

Updates to Medica Drug Lists for Individual and Family Business (IFB) Members

Effective January 1, 2022

Effective on January 1, 2022, the following changes will apply to the Individual and Family Business (IFB) Member Drug Lists (formulary).

Moving to a Higher Tier

Brand Name	Generic Name	Formulary position	Preferred alternatives
ALPHAGAN P	brimonidine	Tier 3	Generic brimonidine
AMZEEQ	minocycline	Tier 3	Generic clindacin etz, clindamycin phosphate, erythromycin, clindamycin phos-tretinoin, clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide, erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide
COMBIGAN	brimonidine/timolol	Tier 3	Generic dorzolamide/timolol
INVELYTS	loteprednol	Tier 3	Generic loteprednol
LOTEMAX 0.5% OINT, SM 0.38% GEL	loteprednol	Tier 3	Generic loteprednol
LUMIGAN	bimatoprost	Tier 3	Generic bimatoprost, latanoprost, travoprost
TOBRADEX OINT	tobramycin/dexamethasone	Tier 3	Generic tobramycin/dexamethasone drops

Step Therapy Added

Brand Name	Generic Name	Formulary position	Preferred alternatives
NASCOBAL	cyanocobalamin	Tier 2, ST	Generic cyanocobalamin injection

Moving to a Higher Tier and Step Therapy Added

Brand Name	Generic Name	Formulary position	Preferred alternatives
VICTOZA	liraglutide	Tier 3, ST	BYETTA, BYDUREON, TRULICITY
OZEMPIC	semaglutide	Tier 3, ST	BYETTA, BYDUREON, TRULICITY

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Prior Authorization Required for Medical Necessity

** Effective July 1, 2021 for new prescriptions; effective January 1, 2022 for existing prescriptions*

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ACTHAR	corticotropin	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
ALREX	loteprednol	Removed from formulary	Generic azelastine, bepotastine, cromolyn, epinastine drops
ARCALYST	rilonacept	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
ARESTIN	minocycline	Removed from formulary	Generic minocycline
ASTAGRAF XL	tacrolimus	Removed from formulary	Generic tacrolimus
AVEED	testosterone undecanoate	Removed from formulary	Generic testosterone cypionate, testosterone enanthate
AYVAKIT	avapritinib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
AZASAN	azathioprine	Removed from formulary	Generic azathioprine
BRAFTOVI	encorafenib	Removed from formulary	TAFINLAR, ZELBORAF
BRONCHITOL	mannitol	Removed from formulary	NEBUSAL, pulmosal, sodium chloride
BRUKINSA	zanubrutinib	Removed from formulary	IMBRUVICA
BYNFEZIA	octreotide	Removed from formulary	Generic octreotide

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BYSTOLIC	nebivolol	Removed from formulary	Generic atenolol, carvedilol, metoprolol
CLENPIQ	sodium picosulfate/ magnesium oxide/citric acid	Removed from formulary	Generic gavilyte-g, peg 3350 electrolyte, peg3350-sod sul-nacl-kcl-asb-c, trilyte with flavor packets
COPIKTRA	duvelisib	Removed from formulary	IMBRUVICA, VENCLEXTA, ZYDELIG
CORLANOR	ivabradine	Removed from formulary	Generic atenolol, bisoprolol fumarate, carvedilol, metoprolol succinate, metoprolol tartrate, propranolol hcl
COSENTYX	secukinumab	Removed from formulary	ENBREL, HUMIRA, OTEZLA, SKYRIZI, STELARA, TALTZ AUTOINJECTOR, TREMFYA
DALIRESP*	roflumilast	Removed from formulary	ARNUITY ELLIPTA, ASMANEX HFA, FLOVENT HFA, INCRUSE ELLIPTA, QVAR REDIHALER, SEREVENT DISKUS, SPIRIVA RESPIMAT
DAURISMO	glasdegib	Removed from formulary	VENCLEXTA
DIVIGEL*	estradiol	Removed from formulary	Generic estradiol
DOJOLVI	triheptanoin	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
DORYX MPC	doxycycline	Removed from formulary	Generic doxycycline hyclate, doxycycline monohydrate
DROXIDOPA	droxidopa	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
EDARBI	azilsartan	Removed from formulary	Generic candesartan, irbesartan, losartan, olmesartan, telmisartan, valsartan
EDARBYCLOR*	azilsartan medoxomil/ chlorthalidone	Removed from formulary	Generic candesartan-hydrochlorothiazide, irbesartan-hydrochlorothiazide, losartan-hydrochlorothiazide, olmesartan-hydrochlorothiazide, valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide

