

The Essential Direct Drug List is a list of prescription medications approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). We've reviewed these drugs through our Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Process, which considers a drug's:

- Effectiveness
- Safety
- Similarity to other drugs within a therapeutic class
- Affordability

The Essential Direct Drug List is a closed formulary, which means that only the prescription drugs on the list will be covered by the plan. Drugs that aren't covered have cost-effective, high-quality alternatives available. There may be a brand alternative, a generic equivalent or an over-the-counter (OTC) option. Brand-name drugs with a generic equivalent available aren't covered on the Essential Direct Drug List.

Some common drugs that aren't on the Essential Direct Drug List are shown below. Other preferred alternatives may also be available. Please note, exclusions and limitations may apply. For details about what's covered and what's not, it's best to check the Certificate/Evidence of Coverage or Summary Plan Description (SPD).

To view and search the complete Essential Direct Drug List, members should log in at **anthem.com** and choose **Prescription Benefits**. Information on dosage/strength options and any restrictions such as quantity limits, prior approval or step therapy requirements is available. Members can also call Member Services at the number on their ID card.

What if a medication isn't on the Essential Direct Drug List?

There may be times when a member's drug isn't on the Essential Direct Drug List. If the covered alternative options aren't right for a member, their doctor can submit a request for an exception. This process, called prior authorization, requires the doctor to call the Member Services number on the member's ID card or log in at **anthem.com** and choose Tools & Resources to download and submit the prior authorization form.

Doctors can also submit prior authorizations electronically, which requires less processing time and possible real-time approval so members can fill their prescriptions right away.

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Drug Class	Medications not on the Drug List	Preferred alternatives
ALS AGENTS	Radicava IV (Brand and Generic)/Suspension	riluzole tab
ANALGESICS - Analgesics-Sedatives	Allzital, butalbital-acetaminophen 50-300mg tablet, butalbital-acetaminophen-caffeine 50-325-40mg capsule, esgic capsule	butalbital-acetaminophen 50-325mg tablet, butalbital-acetaminophen 50-300mg cap, butalbital-acetaminophen-caffeine capsule/tablet (except 50-325-40mg capsule)
ANALGESICS - Nonsteroidal Anti-inflammatory Agents (NSAIDs)	Cambia (Brand and Generic), Combogesic, Coxanto (Brand and Generic), diclofenac potassium 25mg tablet, Duexis (Brand and Generic), Elyxyb, Fenoprofen Capsule, Indocin Supp (Brand and Generic), Indocin Susp (Brand and Generic), ketoprofen/kiprofen 25mg, 50mg capsule, lofena, meloxicam capsule, Meloxicam Susp (Brand and Generic), Nalfon (Brand and Generic), Naprelan (Brand and Generic), Naprosyn Susp (Brand and Generic), Relafen DS, Seglantis, Sprix, Tolectin (Brand and Generic), Tresni Supp, Vimovo (Brand and Generic), Zipsor (Brand and Generic)	celecoxib, diclofenac potassium 50mg tablet, diclofenac sodium tablet, etodolac, flurbiprofen, ibuprofen tab/susp, indomethacin capsule, meloxicam tab, misoprostol, nabumetone, naproxen tab, oxaprozin tab, piroxicam, sulindac, tolmetin
ANALGESICS - Opioid Agonists	hydrocodone bitartrate er capsule, Hysingla ER, levorphanol 2mg tablet, Nucynta ER, Oxycontin, tramadol 75mg tablet, Xtampza ER	fentanyl oral/patch, hydromorphone er, hydrocodone bitartrate er tablet, levorphanol 3mg tablet, morphine sulfate er, oxymorphone er, tramadol tablet (except 75mg), tramadol er
ANALGESICS - Opioid Combinations	Nalocet, Oxycodone-Acetaminophen Tablet/Soln (Brand), Prolate Tablet	hydrocodone-acetaminophen tablet/solution, oxycodone-acetaminophen tablet (generic)

