



# Updates to your prescription benefits

Effective August 1, 2024

## Your PDL update summary

Dear Valued Plan Participant:

We want to alert you about upcoming changes to the Prescription Drug List (PDL) for your plan.

These changes include copay costs or coverage requirements. Review the list of changes below to learn if any of your medications will be impacted.

To help outline changes in cost or coverage, prescriptions drugs are grouped by tiers. A tier indicates the amount you pay when you fill a prescription. Please reference the chart below as you review the following changes to the PDL for your plan.

 <b>Tier 1</b> Lowest-cost medications	 <b>Tier 2</b> Mid-range cost	 <b>Tier 3</b> Highest-cost
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### Prescription drugs with limited coverage<sup>1,2</sup>

We evaluate prescription drugs based on their total value, including how a drug works and how much it costs. When several drugs work in the same way, we may choose to limit coverage of the higher-cost option. Effective August 1, 2024, the drugs listed below may have limited coverage. You may need to get a prior authorization or try preferred alternative treatment options prior to the approval of coverage.

**Sign into your online account to see if there are any actions you need to take.**

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Alternative treatment option(s)
Acne	Finacea gel (brand only)	azelaic acid gel (generic Finacea)

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Alternative treatment option(s)
<b>ADHD</b>	Adderall XR (brand only)	amphetamine/dextroamphetamine extended-release 24hr (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine dimesylate (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
<b>ADHD</b>	Concerta (brand only)	methylphenidate extended-release osmotic release (generic Concerta), amphetamine/dextroamphetamine extended-release 24 hr (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine dimesylate (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
<b>ADHD</b>	Vyvanse (brand only)	lisdexamfetamine dimesylate (generic Vyvanse)
<b>Allergies</b>	Ryaltris <sup>3</sup>	olopatadine (generic Patanase) plus an over-the-counter nasal steroid (e.g., Nasonex Allergy), or over-the-counter Astepro Allergy plus an over-the-counter nasal steroid (e.g., Nasonex Allergy)
<b>Asthma</b>	Flovent Diskus inhaler	Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
<b>Asthma</b>	Flovent HFA inhaler	Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
<b>Asthma</b>	Fluticasone propionate HFA inhaler <sup>3</sup> (Flovent HFA authorized brand alternative)	Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
<b>Asthma</b>	Pulmicort Flexhaler	Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
<b>Asthma/COPD</b>	Advair Diskus inhaler (brand only)	fluticasone propionate/salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus)
<b>Asthma/COPD</b>	Fluticasone/salmeterol aerosol HFA inhaler <sup>3</sup> (Advair HFA authorized brand alternative)	fluticasone propionate/salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus), Advair HFA, Breo Ellipta, Symbicort
<b>Asthma/COPD</b>	Fluticasone/Vilanterol Ellipta <sup>3</sup> (Breo Ellipta authorized brand alternative)	fluticasone propionate/salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus), Advair HFA, Breo Ellipta, Symbicort
<b>Benign prostatic hyperplasia</b>	Entadfi <sup>3</sup>	finasteride (generic Proscar) plus tadalafil (generic Cialis)
<b>Cancer</b>	Imbruvica 140 mg, 280 mg (tablet only)	Imbruvica capsules
<b>Cancer</b>	Targretin capsule (brand only)	bexarotene capsule (generic Targretin)
<b>Cancer</b>	Targretin gel (brand only)	bexarotene gel (generic Targretin)
<b>Cancer</b>	Votrient (brand only)	pazopanib (generic Votrient)
<b>Chest pain</b>	BiDil (brand only)	isosorbide dinitrate/hydralazine (generic BiDil)

