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Essential Health Benefit Formulary Updates*

November 2021

2021 FORMULARY CHANGES

Therapeutic Class	Medication	Formulary Changes	Effective date
Anti-Addiction/ Substance Abuse Treatment Agents	Kloxxado liquid	Tier 2	12/1/2021

YEAR-TO-DATE FORMULARY GENERIC RELEASES (generic drug is available at copay listed once drug is available on the market)

Therapeutic Class	Generic Name	For Brand Name	Formulary Status	Available Date
Antineoplastics	everolimus tablets	Afinitor Afinitor Disperz	Tier 4 – CM PA, QL	October 2021
Anti-Addiction/ Substance Abuse Treatment Agents	varenicline tablets 0.5mg, 1mg	Chantix	Tier 1 – Preventive	September 2021
Cardiovascular Agents	nebivolol	Bystolic	Tier 1	September 2021
Ophthalmic Agents	difluprednate 0.05% emulsion	Durezol	Tier 1	September 2021
Antineoplastics	sunitinib capsules	Sutent	Tier 4 – CM PA	August 2021
Cardiovascular Agents	metyrosine capsule	Demser	Tier 1	August 2021
Electrolytes/ Minerals/ Metals/ Vitamins	deferiprone tablets	Ferriprox	Tier 1 PA	August 2021
Anti-Addiction/ Substance Abuse Treatment Agents	Apo-varenicline tablets	Chantix	Tier 3 – Preventive	July 2021
Antivirals	Etravirine tab 100mg, 200mg	Intelence	Tier 1	June 2021
	lopinavir/ritonavir tab 100- 25mg,	Kaletra	Tier 1	June 2021
Respiratory Tract/Pulmonary Agents	arformoterol neb 15/2ml	Brovana	Tier 1	June 2021
	formoterol neb 20/2ml	Perforomist	Tier 1	June 2021
Anticonvulsants	rufinamide tab	Banzel	Tier 1	May 2021
Analgesics	hydrocodone tab ER	Hysingla ER	Tier 1	March 2021

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Dermatological agents	isotretinoin cap	Absorica	Tier 1	April 2021
Metabolic bone disease agents	calcitonin inj 200/ml	Miacalcin inj	Tier 1	May 2021
Ophthalmic Agents	brinzolamide 1% suspension	Azopt	Tier 1	March 2021
Antivirals	emtricitabine/tenofovir tablets	Truvada	Tier 1	January 2021
Blood Glucose Regulators	Glucagon Kit 1mg	Glucagon Injection	Tier 1	December 2020
Antiparasitics	ivermectin 0.5% lotion	Sklice	Tier 1	December 2020
Analgesics	meloxicam 5mg & 10mg capsules	Vivlodex	Tier 1	December 2020
Antineoplastics	abiraterone 500mg tab	Zytiga	Tier 4 – CM PA	December 2020
Antipsychotics	asenapine SL tab	Saphris	Tier 1 QL	December 2020
Gastrointestinal Agents	alvimopan capsule	Entereg	Tier 1	December 2020
Anticonvulsants	rufinamide suspension	Banzel	Tier 1 PA	November 2020
Ophthalmic Agents	Timolol 0.5% ophth solution	Timoptic	Tier 1	November 2020
Antiparasitics	nitazoxanide	Alinia	Tier 1	November 2020
Central Nervous System Agents	dimethyl fumarate starter pack	Tecfidera	Tier 4 PA, QL	September 2020

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Blood Glucose Regulators	Rybelsus	Tier 2 ST, QL	1/1/2022
Anti-Addiction/ Substance Abuse Treatment Agents	Chantix tab Apo-varenicline	Tier 3 – Preventive ST, QL	1/1/2022
Antivirals	Intelence 25mg tablet	Tier 2	1/1/2022
Genitourinary Agents	Toviaz	Tier 3	1/1/2022
Ophthalmic Agents	Restasis	Tier 2 PA	1/1/2022