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ANALGESICS - Salicylates	Dolobid	diflunisal
ANAPHYLAXIS THERAPY AGENTS	Auvi-Q, Neffy	epinephrine auto-injector
ANDROGENS - Anabolic	Aveed, Azmiro, Jatenzo, Kyzatrex, methitest, methyltestosterone capsule, Natesto, Tlando, Undecatrex	testosterone enanthate injection, testosterone cypionate injection, testosterone gel, gel pump, topical solution, Xyosted
ANTI-ANXIETY AGENTS	Bucapsol, Loreev XR	buspirone, lorazepam
ANTI-ASTHMATIC AND BRONCHODILATOR AGENTS - 5-Lipoxygenase Inhibitors	Zyflo, zileuton ER	montelukast tablet, zafirlukast tablet
ANTI-ASTHMATIC AND BRONCHODILATOR AGENTS - Adrenergic Combinations	Bevespi Aerosphere, Duaklir Pressair	Anoro Ellipta, Breztri, Combivent, Stiolto Respimat
ANTI-ASTHMATIC AND BRONCHODILATOR AGENTS - Beta Adrenergics	Striverdi	albuterol HFA, arformoterol, formoterol, ProAir Respiclick, Serevent
ANTI-ASTHMATIC AND BRONCHODILATOR AGENTS - Bronchodilators - Anticholinergics	Incruse Ellipta, Tudorza Pressair	Atrovent, Spiriva
ANTI-ASTHMATIC AND BRONCHODILATOR AGENTS - Steroid Inhalants and Combinations	Airsupra, Alvesco, Asmanex HFA/Twisthaler, Dulera, Pulmicort Flexhaler	Arnuity Ellipta, Breo Ellipta (Brand and Generic), budesonide-formoterol fumarate dihydrate/breyna, fluticasone propionate diskus/HFA, fluticasone-salmeterol HFA, fluticasone-salmeterol/wixela, Qvar Redihaler, Trelegy
ANTIBIOTIC AGENTS - Tetracyclines	Doryx MPC, doxycycline hyclate dr tablets/50mg, 75mg, 150mg tablets, Emrosi, minocycline hcl er, Minolira, Oracea (Brand and Generic), Seysara, targadox, Tetracycline Tablet	doxycycline hyclate immediate release (except 50mg, 75mg and 150mg tablets), doxycycline monohydrate immediate release, doxycycline suspension, minocycline (immediate release), tetracycline capsule
ANTI-CATALECTIC AGENTS	Lumryz, Xyrem, Xywav	Sodium Oxybate, Wakix
ANTICOAGULANTS	Pradaxa (Brand and Generic)/Pak, Savaysa	Eliquis, Xarelto
ANTICONVULSANTS - Benzodiazepines	Libervant	clobazam, clonazepam/odt, diazepam gel
ANTICONVULSANTS - miscellaneous	Eprontia, Gabarone, Lamictal XR Kit, Motpoly XR, topiramate 50mg sprinkle capsule, Zonisade	gabapentin, lacosamide, lamotrigine tablet/ODT/ER, topiramate (generic) except 50mg sprinkle capsule, zonisamide
ANTIDEMENTIA AGENTS	Adlarity, Zunevyl	donepezil, galantamine
ANTIDEPRESSANTS	Aplenzin, Auvelity, Citalopram Capsule, Drizalma, Raldesy, Sertraline Capsule, venlafaxine er 37.5mg, 75mg, 112.5mg, 150mg tablet	bupropion, citalopram tablet, duloxetine, escitalopram, paroxetine, sertraline solution/tablet, trazodone, Trintellix, venlafaxine tablet/er capsule/225mg er tablet, vilazodone
ANTIDIABETICS - Biguanides	Glumetza (Brand and Generic), metformin 625mg/750mg tablet, metformin osm ER (generic Fortamet)	metformin/ER (generic Glucophage/XR)
ANTIDIABETICS - Diabetic Test Strips and Glucometers	All except Freestyle and Accu-Chek Products	Freestyle and Accu-Chek Products
ANTIDIABETICS - Dipeptidyl Peptidase-4 (DPP-4) Inhibitors and Combinations	Jentadueto, Jentadueto XR, Onglyza (Brand and Generic), saxagliptin-metformin, Sitagliptin, Sitagliptin-Metformin, Tradjenta, Zituvinet, Zituvinet XR, Zituvio	alogliptin, alogliptin-metformin, Janumet, Janumet XR, Januvia, metformin (generic Glucophage), metformin ER (generic Glucophage XR)
ANTIDIABETICS - Disposable Insulin Pumps	Cequir, OmniPod GO, V-Go	OmniPod DASH/5
ANTIDIABETICS - Human Insulin	Basaglar/Tempo, Insulin Degludec, Insulin Glargine, Insulin Glargine-yfgn, Rezvoglar, Semglee	Lantus, Soliqua, Toujeo, Tresiba, Xultophy
ANTIDIABETICS - Human Insulin	Admelog, Afrezza, Apidra, Fiasp, Humalog Tempo, Insulin Aspart, Insulin Aspart Protamine-Aspart, Lyumjev Tempo, Novolin, Novolog	Humulin, Humalog, Insulin Lispro, Insulin Lispro Protamine-Lispro, Lyumjev
ANTIDIABETICS - Incretin Mimetic Agents (GLP-1 Receptor Agonists)	Bydureon, Byetta (Brand and Generic)	liraglutide, Mounjaro, Ozempic, Rybelsus, Trulicity
ANTIDIABETICS - Sodium-Glucose Co-Transporter 2 (SGLT2) Inhibitors and Combinations	Bexagliflozin, Brenzavvy, Invokamet, Invokamet XR, Invokana, Qtern, Segluromet, Steglatro, Steglujan	Farxiga (Brand and Generic), Glyxambi, Jardiance, Synjardy, Synjardy XR, Trijardy XR, Xigduo XR (Brand and Generic), metformin (generic Glucophage), metformin ER (generic Glucophage XR)
ANTIDIABETICS - Sulfonylureas	glimepiride 3mg tablet	glimepiride 1mg, 2mg, 4mg tablet
ANTI-HISTAMINES	Carbinoxamine 6mg Tablet, levocetirizine 5mg solution, ryclora, Ryvent	carbinoxamine solution, carbinoxamine 4mg tablet, cetirizine solution, clemastine tablet, desloratadine odt/tablet, levocetirizine 5mg tablet