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EMFLAZA	deflazacort	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
EMPAVELI	pegcetocoplan	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
ENDARI	glutamine	Removed from formulary	Generic hydroxyurea, DROXIA
ESTRING*	estradiol	Removed from formulary	Generic estradiol, yuvafem, PREMARIN CREAM
EVOTAZ	atazanavir/cobicistat	Removed from formulary	Generic atazanavir, lopinavir/ritonavir, ritonavir
EVRYSDI	risdiplam	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
FARYDAK	panobinostat	Removed from formulary	NINLARO, POMALYST, REVLIMID, THALOMID
GALAFOLD	migalastat	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
GOCOVRI ER	amantadine	Removed from formulary	Generic amantadine
HAEGARDA	c1 esterase inhibitor	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
HEMANGEOL	propranolol	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
HETLIOZ	tasimelteon	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
IMCIVREE	setmelanotide	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
INGREZZA	valbenazine	Removed from formulary	AUSTEDO
INVOKANA	canagliflozin	Removed from formulary	FARXIGA, JARDIANCE, STEGLATRO

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INVOKAMET, INVOKAMET XR	canagliflozin/ metformin	Removed from formulary	SEGLUROMET, SYNJARDY, SYNJARDY XR, XIGDUO XR
JYNARQUE	tolvaptan	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
KALBITOR	ecallantide	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
KEVEYIS	dichlorphenamide	Removed from formulary	Generic acetazolamide
KEVZARA	sarilumab	Removed from formulary	ACTEMRA, ENBREL, HUMIRA, RINVOQ ER, XELJANZ
KINERET	anakinra	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
KISQALI	ribociclib	Removed from formulary	IBRANCE, VERZENIO
KOSELUGO	selumetinib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
LO LOESTRIN FE*	ethinyl estradiol; ethinyl estradiol - norethindrone acetate; ferrous fumarate	Removed from formulary	Generic ethinyl estradiol; ethinyl estradiol - norethindrone acetate; ferrous fumarate
LUMAKRAS	sotorasib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
LUPRON DEPOT	leuprolide acetate	Removed from formulary	ELIGARD, FIRMAGON
MACRILEN	macimorelin	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
MAVENCLAD	cladribine	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
MEKTOVI	binimetinib	Removed from formulary	COTELLIC, MEKINIST

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MYCAPSSA	somatuline	Removed from formulary	Generic somatuline depot
NEULASTA	pegfilgrastim	Removed from formulary	FULPHILA, ZIEXTENZO
NICODERM CQ	nicotine	Removed from formulary	Generic nicotine patch
NICORETTE	nicotine	Removed from formulary	Generic nicotine gum, nicotine lozenge
NOURIANZ	istradefylline	Removed from formulary	Generic entacapone, rasagiline, selegiline, INBRIJA, KYNMOBI
NUPLAZID	pimavanserin	Removed from formulary	Generic clozapine, quetiapine
NUVARING	etonogestrel-ethinyl estradiol	Removed from formulary	Generic etonogestrel-ethinyl estradiol, eluryng
NYVEPRIA	pegfilgrastim	Removed from formulary	FULPHILA, ZIEXTENZO
OLUMIANT	baricitinib	Removed from formulary	ACTEMRA, ENBREL, HUMIRA, RINVOQ ER, XELJANZ
ONZETRA XSAIL	sumatriptan	Removed from formulary	Generic sumatriptan
ORENCIA	abatacept	Removed from formulary	ENBREL, HUMIRA, OTEZLA, RINVOQ ER, STELARA, TALTZ, XELJANZ
ORENITRAM ER	treprostinil diolamine	Removed from formulary	UPTRAVI
ORGOVYX	relugolix	Removed from formulary	ELIGARD, FIRMAGON
ORLADEYO	berotralstat	Removed from formulary	TAKHZYRO
OSMOLEX ER	amantadine	Removed from formulary	Generic amantadine