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Antiparasitics	ivermectin 3mg tablet (generic <i>Stromectol</i>)	Tier 1 Add QL	1/1/2022
Dermatological Agents	fluorouracil 2% & 5% solution (generic <i>Efudex</i>)	Tier 1	11/1/2021
Immunological Agents	Prevnar 20 injection	Tier 2	8/13/2021
Hormonal Agents, Stimulant/Replacement/ Modifying	Premarin vaginal cream	Tier 2	1/1/2022
Antibacterials	vancomycin 250/5mL (generic <i>Vancocin</i>)	Tier 3	1/1/2022
Antiparkinson Agents	carbidopa 25mg tablet (generic <i>Lodosyn</i>)	Tier 3	1/1/2022
Antivirals	abacavir/lamivudine/ zidovudine tablet (generic <i>Trizivir</i>)	Tier 3	1/1/2022
	emtricitabine/tenofovir tab 100- 150, 133-200, 167-250 (generic <i>Truvada</i>)	Tier 3	1/1/2022
Cardiovascular Agents	Praluent injection	Excluded	1/1/2022
Dental and Oral Agents	Prevident 0.2% solution	Tier 3	1/1/2022
Electrolytes/ Minerals/ Metals/ Vitamins	deferasirox 90mg, 180mg, 360mg (generic <i>Jadenu</i>)	Excluded	1/1/2022
Antivirals	Dovato tab 50-300mg	Tier 2	9/1/2021
	Pifeltro tab 100mg	Tier 3	9/1/2021
	Symtuza tab	Tier 3 QL	9/1/2021
Hormonal agents, stimulant/ replacement/ modifying	Anovera	Tier 3 – Preventive	9/1/2021
Antineoplastics	Tabrecta	Tier 4 – CM PA	8/1/2021
Ophthalmic Agents	Eysuvis 0.25% drops	Tier 3 PA	7/1/2021
Immunological Agents	Skyrizi inj 150mg/ml auto-injector	Tier 4 PA	6/2/2021
	Skyrizi inj 150mg/ml prefilled syringe	Tier 4 PA	6/2/2021
Respiratory Tract/ Pulmonary Agents	arformoterol nebulizer (generic <i>Brovana</i>)	Tier 3	5/25/2021
Antineoplastics	Orgovyx	Tier 4 – CM PA	6/23/2021
	Retevmo	Tier 4 – CM PA	5/1/2021

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Ophthalmic Agents	Cystadrops	Tier 4 PA, QL	4/1/2021
Miscellaneous Therapeutic Agents	Zokinvy	Tier 4 PA, QL	4/1/2021
Immunological Agents	Xeljanz solution	Tier 4 PA	4/1/2021
Antineoplastics	Xtandi tablets	Tier 4 – CM PA	3/23/2021
Immunological Agents	Avsola Injection 100mg	Tier 4 PA	3/1/2021
Antineoplastics	Trazimera injection	Tier 4 PA	2/23/2021
Antineoplastics	Iclusig 10mg tablets	Tier 4 PA, QL	2/9/2021
Antineoplastics	Iclusig 30mg tablets	Tier 4 PA	2/9/2021
Antimigraine Agents	zolmitriptan spray 2.5mg & 5mg (generic Zomig)	Tier 3 ST, QL	1/19/2021
Genetic or Enzyme Disorder	Evrysdi	Tier 4 PA, QL	2/10/2021
Antineoplastics	Onureg	Tier 4 – CM PA	1/1/2021
Antiparasitics	Alinia	Tier 2	1/1/2021
Antipsychotics	Saphris SL	Tier 2 QL	1/1/2021
Pulmonary Agents	Proair HFA & Respiclick	Tier 2 QL	1/1/2021
Antivirals	Trogarzo injection	Tier 3 PA	1/1/2021
Respiratory Tract & Pulmonary Agents	Trelegy Ellipta	Tier 2 QL	1/1/2021
Immunological Agents/Vaccines	Vaxelis	Tier 2 Preventive	12/14/2020
Blood Products	Retacrit Injection	Tier 4 PA	11/11/2020

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