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ANTHYPERLIPIDEMICS - HMG CoA Reductase Inhibitors and Combinations	Altoprev, Atorvaliq, Ezallor Sprinkle, Flolipid, Lescol XL (Brand and Generic), Livalo (Brand and Generic), Zypitamag	atorvastatin, ezetimibe-simvastatin, fluvastatin cap, lovastatin, pravastatin, rosuvastatin, simvastatin
ANTHYPERLIPIDEMICS - PCSK9 Inhibitors	Praluent	Repatha
ANTI-INFECTIVE AGENTS - Miscellaneous	Likmez, metronidazole 125mg tablet	metronidazole cap/tab 250mg, 500mg
ANTIMALARIALS	Sovuna	hydroxychloroquine sulfate tab
ANTINEOPLASTICS - Androgen Biosynthesis Inhibitors	Yonsa	abiraterone acetate
ANTINEOPLASTICS - BCR-ABL Kinase Inhibitors	Danziten, Iclusig, Scemblix	Bosulif, dasatinib, imatinib, Tasigna
ANTINEOPLASTICS - Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor (VEGF) Inhibitors	Alymsys, Cyramza, Vegzelma, Zaltrap, Zirabev	Avastin, Mvasi
ANTIPARKINSON - Levodopa Combinations	Crexont	carbidopa-levodopa/er
ANTI-PSYCHOTICS/ANTIMANIC AGENTS	Abilify Asimtufii/Maintena/Mycite, Caplyta, Cobenfy, Erzofri, Fanapt, Invega IM, Opipta, Rykindo, Uzedi	aripiprazole, asenapine, lurasidone, paliperidone er, quetiapine, risperidone, Vraylar
ANTIVIRALS - Antiretrovirals	Complera (Brand and Generic), Odefsey, Prezcoibx	Biktarvy, emtricitabine-tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, efavirenz-emtricitabine-tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, efavirenz-lamivudine-tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, Genvoya, Stribild, Triumeq
ANTIVIRALS - Hepatitis Agents	Ledipasvir-Sofosbuvir, Mavyret, Sofosbuvir-Velpatasvir, Sovaldi, Zepatier	Epclusa, Harvoni, Vosevi
ANTIVIRALS - Herpes Agents	Sitavig	acyclovir (oral solution, capsule, tablet), famciclovir tablet, valacyclovir tablet
ATTENTION-DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)	Adzenys XR-ODT, Azstarys, Cotempla XR-ODT, Desoxyn (Brand and Generic), Dyanavel XR, Jornay PM, Onyda XR, Qelbree, Quillichew ER, Quillivant XR, Relexxii, Vyvanse, Xelstrym	amphetamine, amphetamine-dextroamphetamine tablet/ER capsule, atomoxetine, clonidine er, dexamethylphenidate, dextroamphetamine ER capsule, guanfacine er, lisdexamfetamine, methylphenidate tablet/capsule, methylphenidate hcl er tablet, zenzedi
BONE DENSITY REGULATORS	Teriparatide (Brand)	teriparatide (generic Forteo)
CARDIOVASCULAR AGENTS - Antihypertensives	Nexiclon XR (Brand and Generic)	clonidine hcl
CARDIOVASCULAR AGENTS - Anti-inflammatory/Immune Modulator	Lodoco	colchicine tablet
CARDIOVASCULAR AGENTS - Cardiovascular SGLT2 Inhibitors	Inpefa	Farxiga, Jardiance
CARDIOVASCULAR AGENTS - Diuretics	Soaanz	torsemide
CHELATING AGENTS	Cuprimine (Brand and Generic), Cuvrior, trientine 500mg	penicillamine tab, trientine 250mg
CORTICOSTEROIDS - Glucocorticosteroids	Alkindi Sprinkle, Agamree, Cortisone Tablet, Emflaza (Brand and Generic), Eohilla, Khindivi, Rayos	hydrocortisone, methylprednisolone, prednisone solution/tablet, prednisolone For Eohilla - budesonide and fluticasone (inhalation, swallowed), omeprazole
DERMATOLOGICALS - Acne/Rosacea	Adapalene Solution, Altreno, Amzeeq, Azelex, Cabtreo, Differin Lotion, Epsolay, Fabior, Noritate, Retin-A Micro Gel 0.06%, 0.08% (Brand and Generic), Rhofade, Tazarotene Aer 0.1%, Twyneo, Winlevi	adapalene (gel, cream, lotion, swab), adapalene-benzoyl peroxide gel, azelaic acid gel, clindamycin phosphate (foam, gel, lotion, pledget, solution), clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide gel, clindamycin-tretinoin gel, erythromycin, metronidazole, tazarotene cream, tretinoin (gel, cream, microsphere gel/pump), Zilxi
DERMATOLOGICALS - Antibiotics	mupirocin cream	mupirocin ointment
DERMATOLOGICALS - Anti-inflammatory Agents - Topical	diclofenac solution 1.5%, Flector (Brand and Generic), Licart, Pennsaid (Brand and Generic)	diclofenac 1% gel
DERMATOLOGICALS - Antipsoriatics	Sorilux, Vtama, Zoryve Cream 0.3%	calcipotriene, tazarotene cream
DERMATOLOGICALS - Antiseborrheic Products	Zoryve Foam	clotrimazole, ketoconazole, preferred generic topical corticosteroid

