

2021 Standard Control Formulary Removals and Updates

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Drug Class	Removed Product(s)	Formulary Options
Acromegaly	SANDOSTATIN LAR DEPOT, SIGNIFOR LAR, SOMAVERT	SOMATULINE DEPOT
Anticonvulsants*	APTIOM, BRIVIACT, FYCOMPA	carbamazepine, carbamazepine ext-rel, divalproex sodium, divalproex sodium ext-rel, gabapentin, lamotrigine, lamotrigine ext-rel, levetiracetam, levetiracetam ext-rel, oxcarbazepine, phenobarbital, phenytoin, phenytoin sodium extended, primidone, tiagabine, topiramate, valproic acid, zonisamide, OXTELLAR XR, TROKENDI XR, VIMPAT, XCOPRI
Antidepressants, Selective Serotonin Reuptake Inhibitors (SSRI)*	PAXIL/ PAXIL CR, PEVEXA, VIIBRYD	citalopram, escitalopram, fluoxetine (except fluoxetine tablet 60 mg, fluoxetine tablet [generics for SARAFEM]), paroxetine HCl, paroxetine HCl ext-rel, sertraline, TRINTELLIX
Anti-infectives, Antimalarial	DARAPRIM†	pyrimethamine
Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder*	ADZENYS ER/ XR-ODT, APTENSIO XR, DAYTRANA	amphetamine-dextroamphetamine mixed salts ext-rel, methylphenidate ext-rel, MYDAYIS, VYVANSE
Cancer, Multiple Myeloma Proteasome Inhibitors	BORTEZOMIB, KYPROLIS	NINLARO, VELCADE
Cardiovascular, Nitrates	isosorbide dinitrate 40MG	isosorbide dinitrate (except isosorbide dinitrate 40mg), isosorbide mononitrate
Cardiovascular, Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Endothelin Receptor Antagonists*	TRACLEERT†	ambrisentan, bosentan, OPSUMIT
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Anticholinergics*	INCRUSE ELLIPTA	SPIRIVA, YUPELRI
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Anticholinergic/Beta Agonist Combinations, Long Acting	BEVESPI AEROSPHERE	ANORO ELLIPTA, STIOLTO RESPIMAT
Contraceptives, Vaginal	NUVARING†	ethinyl estradiol- etonogestrel, ANNOVERA
Depression and/or Schizophrenia, Antipsychotics, Atypicals*	INVEGA SUSTENNA	ABILIFY MAINTENA, PERSERIS
Dermatology, Acne*	AZELEX, DIFFERIN LOTION, FABIOR, TAZORAC	adapalene, benzoyl peroxide, clindamycin gel (except NDC^ 68682046275), clindamycin solution, clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide, erythromycin solution, erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide, tretinoin, EPIDUO, ONEXTON
Dermatology, Antipsoriasis*	calcipotriene/betamethasone	calcipotriene ointment, calcipotriene solution WITH desoximetasone, fluocinonide (except fluocinonide cream 0.1%) or BRYHALI
Dermatology, Rosacea*	doxycycline monohydrate delayed-rel capsule MIRVASO	ORACEA azelaic acid gel, metronidazole, FINACEA FOAM, SOOLANTRA

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Diabetes Test Strips and Kits*	ACCU-CHEK AVIVA PLUS, ACCU-CHEK COMPACT PLUS, ACCU-CHEK GUIDE, ACCU-CHEK SMARTVIEW	ONETOUCH ULTRA, ONETOUCH VERIO
Gastrointestinal, Irritable Bowel Syndrome	AMITIZA	LINZESS, MOVANTIK, SYMPROIC
	TRULANCE	LINZESS
Gastrointestinal, Laxatives*	GOLYTELY, SUPREP	peg 3350-electrolytes, CLENPIQ
Growth Hormones*	HUMATROPE	GENOTROPIN, NORDITROPIN
Hematologic, Neutropenia Colony Stimulating Factors*	NEULASTA/NEULASTA ONPRO, UDENYCA	ZIEXTENZO
Menopausal Symptom Agents	ESTRING, FEMRING, INTRAROSA, PREMARIN CREAM	estradiol, IMVEXXY
	MENEST, OSPHENA, PREMARIN	estradiol
Multiple Sclerosis*	TECFIDERA†	dimethyl fumarate delayed-rel, glatiramer, AUBAGIO, BETASERON, COPAXONE, GILENYA, KESIMPTA, MAYZENT, OCREVUS, REBIF, TYSABRI, VUMANITY, ZEPOSIA
Musculoskeletal*	metaxalone 400mg	cyclobenzaprine (except cyclobenzaprine 7.5mg)
Ophthalmic, Allergies*	BEPREVE	azelastine, cromolyn sodium, olopatadine, LASTACAFT, PAZEOP
Ophthalmic, Anti-inflammatories, Nonsteroidal	PROLENSA	bromfenac, diclofenac, ketorolac, ACUVAIL, ILEVRO, NEVANAC
Ophthalmic, Antivirals	ZIRGAN	trifluridine
Ophthalmic, Dry Eye Disease	LACRISERT	RESTASIS, XIIDRA
Osteoarthritis, Viscosupplements*	GEL-ONE, VISCO-3	DUROLANE, EUFLEXXA, GELSYN-3, SUPARTZ FX
Otic, Anti-infective/Anti-inflammatory Combinations	CIPRO HC, CIPRODEX	ciprofloxacin- dexamethasone, ofloxacin otic
Pain, Opioid Analgesics*	oxymorphone ext-rel	fentanyl transdermal, hydrocodone ext-rel, hydromorphone ext-rel, methadone, morphine ext-rel, NUCYNTA ER, XTAMPZA ER
Parkinson's Disease	APOKYN	INBRIJA
Respiratory, Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency Agents*	ARALAST NP, GLASSIA	PROLASTIN-C

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Drug Class	Product(s) Added Back
Anticonvulsants	LAMICTAL (non-preferred)
Diabetes Long Acting Insulins	TOUJEO (preferred)
Diabetes Test Strips and Kits	ONETOUCH ULTRA, ONETOUCH VERIO (preferred)
Growth Hormones	NORDITROPIN (preferred)
Ophthalmic, Anti-inflammatory, Steroidal	FLAREX (non-preferred)
Osteoarthritis, Viscosupplements	EUFLEXXA (preferred)

*Class has existing formulary exclusions

†Multi-source Brand Product

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