b>Rythmol, Rythmol SR</b> <small>A2</small>		<b>Multaq</b> (Dronedarone) <b>Norpace CR 100mg</b> (Disopyramide) <b>Ranexa ER</b> (Ranolazine)
<b>Cardiac Glycosides</b> Digoxin / <b>Lanoxin</b> <small>A1</small>		
<b>Vasodilators, Coronary, Nitrates</b> Isosorbide Dinitrate / <b>Isordil, Sorbitrate</b> Isosorbide Mononitrate <sup>1</sup> / <b>Imdur-ER</b> <u>Nitroglycerins</u> Nitroglycerin (Patch) / <b>Nitro-Dur, Minitran</b> Nitroglycerin Mist / <b>NitroMist Spray, Nitrolingual Spray</b> <small>A7</small>	<u>Nitroglycerins</u> <b>Nitrostat</b> (Nitroglycerin Oral)	<u>Nitroglycerins</u> <b>Gonitro</b> (Nitroglycerin Sublingual) <b>Nitro-BID Ointment</b> (Nitroglycerin)
<b>Vasodilators, Sympatholytics</b> Clonidine / <b>Catapres, Catapres TTS Patch</b> Guanfacine / <b>Tenex</b> Hydralazine / <b>Apresoline</b> Methyldopa / <b>Aldomet</b> Methyldopa/HCTZ / <b>Alderil</b> <small>A4</small>		
<b>Other Drugs</b>	<b>Farxiga<sup>1</sup></b> (Dapagliflozin) <sup>S/E</sup> (Allowed for HF & CKD) <b>Jardiance<sup>1</sup></b> (Empagliflozin) <sup>S/E</sup> (Allowed for HF)	<b>Corlanor</b> (Ivabradine) <b>Northera</b> (Droxidopa) <b>Vecamyl</b> (Mecamylamine) <b>Verquvo<sup>1</sup></b> (Vericiguat) <sup>Clinical P/A</sup>

<sup>##</sup> Note special warnings on use of Aliskiren containing products in treatment of diabetics



# Cholesterol: Statins, Fibrates & Others

**CHOLESTEROL**

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Statins&amp; Statin/CCB Combinations</b></p> <p>Atorvastatin / <b>Lipitor</b>                      Atorvastatin/Amlodipine / <b>Caduet</b>                      Ezetimibe/Simvastatin / <b>Vytorin</b>                      Fluvastatin / <b>Lescol, Lescol XL</b>                      Lovastatin / <b>Altoprev, Mevacor</b>                      Pravastatin / <b>Pravachol</b>                      Rosuvastatin / <b>Crestor</b>                      Simvastatin / <b>Zocor</b></p> <p>M4</p>	<p><b>Zypitamag'</b> (Pitavastatin)<sup>S/E</sup></p>	<p><b>Livalo</b> (Pitavastatin)<sup>2-S/E</sup>  <b>Roszet</b> (Ezetimibe/Rosuvastatin)<sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>Cholesterol Management – PCSK9s</b></p> <p>M4</p>	<p><b>Praluent Inject.'</b> (Alirocumab)<sup>Clinical-P/A</sup></p>	<p><b>Repatha Inject.</b> (Evolocumab)<sup>Clinical P/A with S/E</sup></p>
<p><b>Bile Acid Sequestrants/Liver Drugs</b></p> <p><u>BAS</u>                      Cholestyramine / <b>Questran</b>                      Colesevelam / <b>Welchol</b>                      Colestipol / <b>Colestid</b></p> <p>M4</p> <p><u>Liver Drugs</u>                      Ursodiol / <b>Actigall, Urso/Urso Forte</b></p> <p>D7</p>	<p><u>BAS</u></p> <p><u>Liver Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>BAS</u></p> <p><u>Liver Drugs</u></p>
<p><b>Fibrates &amp; Other Drugs</b></p> <p>Gemfibrozil / <b>Lopid</b>                      Fenofibric Acid –Choline / <b>Fibricor, TriLipix</b>                      Fenofibrate, micronized / <b>Antara, Fenoglide</b>                      Fenofibrate, nanocrystalized / <b>Tricor, TriGlide</b></p> <p><u>ACL Inhibitors</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u>                      Ezetimibe / <b>Zetia</b>                      Slo Niacin / <b>Niacin, Niaspan ER</b></p> <p>M4</p>	<p><b>Lipofen'</b> (Fenofibrate, micronized)</p> <p><u>ACL Inhibitors</u>  <b>Nexleto'</b> (Bempedoic Acid)<sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Nexlizet'</b> (Bempedoic Acid / Ezetimibe)<sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u>  <b>Vascepa'</b> (Icosapent Ethyl)</p>	<p><u>ACL Inhibitors</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u>                      Icosapent Ethyl [A/G]  <b>Lovaza</b> (Omega-3 Acid Ethyl Esters)<sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Niacor</b> (Niacin)                      Omega-3 Acid Ethyl Esters<sup>S/E</sup></p>

# Pancreatic Drugs & Urological: Diuretics, BPH, OAB & E/D

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Pancreatic Drugs</b>  <small>D8</small>	<b>Creon'</b> (Lipase/Protease/Amylase) <b>Zenpep'</b> (Lipase/Protease/Amylase)	<b>Pancreaze</b> (Lipase/Protease/Amylase) <b>Pertyze, Viokase</b> (Lipase/Protease/Amylase)
<b>Benign Prostate Hyperplasia</b>  <u>Alpha Blockers</u> Alfuzosin / <b>Uroxatral</b> Doxazosin / <b>Cardura</b> Prazosin / <b>Minipress</b> Silodosin / <b>Rapaflo</b> Tamsulosin / <b>Flomax</b> Terazosin / <b>Hytrin</b> <small>J7/Q9</small>  <u>5 Alpha Reductase Inhibitors</u> Finasteride / <b>Proscar</b> Dutasteride / <b>Avodart</b> Dutasteride/Tamsulosin / <b>Jalyn</b> <small>Q9</small>  <u>Phosphodiesterase-5 Enzyme Inhibitors</u> Tadalafil / <b>Cialis 5mg Only</b> <small>F2</small>	<u>Alpha Blockers</u>          <u>5 Alpha Reductase Inhibitors</u>          <u>Phosphodiesterase-5 Enzyme Inhibitors</u>	<u>Alpha Blockers</u> <b>Cardura XL</b> (Doxazosin Mesylate)          <u>5 Alpha Reductase Inhibitors</u> <b>Entadafil</b> (Finasteride/Tadalafil) <sup>100% Copay</sup>          <u>Phosphodiesterase-5 Enzyme Inhibitors</u>
<b>Urologic Drugs</b>  <u>Overactive Bladder</u> Oxybutynin / <b>Ditropan XL</b> Darifenacin / <b>Enablex</b> Solifenacin Succinate / <b>VESIcare</b> Tolterodine / <b>Detrol, Detrol LA</b> Trospium / <b>Sanctura, Sanctura XR</b> <small>R1</small>  <u>Other Drugs</u> Desmopressin Acetate / <b>DDAVP</b> Flavoxate / <b>Urispas</b> Phenazopyridine / <b>Pyridium</b> <small>R5/P2</small>	<u>Overactive Bladder</u> <b>Myrbetriq'</b> (Mirabegron)          <u>Other Drugs</u>	<u>Overactive Bladder Anti-Cholinergics</u> <b>Gelnique</b> (Oxybutynin) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Gemtesa</b> (Vibegron) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Oxytrol Patch</b> (Oxybutynin) <b>Toviaz</b> (Fesoterodine Fumarate) <sup>S/E</sup>          <u>Other Drugs</u> <b>Elmiron</b> (Pentosan Polysulfate) <b>Nocdurna SL</b> (Desmopressin Acetate) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Noctiva Nasal Spray</b> (Desmopressin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Erectile Dysfunction Drugs</b>  Sildenafil / <b>Viagra</b> <sup>S/E</sup> Tadalafil / <b>Cialis</b> <sup>S/E</sup> Vardenafil / <b>Levitra</b> <sup>S/E</sup> <small>F2</small>	<b>Stendra'</b> (Avanafil)	<b>Staxyn</b> (Vardenafil) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Caverject, Edex</b> (Alprostadil) <b>Muse</b> (Alprostadil) <sup>S/E</sup>

# Urological: Gout, PH / K Modifiers & Depleters

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Gout Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Orals</u>                      Allopurinol / <b>Zyloprim</b>                      Colchicine / <b>Colcrys</b>                      Febuxostat / <b>Uloric</b>                      Probenecid / <b>Benemid, Col-Bemonid</b></p> <p><u>Topicals</u></p> <p>C7</p>	<p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Mitigare'</b> (Colchicine)</p> <p><u>Topicals</u>  <b>ColciGel'</b> (Colchicine Gel)</p>	<p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Duzallo</b> (Lesinurad+Allopurinol)  <b>Gloperba Solution</b> (Colchicine) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Zurampic</b> (Lesinurad)</p> <p><u>Topicals</u></p>
<p><b>Urinary Ph Modifiers</b></p> <p>Potassium Citrate / <b>Urocit-K</b>                      Potassium Acid Phosphate / <b>K-Phos Original</b></p> <p>R1</p>		<p><b>Citra-K</b> (Potassium Citrate + Citric Acid)  <b>K-Phos MF, N° 2</b> (Sod. Phos/Pot. Phos)  <b>Renacidin Solution</b> (Mag Carb/Citric Acid/Lact)</p>
<p><b>Potassium &amp; Electrolytes</b></p> <p>Potassium Bicarbonate / <b>Effer-K</b>                      Potassium Bicarb+Potassium Citrate / <b>K-Lyte</b>                      Potassium Gluconate / <b>Kaon</b>                      Potassium Chloride / <b>KTab ER#</b>                      Potassium Phosphate / <b>K-Phos</b></p> <p>C1/R1</p>		<p><b>Klor-Con</b> (Potassium Chloride)  <b>Micro-K</b> (Potassium Chloride)</p>
<p><b>Phosphorus/Calcium Electrolyte Depleters</b></p> <p><u>Hyperkalemia</u>                      Sodium Polystyrene Sulfonate / <b>Kayexalate</b> <sup>HK</sup></p> <p><u>Hyperphosphatemia</u>                      Calcium Acetate / <b>Eliphos</b> <sup>HP</sup>                      Lanthanum Carbonate / <b>Fosrenol</b> <sup>HP</sup>                      Sevelamer Carbonate / <b>Renvela</b> <sup>HP</sup>                      Sevelamer Hydrochloride / <b>Renagel</b> <sup>HP</sup></p> <p>C1</p>	<p><u>Hyperkalemia</u>  <b>Lokelma'</b> (Sodium Zirconium Cyclosilicate) <sup>HK</sup></p> <p><u>Hyperphosphatemia</u>  <b>Phoslyra Oral Solution'</b> (Calcium Acetate) <sup>HP</sup>  <b>Velphoro'</b> (Sucroferric Oxyhydroxide) <sup>HP</sup></p>	<p><u>Hyperkalemia</u>  <b>Kionex</b> (Sodium Polystyrene Sulfonate) <sup>HK</sup>  <b>Veltassa Powder Packets</b> (Patiromer Calcium) <sup>HK</sup></p> <p><u>Hyperphosphatemia</u>  <b>Auryxia</b> (Ferric Citrate) <sup>HP</sup></p>

**GOUT & POTASSIUM**

# Osteoporosis

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Osteoporosis Drugs / Paget's Disease</b></p> <p><u>Bisphosphonates</u>                      Alendronate / <b>Fosamax</b>                      Ibandronate / <b>Boniva 150mg Tablets</b>                      Risedronate / <b>Actonel, Atelvia</b></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u>                      Raloxifene / <b>Evista</b>                      Calcitonin / <b>Miacalcin Nasal Spray</b></p> <p>P4</p>	<p><u>Bisphosphonates</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>Bisphosphonates</u>  <b>Binosto Effervescent Tabs</b> (Alendronate)  <b>Fosamax Plus D</b> (Alendronate w/ Vit D)</p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>

**BONE**

# Anti-Inflammatory & Pain

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAID)</b></p> <p>Diclofenac/Misoprostol / <b>Arthrotec</b>                      Diclofenac Potassium / <b>Cataflam</b>                      Diclofenac Sodium / <b>VoltarenXR</b>                      Etodolac / <b>Lodine</b>                      Fenoprofen / <b>Nalfon</b>                      Flurbiprofen / <b>Ansaid</b>                      Ibuprofen / <b>Motrin</b>                      Indomethacin / <b>Indocin</b>                      Ketoprofen / <b>Orudis, Oruvail</b>                      Ketorolac / <b>Toradol</b>                      Meclofenamate / <b>Meclomen</b>                      Mefenamic Acid / <b>Ponstel</b>                      Meloxicam/ <b>Mobic</b>                      Nabumetone / <b>Relafen</b>                      Naproxen / <b>Naprosyn/EC, Anaprox DS, Naprelan</b>                      Oxaprozin / <b>Daypro</b>                      Piroxicam / <b>Feldene</b>                      Sulindac / <b>Clinoril</b>                      Tolmetin / <b>Tolactin-DS</b></p> <p>S2</p>		<p><b>Duexis</b> (Ibuprofen/Famotidine) 100% Copay  <b>Sprix Spray</b> (Ketorolac Tromethamine)  <b>Tivorbex</b> (Indomethacin) 100% Copay  <b>Vimovo</b> (Naproxen/Esomeprazole IR) 100% Copay  <b>Vivlodex</b> (Meloxicam) 100% Copay  <b>Yosprala</b> (Aspirin/Omeprazole) 100% Copay  <b>Zipsor</b> (Diclofenac Potassium) P/A Req'd  <b>Zorvolex</b> (Diclofenac) 100% Copay</p>

**PAIN (Non-Narcotic)**

\*\*\* May not be covered by all plan benefit designs.