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DERMATOLOGICALS - Corticosteroids - Topical (high potency)	amcinonide oint, Apexicon E, Bryhali, halcinonide soln, Impoyz (Brand and Generic)	betameth dip cream/oint 0.05%, betameth val oint 0.1%, fluticasone oint 0.005%, aug betameth dip cre 0.05%, fluocinonide cre/E cre/gel/oint/solution 0.05%, triamcinolone cre/oint 0.5%, triderm cre 0.5%
DERMATOLOGICALS - Corticosteroids - Topical (low potency)	ala-scalp/hydrocortisone lotion, Texacort/hydrocortisone soln	desonide cream/lotion 0.05%, betameth val lotion 0.1%, fluocinolone cream/solution 0.01% & oils, aclometasone cream/oint 0.05%, HC cream/oint/soln 1%, HC cream/lotion/oint 2.5%, triamcinolone cream/lotion 0.025%, hydrocortisone oint, absorbase
DERMATOLOGICALS - Corticosteroids - Topical (medium potency)	Locoid Lipocream, Pandel, Sernivo	betameth dip lotion 0.05%, betameth val cream 0.1%, desonide gel/oint 0.05%, fluocinolone cream/oint 0.025%, fluticasone cream/lotion 0.05%, beser lotion, prednicarbate cream/oint 0.1%, mometasone cream/solution/oint 0.1%, triamcinolone cream/lotion/oint 0.1% & oint 0.025%, triderm cream 0.1%
DERMATOLOGICALS - Corticosteroids - Topical (very high potency)	Cordran Tape, Lexette (Brand and Generic), Ultravate Lotion	aug bethameth gel/lotion/oint 0.05%, clobetasol all dosage forms 0.05%, clodan shamp, tovet, fluocinonide cre 0.1%, halobetasol cre/oint 0.05%
DERMATOLOGICALS - Immunomodulating Agents -Systemic	Nemludio	Dupixent
DERMATOLOGICALS - Local Anesthetics	Pliaglis, Ztlido	lidocaine pad 5%, lidocaine-prilocaine 2.5%-2.5%
DERMATOLOGICALS - Phosphodiesterase 4 (PDE4) Inhibitors	Zoryve Cream 0.15%	Eucrisa
DERMATOLOGICALS - Topical Steroid Combinations	Wynzora	calcipotriene cream, betamethasone dipropionate cream
ENDOCRINE AND METABOLIC AGENTS - Cortisol Synthesis Inhibitors	Recorlv	ketoconazole
FERTILITY REGULATORS	Follistim AQ	Gonal-F
GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS - Bowel Evacuant Combinations	Suflave	peg 3350/electrolytes, Plenvu, sodium sulfate-potassium sulfate-magnesium sulfate, Sutab
GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS - Constipation	Ibsrela, Motegrity (Brand and Generic), Movantik, Trulance	Linzess, lubiprostone
GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS - Gallstone Solubilizing Agents	chenodal, Reltone, Ursodiol Capsule	ursodiol (generic)
GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS - Proton Pump Inhibitors and Combinations	Aciphex Tab (Brand and Generic), Dexilant (Brand and Generic), Konvomep, Prevacid ODT (Brand and Generic), Prilosec Packet, Protonix Packet (Brand and Generic), Rabeprazole DR Sprinkle, Voquezna, Zegerid (Brand and Generic)	esomeprazole, lansoprazole cap, omeprazole, pantoprazole
GENITOURINARY AGENTS - Prostatic Hypertrophy Agent Combinations	Entadfi	dutasteride-tamsulosin, finasteride, tadalafil
GOUT AGENTS	allopurinol 200mg, Mitigare (Brand and Generic)	allopurinol 100mg and 300mg, colchicine tablet
GROWTH HORMONES	Ngenla, Norditropin, Nutropin AQ, Omnitrope, Sogroya, Zomacton	Genotropin, Humatrope, Skytrofa
HEMATOPOIETIC AGENTS - Cobalamins	Nascobal (Brand and Generic)	cyanocobalamin injection
HEMATOPOIETIC AGENTS - Granulocyte Colony-Stimulating Factors (G-CSF)	Fulphia, Fylnetra, Neupogen, Nypozi, Nyvepria, Ryzneuta, Stimufend, Ziextenzo	Neulasta, Udenyca, Zarxio
HEMATOPOIETIC AGENTS - Growth Factors	Alvaiz, Promacta Pak/ Powder, Vafseo	Aranesp, Procrit, Promacta Tablet, Retacrit
HEMATOPOIETIC AGENTS - Iron	Injectafer, Monoferic	ferric gluconate, ferumoxytol, Infed, Venofer
HYPNOTICS/SEDATIVES	Belsomra, Dayvigo, Zolpidem Cap	eszopiclone, zaleplon, zolpidem/er tab
IMMUNE SERUMS	Alyglo, Asceniv, Bivigam, Cuvitru, Flebogamma, Gamastan, Gammagard/SD, Gammaked, Gammaplex, Hyqvia, Panzyga, Privigen	Cutaquig, Gamunex-C, Hizentra, Octagam, Xembify
IMPOTENCE AGENTS - Selective cGMP Phosphodiesterase Type 5 Inhibitors	Stendra (Brand and Generic), vardenafil tablet	sildenafil citrate (generic Viagra), tadalafil (generic Cialis)