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Alternative treatment option(s)
<b>Cholesterol/lipid lowering</b>	Ezetimibe/Atorvastatin <sup>3</sup>	simvastatin/ezetimibe (generic Vytorin), ezetimibe (generic Zetia) plus atorvastatin (generic Lipitor)
<b>Diabetes</b>	Humalog Tempo Pen <sup>3</sup>	Humalog KwikPen, Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog), Lyumjev KwikPen
<b>Diabetes</b>	Humalog vial	Insulin Lispro vial (unbranded Humalog)
<b>Diabetes</b>	Kombiglyze XR (brand only)	saxagliptin/metformin extended-release (generic Kombiglyze XR)
<b>Diabetes</b>	Lyumjev Tempo Pen <sup>3</sup>	Humalog KwikPen, Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog), Lyumjev KwikPen
<b>Diabetes</b>	Onglyza (brand only)	saxagliptin (generic Onglyza)
<b>Diabetes</b>	Rezvoglar Kwikpen <sup>3</sup>	Lantus, Toujeo
<b>Dry eye disease</b>	Miebo <sup>3</sup>	Restasis single dose vials, Xiidra
<b>Endocrine disorders</b>	Buphenyl (brand only)	sodium phenylbutyrate (generic Buphenyl)
<b>Endocrine disorders</b>	Javygtor <sup>3</sup>	sapropterin (generic Kuvan)
<b>Endocrine disorders</b>	Lanreotide 120 mg/0.5 mL <sup>3</sup>	Somatuline Depot
<b>Endocrine disorders</b>	Olpruva <sup>3</sup>	sodium phenylbutyrate (generic Buphenyl)
<b>Endocrine disorders</b>	Pheburane <sup>3</sup>	sodium phenylbutyrate (generic Buphenyl)
<b>Gout</b>	Allopurinol 200 mg <sup>3</sup>	allopurinol 100 mg or 300 mg (generic Zyloprim)
<b>Growth hormone</b>	Sogroya <sup>3</sup>	Norditropin Flexpro, Nutropin AQ NuSpin, Ngenla, Skytrofa
<b>Heart failure</b>	Inpefa <sup>3</sup>	Jardiance
<b>Hereditary angioedema</b>	Sajazir	icatibant acetate (generic Firazyr)
<b>High blood pressure</b>	Edarbi	candesartan (generic Atacand), irbesartan (generic Avapro), losartan (generic Cozaar), olmesartan (generic Benicar), telmisartan (generic Micardis), valsartan (generic Diovan)
<b>High blood pressure</b>	Edarbyclor	candesartan HCT (generic Atacand HCT), irbesartan HCT (generic Avalide), losartan HCT (generic Hyzaar), olmesartan HCT (Benicar HCT), valsartan HCT (generic Diovan HCT)
<b>HIV</b>	Prezista (brand only)	darunavir (generic Prezista)
<b>Inflammatory bowel disease</b>	Lialda (brand only)	mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol), mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda), Apriso
<b>Inflammatory bowel disease</b>	Uceris rectal foam (brand only)	budesonide rectal foam (generic Uceris)
<b>Inflammatory conditions</b>	Abrilada <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
<b>Inflammatory conditions</b>	Adalimumab-fkjp <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Alternative treatment option(s)
Inflammatory conditions	Hulio <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
Inflammatory conditions	Hyrimoz <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
Inflammatory conditions	Idacio <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
Inflammatory conditions	Yuflyma <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
Inflammatory conditions	Yusimry <sup>3</sup>	Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz), Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Humira
Mental health	Latuda (brand only)	lurasidone (generic Latuda)
Mental health	Saphris (brand only)	asenapine maleate sublingual tablet (generic Saphris)
Multiple sclerosis	Aubagio (brand only)	teriflunomide (generic Aubagio)
Multiple sclerosis	Gilenya 0.5 mg (brand only)	fingolimod (generic Gilenya)
Muscle spasms	methocarbamol 1000 mg <sup>3</sup>	methocarbamol 500 mg (generic Robaxin)
Narcolepsy	Sodium oxybate [(Amneal), authorized generic Xyrem] <sup>3</sup>	armodafinil (generic Nuvigil), modafinil (generic Provigil), Lumryz, Sodium Oxybate [(Hikma) authorized generic Xyrem], Sunosi, Xywav
Narcolepsy	Xyrem	armodafinil (generic Nuvigil), modafinil (generic Provigil), Sodium Oxybate [Xyrem authorized generic (Hikma)], Sunosi, Wakix, Xywav
Neutropenia	Fylnetra <sup>3</sup>	Neulasta, Udenyca
Neutropenia	Stimufend <sup>3</sup>	Neulasta, Udenyca
Neutropenia	Ziextenzo	Neulasta, Udenyca
Oral steroid	Cortisone <sup>3</sup>	hydrocortisone (generic Cortef)
Oral steroid	Millipred	prednisone tablets, prednisolone tablets
Overactive bladder	Oxybutynin 5 mg/5 mL oral solution <sup>3</sup>	oxybutynin oral syrup (generic Ditropan)
Pulmonary fibrosis	Esbriet (brand only)	pirfenidone (generic Esbriet)
Pulmonary hypertension	Liqrev <sup>3</sup>	sildenafil (generic Revatio)
Sleep	Zolpidem tartrate capsule <sup>3</sup>	zolpidem tablets (generic Ambien, generic Ambien CR)
Ulcers, heartburn & reflux	Konvomep <sup>3</sup>	lansoprazole orally disintegrating tablet (generic Prevacid Solu-tab), Nexium Suspension, OTC - Nexium, Prevacid, Prilosec, Zegerid
Wilson's disease	Cuvrior <sup>3</sup>	trientine (generic Syprine)

## Prescription drugs moving to a higher tier

The following medications are moving to a higher tier. Medications may move from a lower tier to a higher tier when they are more costly and have available lower-cost options.

Therapeutic Use	Medication name	Tier placement	Alternative treatment option(s)
Asthma/COPD	Fluticasone propionate/ salmeterol inhaler (Airduo Respiclick authorized brand alternative)	Tier 2 to Tier 3	Discuss alternative treatment options with your provider
Cancer	Brukinsa	Tier 2 to Tier 3	Discuss alternative treatment options with your provider
Inflammatory conditions	Olumiant	Tier 2 to Tier 3	Discuss alternative treatment options with your provider

<sup>1</sup> Limited coverage includes brand, generic and authorized generic products unless otherwise noted.

<sup>2</sup> For benefits that have limited coverage, step therapy or prior authorization may be required.

<sup>3</sup> Newly released medication which had limited coverage at the time of launch and will continue to have limited coverage under our pharmacy benefit.

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