# Anti-Inflammatory & Pain

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>COX-II Drugs</b></p> <p>Celecoxib / <b>Celebrex</b></p> <p>S2</p>		<p><b>Consensi</b> (Celecoxib/Amlodipine) 100% Copay  <b>Elyxyb Oral Solution</b> (Celecoxib) 100% Copay  <b>Seglentis</b> (Celecoxib/Tramadol) 100% Copay</p>
<p><b>Analgesics, Narcotics</b></p> <p><u>Opioids</u></p> <p>Acetaminophen w/Codeine / <b>Tylenol #3/4</b>  Aspirin w/Codeine / <b>Empirin #2/3/4</b>  Codeine/Acetaminophen/Butalbital/Caffeine / <b>Fiorinal #3</b>  Codeine/Aspirin/Butalbital/Caffeine / <b>Fioricet</b>  Fentanyl Citrate / <b>Actiq</b>  Hydrocodone/Acetaminophen / <b>Vicodin</b>  ▶ Hydromorphone / <b>Dilaudid</b>  Meperidine / <b>Demerol</b>  Morphine Sulfate Extend Release / <b>Avinza</b>  ▶ Morphine Sulfate Sust Release / <b>Kadian</b>  Oxycodone w/Acetaminophen / <b>Percocet</b>  Tramadol (w/ Acetaminophen) / <b>Ultram/ER, Ultracet</b></p> <p>H3</p>	<p><u>Opioids</u></p> <p><b>Belbuca Film'</b> (Buprenorphine)  <b>Butrans Patch'</b> (Buprenorphine)  ▶ <b>Oxycontin'</b> (Oxycodone)  ▶ <b>Zohydro ER'</b> (Hydrocodone)</p>	<p><u>Opioids</u> Double Step Edit for Most Orals with MME Check</p> <p><b>Conzip Caps</b> (Tramadol HCL)  <b>Hysingla ER</b> (Hydrocodone Bitartrate)  <b>Lazanda Nasal Spray</b> (Fentanyl) P/A Req'd  <b>Nucynta/ER</b> (Tapentadol)  <b>Oxaydo</b> (Oxycodone IR)  <b>Qdolo Solution</b> (Tramadol Liquid) P/A Req'd  <b>Subsys Spray'</b> (Fentanyl) NDC BLOCK - P/A Req'd  ▶ <b>Xtampza ER</b> (Oxycodone)</p>
<p><b>Analgesics, Salicylates/Non-Salicylates/Other</b></p> <p><u>Salicylates</u></p> <p>Aspirin / Butalbital / Caffeine/ <b>Fiorinal</b>  Diflunisal / <b>Dolobid</b>  Salsalate / <b>Disalcid</b></p> <p><u>Non-Salicylates</u></p> <p>Acetaminophen/Caffeine/Butalbital / <b>Esgic, Fioricet</b></p> <p><u>Other</u></p> <p>H3</p>	<p><u>Salicylates</u></p> <p><u>Non-Salicylates</u></p> <p><u>Other</u></p>	<p><u>Salicylates</u></p> <p><b>Durlaza ER</b> (Aspirin) 100% Copay</p> <p><u>Non-Salicylates</u></p> <p><u>Other</u></p> <p><b>Qutenza Patches</b> (Capsaicin) P/A with S/E</p>

**PAIN (Narcotic)**

▶ Note: Denotes Long-Acting Opioid

# CNS: Anxiety, Sedatives, ADD/ADHD & Narcolepsy

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anti-Anxiety Drugs (Benzodiazepines)</b></p> <p><i>All Generics in this Class are Preferred</i></p> <p>H6</p>		<p>All Brands in this Class are Non-Preferred</p>
<p><b>Sedatives/Sleeping Aids</b></p> <p><u>Orexin Antagonists</u></p> <p><u>Other Agents</u></p> <p>Eszopiclone / <b>Lunesta</b> <sup>S/E</sup>                      Temazepam / <b>Restoril</b>                      Zolpidem / <b>Ambien</b> <sup>S/E</sup>, <b>Ambien CR</b> <sup>S/E</sup>, <b>Intermezzo</b>  <i>(Various other Generics)</i></p> <p>H2/H8</p>	<p><u>Orexin Antagonists</u></p> <p><b>Dayvigo</b><sup>®</sup> (Lemborexant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Other Agents</u></p>	<p><u>Orexin Antagonists</u></p> <p><b>Belsomra</b> (Suvorexant) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Quviviq</b> (Daridorexant) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Other Agents</u></p> <p><b>Edluar Sublingual</b> (Zolpidem) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Hetlioz</b> (Tasimelteon) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Rozerem</b> (Ramelteon) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Zolpimist Nasal Spray</b> (Zolpidem) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Sedatives/Hypnotics (Barbiturate/CNS)</b></p> <p>Butabarbital / <b>Butisol</b>                      Phenobarbital / <b>Luminol</b></p> <p>H2</p>		<p><b>Seconal</b> (Secobarbital) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>ADD &amp; ADHD Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Stimulants</u></p> <p>Amphetamine/D-Amphetamine / <b>Adderall, Adderall XR</b>                      D-Amphetamine / <b>Dexedrine</b>                      Dexmethylphenidate / <b>Focalin, Focalin XR</b>                      Methylphenidate / <b>Concerta, Concerta ER</b>                      Methylphenidate / <b>Desoxyn</b>                      Methylphenidate / <b>Ritalin/LA</b>                      Methylphenidate / <b>Metadate ER</b></p> <p><u>Non-Stimulants</u></p> <p>Atomoxetine / <b>Strattera</b>                      Clonidine HCL / <b>Kapvay</b>                      Guanfacine / <b>Intuniv</b></p> <p>J5/H7/H2</p>	<p><u>Stimulants</u></p> <p><b>Adhansia XR</b> (Methylphenidate)  <b>Daytrana Patch</b><sup>®</sup> (Methylphenidate)  <b>Mydayis</b><sup>®</sup> (Amphetamine Salts)  <b>QuilliChew ER</b><sup>®</sup> (Methylphenidate)  <b>Quillivant XR Suspension</b><sup>®</sup> (Methylphenidate)  <b>Vyvanse</b><sup>®</sup> (Lisdexamfetamine Dimesylate)</p> <p><u>Non-Stimulants</u></p>	<p><u>Stimulants</u></p> <p><b>Adzenys XR-ODT / ER Liquid</b> (Amphetamine) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Aptensio XR</b> (Methylphenidate) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Azstarys</b> (Dexmethylphenidate/Sedexmeth) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Cotempla XR-ODT</b> (Methylphenidate) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Evekeo</b> (Amphetamine Sulfate) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Dyanavel XR Susp</b> (Amphetamine) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Jornay PM</b> (Methylphenidate) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Methylin Solution</b> (Methylphenidate) <sup>S/E-2</sup>  <b>Relexxi ER</b> (Methylphenidate) <sup>S/E-2</sup></p> <p><u>Non-Stimulants</u></p> <p><b>Qelbree ER</b> (Viloxazine) <sup>S/E</sup></p>
<p><b>Excessive Sleepiness / Narcolepsy</b></p> <p>Armodafinil / <b>Nuvigil</b>                      Modafinil / <b>Provigil</b></p> <p>H8</p>		<p><b>Sunosi</b> (Solriamfetol) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <i>(See Specialty Section for Additional Drugs)</i></p>

ANXIETY / SEDATIVES

ADD & ADHD

Note: Some long-acting Methylphenidates & Amphetamines may require failure of generics prior for approval of a brand. Additionally, Non-Preferred Brands as shown need a failure of a Preferred Brand prior to approval.

# CNS: Anti-Depressants & PBA

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Serotonin Specific Reuptake Inhibitors (SSRI)</b> Citalopram / <b>Celexa</b> Escitalopram / <b>Lexapro</b> Fluoxetine / <b>Prozac</b> Fluvoxamine / <b>Luvex/CR</b> Paroxetine / <b>Paxil/CR</b> Sertraline / <b>Zoloft</b> H2	<b>Trintellix'</b> (Vortioxetine) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Viibryd'</b> (Vilazodone) <sup>S/E</sup>	<b>Pexeva</b> (Paroxetine Mesylate) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Zercapli</b> (Sertraline) <sup>2-S/E</sup>
<b>Serotonin Norepinephrine Reuptake Inhibitors</b> Duloxetine / <b>Cymbalta</b> Desvenlafaxine / <b>Pristiq</b> Venlafaxine / <b>Effexor XR</b> H7	<b>Fetzima'</b> (Levomilnacipran) <sup>S/E</sup>	<b>Drizalma Sprinkles</b> (Duloxetine) <sup>2-S/E</sup>
<b>Other SSRI Combinations</b> Olanzapine/Fluoxetine / <b>Symbyax</b> H7		
<b>Monoamine Oxidase Inhibitors (MAOIs)</b> Phenelzine Sulfate / <b>Nardil</b> Tranylcypromine Sulfate / <b>Parnate</b> H7/H2		<b>Emsam Patches</b> (Selegiline) <b>Marplan</b> (Isocarboxazid)
<b>Antidepressants, Other Drugs</b> Amitriptyline / <b>Elavil</b> Bupropion / <b>Wellbutrin SR/XL</b> Buspirone / <b>Buspar</b> Clomipramine / <b>Anafranil</b> Desipramine / <b>Norpramin</b> Imipramine / <b>Tofranil/PM</b> Mirtazapine / <b>Remeron, Remeron Soltab</b> Nortriptyline / <b>Aventyl, Pamelor</b> Trazadone / <b>Desyre!</b> (Over 20 other 'generic only' Drugs exist) H2/H7	<b>Forfivo XL' 450mg Only</b> (Bupropion HCL)	<b>Aplenzin ER</b> (Bupropion Hydrobromide) <sup>S/E</sup>
<b>Pseudobulbar Affect (PBA) Drugs</b> H8	<b>Nuedexta'</b> (Dextromethorphan/Quinidine)	

Depression

# CNS: Anti-Psychotics & Bi-Polar

Depression

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Antipsychotic Drugs</b> Chlorpromazine / <del>Thorazine</del> Fluphenazine / <del>Prolixin</del> Haloperidol / <del>Haldol</del> Loxapine / <del>Loxitane</del> Perphenazine / <del>Trilafon</del> Pimozide / <del>ORAP</del> Trifluoperazine / <del>Stelazine</del> Thioridazine / <del>Mellaril</del> Thiothixene / <del>Navane</del>		
<b>Atypical Antipsychotic Drugs</b> Aripiprazole / <del>Abilify</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Asenapine / <del>Saphris</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Clozapine / <del>Clozaril</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Olanzapine / <del>Zyprexa, Zyprexa ZYDIS</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Quetiapine / <del>Seroquel IR</del> <sup>B,S</sup> , <del>Seroquel XR</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Risperidone / <del>Risperdal</del> <sup>B,S</sup> Ziprasidone / <del>Geodon</del> <sup>B,S</sup>	<b>Vraylar</b> <sup>®</sup> (Cariprazine) <sup>B,S</sup>	<b>Abilify MyCite w/ Sensor</b> (Aripiprazole) <sup>B,S, P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Caplyta</b> (Lumateperone) <sup>S/E, B, S</sup> <b>Fanapt</b> (Iloperidone) <sup>2 S/E, B, S</sup> <b>Invega ER</b> (Paliperidone) <sup>2 S/E, B, S</sup> <b>Latuda</b> (Lurasidone) <sup>B, S S/E</sup> <b>Rexulti</b> (Brexipiprazole) <sup>2 S/E, M, S</sup> <b>Secuado Patch</b> (Asenapine) <sup>S, S/E</sup> <b>Versacloz Susp</b> (Clozapine) <sup>B, S/E</sup>
<b>Bipolar Disorders (Anti-mania Drugs)</b> Lithium Carbonate / <del>Lithobid</del> Valproic Acid / <del>Stavzor</del>		<b>Equetro</b> (Carbamazepine) <b>Lybalvi</b> (Olanzapine/Samidorphan)

<sup>B</sup> - Bi-polar indication    <sup>S</sup> - Schizophrenia indication    <sup>M</sup> - Manic Depressive Disorder indication

# Parathyroid Drugs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Parathyroid Drugs</b> Calcitriol <sup>2</sup> / <del>Rocaltrol</del> Cinacalcet <sup>2</sup> / <del>Sensipar</del> Doxercaliferol <sup>2</sup> / <del>Hectorol</del> Ergocalciferol Drops <sup>2</sup> / <del>Drisol</del> Paricalcitol <sup>2</sup> / <del>Zemlar</del>		<b>Natpara</b> <sup>1</sup> (Parathyroid Hormone) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Royaldee</b> <sup>2</sup> (Calcifediol) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>