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INFLAMMATORY CONDITIONS	Abrilada, Actemra, Adalimumab- aacf/aaty/adaz/adbm/fkjp/ryvk, Adbry, Amjevita, Bimzelx, Cibirgo, Cimzia, Cosentyx IV, Cyltezo, Ebglyss, Entyvio SC, Hadlima, Hulio, Humira, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Ilumya, Kevzara, Kineret, Olumiant, Omvoh, Orencia IV, Otulfi, Pyzchiva, Siliq, Sotyktu, Stelara, Steqeyma, Tofidence, Tremfya IV, Tyenne, Ustekinumab/aekn/ttwe, Velsipity, Wezlana, Yesintek, Yuflyma, Yusimry	Cosentyx SC, Dupixent, Enbrel, Entyvio IV, Orencia SC, Otezla, Rinvoq, Selarsdi, Simlandi, Simponi, Skyrizi, Tremfya SC, Xeljanz/XR
INFLIXIMAB PRODUCTS	Renflexis, Inflectra, Zymfentra	Avsola, Infliximab, Remicade
MIGRAINE PRODUCTS	Onzetra, Reyvow, Symbravo, Tosymra, Treximet (Brand and Generic), Zembrace	almotriptan, eletriptan, naratriptan, rizatriptan tablet/ODT, sumatriptan tablet/nasal/injection/statdose/refill, zolmitriptan tablet/ODT/nasal
MIGRAINE PRODUCTS - Calcitonin Gene-Related Peptide Receptor Antag (CGRP)	Vyepti, Zavzpret	Aimovig, Ajovy, Emgality, Nurtec, Qulipta, Ubrovelvy
MIGRAINE PRODUCTS - ergotamine	Ergomar, Migranal (Brand and Generic), Trudhesa	almotriptan, eletriptan, ergot-caffeine tablet, naratriptan, rizatriptan tablet/ODT, sumatriptan tablet/nasal/injection/statdose/refill, zolmitriptan tablet/ODT
MINERALS & ELECTROLYTES - Potassium	Pokonza	potassium chloride (generic)
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	Bafiertam, Briumvi, Extavia, Gilenya, Kesimpta, Lemtrada, Ocrevus, Ponvory, Tascenso ODT, Tysabri	Avonex, Betaseron, Copaxone 40mg, dalfampridine, dimethyl fumarate, fingolimod, Glatiramer/Glatopa, Mavenclad, Mayzent, Plegridy, Rebif, teriflunomide, Vumerity, Zeposia
MUSCULOSKELETAL THERAPY AGENTS - Central Muscle Relaxants	Amrix (Brand and Generic), baclofen 15mg tablet, chlorzoxazone 250mg tablet, cyclobenzaprine 7.5mg, fexmid, Fleqsuvy (Brand and Generic), Lyvispah, metaxalone, methocarbamol 1000mg, Ozobax/DS (Brand and Generic), tanlor, Zanaflex 2mg, 4mg Capsule (Brand and Generic)	baclofen tablet (generic) except 15mg, chlorzoxazone 500mg, cyclobenzaprine 5mg and 10mg, methocarbamol 500mg and 750mg, orphenadrine, tizanidine tablet
NASAL AGENTS - Nasal Steroids and Combinations	Omnaris, Qnasl/Child, Ryaltris, Xhance	azelastine hcl-fluticasone propionate, fluticasone nasal, mometasone nasal
OPHTHALMIC AGENTS - Dry Eye	Cequa, Eysuvis, Miebo, Tyrvaya, Vevye	cyclosporine emu, Restasis, Xiidra
OPHTHALMIC AGENTS - Ophthalmic Antiallergic	Alocril, Alomide, Bepreve (Brand and Generic), olopatadine soln, Zerviate	azelastine, epinastine
OPHTHALMIC AGENTS - Ophthalmic Steroids	Alrex (Brand and Generic), Clobetasol Susp	dexamethasone, difluprednate, fluorometholone, loteprednol etabonate 0.5%, prednisolone
OPHTHALMIC AGENTS - Prostaglandins - Ophthalmic	IDose TR	travoprost soln
OTIC AGENTS - Otic Steroid-Anti-infective Combinations	Cipro HC	ciprofloxacin-dexamethasone susp, ciprofloxacin-fluocinolone acetonide soln
RESTLESS LEG SYNDROME (RLS) AGENTS	Horizant	gabapentin
THYROID AGENTS - Thyroid Hormones	Adthyza, Armour Thyroid, Ermeza, Thyquidity, Niva Thyroid, NP Thyroid, Renthroid, Thyroid, Tirosint	levothyroxine
URINARY ANTISPASMODICS - Antimuscarinic (Anticholinergic)	Gelnique, Gemtesa, Oxytrol, Vesicare Suspension	oxybutynin chloride, solifenacin succinate, tolterodine tartrate/ER

