

Commonly Prescribed Medications

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The drugs on this list are available to you at a lower cost as part of your prescription benefit program. This list represents some of the most commonly prescribed drugs and serves as a guide for getting excellent values at your pharmacy.

How to Use this List

Share this list with your doctor. Ask your doctor to prescribe drugs with generic versions available whenever possible. You generally will pay the lowest copayment when using generics. If a generic isn't available, ask your doctor to consider prescribing a brand-name drug from this list. These brand-name drugs are available at a lower copayment and can provide cost-savings to you and your plan. Choosing brand-name drugs not on this list can result in a higher copayment.

Please Note: This is not a complete list of formulary drugs. Your benefit coverage may not be limited to this list or the select therapeutic categories shown. In some cases, your plan may have certain coverage limits. Refer to your benefit materials or call your prescription benefit member services telephone number for specific coverage information. You can also refer to www.AdvanceRx.com for a complete formulary list. This list is subject to change.

About Your Copayment

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Generic drugs typically are available at the lowest copayment.

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Brand-name drugs on this list will generally cost more than generics.

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Brand-name drugs **not** on this list will generally cost you the most.

CARDIOVASCULAR

Blood Pressure Lowering

- atenolol
(generic of Tenormin)
- atenolol/chlorthalidone
(generic of Tenoretic)
- bisoprolol/hydrochlorothiazide
(generic of Ziac)
- captopril
(generic of Capoten)
- captopril/hydrochlorothiazide
(generic of Capozide)
- diltiazem
(generic of Cardizem)
- diltiazem extended-release
(generic of Cardizem CD or Dilacor XR)
- enalapril
(generic of Vasotec)
- enalapril/hydrochlorothiazide
(generic of Vaserec)
- labetalol
(generic of Trandate)
- lisinopril
(generic of Zestril)
- lisinopril/hydrochlorothiazide
(generic of Zestoretic)
- metoprolol
(generic of Lopressor)
- nifedipine extended-release
(generic of Adalat CC or Procardia XL)
- pindolol
- propranolol
(generic of Inderal)
- verapamil
(generic of Calan)
- verapamil extended-release
(generic of Calan SR)
- Altace
- Avalide
- Avapro
- Coreg

- Cozaar
- Hyzaar
- Norvasc
- Toprol-XL

Cholesterol Lowering

- cholestyramine
(generic of Questran/Questran-Light)
- gemfibrozil
(generic of Lopid)
- Crestor
- Lescol/Lescol XL
- Lipitor
- Pravachol
- Pravigard PAC

DEPRESSION

- amitriptyline
- bupropion
(generic of Wellbutrin)
- desipramine
(generic of Norpramin)
- doxepin
(generic of Sinequan)
- fluoxetine
(generic of Prozac)
- imipramine hcl
(generic of Tofranil)
- mirtazapine
(generic of Remeron)
- nortriptyline
(generic of Pamelor)
- paroxetine
(generic of Paxil)
- trazodone
(generic of Desyrel)
- Celexa
- Effexor/Effexor XR
- Lexapro

- Paxil CR
- Remeron SolTab
- Wellbutrin SR
- Zoloft

DIABETES

Antidiabetic Drugs—oral

- glipizide
(generic of Glucotrol)
- glyburide
(generic of DiaBeta or Micronase)
- glyburide, micronized
(generic of Glynase)
- metformin
(generic of Glucophage)
- Actos
- Amaryl
- Avandamet
- Avandia
- Glucotrol XL
- Glucovance

Insulins

- Humalog
- Humulin
- Lantus
- Novolin
- Novolog

Monitoring Kits/Strips & Syringes

- Accu-Chek kits and test strips
- Chemstrip bG test strips
- One Touch kits and test strips
- B-D Syringes

GASTROINTESTINAL

GERD/Peptic Ulcer

- omeprazole
(generic of Prilosec)
- ranitidine
(generic of Zantac)
- AcipHex
- Nexium

INFECTION

Antibacterial Drugs

- amoxicillin
(generic of Amoxil)
- amoxicillin/clavulanate
(generic of Augmentin)
- ampicillin
(generic of Principen)
- cefaclor
(generic of Ceclor)
- cephalexin
(generic of Keflex)
- dicloxacillin
- doxycycline hyclate
(generic of Vibramycin)
- erythromycins
(generic of E.E.S., ERYC, Erythrocin, or Pediazole)
- metronidazole
(generic of Flagyl)
- minocycline
(generic of Minocin)
- penicillin VK
- sulfamethoxazole/trimethoprim
(generic of Septra)
- tetracycline
- Augmentin ES
- Avelox
- Biaxin/Biaxin XL
- Cefzil

• Indicates drugs on the 2004 AdvancePCS Performance Drug List. These drugs were chosen for their clinical value and cost-effectiveness.