<sup>1</sup> – Hypothyroidism,    <sup>2</sup> – Hyperthyroidism



# Gastrointestinal: Ulcer, GERD & IBS

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anti-Ulcer /GERD Drugs</b></p> <p><u>H2 Antagonists</u> Generic Drugs Only!!</p> <p><u>PPIs</u> Esomeprazole / <b>Nexium</b> Dexlansoprazole / <b>Dexilant</b> Lansoprazole / <b>Prevacid</b> Omeprazole / <b>Prilosec</b> Omeprazole w/ Sodium Bicarb / <b>Zegerid</b> <sup>100% Copay</sup> Pantoprazole / <b>Protonix</b> Rabeprazole / <b>Aciphex</b></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u> Metoclopramide / <b>Reglan</b> Sucralfate / <b>Carafate</b></p> <p>D4/J9/Z2</p>	<p><u>H2 Antagonists</u></p> <p><u>PPIs</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>H2 Antagonists</u></p> <p><u>PPIs</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u> <b>Dartisla ODT</b> (Glycopyrrolate) <b>Enteragam Powder Pak</b> (Immunoglobulin) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Gimoti Nasal Spray</b> (Metoclopramide)</p>
<p><b>Bowel &amp; Colon Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Inflammatory Bowel Disease/Ulcerative Colitis</u> Balsalazide Disodium / <b>Colazal</b> Mesalamine / <b>Asacol / Asacol HD, Lialda, Rowasa</b></p> <p>D6/Q3</p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-C, OIC, CIC)</u> Lubiprostone / <b>Amitiza</b> <sup>IBS-C, OIC, CIC</sup> Senna Glucoside / <b>Senakot</b> (OTC) Senna + Docusate / <b>Senna-S</b> (OTC)</p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-D)</u></p> <p>D6</p> <p><u>Other Drugs:</u> Budesonide / <b>Entocort EC, Uceris</b> Diphenoxylate/Atropine / <b>Lomotil</b> Loperamide / <b>Imodium (OTC)</b> Mesalamine / <b>Canasa Suppositories</b></p> <p>D6/J2</p>	<p><u>Inflammatory Bowel Disease/Ulcerative Colitis</u></p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-C, OIC, CIC)</u> <b>Linzess</b><sup>1</sup> (Linaclotide) <sup>IBS-C, CIC</sup> <b>Motegrity</b><sup>1</sup> (Prucalopride) <sup>CIC</sup> <b>Symproic</b><sup>1</sup> (Naldemedine) <sup>OIC</sup></p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-D)</u> <b>Viberzi</b><sup>1</sup> (Eluxadoline) <sup>IBS-D</sup> <b>Xifaxan 550</b><sup>1</sup> (Rifaximin) <sup>IBS-D</sup></p> <p><u>Other Drugs:</u></p>	<p><u>Inflammatory Bowel Disease/Ulcerative Colitis</u> <b>Apriso, Delzicol</b> (Mesalamine) <b>Dipentum</b> (Olsalazine) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Pentasa</b> (Mesalamine) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-C, OIC, CIC)</u> <b>Movantik</b> (Naloxegol) <sup>OIC – S/E</sup> <b>Relistor</b><sup>1</sup> (Methylnaltrexone) <sup>OIC</sup> <b>Trulance</b><sup>1</sup> (Plecanatide) <sup>CIC, IBS-C</sup> <b>Zelnorm</b> (Tegaserod) <sup>IBS-C</sup></p> <p><u>Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS-D)</u> <b>Lotronex</b> (Alosetron) <sup>IBS-D</sup></p> <p><u>Other Drugs:</u> <b>Aemcolo</b> (Rifamycin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Cuvposa</b> (Glycopyrrolate) <b>Entereg</b> (Alvimopan) <b>Motofen</b> (Difenoxin/Atropine Sulfate)</p>

Ulcers / GERD

IBS

# Gastrointestinal: Laxatives & Colon Preps

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Laxatives</b> Lactulose / <del>Granulose</del> D6		<b>Kristalose'</b> (Lactulose)
<b>Colon Prep Drugs</b> Peg 3350/NA Sulfate,Bicarbonate CL/KCL / <b>Gavilyte</b> , <b>Golytely</b> , <b>MoviPrep</b> Sodium Chloride / <b>Nulytely'</b> Sodium Phosphate Tablets / <b>Osmoprep'</b> D6	<b>Plenvu'</b> (Peg 3350/NA Ascorbate/NA Sulfate++) <b>Suprep'</b> (Sodium, Potassium, & Magnesium Sulfate) <b>Sutab'</b> (Sodium, Potassium, & Magnesium Sulfate)	<b>Clenpiq Pre-Mix</b> (Sod Picosulf, Mag Ox, Citric Acid)
<b>H. Pylori Drugs</b> Lansoprazole/Amox/Clarithromycin / <del>PrevPac</del> D4	<b>Pylera'</b> (Bismuth/Metronid/Tetracycline) <b>Talicia'</b> (Omeprazole Mag/Amox/Rifabutin)	<b>Omeclamox</b> (Omeprazole/Amox/Clarithromycin)

Colon

# Hormone Therapy: O/Cs & Estrogens

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Contraceptives</b></p> <p><u>Orals</u> All Oral Contraceptives flagged as Generic</p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u> Generic Products Ethin Estradiol/Etonogestrel / <b>EluRyng, Nuvaring</b></p> <p>G8</p>	<p><u>Orals</u> <b>Beyaz', Yaz'</b> <b>Natazia', Safyral'</b></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>Orals</u> All Oral Contraceptives flagged as Brand <b>Phexxi</b> (Lactic Acid/Citric Acid/Potassium Bitrate)</p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u> All Other formulations flagged as Brand</p>
<p><b>Estrogens / Estrogen Combinations</b></p> <p><u>Orals – Single</u> Estradiol / <b>Estrace</b> Estropipate / <b>Ogen</b> ME-Test/Estrogen/Ester / <b>Covaryx/HS</b></p> <p>G1</p> <p><u>Orals – Combination Products</u></p> <p>G1</p> <p><u>Patches/Gels</u> Estradiol / <b>Climara Patch</b> Estradiol / <b>Vivelle/DOT Patch</b></p> <p>G1</p> <p><u>Vaginal (All Forms)</u> Estradiol / <b>Estrace Cream</b> Estradiol / <b>Vagifem</b></p> <p>Q4</p>	<p><u>Orals – Single</u></p> <p><u>Orals – Combination Products</u> <b>Annovera'</b> (Estradiol/Segesterone) <b>Bijuva'</b> (Estradiol/Progesterone)</p> <p><u>Patches/Gels/Pumps</u> <b>Climara Pro Patch'</b> (Estradiol/Levonorgestrel) <b>Divigel'</b> (Estradiol Gel) <b>Minivelle Patch'</b> (Lo-Dose Estradiol) <b>Xulane Patch</b> (Norelgestromin/Estradiol)</p> <p><u>Vaginal (All Forms)</u> <b>Osphena'</b> (Ospemifene) <b>Imvexxy'</b> (Estradiol)</p>	<p><u>Orals – Single</u> <b>Menest</b> (Esterified Estrogen) <b>Premarin</b> (Conjugated Estrogen)</p> <p><u>Orals – Combination Products</u> <b>Activella, FemHRT, Mimvey</b> (Estradiol/Noreth) <b>Angeliq</b> (Estradiol/Drospirenone) <b>Duavee</b> (Conj Estrogens/Bazedoxifene) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Prefest</b> (Estradiol/Norgestimate) <b>Prempro, Premphase</b> (Conj. Estrog/Medroxyprog)</p> <p><u>Patches/Gels/Pumps</u> <b>Alora Patch</b> (Estradiol) <b>Combipatch</b> (Estradiol/Norethindrone) <b>Elestrin Gel, Estrogel</b> (Estradiol) <sup>S/E New Starts</sup> <b>Evamist Spray</b> (Estradiol) <sup>S/E New Starts</sup> <b>Menostar Patch</b> (Estrogen)</p> <p><u>Vaginal (All Forms)</u> <b>Estring, Femring Ring</b> (Estradiol) <b>Premarin Cream</b> (Conj. Estrogen)</p>

IMPORTANT NOTE - Contraceptive coverage varies by Plan, but most Plans cover generic Oral Contraceptives. If your Plan is required to comply with ACA coverage, copays for some drugs may be \$0.00.

# Hormone Therapy: Androgenics & Progesterones

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Endometriosis Drugs</b>  <small>G1/G8</small>	<b>Orilissa'</b> (Elagolix) <b>Oriahnn'</b> (Elagolix/Estradiol Norethindrone)	<b>Myfembree</b> (Relugolix/Estradiol/Noreth) <sup>S/E</sup>
<b>Other Hormonal &amp; Non-Hormonal Drugs</b>  Clomiphene Citrate / <b>Serophene</b> Hydroxyprogesterone Capoate Injections / <b>Makena</b>  <small>G1/G8</small>		<b>Brisdelle</b> (Paroxetine Mesylate) <b>Ella</b> (Ulipristal Acetate) <b>IntraRosa Vaginal Insert</b> (Prasterone) <b>Vyleesi</b> (Bremelanotide)
<b>Progestational Drugs</b>  Medroxyprogesterone / <b>Provera</b> Norethindone Acetate / <b>Aygestin</b> Progesterone, Micronized / <b>Crinone, Prometrium</b>  <small>G2</small>		<b>Addyi</b> (Flibanserin) <b>Depo-Provera</b> (Medroxyprogesterone) <b>Endometrin Supp</b> (Progesterone, Micron.) <b>First-Progesterone MC</b> (Progesterone)
<b>Androgenic Drugs</b>  Oxandrolone / <b>Oxandrin</b> Prasterone / <b>DHEA</b> Testosterone / <b>Androgel Gel, Fortesta, Testim</b> Testosterone Cypionate / <b>Depo-Testosterone</b> <sup>S/E</sup>  <small>F1</small>	<b>Jatenzo'</b> (Testosterone Undecanoate) <b>Natesto Nasal Gel'</b> (Testosterone)	<b>Androderm</b> (Testosterone Patch, Gel) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Aveed</b> (Testosterone Undecanoate) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Methitest</b> (Methyltestosterone) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Testopel Insert</b> (Testosterone) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Testred</b> (Methyltestosterone) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Vogelxo</b> (Testosterone Gel) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Xyosted</b> (Testosterone Enanthate) <sup>S/E</sup>

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# Prenatal Vitamins, Iron Deficiency

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Prenatal Vitamins</b> <i>All Generic Drugs are Covered in Tier 1</i> C6		<i>All Brand Drugs – generic failure required</i>
<b>Iron Deficiency Drugs</b> <i>All Generic Drugs are Covered in Tier 1</i> C3		<b>Accrufer'</b> (Ferrous Maltol) <i>All Other Brand Drugs – generic failure required</i>

Vitamins

# Metabolic: Thyroid Replacements

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Anti-Thyroid &amp; Thyroid Replacements</b> <u>Thyronine (Free T3)</u> Liothyronine / <b>Cytomel</b> <u>Thyroxine (Free T4)</u> Levothyroxine / <b>Eurthyrox, Levo-T, Levothroid, Levoxyl, Unithroid</b> <u>Mixed Thyronine/ Thyroxine</u>  <u>Other Drugs</u> Propylthiouracil / <b>Propylthiouracil</b> Methimazole / <b>Tapazole</b> P3	<u>Thyronine (Free T3)</u>  <u>Thyroxine (Free T4)</u> <b>Synthroid</b> (Levothyroxine) <b>Tirosint'/Tirosint Solution</b> (Levothyroxine) <u>Mixed Thyronine/ Thyroxine</u>  <u>Other Drugs</u>	<u>Thyronine (Free T3)</u>  <u>Thyroxine (Free T4)</u>  <u>Mixed Thyronine/ Thyroxine</u> <b>Armour Thyroid</b> (Thyroid, pork) <b>Westhroid</b> (Thyroid, pork) <u>Other Drugs</u> <b>NP Thyroid</b> (Thyroid, pork)
<b>Glucocorticoids / Mineralocorticoids</b> Budesonide / <b>Entocort EC</b> Dexamethasone / <b>Decadron, Hidex</b> Hydrocortisone / <b>Cortef</b> Methylprednisone / <b>Medrol</b> Prednisone / <b>Deltasone</b> Prednisolone / <b>Orapred ODT, Pediapred, Prelone Syrup Veripred</b>  <i>Multiple Generics available for Prescribing</i> P5		<b>Celestone</b> (Betamethasone) <b>Dxevo</b> (Dexamethasone) <b>Emflaza</b> (Delfazacort) <b>Millipred/Pak</b> (Prednisone ER) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Rayos</b> (Prednisone ER) <sup>P/A with S/E***</sup> <b>Taperdex</b> (Prednisone ER) <sup>100% Copay</sup>

Thyroid

\*\*\* May not be covered by all plan benefit designs.