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OTOVEL	ciprofloxacin/fluocinolone	Removed from formulary	Generic ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone otic
PALFORZIA	peanut allergen-dnfp	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
PEGINTRON	peginterferon alfa-2B	Removed from formulary	PEGASYS
PIQRAY	alpelisib	Removed from formulary	IBRANCE, VERZENIO
PREMARIN*	conjugated estrogens	Removed from formulary	Generic estradiol
PREMPRO*	conjugatedestrogens /medroxyprogesterone acetate	Removed from formulary	amabelz, estradiol-norethindrone acetate, fyavolv, jinteli, mimvey
PROLIA	denosumab	Removed from formulary	FORTEO, TYMLOS
PROTHELIAL	sucralfate	Removed from formulary	Generic sucralfate
PULMICORT FLEXHALER*	budesonide	Removed from formulary	ARNUITY ELLIPTA, ASMANEX, ASMANEX HFA, FLOVENT DISKUS, FLOVENT HFA, QVAR REDIHALER
QNASL*	beclomethasone dipropionate	Removed from formulary	Generic flunisolide, fluticasone propionate, mometasone furoate
RETEVMO	selpercatinib	Removed from formulary	GAVRETO
RHOPRESSA	netarsudil	Removed from formulary	Generic betaxolol hcl, bimatoprost, dorzolamide-timolol, latanoprost, levobunolol hcl, timolol maleate, travoprost
SAJAZIR	icatibant	Removed from formulary	Generic icatibant
SIMPONI 50MG/0.5ML	golimumab	Removed from formulary	SIMPONI 100MG/1 ML
SPRAVATO	esketamine	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber

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SPRIX	ketorolac	Removed from formulary	Generic etodolac, flurbiprofen, ibuprofen, ketoprofen, meloxicam, nabemetone, naproxen
SORILUX	calcipotriene	Removed from formulary	Generic calcipotriene, calcitriol
SUPREP	sodium sulfate/potassium sulfate/magnesium sulfate	Removed from formulary	Generic gavilyte-g, peg 3350 electrolyte, peg3350-sod sul-nacl-kcl-asb-c, trilyte with flavor packets
TAZVERIK	tazemetostat	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
TERIPARATIDE	teriparatide	Removed from formulary	FORTEO, TYMLOS
TESTOPEL	testosterone	Removed from formulary	Generic testosterone cypionate, testosterone enanthate
THIOLA EC	tiopronin	Removed from formulary	Generic tiopronin
TOBRAMYCIN PAK	tobramycin	Removed from formulary	Generic tobramycin, TOBI PODHALER
TUKYSA	tucatinib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
TURALIO	pexidartinib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
TYBOST	cobicistat	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
UKONIQ	umbralisib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
VIEKIRA PAK	ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir/dasabuvir	Removed from formulary	EPCLUSA, HARVONI, VOSEVI, ZEPATIER
VIIBRYD*	vilazodone	Removed from formulary	Generic citalopram, escitalopram, fluoxetine, fluvoxamine maleate, paroxetine, sertraline
VIMOVO	naproxen/esomeprazole	Removed from formulary	Generic naproxen/esomeprazole

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WAKIX	pitolisant	Removed from formulary	Generic armodafinil, modafinil, SUNOSI
ZILXI	minocycline	Removed from formulary	Generic azelaic acid, metronidazole, sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur, FINACEA
ZIOPTAN	tafluprost	Removed from formulary	Generic bimatoprost, latanoprost, travoprost
ZOKINVY	lonafarnib	Removed from formulary	Consult prescriber
ZORBTIVE	somatropin	Removed from formulary	GENOTROPIN, NORDITROPIN FLEXPRO

Brand Name Drug Removals

The following brand name drugs are being removed from formulary. These brand name drugs have a generic equivalent approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The generic drug is preferred. Prior Authorization for medical necessity is required for the following brand name drugs.

ABILIFY	ABSORICA	ACCOLATE	ACCUPRIL	ACCURETIC
ACTICLATE	ACTIGALL	ACTIQ	ACTIVELLA	ACTONEL
ACTOPLUS MET	ACTOS	ACULAR	ACULAR LS	ACZONE
ADALAT CC	ADCIRCA	ADDERALL	ADDERALL XR	ADVAIR DISKUS
AFINITOR	AFTERA	AGRYLIN	ALA-SCALP HP	ALBENZA
ALCAINE	ALDACTAZIDE	ALDACTONE	ALDARA	ALINIA
ALKERAN	ALPHAGAN P	ALTACE	ALTAFLUOR BENOX	AMARYL
AMERGE	AMICAR	ANAFRANIL	ANALPRAM-HC	ANAPROX DS
ANCOBON	ANDROID	ANTABUSE	APRISO	APTENSIO XR
ARAVA	ARICEPT	ARIXTRA	AROMASIN	ARTHROTEC
ATELVIA	ATIVAN	AUGMENTIN	AUGMENTIN XR	AYGESTIN
AZILECT	AZOPT	AZULFIDINE	BACTRIM	BACTRIM DS
BANZEL	BENICAR	BENZACLIN	BENZAMYCIN	BENZEPRO
BEPREVE	BETAPACE	BETAPACE AF	BETHKIS	BILTRICIDE
BLEPH-10	BONIVA	BROMFED-DM	BROVANA	BUPHENYL
BUTRANS	CADUET	CAFERGOT	CALAN SR	CARAFATE
CARAFATE	CARBATROL	CARDIZEM	CARDIZEM CD	CARDIZEM LA

