



2010 Express Scripts Medicare Prime Formulary

The following is a list of the most commonly prescribed drugs. It represents an abbreviated version of the drug list (formulary) that is at the core of your prescription-drug benefit plan. The list is not all-inclusive and does not guarantee coverage. In addition to using this list, you are encouraged to ask your doctor to prescribe generic drugs whenever appropriate.

PLEASE NOTE: Not all the drugs listed are covered by all prescription-drug benefit programs; check your benefit materials for the specific drugs covered and the copayments for your prescription-drug benefit program. For specific questions about your coverage, please call the phone number printed on your ID card.

A

ABILIFY, DISCMELT [Q]
acarbose
acetaminophen-codeine
 ACTONEL,
 WITH CALCIUM [Q] [S]
 ACULAR, LS
acyclovir
 ADVAIR DISKUS, HFA [P] [Q]
 ADVICOR [Q] [S]
 AGGRENOX
albuterol sulfate syrup,
tab, tab sa
 ALDARA
alendronate sodium [Q]
 ALLEGRA-D 12 HOUR,
 24 HOUR [Q] [S]
allopurinol
 ALPHAGAN P
 ALREX
amantadine
amiodarone hcl
amitriptyline hcl
amlodipine besylate,
-benazepril
amox tr-potassium clavulanate
amoxicillin
 ANDROGEL
 APRISO
 ARICEPT, ODT
 ARIXTRA [INJ]
asa-butalb-caffeine-codeine
 ASACOL, HD
 ASMANEX [Q]
 ASTELIN [Q]
 ASTEPRO [Q]

atenolol
 AVANDAMET [Q] [S]
 AVANDARYL [Q] [S]
 AVANDIA [Q] [S]
 AVELOX, ABC PACK
aviane
azathioprine [P]
azithromycin [Q]
 AZOR [S]

B

baclofen
 BARACLUDE
benztropine mesylate
 BETASERON [INJ] [P] [Q]
betaxolol hcl
bisoprolol fumarate-hctz
 BONIVA tab [Q] [S]
brimonidine tartrate
budeprion sr, xl [Q]
bupirone hcl
butalbital-caff-apap-codeine
 BYETTA [INJ] [P] [Q]

C

calcitriol
 CANASA
 CARAFATE oral susp
carbamazepine, xr
carbidopa-levodopa
carisoprodol
carvedilol
cefdirir
cefuroxime, axetil
 CELEBREX [S]

cephalexin
chlorhexidine gluconate dental
rinse
cholestyramine, light
ciclopirox [P]
 CIPRODEX
ciprofloxacin er, hcl
citalopram, hbr [Q]
clarithromycin, er
 CLIMARA PRO [Q]
clindamycin hcl, phosphate
clonidine hcl
clotrimazole-betamethasone
 COMBIGAN
 COPAXONE [INJ] [P] [Q]
 COZAAR [S]
 CRESTOR [Q] [S]
cyclobenzaprine hcl
cyclosporine cap, soln [P]
 CYMBALTA [Q] [S]

D

desipramine hcl
diclofenac sodium
dicyclomine hcl
didanosine
digoxin inj, soln, tab
 (excluding 0.5 mg)
diltiazem er, hcl
 DIOVAN, -HCT [S]
dorzolamide, -timolol
doxazosin mesylate [Q]
doxepin hcl
doxycycline hyclate,
monohydrate
 DRONABINOL [P]

E

EFFEXOR XR [S]
 EFFIENT
 ELIDEL [S]
eliphos
 EMEND [P] [Q]
 ENABLEX [S]
enalapril maleate
enulose
erythromycin, ethylsuccinate
 ESTRADERM [Q]
estradiol [Q]
 EVISTA
 EXELON
 EXFORGE, HCT [S]

F

famciclovir [Q]
famotidine
fenofibrate
fentanyl
faxofenadine hcl [Q]
 FINACEA
finasteride
fluconazole [P] [Q]
flunisolide [Q]
fluocinolone acetonide
fluocinonide, emollient, -e
fluorometholone
fluoxetine hcl [Q]
fluticasone propionate [Q]
fluvoxamine maleate [Q]
 FORADIL [Q]
 FORTEO [INJ] [P]
 FORTICAL

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FROVA [Q]
furosemide

G

gabapentin
gemfibrozil
GEODON [Q]
glimepiride
glipizide, er, xl, -metformin
GLUCAGEN [INJ]
glyburide, micronized,
-metformin hcl