# Diabetes: Insulins & Injectibles

Diabetes

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Insulins</b></p> <p><u>Short-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Bolus)</sup>                      Insulin Aspart Vial                      Insulin Lispro 100u Vial/Pen Only</p> <p><u>Long-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Basal)</sup>                      Insulin Glargine Vial/Pen</p> <p><u>Mixed Insulin</u></p> <p><u>Human Insulin</u>                      Injectible</p> <p><u>Inhaled</u></p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>Short-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Bolus)</sup>  <b>Fiasp</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Aspart/Niacinamide)  <b>Humalog</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Lispro)  <b>Lyumjev</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Lispro/Trepostinil<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Novolog</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Aspart)</p> <p><u>Long-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Basal)</sup>  <b>Lantus</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Glargine)  <b>Levemir</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Detemir)  <b>Toujeo</b><sup>†</sup>/<b>Toujeo Max Solostar</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Glargine)  <b>Tresiba</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Degludec)</p> <p><u>Mixed Insulin</u>  <b>Humalog Mix</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Lispro<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Novolog Mix</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Aspart)</p> <p><u>Human Insulin</u>                      Injectible  <b>Humulin</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin, Assorted<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Novolin</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Aspart)</p> <p><u>Inhaled</u></p>	<p><u>Short-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Bolus)</sup>  <b>Admelog</b> (Insulin Lispro) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Apidra</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Glulisine<sup>™</sup>)</p> <p><u>Long-Acting Insulin</u> <sup>(Basal)</sup>  <b>Basaglar</b> (Insulin Glargine)  <b>Semglee</b> (Insulin Glargine)  <b>Rezvoglar</b> (Insulin Glargine)</p> <p><u>Mixed Insulin</u></p> <p><u>Human Insulin</u>                      Injectible</p> <p><u>Inhaled</u>  <b>Afrezza</b> (Insulin Regular, Human)</p>
<p><b>Injectible Anti-Diabetics</b></p> <p><u>GLP-1</u></p> <p><u>GLP-1 / Insulin Combinations</u></p> <p><u>Other Injectibles</u></p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>GLP-1</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Ozempic</b><sup>†</sup> (Semaglutide)  <b>Rybelsus Tablets</b><sup>†</sup> (Semaglutide)  <b>Trulicity</b><sup>†</sup> (Dulaglutide<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Victoza</b><sup>†</sup> (Liraglutide)</p> <p><u>GLP-1 / Insulin Combinations</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Soliqua</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Glargine &amp; Lixisenatide<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Xultophy</b><sup>†</sup> (Insulin Degludec &amp; Liraglutide)</p> <p><u>Other Injectibles</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>SymlinPen</b><sup>†</sup> (Pramlintide Acetate)</p>	<p><u>GLP-1</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Adlyxin</b> (Lixisenatide)  <b>Bydureon</b><sup>†</sup>/<b>Bydureon BCise</b> (Exenatide<sup>™</sup>)  <b>Byetta</b><sup>†</sup> (Exenatide<sup>™</sup>)</p> <p><u>GLP-1 / Insulin Combinations</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup></p> <p><u>Other Injectibles</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup></p>
<p><b>Hyperglycemic Drugs</b></p> <p>Glucagon / Glucagon Emergency Kit</p> <p>M4</p>	<p><b>Baqsimi Nasal Powder Inhaler</b> (Glucagon<sup>™</sup>)  <b>GlucaGen Kit</b><sup>†</sup> (Glucagon) <sup>Novo Nordisk Only</sup>  <b>GVOKE</b><sup>†</sup> (Glucagon)  <b>Zegalogue</b><sup>†</sup> (Dasiglucagon)</p>	<p><b>Proglycem Oral Suspension</b> (Diazoxide)</p>

# Diabetes: Oral Antidiabetics

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Oral Anti-Diabetics</b></p> <p><u>Orals</u>                      Glyburide / <b>Diabeta</b>, <b>Glynase</b>, <b>Micronase</b>                      Metformin ER / <b>Fortamet ER</b> <sup>S/E 100% Copay</sup>                      Metformin ER / <b>Glumetza</b> <sup>S/E-100% Copay</sup>                      Metformin / <b>GlucophageXR</b></p> <p>(Over 30 other generic Drugs exist)</p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>Orals</u></p>	<p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Cycloset</b> (Bromocriptine) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Riomet</b> (Metformin) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><u>Thiazolidinediones (TZDs) &amp; Combinations</u>                      Pioglitazone Family/ <b>Actos</b>, <b>Duetact</b>, <b>ActoPlusMet/XR</b></p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>Thiazolidinediones (TZDs)</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup></p>	<p><u>Thiazolidinediones (TZDs)</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Avandia</b> (Rosiglitazone)</p>
<p><u>DPP-4 / DPP-4 Combos</u>                      Alogliptin / <b>Nesina</b>                      Alogliptin/Metformin / <b>Kazano</b>                      Alogliptin/Pioglitazone / <b>Oseni</b></p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>DPP-4 / DPP-4 Combos</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Janumet/XR</b>' (Sitagliptin/Metformin)  <b>Januvia</b>' (Sitagliptin)  <b>Jentadueto</b>' (Linagliptin/Metformin)  <b>Kombiglyze XR</b>' (Saxagliptin/Metformin)  <b>Onglyza</b>' (Saxagliptin)  <b>Tradjenta</b>' (Linagliptin)</p>	<p><u>DPP-4 / DPP-4 Combos</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup></p>
<p><u>SGLT-2 Inhibitors</u></p> <p><u>SGLT-2 / DPP-4 Combinations</u></p> <p>C4</p>	<p><u>SGLT-2 Inhibitors</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Farxiga</b>' (Dapagliflozin)  <b>Invokana</b>' (Canagliflozin)  <b>Invokamet/XR</b>' (Canagliflozin/Metformin)  <b>Jardiance</b>' (Empagliflozin)  <b>Synjardy</b>' (Empagliflozin/Metformin)  <b>Xigduo</b>' (Dapagliflozin/Metformin)</p> <p><u>SGLT-2 / DPP-4 Combinations</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Glyxambi</b>' (Empagliflozin/Linagliptin)  <b>Qtern</b>' (Dapagliflozin/Saxagliptin)</p> <p><b>Qternmet XR</b>' (Dapagliflozin/Saxagliptin/Metformin)  <b>Trijardy XR</b>' (Empagliflozin/Linagliptin/Metformin)</p>	<p><u>SGLT-2 Inhibitors</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Steglatro</b> (Ertugliflozin) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Segluromet</b> (Ertugliflozin/Metformin) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p> <p><u>SGLT-2 / DPP-4 Combinations</u> <sup>S/E Through Metformin</sup>  <b>Steglujan</b> (Ertugliflozin/Sitagliptin) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>

## Diabetes: Diabetic Supplies & Pumps

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Diabetic Supplies</b></p> <p><u>Meters</u> Store Brand</p> <p><u>Strips</u> Store Brand</p> <p><u>M4/X2</u></p> <p><u>Lancets Devices &amp; Lancets</u> Store Brand</p> <p><u>Syringes &amp; Supplies by:</u> Store Brand</p> <p><u>Y2/Y9</u></p> <p><b>Continuous Glucose Monitoring Devices</b></p> <p><u>Y9</u></p> <p><b>Insulin Pumps &amp; Supplies</b></p> <p><u>Y9</u></p>	<p><u>Meters</u> <b>One Touch Verio'</b>      <b>GlucoCard Shine Meters'</b> <b>One Touch Verio Flex'</b> <b>One Touch Verio Reflect'</b></p> <p><u>Strips</u> <b>OneTouch Ultra'</b>      <b>GlucoCard Shine Strips'</b> <b>OneTouch Verio'</b></p> <p><u>Lancets Devices &amp; Lancets</u> <b>TechLITE Lancets'</b></p> <p><u>Syringes &amp; Supplies by:</u> <b>Novofine &amp; NovoTwist Pen Needles</b> <b>TechLITE Pen Needles</b></p> <p><b>Dexcom G6 Transmitter, Receiver &amp; Sensors'</b> <b>Freestyle Libre/Libre-2 Reader &amp; Sensors'</b></p> <p><b>CeQur Simplicity'</b> <b>Minimed 50X, Paradigm &amp; Guardian'</b> <b>OmniPod System &amp; Pods'</b> <b>V-Go Disposable Units'</b></p>	<p><u>Meters</u> <i>Other Brands of Meters are either NOT Covered OR may incur a 100% copay depending on plan design.</i></p> <p><u>Strips</u> <i>Other Brands of Strips are either NOT Covered, may be grandfathered for a short time, OR may incur a 100% copay depending on plan design.</i></p> <p><u>Lancets Devices &amp; Lancets</u> <b>All Other Lancets</b></p> <p><u>Syringes &amp; Supplies by:</u> <b>B-D, Clickfine, Monoject, Terumo</b> <b>UltiCare, Unifine, all other brand products</b></p>

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## Weight Loss

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Anorexia Drugs</b></p> <p>Benzphetamine HCL / <b>Didrex</b> Phendimetrazine / <b>Bentril-PDM</b> Phentermine HCL / <b>Adipex-P</b></p> <p><u>J8</u></p>	<p><b>Contrave'</b> (Bupropion/Naloxone) <sup>P/A Approp Use</sup> <b>Saxenda Injection'</b> (Liraglutide) <sup>P/A Approp Use</sup> <b>Wegovy' Pen</b> (Semaglutide) <sup>P/A Approp Use</sup></p>	<p><b>Lomaira</b> (Phentermine) <sup>P/A</sup> <b>Qsymia</b> (Phentermine/Topiramate) <sup>P/A</sup></p>



# Respiratory: Allergy & Asthma

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Oral Allergy Drugs</b></p> <p>w7</p>	<p><b>Grastek', Ragwitek', Odactra'</b></p>	<p>{All Other Oral Allergy Immunotherapy}</p>
<p><b>Allergy Medications</b></p> <p><u>Non/Low Sedating Antihistamines</u> Multiple Generics &amp; OTCs available for Prescribing</p> <p>z2</p> <p><u>Intranasal Corticosteroids</u> Flunisolide / <b>Nasarel</b> Fluticasone / <b>Flonase, Flonase Sensimist (OTC)</b> Triamcinolone Acetate / <b>Nasacort Allergy 24 HR (OTC)</b></p> <p><u>Other Allergy Drugs (Sprays)</u> Azelastine / <b>Astepro</b></p> <p>q7</p>	<p><u>Non/Low Sedating Antihistamines</u></p> <p><u>Intranasal Corticosteroids</u> <b>Nasonex'</b> (Mometasone) <b>QNasi'</b> (Beclomethasone Dipropionate)</p> <p><u>Other Allergy Drugs (Sprays)</u> <b>Dymista'</b> (Azelastine/Fluticasone)</p>	<p><u>Non/Low Sedating Antihistamines</u> <b>Semprex-D</b> (Pseudoephedrine/Acrivias)</p> <p><u>Intranasal Corticosteroids</u> <b>Beconase AQ</b> (Beclomethasone Dipropionate) <b>Omnaris, Zetonna</b> (Ciclesonide)</p> <p><u>Other Allergy Drugs (Sprays)</u> <b>Patanase</b> (Olopatadine) <b>Ryaltris</b> (Olopatadine/Mometasone) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Ticalast</b> (Azelastine/Fluticasone)</p>
<p><b>Asthma Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Short Acting Beta Agonists (SABA)</u> Albuterol Sulfate Inhaler / <b>Proventil HFA</b> Levalbuterol / <b>Xopenex</b> Terbutaline</p> <p><u>Inhaled Corticosteroids (ICS)</u> Budesonide / <b>Pulmicort</b></p> <p><u>ICS / LABA Combination Drugs</u> Fluticasone/Salmeterol / <b>Wixela Inhub, AirDuo Respiclick</b></p> <p><u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u> Budesonide / <b>Pulmicort Respules for Inhalation</b></p> <p>B6</p>	<p><u>Short Acting Beta Agonists (SABA)</u> <b>ProAir HFA/RespiClick'</b> (Albuterol Sulfate) <b>Ventolin HFA'</b> (Albuterol Sulfate)</p> <p><u>Inhaled Corticosteroids (ICS)</u> <b>Arnuity'</b> (Fluticasone Furoate) <b>Flovent'</b> (Fluticasone) <b>Pulmicort Flexhaler'</b> (Budesonide) <b>Qvar/Qvar RediHaler'</b> (Beclomethasone)</p> <p><u>ICS / LABA Combination Drugs</u> <b>Advair'</b> (Fluticasone/Salmeterol) <b>Breo'</b> (Fluticasone/Vilanterol) <b>Symbicort'</b> (Budesonide/Formoterol)</p> <p><u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u></p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>Short Acting Beta Agonists (SABA)</u> <b>ProAir Digihaler</b> only (Albuterol Sulfate w/Device)</p> <p><u>Inhaled Corticosteroids (ICS)</u> <b>Aerospan</b> (Flunisolide) <b>Alvesco'</b> (Ciclesonide) <b>ArmonAir – All</b> (Fluticasone)</p> <p><u>ICS/LABA Combination Drugs</u> AG-Budesonide/Formoterol (<b>Symbicort'</b>) <b>AirDuo Digihaler</b> (Fluticasone/Salmeterol) <b>Dulera</b> (Mometasone/Formoterol) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p> <p><u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u> <b>Spiriva 1.25mcg'</b> (Tiotropium)</p> <p><u>Other Drugs</u></p>