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Abilify Asimtufii/ Maintena/Mycite	chenodal	Gammagard/SD	metaxalone	Promacta Pak/ Powder	topiramate 50mg sprinkle capsule
Abrilada	chlorzoxazone 250mg	Gammaked	metformin 625mg/ 750mg tablet	Protonix Pak (Brand and Generic)	Tosymra
Accrufer	Cibinqo	Gammaplex	metformin osm ER	Pulmicort Flexhaler	Tradjenta
Aciphex Tab (Brand and Generic)/ Rabeprazole DR Sprinkle	Cimzia	Gelnique	methitest tablet/ methyltestosterone capsule	Pyzchiva	tramadol 75mg tablet
Actemra	Cipro HC	Gemtesa	methocarbamol 1000mg/tanlor	Qelbree	Tremfya IV
Adalimumab- aacf/ aaty/adaz/adbm/ fkjp/ryvk	Citalopram Capsule	Gilenya	metronidazole 125mg tablet	Qnasl/Child	Tresni Supp
Adapalene Solution	Clobetasol Susp	glimepiride 3mg tablet	Miebo	Qsymia (Brand and Generic)	Treximet (Brand and Generic)
Adbry	Cobenfy	Glumetza (Brand and Generic)	Migranal (Brand and Generic)	Qtern	trientine 500mg
Adlarity	Combogesic	Hadlima	minocycline hcl er	Quillichew ER	Trudhesa
Admelog	Complera (Brand and Generic)	halcinonide soln	Minolira	Quillivant XR	Trulance
Adthyza/Armour Thyroid/Niva Thyroid/NP Thyroid/ Thyroid/Renthyroid	Contrave	Horizant	Mitigare (Brand and Generic)	Radicava Inj (Brand and Generic)/Susp	Tudorza Pressair
Adzenys XR-ODT	Cordran Tape	Hulio	Monoferic	Raldesy	Twynéo
Afrezza	Cortisone Tablet	Humalog Tempo	Motegrity (Brand and Generic)	Rayos	Tyenne
Agamree	Cosentyx IV	Humira	Motpoly XR	Recorlv	Tyrvaya
Airsupra	Cotempla XR-ODT	hydrocodone bitartrate er capsule	Movantik	Relafen DS	Tysabri
ala-scalp/ hydrocortisone lotion	Coxanto (Brand and Generic)	Hyqvia	mupirocin cream	Relexxii	Udecatrex
Alkindi Sprinkle	Crexont	Hyrmoz	Nalfon (Brand and Generic)/Fenoprofen Capsule	Reltone/Ursodiol Cap	Ultravate Lotion
allopurinol 200mg tablet	Cuprimine (Brand and Generic)	Hysingla ER	Naprelan (Brand and Generic)	Relyvrio	Ustekinumab/aekn/ ttwe
Allzital	Cuvitru	Ibsrela	Naprosyn Susp (Brand and Generic)	Renflexis	Uzedy
Alocril	Cuvrior	Iclusig	Nascobal (Brand and Generic)	Retin-A Micro Gel 0.06%, 0.08% (Brand and Generic)	Vafseo

