



Premium Prescription Drug List Updates Effective July 1, 2022

Please Note: These changes ONLY apply to members on the Premium formulary (this does NOT impact small group ACA). Group-specific benefit exceptions may apply.

New Excluded Medications with Alternatives

*Members currently utilizing Vermlidy will be grandfathered on therapy.

New Excluded Medications with Alternatives		
Drug Class	Excluded Medications	Covered Alternative
Acne Agents	clindamycin phosphate 1% gel made by Oceanside	clindamycin phosphate 1% gel
Antidepressant Agents	fluoxetine tablets	fluoxetine capsules
Antihistamine Agents	clemastine 0.5/5ml syp	carbinoxamine tablet, 4mg/oral solution, OTC medications
	Ryvent	Over-the-counter medication(s) available for purchase
Anti-inflammatory Agents	ketoprofen cap 25mg	celecoxib, diclofenac, etodolac, ibuprofen, meloxicam tablet
Anti-migraine Agents	almotriptan tab	Sumatriptan, naratriptan, rizatriptan, zolmitriptan
	Emgality 120mg	Ajovy, Aimovig
	Zomig Spray	rizatriptan ODT tablet, sumatriptan nasal spray, zolmitriptan ODT tablet
Cancer Agents	Pemazyre	Truseltiq
Cardiovascular Agents	carvedilol cap ER	carvedilol
	fenofibrate cap 50mg, 150mg	fenofibrate (generic Tricor), fenofibric acid, gemfibrozil
	Lipofen	fenofibrate (generic Tricor), fenofibric acid, gemfibrozil
	Nitro-Dur	Nitroglycerin Patch

Drug Class	Excluded Medications	Covered Alternative
Corticosteroids	clocortolone 0.1% cream	mometasone lotion/cream, triamcinolone cream
	Orapred ODT	prednisone
	prednisolone sol	prednisone, prednisone oral sol
	Sernivo	mometasone lotion/cream, triamcinolone cream
Gastrointestinal Agents	Cuvposa	glycopyrrolate tablet
	Dexilant; dexlansoprazole	Omeprazole, pantoprazole
Glaucoma Agents	Betopic-S 0.25% Susp	Timolol Maleate Ophthalmic Solution
Glucose Elevating Agents	Glucagen, Gvoke	One of the following: generic glucagon, Baqsimi, glucagon inj manufactured by Fresenius Kabi, Zegalogue Inj
Hepatitis Agents	Vemlidy*	entecavir, tenofovir
Iron Chelating Agents	deferiprone	deferasirox
	Ferriprox	
Respiratory Agents	fluticasone/salmeterol (generic AirDuo)	generic Advair Diskus, Wixela, Breo Ellipta Inh, Symbicort Inh
	Xopenex Neb	levalbuterol nebulization sol
Sedatives	Hetlioz	Please talk to your doctor about other alternatives
Sickle Cell Anemia Agents	Siklos	Droxia
Smoking Cessation Agents	Chantix	varenicline

New Excluded Drugs with Covered Generic Equivalents

Alinia tablets	Afinitor	Azilect	Brovana
Minivelle Dis	Nuvaring	Rapaflo	Rythmol SR
Sutent	Tykerb		

New Excluded Non-FDA Approved Drugs

Chromagen Cap	hyoscyamine drop 0.125/ML	Nulev Tab 0.125MG
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