Allergies

Asthma

# Respiratory: Allergy, COPD & Nasal Polyps

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Leukotriene Inhibitors</b> Montelukast / <b>Singulair</b> Zafirlukast / <b>Accolate</b> Zileuton / <b>Zyflo/CR</b> Z4		
<b>COPD Drugs</b> <u>Beta Agonists / Muscarinic Agonists, Short Acting</u> Albuterol/Ipratropium  <u>Long Acting Beta Agonists (LABA)</u>  <u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u>  <u>LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u>  <u>ICS / LABA Combination Drugs</u> Fluticasone/Salmeterol / <b>Wixela Inhub</b>  <u>ICS / LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u>  <u>Inhalation/Nebulizer Drugs</u>  B6	<u>Beta Agonists / Muscarinic Agonists</u> <b>Combivent</b> <sup>†</sup> (Albuterol/Ipratropium) [SABA/SAMA]  <u>Long Acting Beta Agonists (LABA)</u> <b>Serevent</b> <sup>†</sup> (Salmeterol) <b>Striverdi</b> <sup>†</sup> (Olodaterol)  <u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u> <b>Incruse</b> <sup>†</sup> (Umeclidinium) <b>Spiriva 2.5mcg</b> <sup>†</sup> , <b>Spiriva Handihaler</b> (Tiotropium)  <u>LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u> <b>Anoro</b> <sup>†</sup> (Umeclidinium/Vilanterol) <b>Stiolto</b> <sup>†</sup> (Tiotropium/Olodaterol)  <u>ICS / LABA Combination Drugs</u> <b>Advair</b> <sup>†</sup> (Fluticasone/Salmeterol) <b>Breo</b> <sup>†</sup> (Fluticasone/Vilanterol) <b>Symbicort</b> <sup>†</sup> (Budesonide/Formoterol)  <u>ICS / LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u> <b>Breztri</b> <sup>†</sup> (Budesonide/Glycopyrrolate/Formoterol) <b>Trelegy</b> <sup>†</sup> (Umeclidinium/Vilanterol/Fluticasone)  <u>Inhalation/Nebulizer Drugs</u> <b>Perforomist Inhalation</b> <sup>†</sup> (Formoterol Fumarate) <b>Yupelri Inhalation</b> <sup>†</sup> (Revefenacin)	<u>Beta Agonist / Muscarinic Agonists</u> <b>Atrovent HFA</b> (Ipratropium) [SAMA]  <u>Long Acting Beta Agonists (LABA)</u>  <u>Long Acting Muscarinic Agonists (LAMA)</u> <b>Tudorza</b> (Acclidinium Bromide)  <u>LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u> <b>Bevespi</b> (Formoterol/Glycopyrronium)  <u>ICS / LABA Combination Drugs</u> AG-Budesonide/Formoterol ( <b>Symbicort</b> <sup>†</sup> )  <u>ICS / LABA / LAMA Combination Drugs</u>  <u>Inhalation/Nebulizer Drugs</u> <b>Brovana</b> (Arformoterol Tartrate) <sup>S/E</sup> AG-Formoterol Fumarate ( <b>Perforomist Inhalation</b> ) <b>Lonhala Magnair</b> (Glycopyrrolate) <sup>S/E</sup>
Other Drugs Z	<u>Other Drugs</u> <b>Daliresp</b> <sup>†</sup> (Roflumilast)	<u>Other Drugs</u>
<b>Nasal Polyps (Non-Specialty)</b> Q7	<b>XHance</b> <sup>†</sup> (Fluticasone Propionate)	

COPD

# Dermatology: Acne, Atopic Dermatitis, Rosacea, Psoriasis

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Dermatology Medications</b></p> <p><u>Topicals for Acne, Seborrhea, Atopic Dermatitis</u>                      Clindamycin / <b>Cleocin-T Soln, Evoclin Foam</b>                      Erythromycin+Ethanol / <b>Erygel 2%</b>                      Sulfacetamide / <b>Ovace, Plexion</b>                      Sulfacetamide+Urea / <b>Rosula Pads &amp; Wash</b>                      Tretinoin / <b>Retin-A/Micro, Avita, Atralin</b></p> <p><i>Various</i></p> <p><u>Oral Antibiotics</u>                      Doxycycline Hyclate / <b>Acticlate, Doryx</b>                      Doxycycline Monohydrate / <b>Avidoxy, Oracea</b>                      Minocycline / <b>Minocin, Solodyn</b></p> <p><b>W1C</b></p> <p><u>Topical Antibiotics</u>                      Adapalene / <b>Differin</b>                      Benzoyl Perox+Clindamycin / <b>Acanya, Benzacilin</b>                      Dapsone / <b>Aczone 5.0%</b>                      Tretinoin+ Clindamycin / <b>Veltin, Ziana</b></p> <p><b>L5H</b></p> <p><u>Rosacea</u>                      Metronidazole / <b>MetroGel, Metro lotion, MetroCream</b></p> <p><b>L5G</b></p> <p><u>Eczema (Immuno Topicals)</u>                      Tacrolimus / <b>Protopic</b>                      Pimecrolimus / <b>Elidel</b></p> <p><b>Q5K</b></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Oral</u>                      Acitretin / <b>Soriatane</b>                      Methoxsalen / <b>8-MOP</b></p> <p><b>L1A</b></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Topicals</u>                      Calcipotriene / <b>Dovonex Cream, Sorilux</b> <sup>S/E</sup>                      Calcipotriene/Betamethesone / <b>Taclonex Cream (only)</b>                      Calcitriol / <b>Vectical</b>                      Fluocinonide / <b>Vanos Cream</b>                      Tazarotene / <b>Tazorac Cream only</b></p> <p><b>L5F</b></p>	<p><u>Topicals for Acne, Seborrhea, Atopic Dermatitis</u></p> <p><u>Oral Antibiotics</u>  <b>Absorica'</b> (Isotretinoin)</p> <p><u>Topical Antibiotics</u>  <b>Aczone 7.5% Pump'</b> (Dapsone)  <b>Amzeeq Foam'</b> (Minocycline)  <b>Winlevi'</b> (Clascoterone)  <b>Zilxi Foam'</b> (Minocycline)</p> <p><u>Rosacea</u>  <b>Finacea'</b> (Azelaic Acid)</p> <p><u>Eczema (Immuno Topicals)</u></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Oral</u></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Topicals</u>  <b>Bryhali'</b> (Halobetasol Propionate)  <b>Duobrii'</b> (Halobetasol Prop / Tazarotene)  <b>Enstilar Foam'</b> (Calcipotriene/Betamethesone)  <b>Taclonex Suspension'</b> (Calcipotriene/Betameth)  <b>Tazorac Gel' only</b> (Tazarotene)</p>	<p><u>Topicals for Acne, Seborrhea, Atopic Dermatitis</u>  <b>Altreno Lotion</b> (Tretinoin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Avar / Avar LS</b> (Sulfacetamide/sulfur)  <b>Eucrisa Cream</b> (Crisaborole)  <b>Opzelura Cream</b> (Ruxolitinib)</p> <p><u>Oral Antibiotics</u>  <b>Doryx</b> (Doxycycline Hyclate)  <b>Seysara'</b> (Sarecycline)  <b>Minolira ER, Ximino</b> (Minocycline)</p> <p><u>Topical Antibiotics</u>  <b>Aklief</b> (Triferotene)  <b>Epiduo Forte</b> (Adapalene+BP)  <b>Onexton</b> (Clindamycin+Benzoyl Peroxide)</p> <p><u>Rosacea</u>  <b>Azelex</b> (Azelaic Acid)  <b>Noritrate</b> (Metronidazole)  <b>Mirvaso</b> (Brimonidine Tartrate)  <b>Rhofade</b> (Oxymetazoline)  <b>Rosadan</b> (Metronidazole)  <b>Soolantra Cream</b> (Ivermectin)</p> <p><u>Eczema (Immuno Topicals)</u></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Oral</u></p> <p><u>Psoriasis – Topicals</u>  <b>Arazlo</b> (Tazaotene) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Clobex, Olux</b> (Clobetasol) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Fabior Foam</b> (Tazarotene) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Impoz</b> (Clobetasol) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Lexette Foam, Ultravate</b> (Halobetasol Prop)  <b>Sernivo Spray</b> (Betamethasone Dipropionate) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Wynzora</b> (Calcipotriene/Betameth)</p>

Acne / Rosacea / Psoriasis

IMPORTANT NOTE – For Topical Acne, Seborrhea & Atopic Dermatitis products, use Generics as First Line therapy for all indications

# Dermatology: Keratolytics, Scabies & Lice

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Keratolytic (AK) Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Moisture Drugs</u>                      Bexarotene / <b>Targretin</b>                      Fluororacil / <b>Efudex</b> <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p>LSF/Q5P/T0A</p> <p><u>Immunomodulators</u>                      (Imiquimod)                      Imiquimod / <b>Aldara</b> <sup>S/E</sup>, <b>Zyclara 3.75% Cream</b></p> <p>Z2G</p>	<p><u>Moisture Drugs</u>  <b>Klisyri</b> (Tirbanibulin)</p> <p><u>Immunomodulators</u></p>	<p><u>Moisture Drugs</u> <sup>S/E through Generics</sup>  <b>Carac</b> (Fluororacil)  <b>Fluoroplex, Tolak Cream</b> (Fluororacil)  <b>Panretin</b> (Alitretinoin)</p> <p><u>Immunomodulators</u>  <b>Zyclara 2.5% Cream Pump</b> (Imiquimod)</p>
<p><b>Antifungals</b></p> <p><u>Orals</u>                      Clotrimazole / <b>Lotrimin, Mycelex</b>                      Fluconazole / <b>Diflucan</b>                      Flucytosine / <b>Ancobon</b>                      Itraconazole / <b>Sporanox</b>                      Voriconazole / <b>Vfend</b></p> <p><u>Topicals</u>                      Ciclopirox / <b>Loprox, Penlac</b>                      Econazole Nitrate / <b>Spectazole</b>                      Halcinonide / <b>Halog Cream</b> ^                      Halobetasol Propionate / <b>Ultravate Cream</b>                      Hydrocortisone / <b>Locoid Lipocream</b>                      Ketoconazole / <b>Nizoral, Extina</b>                      Luliconazole / <b>Luzu</b>                      Naftifine / <b>Naftin Cream &amp; Gel 1%</b>                      Nystatin / <b>Mycostatin, Mycolog II</b>                      Sertaconazole / <b>Ertaczo</b>                      Tavaborole / <b>Kerydin Solution</b>                      Terbinafine / <b>Lamisil Solution</b></p> <p>Q5/L9</p>	<p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Lamisil Granules only</b> (Terbinafine)</p> <p><u>Topicals</u>  <b>Jublia</b> (Efinaconazole)  <b>Naftin Gel 2%</b> (Naftifine)</p>	<p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Cresemba</b> (Isamuconazonium)  <b>Noxafil</b> (Posaconazole) <sup>100% Copay</sup>  <b>Oravig Buccal</b> (Miconazole)  <b>Oxistat</b> (Oxiconazole)  <b>Tolsura</b> (Itraconazole)</p> <p><u>Topicals</u>  <b>Exelderm</b> (Sulconazole)  <b>Vusion</b> (Miconazole/Zinc Oxide)  <b>Xolegel</b> (Ketoconazole)</p> <p>Recortev (Levoketoconazole)</p>
<p><b>Scabies &amp; Pediculosis (Lice) Drugs</b></p> <p>Crotamiton / <b>Eurax Cream/Lotion</b>                      Malathion / <b>Ovide Lotion</b>                      Permethrin 5% / <b>Elimite Cream/Liquid</b></p> <p>Q5N</p>		<p><b>Sklice</b> (Ivermectin) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Natroba Suspension</b> (Spinosad)                      Spinosad [<i>Authorized Generic</i>]  <b>Ulesfia Lotion</b> (Benzil Alcohol)</p>

Antifungals

Lice

IMPORTANT NOTE – For Topical Steroids, use Generics as First Line therapy for all indications. Many Single Source Brand Products are considered Non-Preferred Brands

## Dermatology: Topicals, & Hyperhydrosis & Others

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Topical Local Anesthetics &amp; Analgesics</b> Diclofenac Sodium / <b>Voltaren Arthritis Pain OTC</b> Diclofenac Sodium / <b>Pennsaid 1.5% only, Voltaren Gel</b> Lidocaine Patches / <b>Lidoderm</b> HC Acetate/Pramoxine / <b>Proctofoam-HC</b>  Q5E/Q5H	<b>Flector 12Hr Patches'</b> (Diclofenac Epolamine) <b>Licart 24Hr Patches'</b> (Diclofenac Epolamine)  <b>LidoRx Pump</b> (Lidocaine - Homeopathic) <b>SpeedGel Rx Pump</b> (Homeopathic)	<b>Analpram-HC</b> (HC Acetate/Pramoxine) <b>Cetacaine</b> (Tetracaine/Benzocaine) <b>Epifoam</b> (HC Acetate/Pramoxine HCL) <b>Novacort</b> (HC Acetate/Pramoxine) <b>Pennsaid 2%</b> (Diclofenac Sodium) <sup>P/A with S/E***</sup> <b>Pramosone</b> (HC Acetate/Pramoxine) <b>Zingo</b> (Lidocaine HCL monohydrate)
<b>Hyperhydrosis</b>  L8C	<b>Qbrexza'</b> (Glycopyrronium)	
<b>Other Topical Products</b> Acyclovir / <b>Zovirax</b> Mupirocin / <b>Bactroban 2% Ointment &amp; Cream</b>  Q5V/Q5W		<b>Altabax</b> (Retapamulin) <b>Qutenza Patches</b> (Capsaicin) <sup>P/A with S/E</sup> <b>Rectiv</b> (Nitroglycerin)

\*\*\* May not be covered by all plan benefit designs.

