

2015 Preferred Drug List Exclusions

The excluded medications shown below are not covered on the Express Scripts drug list. In most cases, if you fill a prescription for one of these drugs, you will pay the full retail price.

Take action to avoid paying full price. If you are currently using one of the excluded medications, please ask your doctor to consider writing a new prescription for one of the following preferred alternatives.

Drug Class	Excluded Medications	Preferred Alternatives
AUTONOMIC & CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM Interferon Beta Medications for Multiple Sclerosis	Betaseron	Avonex, Extavia, Rebif
Long-Acting Opioid Oral Analgesics	Kadian, Zohydro ER	morphine sulfate ER, oxycodone ER, Nucynta ER, Opana ER, Oxycontin
Transmucosal Fentanyl Analgesics	Abstral, Fentora, Subsys	fentanyl citrate, Lazanda
Triptans	Axert, Frova	rizatriptan, sumatriptan, zolmitriptan, Relpax
CARDIOVASCULAR Angiotensin II Receptor Antagonists + Diuretic Combinations	Edarbi/Edarbyclor, Teveten HCT	candesartan/HCTZ, irbesartan/HCTZ, losartan/HCTZ, valsartan/HCTZ, Benicar/HCT
DERMATOLOGICAL Topical Acne/Antibiotic Combinations	BenzaClin Gel Pump, Veltin	clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide, clindamycin PLUS tretinoin, Acanya, Ziana
DIABETES Blood Glucose Meters & Strips	Abbott (FreeStyle, Precision), Bayer (Breeze, Contour), Nipro (TRUEtest, TRUEtrack), Roche (Accu-Chek)	LifeScan (OneTouch)
Dipeptidyl Peptidase-4 Inhibitors & Combinations	Jentadueto, Kazano, Nesina, Tradjenta	Janumet, Janumet XR, Januvia, Kombiglyze XR, Onglyza
Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 Agonists	Tanzeum, Victoza	Bydureon, Byetta
Insulins	Novolin	Humulin
	Apidra, NovoLog	Humalog
EAR/NOSE Nasal Steroids	Beconase AQ, Omnaris, Veramyst, Zetonna	flunisolide, fluticasone propionate, triamcinolone acetonide, Nasonex, Qnasl
Otic Fluoroquinolone Antibiotics	Cetraxal	ciprofloxacin otic solution, Ciprodex
ENDOCRINE (OTHER) Growth Hormones	Nutropin/Nutropin AQ, Omnitrope, Saizen, Tev-Tropin	Genotropin, Humatrope, Norditropin
Topical Testosterone Products	Fortesta, Testim, Testosterone 1% Gel, Vogelxo	AndroGel, Axiron
GASTROINTESTINAL Anti-Inflammatory/Anti-Ulcer Agents	Duexis, Vimovo	famotidine PLUS ibuprofen, omeprazole PLUS naproxen
Pancreatic Enzymes	Pancreaze, Pertzye, Ultresa	pancrelipase DR, Creon, Zenpep
HEMATOLOGICAL Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents	Aranesp, Epogen	Procrit

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HEPATITIS Protease Inhibitors	Incivek	Olysio, Victrelis
Other Direct-Acting Antivirals (example: Sovaldi)	<i>To be determined after FDA approval</i>	<i>To be determined after FDA approval</i>
Pegylated Interferons	PegIntron	Pegasys
INFLAMMATORY CONDITIONS Tumor Necrosis Factor Antagonists and Other Drugs for Inflammatory Conditions	Cimzia, Simponi, Xeljanz	Enbrel, Humira, Stelara
OBSTETRICAL & GYNECOLOGICAL Ovulatory Stimulants (Follitropins)	Bravelle, Follistim AQ	Gonal-f, Gonal-f RFF
OPHTHALMIC Antiglaucoma Drugs (Ophthalmic Prostaglandins)	Zioptan	latanoprost ophthalmic solution, travoprost ophthalmic solution, Lumigan, Travatan Z
OSTEOARTHRITIS Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives	Euflexxa, Gel-One, Hyalgan, Supartz	Monovisc, Orthovisc, Synvisc, Synvisc-One
RESPIRATORY Pulmonary Anti-Inflammatory Inhalers	Alvesco, Flovent Diskus/HFA	Asmanex Twisthaler/HFA, Pulmicort Flexhaler, QVAR
Pulmonary Anti-Inflammatory/ Beta Agonist Combination Inhalers	Breo Ellipta	Dulera, Symbicort
Short-Acting Beta-2 Adrenergic Inhalers	Proventil HFA, Xopenex HFA	ProAir HFA, Ventolin HFA
UROLOGICAL Erectile Dysfunction Oral Agents	Levitra, Staxyn, Stendra	Cialis, Viagra

Additional covered alternatives may be available. Costs for covered alternatives may vary. Log on to Express-Scripts.com/covered to compare drug prices. Other prescription benefit considerations may apply.

Excluded Medications/Products at a Glance

Abbott (FreeStyle, Precision)	Euflexxa*	Nutropin/Nutropin AQ	Teveten HCT
Abstral*	Fentora*	Omnaris	Tev-Tropin
Alvesco	Flovent Diskus/HFA	Omnitrope	Tradjenta
Apidra	Follistim AQ	Pancreaze*	Ultresa*
Aranesp*	Fortesta	PegIntron	Veltin*
Axert*	Frova*	Pertzye*	Veramyst
Bayer (Breeze, Contour)	Gel-One*	Proventil HFA	Victoza
Beconase AQ	Hyalgan*	Roche (Accu-Chek)	Vimovo*
BenzaClin Gel Pump*	Incivek*	Saizen	Vogelxo*
Betaseron	Jentaduetto	Simponi	Xeljanz
Bravelle	Kadian	Staxyn	Xopenex HFA
Breo Ellipta	Kazano	Stendra*	Zetonna
Cetraxal*	Levitra	Subsys*	Zioptan
Cimzia	Nesina	Supartz*	Zohydro ER*
Duexis*	Nipro (TRUEtest, TRUEtrack)	Tanzeum*	
Edarbi/Edarbyclor	Novolin	Testim	
Epogen*	NovoLog	Testosterone 1% Gel*	

* New exclusion as of Jan. 1, 2015

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