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CARDURA	CARNITOR	CARNITOR SF	CASODEX	CATAPRES
CATAPRES-TTS	CELEBREX	CELLCEPT	CILOXAN	CIPRO
CIPRODEX	CLEOCIN HCL	CLEOCIN PALMITATE	CLEOCIN PHOSPHATE	CLEOCIN T
CLIMARA	CLOBEX	CLOZARIL	COLAZAL	COLCRYS*
COLESTID	COMBIVIR	COMPAZINE	COMTAN	CONCEPT DHA
CONCEPT OB	CONCERTA ER	COPAXONE	CORDRAN	COREG CR
CORGARD	CORTANE-B	CORTEF	CORTENEMA	CRESTOR
CUTIVATE	CYCLOGYL	CYMBALTA	CYTOMEL MCG	CYTOTEC
D.H.E.45	DANTRIUM	DARAPRIM	DAYPRO	DDAVP
DELESTROGEN	DEMSEER	DEPAKOTE	DEPAKOTE ER	DEPAKOTE SPRINKLE
DEPEN	DEPO-TESTOSTERONE	DERMA-SMOOTHIE-FS	DERMOTIC	DESONATE
DESOWEN	DESOXYN	DEXEDRINE	DIASTAT	DIASTAT ACUDIAL
DIBENZYLINE	DICLEGIS	DIFFERIN	DIFLUCAN	DILANTIN
DILAUDID	DIPROLENE	DISALCID	DITROPAN XL	DONNATAL
DORYX	DOVONEX	DRISDOL	DUETACT	DYAZIDE
DYMISTA	DYRENIUM	E.E.S.	EC-NAPROSYN	EDECRIN
EFFEXOR XR	EFFIENT	EFUDEX	ELIDEL	ELIMITE
EMTRIVA	ENTOCORT EC	EPIPEN	EPIPEN JR.	EPIVIR
EPIVIR HBV	EPZICOM	ERYPED	ERY-TAB	ESGIC
ESTRACE	EVEKEO	EVISTA	EVOCLIN	EVOXAC
EXELON	EXFORGE	EXTINA	FARESTON	FELBATOL
FELDENE	FEMARA	FEMHRT	FENOGLIDE	FERRIPROX
FEXMID	FIBRICOR	FINACEA	FIORICET	FIORICET WITH CODEINE
FIORINAL	FIORINAL W/CODEINE	FIRAZYR	FLAGYL	FLOMAX
FLUMADINE	FML	FOCALIN XR	FORTAMET	FORTESTA
FOSAMAX	FROVA	FURADANTIN	GABITRIL	GASTROCROM
GEODON	GLEEVEC	GLUCOTROL	GLUCOTROL XL	GLYNASE
GLYSET	GOLYTELY	HALCION	HALDOL	HALDOL DECANOATE
HALOG	HEPSERA	HIPREX	HUMATIN	HYCODAN
HYDREA	HYSINGLA ER	IMURAN	INSPRA	INTELENCE
INVEGA	ISOPTO ATROPINE	ISOPTO CARPINE	ISORDIL	JADENU
JALYN	KADIAN	KALETRA	KAPVAY	KEFLEX