## Vaginal Drugs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Vaginal Antibiotics</b> Metronidazole / <b>Metrogel-Vaginal, Vandozole Gel</b> Clindamycin / <b>Cleocin Cream</b>		<b>Cleocin Supp</b> (Clindamycin Phosphate) <b>Clindesse</b> (Clindamycin Phosphate) <b>Nuversa Gel</b> (Metronidazole) <b>Xaciato</b> (Clindamycin Phosphate)
<b>Vaginal Antifungals</b> Fluconazole / <b>Diflucan</b> <sup>(VVC)</sup> Miconazole / <b>Monistat Cream</b> <sup>(VYI)</sup> Terconazole / <b>Terazol Cream</b> <sup>(VVC)</sup>		<b>AVC Cream</b> (Sulfanilamide) <sup>(VYI)</sup> <b>Brexafemme</b> (Ibrexafungerp) <sup>S/E-2 (VYI, VVC)</sup> <b>Femstat Applicator</b> (Butoconazole) <sup>(VYI)</sup> <b>Mycelex-3 Troches</b> (Butoconazole) <sup>(VYI)</sup> <b>Solosec Granules</b> (Secnidazole) <sup>(VYI)</sup>

VYI - Vaginal Yeast Infection    VVC - Vulvovaginal Candidiasis    RVVC - Recurring Vulvovaginal Candidiasis

Pain Creams

Vaginal Preps

# Ophthalmics: Anti-Infectives, Antihistamines, Dry Eye Drugs & Anti-Inflammatories

Eye Drops

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Ophthalmic Anti-Infectives</b></p> <p>Ciprofloxacin / <b>Ciloxan</b>                      Gatifloxacin / <b>Zymaxid</b>                      Gentamycin / <b>Gentak</b>                      Ofloxacin / <b>Ocuflox</b>                      Moxifloxacin / <b>Moxeza, Vigamox</b>                      Polymyxin/Trimethoprim / <b>Polytrim</b>                      Sulfacetamide 10% / <b>Bleph-10</b>                      Tobramycin / <b>Tobrex</b>                      Trifluridine / <b>Vireptie</b></p> <p>Q21N/Q6S-V-W</p>	<p><b>Azasisite'</b> (Azithromycin)  <b>Besivance'</b> (Besifloxacin)</p>	<p><b>Blephamide/SOP</b> (Na Sulfacet/Prednisolone)  <b>Blephamide Natacyn</b> (Natamycin)  <b>Zirgan Gel</b> (Ganciclovir)</p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Antihistamines</b></p> <p>Bepotastine / <b>Bepreve</b>                      Epinastine / <b>Elestat</b>                      Ketotifen / <b>Zaditor OTC, Alaway</b>                      Olopatadine / <b>Patanol, Pataday, Pazeo</b></p> <p>Q6R</p>		<p><b>Lastacraft</b> (Alcaftadine)  <b>Zerviate</b> (Cetirizine) <sup>100% Copay</sup></p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Immunomodulators (Dry Eye)</b></p> <p>Q2C</p>	<p><b>Restasis'</b> (Cyclosporine)</p>	<p><b>Cequa</b> (Cyclosporine)  <b>Eysuvis</b> (Loteprednol Etabonate)  <b>Tyrvaya Nasal Spray</b> (Varenicline)  <b>Xiidra</b> (Lifitegrast)</p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Mast Cell Stabilizers</b></p> <p>Q6U</p>		<p><b>Alocril</b> (Nedocromil Sodium)  <b>Alomide</b> (Lodoxamide)</p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Anti-Inflammatory Drugs</b></p> <p>Diclofenac Sodium / <b>Voltaren</b>                      Difluprednate / <b>Durezol</b>                      Fluorometholone / <b>FML Forte</b>                      Ketorolac / <b>Acular, Acular-LS</b>                      Loteprednol / <b>Lotemax (all forms)</b>                      Prednisolone Acetate / <b>Pred Forte</b></p> <p>Q6P</p>	<p><b>Airex'</b> (Loteprednol)  <b>Ilevro'</b> (Nepafenac)  <b>Prolensa'</b> (Bromfenac Sodium)</p>	<p><b>Acular PF, Acuvail</b> (Ketorolac)  <b>Bromsite'</b> (Bromfenac Sodium)  <b>Flarex</b> (Fluorometholone)  <b>FML Forte, FML-SOP</b> (Fluorometholone)  <b>Inveltys</b> (Loteprednol Etabonate)  <b>Maxidex</b> (Dexamethasone)  <b>Nevanac</b> (Nepafenac)  <b>Pred Mild</b> (Prednisolone Acetate)</p>

# Ophthalmics: Glaucoma, Mydriatics & Others

Eye Drops

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Ophthalmics for Glaucoma</b></p> <p><u>Miotics</u>                      Betaxolol / <b>Betopic</b>                      Brimonidine / <b>Alphagan</b>                      Brimonidine/Brinzolamide / <b>Simbrinza</b><sup>^</sup>                      Dorzolamide / <b>Trusopt</b>                      Levobunolol / <b>Betagan</b>                      Metipranolol / <b>Optipranolol</b>                      Pilocarpine / <b>Isopto Carpine</b>                      Timolol Maleate / <b>Timoptic/XE, Istalol</b>                      Timolol/Dorzolam / <b>Cosopt/PF</b></p> <p><u>Prostaglandins</u>                      Latanoprost / <b>Xalatan</b>                      Travoprost / <b>Travatan Z</b></p> <p>Q6G</p>	<p><u>Miotics</u>  <b>Alphagan P'</b> (Brimonidine)  <b>Betimol'</b> (Timolol)  <b>Combigan'</b> (Brimonidine/Timolol)</p> <p><u>Prostaglandins</u>  <b>Lumigan'</b> (Bimatoprost)  <b>Zioptan'</b> (Tafluprost)</p>	<p><u>Miotics</u>  <b>Azopt</b> (Brinzolamide)  <b>Betopic-S</b> (Betaxolol)  <b>Iopidine</b> (Apraclonidine)  <b>Miochol-E</b> (Acetylcholine Chloride)  <b>Rhopressa</b> (Netarsudil)  <b>Vuity</b> (Pilocarpine)</p> <p><u>Prostaglandins</u>  <b>Rescula</b> (Unoprostone Isopropyl)  <b>Rocklatan</b> (Netarsudil/Latanoprost)  <b>Vyzulta</b> (Latanoprostene Bunod)  <b>Xelphos</b> (Latanoprost-PF Emulsion)</p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Mydriatics (Pupils)</b></p> <p>Cyclopentolate / <b>Cyclogyl</b>                      Tropicamide / <b>Mydracyl</b></p> <p>Q6J</p>		<p><b>Cyclomydril</b> (Phenylephrine/Cyclopent)  <b>Isopto Atropine</b> / Atropine  <b>Paremyd</b> (Hydroxyamphetamine/Tropicamide)</p>
<p><b>Ophthalmic Antibiotic-Corticoid Drugs</b></p> <p>Neomycin/Polymyxin/Dexamethasone / <b>Maxitrol</b>                      Tobramycin/Dexamethasone / <b>Tobradex</b></p> <p>Q6I</p>	<p><b>Zylet'</b> (Tobramycin/Loteprednisolone)</p>	<p><b>Pred-G</b> (Gentamicin/Prednisolone)</p>
<p><b>Other Ophthalmic Drugs</b></p> <p>Q2</p>		<p><b>Cystadrops</b> (Cysteamine) <sup>P/A Req'd (Specialty)</sup>  <b>Cystaran</b> (Cysteamine) <sup>P/A Req'd (Specialty)</sup>  <b>Lumify</b> (Brimonidine Tartrate) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Oxervate</b> (Cenegermin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Upneeq</b> (Oxynetazoline)  <b>Verkazia</b> (Cyclosporine)</p>

# Ear Drugs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Ear Drugs</b></p> <p>Ciprofloxacin / <b>Cetraxal Solution</b>            Ciprofloxacin/Dexamethasone / <b>CiproDex</b>            Fluocinolone Acetonide / <b>Dermotic</b></p> <p>Q8</p>		<p><b>Cipro HC</b> (Ciprofloxacin/HC)  <b>Coly-Mycin S</b> (Neomycin/Colist Sulf)  <b>Cortane-B</b> (HC/Pramoxine/Chlorox)  <b>Otovel</b> (Ciprofloxacin/Fluocinolone)</p>

**Ear Drops**



# Miscellaneous: Dependence & Withdrawal, Dental, Saliva, & Rescue Drugs

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Dependence &amp; Withdrawal Symptom Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Alcohol Dependence Drugs</u> Disulfiram / <b>Antabuse</b> C0D</p> <p><u>Opioid Dependence Drugs</u> Buprenorphine/Naloxone Tablets <sup>S/E</sup> / <b>Suboxone, Zubsolv</b> <sup>S/E</sup> Buprenorphine/NLX / <b>Suboxone SL Film</b><sup>^</sup> H3W</p> <p><u>Withdrawal Symptom Drugs</u> H33</p> <p><u>Smoking Cessation</u> Bupropion/ <b>Zyban, Wellbutrin</b> (Varenicline Tartrate / <b>Chantix</b> H7/J3</p>	<p><u>Alcohol Dependence Drugs</u></p> <p><u>Opioid Dependence Drugs</u></p> <p><u>Withdrawal Symptom Drugs</u> <b>Lucemyra</b><sup>^</sup> (Lofexidine)</p> <p><u>Smoking Cessation</u></p>	<p><u>Alcohol Dependence Drugs</u> <b>Vivitrol Injectable</b> (Naltrexone) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Opioid Dependence Drugs</u> <b>Bunavail Buccal</b> (Buprenorphine/NLX) <sup>S/E</sup> <b>Sublocade</b> (Buprenorphine SR Inj.) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Withdrawal Symptom Drugs</u></p> <p><u>Smoking Cessation</u> <b>Nicotrol NS</b> (Nicotine)</p>
<p><b>Saliva Substitutes</b> D4</p>	<p><b>SalivaMax Powder</b><sup>^</sup></p>	<p><b>Aquoral Spray</b> <b>Mucositis Rx Powder</b> <b>NeutraSal</b></p>
<p><b>Parasympathetic (Saliva) Drugs</b> J1A</p> <p>Bethanechol / <b>Urecholine</b> Cevimeline / <b>Evoxac</b> Pilocarpine / <b>Salagen</b></p>		
<p><b>Rescue Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Anaphylaxis Drugs</u> Epinephrine (Epipen AG) J5F</p> <p><u>Opioid Overdose Agents</u> H3T</p>	<p><u>Anaphylaxis Drugs</u> <b>Epipen</b><sup>^</sup>, <b>Epipen Jr</b><sup>^</sup> (Epinephrine)</p> <p><u>Opioid Overdose Agents</u> <b>Narcan Nasal Spray</b> (Naloxone)</p>	<p><u>Anaphylaxis Drugs</u> <b>Auvi-Q</b> (Epinephrine) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Symjepi</b> (Epinephrine) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Opioid Overdose Agents</u> <b>Evzio Injector</b> (Naloxone) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Kloxxado Nasal Spray</b> (Naloxone) <sup>100% Copay</sup> <b>Zimhi Injector</b> (Naloxone)</p>

Addiction

Rescue

# Specialty Drug Formulary List

## Specialty Drug Products

Specialty drugs are prescription medications that require special handling, administration or monitoring. These drugs typically treat complex and chronic conditions, including cancer, multiple sclerosis, various types of hepatitis, chronic kidney failure, organ transplants, rheumatoid arthritis and other diseases. Specialty drugs might be covered through either medical or prescription drug insurance. Under which benefit a specialty drug is covered usually depends on where the patient receives the drug. If the patient takes the drug orally or self-injects the drug at home, it is more likely to be covered through their prescription drug benefit, while if the patient receives the drug at a doctor's office or an outpatient clinic, it's more likely to be covered through the medical benefit.

Prescriptions for specialty drugs can be filled at a retail pharmacy, but not many pharmacies will dispense specialty drugs or provide the extra clinical and educational services required to properly manage specialty patients due to inventory costs. Additionally, some drug manufacturers limit the distribution of specialty drugs, making their drugs available only through designated, pre-certified specialty pharmacies. For more information about limited distribution drugs, please contact your clinical Account Manager.

## Specialty Programs & Limits

Some specialty drugs below are noted with letters or symbols next to them. The letters and symbols refer to the requirements of the pharmacy benefit programs and are provided to help check which drugs may have a clinical program or limitations in place. The benefit plan determines how these medications may be covered.

<b>P/A or P/A Req'd</b>	Prior Authorization – Physician is required to provide additional information to determine coverage.
<b>P/A for Diagnosis</b>	Prior Authorization may be required for clinical diagnosis
<b>Clinical P/A</b>	Prior Authorization may be required for clinical diagnosis
<b>C-P/A</b>	Prior Authorization may be required for clinical confirmation
<b>S/E</b>	Step Therapy – Trial of another drug is required before this drug is covered.
<b>RECOMMENDED</b>	Product is preferred over other drugs listed in the assigned tier – step edit may or may not apply
<b>100%</b>	100% Copay may apply. Lower-cost or better clinical options are available.