H

haloperidol, lactate
HUMALOG
HUMIRA [INJ] [P]
HUMULIN
hydralazine hcl
hydrochlorothiazide
hydrocodone-acetaminophen
hydroxyzine hcl, pamoate
HYZAAR [S]

I

ibuprofen
INTAL oral inh
isosorbide dinitrate,
mononitrate

J

jantoven
JANUMET [Q] [S]
JANUVIA [Q] [S]

K

ketoconazole

L

lamotrigine
LANTUS vials (excluding
cartridges & solostar) [INJ]
LETAIRIS
LEVEMIR [INJ]
levetiracetam
levocarnitine
levothyroxine sodium
levoxyl
LEXAPRO [Q] [S]
LIDODERM [P]
lisinopril, -hctz
lithium carbonate, citrate
lovastatin [Q]
LOVAZA
LOVENOX [INJ]
low-ogestrel
LUMIGAN
LUNESTA [Q] [S]
LYRICA [S]

M

MAXALT, MLT [Q]
meclizine hcl
medroxyprogesterone
acetate [Q]
MEGACE ES
meloxicam [Q]
MENEST
meprobamate
metformin hcl, er
methadone hcl
methotrexate [P]
methylprednisolone
metoclopramide hcl
metolazone
metoprolol succinate, tartrate
metronidazole
mirzapine
misoprostol
morphine sulfate
(excluding soluble tabs)
mycophenolate mofetil [P]
MYFORTIC [P]

N

NAMENDA
naproxen
NASACORT AQ [Q] [S]
necon
neomycin-polymyxin-dexameth
neomycin-polymyxin-hc
NEVANAC
NEXIUM [Q] [S]
NIASPAN
nitrofurantoin, macrocrystal
nitroglycerin inj, sl tab, patch
NITROLINGUAL
nortriptyline hcl
NOVOFINE, 32, AUTOCOVER
NOVOLIN [INJ]
NOVOLOG [INJ]
nystatin
nystatin-triamcinolone

O

ofloxacin
omeprazole [Q]
ondansetron hcl, odt [P] [Q]
ONGLYZA [Q]
OPANA ER
ORACEA
OSMOPREP
oxybutynin chloride, er [Q]
oxycodone hcl,
-acetaminophen, -ibuprofen

P

pacerone tab 200 mg
paroxetine hcl [Q]
PATADAY
PATANOL
peg 3350-electrolyte
PEGASYS [INJ] [P] [Q]

penicillin v potassium
phenytoin sodium extended
pilocarpine hcl
PLAVIX
potassium chloride
PRANDIN
pravastatin sodium [Q]
prednisolone acetate, sodium
phosphate
prednisone
PREMARIN
PREMPHASE
PREMPRO
primidone
PRISTIQ [S]
PROAIR HFA [Q]
prochlorperazine maleate
promethazine hcl
promethazine vc
propoxyphene napsylate-apap
PROVENTIL HFA [Q]
PULMICORT FLEXHALER [Q]
PYLERA

Q

quinapril hcl
QVAR [Q]

R

ramipril
RANEXA
ranitidine hcl
RELENZA
REVELA
reprexain
RESTASIS [Q]
REYATAZ
ribavirin
risperidone, odt [Q]
ropinirole hcl
RYTHMOL SR

S

SANCTURA, XR [S]
SANTYL
selegiline hcl
SEROQUEL, XR [Q]
sertraline hcl [Q]
SIMCOR [Q] [S]
simvastatin [Q]
SINGULAIR
SKELAXIN
SOLARAZE
SPIRIVA [Q]
spironolactone, -hctz
STALEVO
STRATTERA [S]
SULAR [S]
sulfamethoxazole-trimethoprim
sumatriptan tab, inj [Q]
SUSTIVA
SYMBICORT [P] [Q]
SYMLIN, PEN [INJ] [P] [Q]

T

tamoxifen citrate
TAZORAC [P]
TEKTURNA, -HCT [S]
terazosin hcl [Q]
terbinafine hcl [P]
TESTIM
testosterone cypionate,
enanthate [INJ]
tetracycline hcl
thioridazine hcl
timolol maleate
tizanidine hcl
torsemide
TRACLEER
tramadol hcl, -acetaminophen
trazodone hcl
triamcinolone acetonide
triamterene-hctz
TRICOR
trihexyphenidyl hcl
TRILIPIX [S]
trimethoprim