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KENALOG	KEPPRA	KEPPRA XR	KERYDIN	KLARON
KLONOPIN	K-TAB	KUVAN	LAMICTAL	LAMICTAL XR
LANOXIN	LASIX	LESCOL XL	LETAIRIS	LEVBIID
LEVSIN	LEVSIN-SL	LEXAPRO	LEXIVA	LIPITOR
LITHOBID	LODINE	LODOSYN	LOESTRIN FE	LOMOTIL
LOPID	LOPRESSOR	LOPROX	LORZONE	LOTEMAX
LOTENSIN	LOTENSIN HCT	LOVAZA	LUXIQ	LYRICA
LYSTEDA	MACROBID	MACRODANTIN	MALARONE	MARINOL
MAXALT	MAXITROL	MAXZIDE	MEDROL	MEPHYTON
MEPRON	METHYLIN	METROCREAM	METROGEL	MIACALCIN
MIGRANAL	MINIPRESS	MINIVELLE .	MIRAPEX ER	MOBIC
MONODOX	MONUROL	MOXEZA	MS CONTIN	MYAMBUTOL
MYCOBUTIN	MYDRIACYL	MYFORTIC	MYSOLINE	NAFTIN
NALFON	NAMENDA	NAPRELAN	NAPROSYN	NARDIL
NEBUPENT	NEORAL	NEURONTIN	NIASPAN	NILANDRON
NITROLINGUAL	NITROMIST	NITROSTAT	NORGESIC FORTE	NORPACE
NORPRAMIN	NORVIR	NULEV	NULYTELY WITH FLAVOR PACKS	NUVARING VAGINAL RING
OCUFLOX	OLUX	OLUX-E	ONFI	ORAPRED ODT
ORFADIN	OVACE	OVIDE	OXISTAT	OXSORALEN-ULTRA
PACNEX	PAMELOR	PARLODEL	PARNATE	PATANASE
PAXIL	PAXIL CR	PEPCID	PERFOROMIST	PERIDEX
PHENYTEK	PHYSIOLYTE	PHYSIOSOL	PLAQUENIL	POLYTRIM
PR BENZOYL PEROXIDE	PRECOSE	PRED FORTE	PREVIDENT	PRINIVIL
PRISTIQ ER	PROAIR HFA MCG INHALER	PROCARDIA	PROCARDIA XL	PROCTOCORT
PROGLYCEM	PROGRAF	PROMETRIUM	PROSCAR	PROTOPIC
PROVERA	PSORCON	PYRIDIUM	PYRIDIUM	QUALAQUIN
QUDEXY XR	QUESTRAN	QUESTRAN LIGHT	RAPAMUNE	RAZADYNE ER
REGLAN	RELAFEN	RELAGARD	RELPAX	REMERON
RENVELA	RESPA A.R.	RESTORIL	RETIN-A	RETROVIR
REVATIO	REYATAZ	RILUTEK	RIOMET	RISPERDAL
RITALIN	RITALIN LA	ROCALTROL	ROSANIL	ROWASA
ROXICODONE	RYCLORA	RYTHMOL SR	SABRIL	SALAGEN
SAMSCA	SANDIMMUNE	SANDOSTATIN	SARAFEM	SELECT-OB
SFROWASA	SILENOR	SILVADENE	SINEMET	SINGULAIR
SKELAXIN	SKLICE	SOLODYN	SOMA	SOOLANTRA
SORIATANE	SPECTRACEF	SPORANOX	STALEVO	STARLIX

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STROMECTOL	SUBOXONE*	SULAR	SULFAMYLON	SUMAXIN
SUPRAX	SUSTIVA	SYMBYAX	SYMFI	SYMFI LO
SYNALAR	SYNTHROID	SYPRINE	TACLONEX	TAMIFLU
TAPAZOLE	TARCEVA	TARKA	TASMAR	TAYTULLA*
TECFIDERA	TECFIDERA DR	TEGRETOL	TEGRETOL XR	TEMODAR
TEMOVATE	TENORETIC	TENORMIN	TESSALON PERLE	TESTIM
TESTRED	THIOLA	TIAZAC	TIGAN	TIMOPTIC
TIMOPTIC-XE	TOBRADEX*	TOBREX	TOPICORT	TOPROL XL
TRACLEER	TRANXENE T-TAB	TREXIMET	TRIDESILON	TRILEPTAL
TRILIPIX	TRIZIVIR	TRUSOPT	TRUVADA*	TYKERB
UCERIS	ULTRACET	ULTRAM	UROCIT-K	URSO
URSO FORTE	VALCYTE	VALIUM	VALTREX	VANCOCIN HCL
VASERETIC	VASOTEC	VECTICAL	VERELAN	VERELAN PM
VFEND	VIBRAMYCIN	VIGAMOX	VIRAMUNE	VIRAMUNE XR
VIREAD	VISTARIL	VITAMEDMD REDICHEW RX	VIVELLE-DOT	VOGELXO
VOLTAREN	WELLBUTRIN XL	WP THYROID	XANAX	XELODA
XOPENEX	YAZ	ZANAFLEX	ZARONTIN	ZEMPLAR
ZESTORETIC	ZESTRIL	ZIAC	ZIAGEN	ZIANA
ZITHROMAX	ZOFRAN	ZONALON	ZONEGRAN	ZORTRESS
ZOVIRAX	ZYLOPRIM	ZYMAXID	ZYPREXA	ZYPREXA ZYDIS
ZYVOX				

NOTE: Coverage limitations may apply to these medications. Inclusion in this list does not imply coverage. Members should refer to their benefit plan document for further information

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