## Specialty Drug Product Qualifications

The P&T Committee, using current medical literature, has developed a “specialty” pharmacy product formulary comprised of Specialty Drug Products. To be considered a “Specialty Drug”, a drug should fall into at least six (6) of the following categories although still subject to assignment by the P&T Committee.

1. A drug that treats specific, mainly chronic, and often rare conditions; or is considered an orphan drug
2. A drug whose usage is initiated with a specialist
3. A drug typically not administered orally or topically
4. A drug that requires special handling
5. A drug whose use involves unique distribution channels, such as limited distribution management and specialized paperwork (REMS)
6. A drug that requires administration in a healthcare setting with oversight of a healthcare professional
7. A drug that is costs more than a specific set amount per month
8. A drug whose usage requires high degrees of patient management, increased supervision, counseling, and/or education
9. A drug whose use often may result in patients requiring reimbursement assistance to maintain regimen

The current specialty pharmacy product listing is available from your Account Manager.

### SPECIAL NOTES:

- CGRP medications can be found on page 11

## Specialty Drug Copays

While the formulary placement of a drug is determined by the P&T Committee, the copays that are assigned to brand and generic drugs are determined by the copay established under each plan benefit design. Therefore, in many cases, the copay for a preferred brand specialty drug may be different than a preferred brand drug that is not deemed as a specialty drug. This often occurs with HIV, oncology, immunology, respiratory and many other drugs.

Additionally, drugs that are infused or administered intravenously often have different copays applied, especially when they are covered under a medical benefit. For more information about what a copay would be for a specific drug, the patient should contact their benefit office.

*NOTE: If the member uses a member portal, online pricing tool or smartphone/tablet app, the copay returned may not always be as expected based on many factors, including whether the member’s plan follows the formulary and the recommendations of the P&T Committee, how the plan even wants a given drug covered, what stage the member is in their deductible benefit if applicable, whether the claim is filled by an in or out of network provider, and if other member level coverage overrides have been entered.*

# Specialty: Hep C & Multiple Sclerosis

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Hepatitis Treatment Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Hepatitis B Drugs</u>                      Adefovir Dipivoxil / <b>Hepsera</b>                      Entecavir / <b>Baraclude</b>                      Lamivudine / <b>Epivir HBV</b>                      Peginterferon Alfa-2B / <b>Peg-Intron</b></p> <p><small>HEPB</small>  <u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Interferons</u>                      Ribavirin / <b>Copegus, Ribasphere</b></p> <p><small>HEPC</small>  <u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Other Inhibitors</u></p>	<p><u>Hepatitis B Drugs</u></p> <p><u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Interferons</u></p> <p><u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Other Inhibitors</u>  <b>Mavyret</b><sup>®</sup> (Glecaprevir/Pibrentasir) <sup>P/A for Diagnosis</sup>                      Sofosbuvir/Ledipasvir / [Harvoni AG Only] <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>                      Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir / [Epclusa AG Only] <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>	<p><u>Hepatitis B Drugs</u>  <b>Pegasys</b> (Peginterferon Alfa-2A)  <b>Vemlidy</b> (Tenofovir Alafenamide)</p> <p><u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Interferons</u>  <b>Infergen</b> (Interferon Alfacon-1)</p> <p><u>Hepatitis C Drugs – Other Inhibitors</u>  <b>Epclusa</b> (Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Harvoni</b> (Sofosbuvir/Ledipasvir) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Sovaldi Pellets</b> (Sofosbuvir) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>  <b>Vosevi</b> (Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir/Voxilaprevir) <sup>P/A</sup>  <b>Zepatier</b> (Elbasvir/Grazoprevir) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Injectibles</u>                      Glatiramer Acetate (<b>Glatopa</b><sup>®</sup>)</p> <p><small>MS_I</small>  <u>Orals</u></p> <p><small>MS_O</small>  <u>Infused</u></p> <p><small>MS_F</small>  <u>Ambulatory</u>                      Dalfampridine / <b>Ampyra</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><small>MS_A</small></p>	<p><u>Injectibles</u>  <b>Copaxone</b><sup>®</sup> (Glatiramer Acetate)  <b>Kesimpta</b><sup>®</sup> (Ofatumumab)</p> <p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Gilenya</b><sup>®</sup> (Fingolimod)  <b>Mayzent</b><sup>®</sup> (Siponimod)</p> <p><u>Infused</u></p> <p><u>Ambulatory</u></p>	<p><u>Injectibles</u>  <b>Avonex</b> (Interferon <math>\beta</math> -1A) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Betaseron</b> (Interferon <math>\beta</math> 1B) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Extavia</b> (Interferon <math>\beta</math> -1B) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Plegridy</b> (Interferon <math>\beta</math> -1A) <sup>2-S/E (Inj &amp; Oral)</sup>  <b>Rebif</b> (Interferon <math>\beta</math> -1A/Albumin) <sup>2-S/E (Inj &amp; Oral)</sup></p> <p><u>Orals</u>  <b>Aubagio</b> (Teriflunomide) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Bafiertam</b> (Monomethyl Fumerate) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Mavenclad</b> (Cladribine) <sup>P/A, Special Therapy</sup>  <b>Ponvory</b> (Ponesimod)  <b>Tascendo ODT</b><sup>®</sup> (Fingolimod)  <b>Tecfidera</b> (Dimethyl Fumerate) <sup>2-S/E (Inj &amp; Oral)</sup>  <b>Vumerity</b> (Diroximel Fumerate) <sup>2-S/E (Inj &amp; Oral)</sup>  <b>Zeposia</b> (Ozanimod) <sup>S/E</sup></p> <p><u>Infused</u>  <b>Lemtrada Infusion</b> (Alemtuzumab) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Ocrevus</b> (Ocrelizumab) <sup>S/E</sup>  <b>Tysabri Infusion</b> (Natalizumab) <sup>2-S/E (Inj &amp; Oral)</sup></p> <p><u>Ambulatory</u></p>

Hepatitis

MS

# Specialty: Immunology – Primary Indications

IMMUNOLOGY

	Rheumatoid Arthritis	Plaque Psoriasis	Psoriatic Arthritis	Crohns Disease	Ulcerative Colitis	Ankylosing Spondylitis
<b>Self Administered Products</b>						
<b>PREFERRED BRANDS</b>	Humira' (Adalimumab) Orencia' (Abatacept) Rinvoq' (Upadacitinib)	Cosentyx' (Secukinumab) Humira' (Adalimumab) Skyrizi' (Risankizumab)	Cosentyx' (Secukinumab) <sup>ERA</sup> Humira' (Adalimumab) Rinvoq' (Upadacitinib) <sup>S/E</sup> Skyrizi' (Risankizumab)	Humira' (Adalimumab) Stelara' (Ustekinumab)	Humira' (Adalimumab) Stelara' (Ustekinumab)	Cosentyx' (Secukinumab) Humira' (Adalimumab)
	<b>NON-PREFERRED BRANDS</b>	Actemra (Tocilizumab) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Cimzia (Certolizumab) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Enbrel (Etanercept) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Kineret (Anakinra) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Kevzara** (Sarilumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Olumiant (Baricitinib) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Simponi (Golimumzab) <sup>S/E-2</sup> Xeljanz/XR (Tofacitinib) <sup>S/E2</sup> <i>All Biosimilars</i> <sup>S/E-2</sup>	Cimzia (Certolizumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Enbrel (Etanercept) <sup>S/E</sup> Ilumya (Tildrakizumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Otezla (Apremilast) <sup>S/E</sup> Siliq (Brodalumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Simponi (Golimumzab) <sup>S/E</sup> Stelara (Ustekinumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Taltz (Ixekezumab) <sup>S/E</sup> <i>All Biosimilars</i> <sup>S/E</sup>	Orencia' (Abatacept) <sup>S/E</sup> Otezla (Apremilast) <sup>S/E</sup> Cimzia (Certolizumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Enbrel (Etanercept) <sup>S/E</sup> Simponi (Golimumzab) <sup>S/E</sup> Stelara (Ustekinumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Taltz (Ixekezumab) <sup>S/E</sup> Xeljanz/XR (Tofacitinb) <sup>S/E</sup> <i>All Biosimilars</i> <sup>S/E</sup>	Cimzia (Certolizumab) <sup>S/E</sup>          <i>All Biosimilars</i> <sup>S/E</sup>	Simponi (Golimumzab) <sup>S/E</sup> Xeljanz/XR (Tofacitinib) <sup>S/E</sup> Zeposia (Ozanimod) <sup>S/E</sup>       <i>All Biosimilars</i> <sup>S/E</sup>
<b>Office Administered Products</b>						
Typically Covered Under Medical Benefit  (Not Covered Under Pharmacy Benefit)	Actemra (Tocilizumab) Cimzia (Certolizumab) Remicade (Infliximab) Rituxan (Rituximab) Simponi Aria (Golimumzab) <i>All Biosimilars</i>	Remicade (Infliximab) Tremfya (Guselkumab)    <i>All Biosimilars</i>	Cimzia (Certolizumab) Remicade (Infliximab) Rituxan (Rituximab) Simponi Aria (Golimumzab)   <i>All Biosimilars</i>	Cimzia (Certolizumab) Entyvio (Vedolizumab) Remicade (Infliximab) Stelara (Ustekinumab) Tysabri (Natalizumab)  <i>All Biosimilars</i>	Entyvio (Vedolizumab) Remicade (Infliximab) Stelara (Ustekinumab)    <i>All Biosimilars</i>	Cimzia (Certolizumab) Remicade (Infliximab) Rituxan (Rituximab) Simponi Aria (Golimumzab)   <i>All Biosimilars</i>

\*\* = Recommended Non-Preferred Agent

<sup>ERA</sup> = Also a Preferred Agent for Enthesitis Related Arthritis

Clinical Prior Authorization may be required for agents to confirm indication. Additional clinical criteria for Non-Preferred drugs may be applicable

# Specialty: MTX, UC & CD, Atopic Dermatitis, Osteoarthritis, Human Growth & Anti-Psychotics

**SPECIALTY**

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Methotrexates &amp; DMARDs</b> Leflunomide / Arava Methotrexate / Trexall	<b>Rasuvo Injectable'</b> (Methotrexate)	<b>Otrexup Injectable</b> (Methotrexate) <b>RediTrex Injectable</b> (Methotrexate)
<b>Ulcerative Colitis &amp; Crohns - Other</b> Budesonide / Uceris		
<b>Atopic Dermatitis</b> <small>HAE</small>	<b>Dupixent</b> (Dupilumab) <sup>P/A for Indication</sup> <b>Rinvoq'</b> (Upadacitinib) <sup>P/A for Indication</sup>	<b>Cibinqo</b> (Abrocitinib) <sup>P/A for Indication</sup>
<b>Osteoarthritis Drugs</b> Move-Free Ultra Vitamins (Hyaluronic Acid) <small>OA O</small>		<b>Euflexxa, Hyalgan, Orthovisc</b> (Hyaluronate Sodium) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Supartz/Supartz FX</b> (Hyaluronate Sodium) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Synvisc/Synvisc-ONE</b> (Hylan) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Cholesterol Management</b> <small>PCSS</small>		<b>Juxtapid</b> (Lomitapide) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Kynamro SQ</b> (Mipomersen) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Human Growth Hormones (HGH)</b> <small>HGH</small>	<b>Norditropin'</b> (Somatropin) <sup>P/A Dosing</sup> <b>Omnitrope'</b> (Somatropin) <sup>P/A Dosing</sup>	<b>All Other Somatropin Drugs</b> <sup>S/E &amp; P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Skytrofa</b> (lonapegsomatropin-tcgd) <sup>S/E &amp; P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Injectable Antipsychotic Drugs</b> <small>ATYP</small>		<b>Abilify Maintena</b> (Aripiprazole) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Aristada ER &amp; Initio Injection</b> (Aripiprazole Lauroxil) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Geodon for Injection</b> (Ziprasidone) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Invega Trinza/Hafyera</b> (Paliperidone) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Perseris Inject. Suspension</b> (Risperidone) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Risperdal M/Consta</b> (Risperidone) <sup>B,S</sup> <b>Zyprexa Relprevv</b> (Olanzapine Pamoate) <sup>B,S</sup>

<sup>B</sup> - Bi-polar indication <sup>S</sup> - Schizophrenia indication <sup>M</sup> - Manic Depressive Disorder indication