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INFECTIION cont.

- Cipro
- Cipro XR 500 mg
- Levaquin
- Omnicef
- Zithromax

Antifungal Drugs

ketoconazole tablets
(generic of Nizoral)

nystatin
(generic of Mycostatin)

- Lamisil tablets

Antiviral Drugs

- acyclovir, oral
(generic of Zovirax)
- amantadine, except tablets
- Valtrex

LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT HEPARINS

- Lovenox

MIGRAINE HEADACHE

acetaminophen/
dichloralphenazone/
isometheptene

- Imitrex
- Maxalt/Maxalt-MLT
- Zomig/Zomig-ZMT

OPHTHALMIC

Antibacterial

- bacitracin
(generic of AK-Tracin)
- bacitracin/polymyxin B
(generic of Polysporin)
- erythromycin
- gentamicin
(generic of Gentak)
- neomycin/polymyxin B/
gramicidin
(generic of Neosporin)
- polymyxin B/trimethoprim
(generic of Polytrim)
- sulfacetamide 10%
(generic of Bleph-10)
- tobramycin
(generic of Tobrex)
- Ocuflax

Glaucoma

- brimonidine 0.2%
(generic of Alphagan)
- dipivefrin
(generic of Propine)
- levobunolol
(generic of Betagan)
- pilocarpine
(generic of Isopto Carpine)
- timolol maleate solution
(generic of Timoptic)
- Alphagan P
- Betimol
- Lumigan
- Xalatan

PAIN/ARTHRITIS

- ibuprofen
(generic of Motrin)
- indomethacin
(generic of Indocin)
- naproxen
(generic of Naprosyn)
- salsalate
- sulindac
(generic of Clinoril)
- Celebrex
- Vioxx

Long-Acting

- morphine extended-release
(generic of MS Contin)
- OxyContin

RESPIRATORY

Allergy

NASAL CORTICOSTEROIDS

- Flonase
- Nasacort AQ
- Nasonex
- Rhinocort Aqua

NASAL ANTIHISTAMINES

- Astelin

ANTIHISTAMINES—NONSEDATING

Coverage may vary by plan design

- Allegra/Allegra-D
- Clarinex

Asthma

INHALERS

- albuterol
(generic of Proventil or Ventolin)
- Advair Diskus
- Atrovent
- Combivent

- Flovent/Flovent Rotadisk
- Foradil Aerolizer
Proventil HFA
- Pulmicort Turbuhaler
- Serevent Diskus

ORAL DRUGS

- albuterol sulfate
- albuterol sulfate extended-release
(generic of Volmax)
- terbutaline
(generic of Brethine)
- theophylline extended-release
tablets
(generic of Theochron)
- theophylline extended-release
caps (12 hr)
- theophylline liquid

- Accolate
- Singulair

THYROID REPLACEMENT

- Levoxyt*
- Synthroid

UROLOGIC DISORDERS

Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy

- doxazosin
(generic of Cardura)

Urinary Incontinence

- oxybutynin
(generic of Ditropan)
- Detrol/Detrol LA
- Oxytrol

WOMEN'S HEALTH

CONTRACEPTIVES

- Cyclessa
- Levora*
- Low-Ogestrel*
- Mircette
- Modicon
- NuvaRing
- Ortho-Cept
- Ortho-Cyclen
- Ortho Evra
- Ortho Micronor
- Ortho-Novum
- Ortho Tri-Cyclen
- Ortho Tri-Cyclen Lo
- Tri-Norinyl
- Trivora*
- Yasmin
- Zovia*

HORMONE THERAPY—ORAL

- estradiol
(generic of Estrace)
- estropipate
medroxyprogesterone
(generic of Provera)
- norethindrone acetate
(generic of Aygestin)

- Cenestin
- Ortho-Est*
- Premarin
- Premphase
- Prempro
- Syntest*

HORMONE THERAPY—PATCHES

- estradiol
(generic of Climara 0.1mg/24hr
and 0.05mg/24hr)
- Climara
- Estraderm
- Vivelle/Vivelle-Dot

OSTEOPOROSIS

- Actonel
- Evista
- Fosamax

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