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Alomide	cyclobenzaprine 7.5mg/fexmid	Idacio	Natesto	Reyvow	vardenafil tab
Alrex (Brand and Generic)	Cyltezo	iDose TR	Neffy	Rezvoglar	Vegzelma
Altprev	Cyramza	Ilumya	Nemludio	Rhofade	Velsipity
Altreno	Danziten	Impoyz (Brand and Generic)	Neupogen	Ryaltris	venlafaxine er 37.5mg, 75mg, 112.5mg, 150mg tablet
Alvaiz	Dayvigo	Incruse Ellipta	Nexiclon XR (Brand and Generic)	ryclora	Vesicare Susp
Alvesco	Desoxyn (Brand and Generic)	Indocin Supp/Susp (Brand and Generic)	Ngenla	Rykindo	Vevye
Alyglo	Dexilant (Brand and Generic)	Inflectra	Norditropin	Ryzneuta	Vimovo (Brand and Generic)
Almysys	Differin Lotion	Injectafer	Noritate	Savaysa	Voquezna
amcinonide oint	Dolobid	Inpefa	Novolin	saxagliptin-metformin hcl	Vtama
Amjevita	Doryx MPC	Insulin Degludec	Novolog/Insulin Aspart/Insulin Aspart Protamine-Aspart	Scemblix	Vuity
Amrix (Brand and Generic)	doxycycline hyclate dr tab/50mg, 75mg, 150mg tab/targadox	Invega IM	Nucynta ER	Seglentsis	Vyepti
Amzeeq	Drizalma	Invokamet/XR	Nutropin AQ	Segluromet	Vyvanse
Apexicon E	Duaklir Pressair	Invokana	Nypozi	Semglee/Insulin Glargine/Insulin Glargine - yfgn	Wezlana
Apidra	Duexis (Brand and Generic)	Iqirvo	Nyvepria	Sernivo	Winlevi
Aplenzin	Dulera	Jatenzo	Ocaliva	Sertraline Cap	Wynzora
Asceniv	Dyanavel XR	Jentadueto/XR	Ocrevus	Seysara	Xelstrym
Asmanex HFA/ Twisthaler	Ebglyss	Jornay PM	Odefsey	Siliq	Xhance
Atorvaliq	Elyxyb	Kesimpta	olopatadine ophthalmic soln	Sitavig	Xtampza ER
Auvelity	Emflaza (Brand and Generic)	ketoprofen/kiprofen 25mg, 50mg capsule	Olumiant	Soaanz	Xyrem
Auvi-Q	Emrosi	Kevzara	Omnaris	Sofdra	Xywav
Aveed	Entadfi	Khindivi	Omnitrope	Sofosbuvir-Velpatasvir	Yesintek
Azelex	Entyvio SC	Kineret	Omvoh	Sogroya	Yonsa