# Specialty: Cardiovascular, Respiratory & Immunosuppressants

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<p><b>Cardiovascular Drugs</b></p> <p><u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN (PAH), Endothelin</u> Ambrisentan / <b>Letairis</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Bosentan / <b>Tracleer</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><small>PAHE</small> <u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN (PAH), Prostacycline</u> Epoprostenol / <b>Flolan, Veletri</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Treprostinil / <b>Remodulin</b></p> <p><small>PAHP</small> <u>Hereditary Angioedema (HAE)</u> Icatibant Injection / <b>Firazyr</b></p> <p><small>PAHP</small> <u>Other Cardiovascular Drugs</u> Sildenafil / <b>Revatio</b> Tadalafil / <b>Adcirca</b></p>	<p><u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN, Endothelin</u></p> <p><u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN, Prostacycline</u></p> <p><u>Hereditary Angioedema (HAE)</u></p> <p><u>Other Cardiovascular Drugs</u></p>	<p><u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN, Endothelin</u> <b>Opsumit</b> (Macitentan) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Pulmonary Anti-HTN, Prostacycline</u> <b>Orenitram ER</b> (Treprostinil) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Tyvaso</b> (Treprostinil) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><b>Uptravi</b> (Selexipag) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Ventavis</b> (Iloprost) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Hereditary Angioedema (HAE)</u> <b>Berinert, Cinryze</b> (C1 Esterase Inhibitor) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Haegarda, Ruconest</b> (C1 Esterase Inhibitor) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <i>(Kalbitor, Orladeyo &amp; Takhzyro are medical)</i></p> <p><u>Other Cardiovascular Drugs</u> <b>Adempas</b> (Riociguat) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Severe Respiratory Drugs</b></p> <p><small>RESP</small></p>	<p><b>Dupixent'</b> (Dupilumab) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup> <b>Fasenra'</b> (Benralizumab) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup> <b>Nucala</b> (Mepolizumab SQ) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup></p>	<p><b>Cinqair</b> (Reslizumab IV) <sup>Med P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Xolair</b> (Omalizumab) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup> <b>Tezspire</b> (Tezepelumab) <sup>Med P/A Req'd</sup></p>
<p><b>Immunosuppressants</b></p> <p><u>Organ Transplant Drugs</u> Everolimus / <b>Zortress</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Mycophenolate Mofetil / <b>Cellcept</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Mycophenolate Sodium / <b>Myfortic</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Sirolimus / <b>Rapamune</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Tacrolimus / <b>Prograf</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Neutropenia Drugs</u> <b>Short Acting:</b></p> <p><b>Long Acting:</b></p>	<p><u>Organ Transplant Drugs</u></p> <p><u>Neutropenia Drugs</u> <b>Short Acting:</b> <b>Zarxio'</b> (Filgrastim) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup></p> <p><b>Long Acting:</b> <b>Ziextenzo'</b> (Pegfilgrastim) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup></p>	<p><u>Organ Transplant Drugs</u> <b>Astagraf XL</b> (Tacrolimus) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Envarsus XR</b> (Tacrolimus) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><u>Neutropenia Drugs</u> <b>Short Acting:</b> <b>Granix</b> (tbo-Filgrastim) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Neupogen</b>, (Filgrastim) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Nivestym</b> (Filgrastim) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p> <p><b>Long Acting:</b> <b>Fulphilia</b> (Pegfilgrastim) <b>Leukine</b> (Sargramostim) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Neulasta, Nyvepria, Udenyca</b> (Pegfilgrastim) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup></p>

**SPECIALTY**

# Specialty: Lupus, Heparin, Hematopoietic, Osteoporosis, Narcolepsy, Infertility & Others

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Lupus Drugs</b>  <small>LUP</small>		<b>Benlysta</b> (Belimumab) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Lupkynis</b> (Voclosporin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Saphnelo</b> (Anifrolumab) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Nasal Polyps (Specialty Only)</b>  <small>PLP</small>	<b>Dupixent'</b> (Dupilumab) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup> <b>Nucala</b> (Mepolizumab SQ) <sup>P/A for Clinical</sup>	
<b>Heparin-Related Drugs</b> Enoxaparin / <b>Lovenox Injection</b> Fondaparinux / <b>Arixtra Injection</b>  <small>DVT</small>		<b>Fragmin Injection</b> (Dalteparin)
<b>Hematopoietic Drugs</b>  <small>HPOI</small>		<b>Aranesp</b> (Darbepoetin) <b>Epogen</b> (Epoetin-alfa) <b>Procrit</b> (Epoetin-alfa) <b>Retacrit</b> (Epoetin-alfa-epbx)
<b>Osteoporosis Drugs</b> Ibandronate / <b>Boniva Injectable</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Teriparatide / <b>Forteo Injectable</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> Zoledronic Acid / <b>Reclast, Zometa Injectable</b> <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>		<b>Evenity</b> (Romosozumab-aqqg) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Prolia</b> (Denosumab) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Tymlos Injectable</b> (Abaloparatide) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Cataplexy / Narcolepsy Drugs</b>  <small>NARC</small>		<b>Wakix</b> (Pitolisant) <sup>P/A, S/E</sup> <b>Xyrem Solution</b> (Sodium Oxybate) <sup>P/A, S/E</sup> <b>Xywav</b> (Calcium/Magnesium/Potass/Sodium Ox) <sup>P/A, S/E</sup>

**SPECIALTY**



## Specialty: Intrauterine Devices, Sickle Cell Anemia, HIV, Epilepsy

GENERIC DRUGS	PREFERRED BRANDS	NON-PREFERRED BRANDS
<b>Infertility Drugs</b>  <small>INFS</small>		<b>Bravelle</b> (Urofollitropin) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Cetrotide</b> (Cetrorelix Acetate) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Follistim AQ</b> (Follitropin Beta) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Gonal-F, Gonal-F RFF</b> (Follitropin Alfa) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Novarel</b> (Chorionic Gonadotropin, Human) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Ovidrel</b> (Choriogonadotropin Alfa) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Intrauterine Devices</b>  <small>IUDS</small>		<b>Kyleena, Liletta</b> (Levonorgestrel) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup> <b>Mirena, Skyla</b> (Levonorgestrel) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>Sickle Cell Anemia</b>  <small>SCA</small>		<b>Adakveo IV</b> (Crizanlizumab) <sup>Medical Only</sup> <b>Oxbryta</b> (Voxelotor) <sup>P/A Req'd</sup>
<b>HIV</b>  <small>MISC</small>	<b>Apretude</b> (Cabotegravir) <sup>P/A for PREP after Vocabria</sup> <b>Cabenuva Injection</b> (Cabotegravir/Rilpivirine) <b>Vocabria</b> (Cabotegravir)	
<b>Epilepsy/Seizure</b>  <small>MISC</small>		<b>Epidiolex</b> (Cannabidiol) <sup>P/A Req'd [Dravet Only]</sup>

**SPECIALTY**

For placement and criteria for all other specialty medications, please contact your assigned account manager.

## Miscellaneous Notes

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### Miscellaneous Notes: Non-Listed Injectibles, Infusion & Oral Products

**Injectibles:** There are therapeutic categories that contain injectable specialty drugs that are not listed in this formulary listing (PDL). If you have any questions as to the tier preference of a specific non-listed injectable specialty drug, please contact your account manager for more information. Injectibles that require medical administration or medical/nursing support that not shown in this PDL.

**Infusion:** There are infused drugs administered at home or at a facility by a healthcare professional that require medical/nursing support. If one of those drugs is not listed, those medications should be processed through medical benefits.

**Other Oral Products:** Oral products (other than oral oncology and HIV drugs) that are not listed in this PDL should be considered having a Non-Preferred Brand copay.

**Single Source Brand Oral Oncology and Immunosuppressant Drugs:** Unless noted, Single Source Brand oral drugs generally have a preferred brand copay applied, while Multi-Source Brand drugs have a non-preferred copay applied. Multi-Source Generic Oral Oncology and Immunosuppressant drugs generally have a generic copay applied.

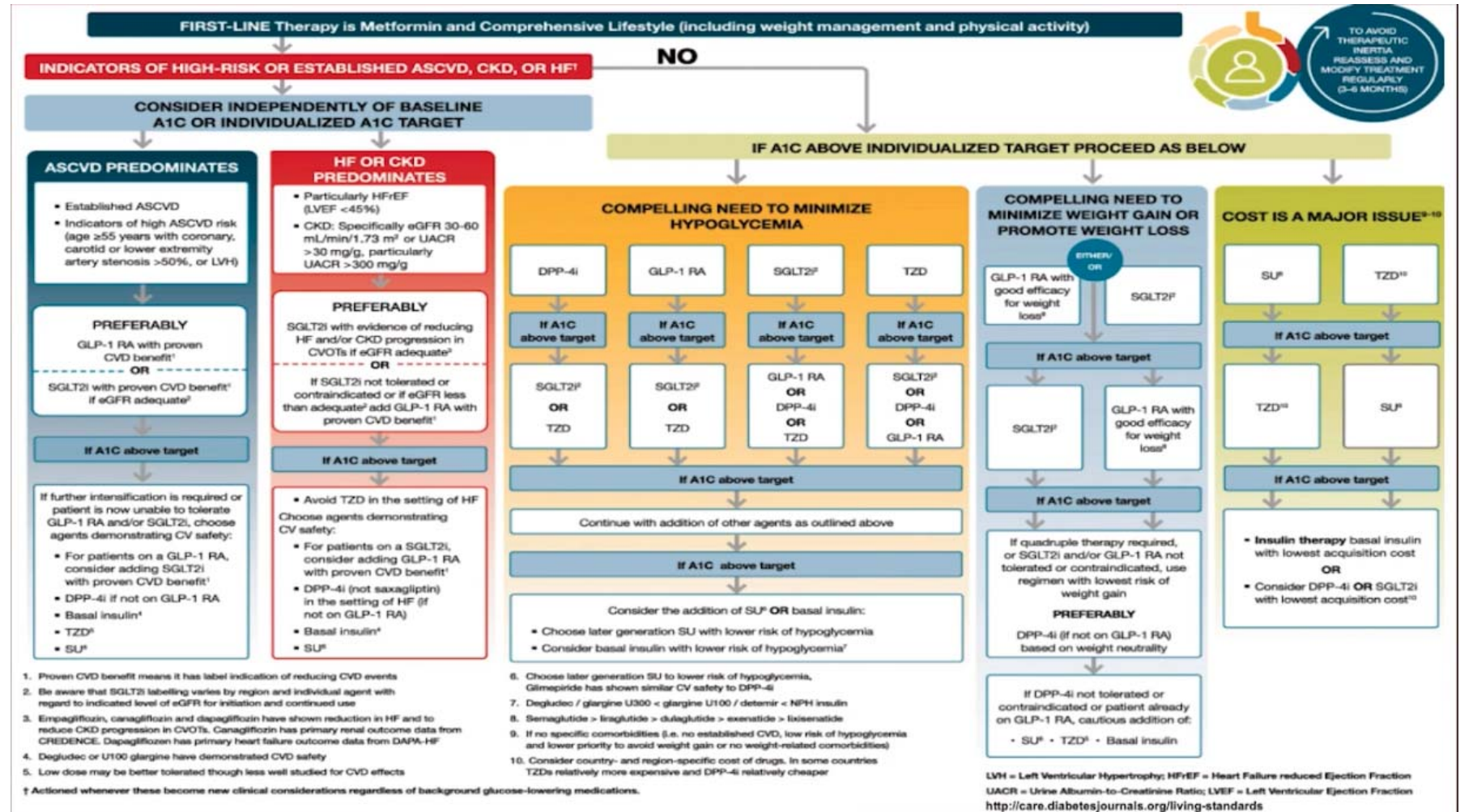
# Clinical Guidelines

## Clinical Guideline Sources

Clinical guidelines from recognized industry sources are utilized by our clinicians as reference for consistent treatment care. Using these guidelines, we assist physicians in understanding the “best practices” adopted by medical experts and healthcare professionals to manage and control the well-being of patients.

This section, which will be expanded over time contains some of the most predominant clinical protocols available:

- Diabetes Care Guidelines
- GINA Asthma Guidelines
- COPD Gold Guidelines



Box 7A. The GINA asthma treatment strategy – adults and adolescents

### Adults & adolescents 12+ years

**Personalized asthma management:**  
Assess, Adjust, Review response



Confirmation of diagnosis if necessary  
Symptom control & modifiable risk factors (including lung function)  
Comorbidities  
Inhaler technique & adherence  
Patient preferences and goals

Symptoms  
Exacerbations  
Side-effects  
Lung function  
Patient satisfaction

Treatment of modifiable risk factors and comorbidities  
Non-pharmacological strategies  
Asthma medications (adjust down or up)  
Education & skills training

**Asthma medication options:**  
Adjust treatment up and down for individual patient needs.

	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
<b>PREFERRED CONTROLLER</b> to prevent exacerbations and control symptoms	As-needed low dose ICS-formoterol*	Daily low dose inhaled corticosteroid (ICS), or as-needed low dose ICS-formoterol*	Low dose ICS-LABA	Medium dose ICS-LABA	High dose ICS-LABA Refer for phenotypic assessment ± add-on therapy, e.g. tiotropium, anti-IgE, anti-IL5/5R, anti-IL4R
<i>Other controller options</i>	Low dose ICS taken whenever SABA is taken †	Daily leukotriene receptor antagonist (LTRA), or low dose ICS taken whenever SABA taken †	Medium dose ICS, or low dose ICS+LTRA#	High dose ICS, add-on tiotropium, or add-on LTRA#	Add low dose OCS, but consider side-effects
<b>PREFERRED RELIEVER</b>	As-needed low dose ICS-formoterol*		As-needed low dose ICS-formoterol for patients prescribed maintenance and reliever therapy ‡		
<i>Other reliever option</i>	As-needed short-acting β <sub>2</sub> -agonist (SABA)				

\* Data only with budesonide-formoterol (bud-form)  
† Separate or combination ICS and SABA inhalers

‡ Low-dose ICS-form is the reliever only for patients prescribed bud-form or BDP-form maintenance and reliever therapy  
# Consider adding HDM SLIT for sensitized patients with allergic rhinitis and FEV<sub>1</sub> >70% predicted