U

ULTRASE MT
UROXATRAL
ursodiol

V

VAGIFEM
VECTICAL
verapamil er, hcl
veripred 20
VIDEX pediatric soln
VIOKASE
VIVELLE DOT [Q]
VYTORIN [Q] [S]

W

warfarin sodium
WELCHOL [S]

X

XALATAN

Z

zaleplon [Q]
zamicet
ZETIA [S]
zidovudine
zolpidem tartrate [Q]
zonisamide [P]
ZYLET
ZYMAR
ZYPREXA, ZYDIS [Q]

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Examples of Nonformulary Medications With Selected Formulary Alternatives

The following is a list of some nonformulary brand-name medications with examples of selected alternatives that are on the formulary.

Column 1 lists examples of nonformulary medications.
Column 2 lists some alternatives that can be prescribed.

Thank you for your compliance.

Nonformulary	Formulary Alternative	Nonformulary	Formulary Alternative
ACCOLATE	SINGULAIR	LESCOL, -XL	<i>lovastatin, pravastatin, simvastatin</i> , CRESTOR, VYTORIN
ACIPHEX	<i>omeprazole</i> , NEXIUM	LEVAQUIN	<i>ciprofloxacin/er, ofloxacin</i> , AVELOX
ALTOPREV	<i>lovastatin, pravastatin, simvastatin</i> , CRESTOR, VYTORIN	LIPITOR	<i>lovastatin, pravastatin, simvastatin</i> , CRESTOR, VYTORIN
AMBIEN CR	<i>zaleplon, zolpidem</i> , LUNESTA	LIPOFEN	<i>fenofibrate</i> , TRICOR, TRILIPIX
ANTARA	<i>fenofibrate</i> , TRICOR, TRILIPIX	LUVOX CR	<i>fluvoxamine, fluoxetine, paroxetine/er, sertraline</i> , LEXAPRO
APIDRA	HUMALOG, NOVOLOG	MAXAIR AUTOHALER	PROAIR HFA, PROVENTIL HFA
ATACAND	COZAAR, DIOVAN	MICARDIS	COZAAR, DIOVAN
ATACAND HCT	DIOVAN HCT, HYZAAR	MICARDIS HCT	DIOVAN HCT, HYZAAR
AVALIDE	DIOVAN HCT, HYZAAR	PREVACID	<i>omeprazole</i> , NEXIUM
AVAPRO	COZAAR, DIOVAN	PROTONIX	<i>omeprazole</i> , NEXIUM
AVODART	<i>finasteride</i>	PROZAC WEEKLY	<i>fluoxetine (daily), citalopram, paroxetine/er, sertraline</i> , LEXAPRO
AZOPT	<i>dorzolamide</i> , ALPHAGAN P, COMBIGAN	RAPAFLO	UROXATRAL
BENICAR	COZAAR, DIOVAN	TEVETEN	COZAAR, DIOVAN
BENICAR HCT	DIOVAN HCT, HYZAAR	TEVETEN HCT	DIOVAN HCT, HYZAAR
BETIMOL	<i>betaxolol, timolol maleate</i>	TOVIAZ	<i>oxybutynin er</i> , ENABLEX, SANCTURA/XR
CARDURA XL	<i>doxazosin</i> , UROXATRAL	TRAVATAN, -Z	LUMIGAN, XALATAN
DETROL, -LA	<i>oxybutynin er</i> , ENABLEX, SANCTURA/XR	TRIGLIDE	<i>fenofibrate</i> , TRICOR, TRILIPIX
FACTIVE	<i>ciprofloxacin, ofloxacin</i> , AVELOX	VENTOLIN HFA	PROAIR HFA, PROVENTIL HFA
FENOGLIDE	<i>fenofibrate</i> , TRICOR, TRILIPIX	VESICARE	<i>oxybutynin er</i> , ENABLEX, SANCTURA/XR
FOSAMAX soln, -PLUS D	<i>alendronate tab</i>	XOPENEX HFA	PROAIR HFA, PROVENTIL HFA
ISTALOL	<i>timolol maleate</i>	ZEGERID	<i>omeprazole</i> , NEXIUM
KAPIDEX	<i>omeprazole</i> , NEXIUM		
LANTUS cartridge, -SOLOSTAR	LANTUS VIALS, LEVEMIR/FLEXPEN		

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