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Azmiro	Eohilia	Konvomep	Onglyza (Brand and Generic)	Sorilux	Yuflyma
Azstarys	Eprontia	Kyzatrex	Onyda XR	Sotyktu	Yusimry
baclofen 15mg tablet	Epsolay	Lamictal XR Kit	Onzetra	Sovaldi	Zaltrap
Bafiertam	Ergomar	Ledipasvir-Sofosbuvir	Opipza	Sovuna	Zanaflex 2mg, 4mg Capsule (Brand and Generic)
Basaglar/Tempo	Ermeza	Lemtrada	Oracea (Brand and Generic)	Sprix	Zavzpret
Belsomra	Erzofri	Lescol XL (Brand and Generic)	Orencia IV	Steglatro	Zegerid (Brand and Generic)
Bepreve (Brand and Generic)	Exparel	levocetirizine 5mg solution	Otulf	Steglujan	Zembrace
Bevespi Aerosphere	Extavia	levorphanol 2mg tablet	Oxycodone - Acetaminophen Tablet/Soln (Brand)/Nalocet/Prolate	Stelara	Zepatier
Bimzelx	Eysuvis	Lexette (Brand and Generic)	Oxycontin	Stendra (Brand and Generic)	Zerviate
Bivigam	Ezallor Sprinkle	Libervant	Oxytrol	Steqeyma	Ziextenzo
Brenzavvy/Bexagliflozin	Fabior/Tazarotene Aer 0.1%	Licart	Ozobax/DS (Brand and Generic)	Stimufend	Zipsor (Brand and Generic)/diclofenac potassium tab 25mg/lofena
Briumvi	Fanapt	Likmez	Pandel	Striverdi	Zirabev
Bryhali	Fiasp	Litfulo	Panzyga	Suflave	Zituvimet/XR/Sitagliptin-Metformin
Bucapsol	Flebogamma	Livalo (Brand and Generic)	Pennsaid (Brand and Generic)/diclofenac sol 1.5%	Symbravo	Zituvio/Sitagliptin
butalbital - acetaminophen - caffeine capsule 50-325-40mg/esgic cap	Flector (Brand and Generic)	Livdelzi	Pliaglis	Tascenso ODT	Zolpidem Cap
butalbital - acetaminophen tablet 50-300mg	Fleqsuvy (Brand and Generic)	Locoid Lipocream	Pokonza	Teriparatide (Brand)	Zomacton
Bydureon	Flolipid	Lodoco	Ponvory	Tetracycline Tablet	Zonisade
Byetta (Brand and Generic)	Florafof FE Pediatric Solution	Loreev XR	Pradaxa (Brand and Generic)/Pak	Texacort/hydrocortisone soln	Zoryve Cream/Foam
Cabtreo	Follistim AQ	Lumryz	Praluent	Thyquidity	Ztlido

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Cambia (Brand and Generic)	Fulphila	Lyumjev Tempo	Prevacid ODT (Brand and Generic)	Tirosint-Sol	Zunveyl
Caplyta	Fynetra	Lyvispah	Prezcobix	Tlando	Zyflo/zileuton er
Carbinoxamine 6mg/Ryvent	Gabarone	Mavyret	Prilosec Packet	Tofidence	Zymfentra
Cequa	Gamastan	Meloxicam Susp (Brand and Generic)/capsule	Privigen	Tolectin (Brand and Generic)	Zypitamag

Get help in your language

Curious to know what all this says? We would be too. Here's the English version:

You have the right to get this information and help in your language for free. Call the Member Services number on your ID card for help. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Separate from our language assistance program, we make documents available in alternate formats for members with visual impairments. If you need a copy of this document in an alternate format, please call the customer service telephone number on the back of your ID card.

Spanish

Tiene el derecho de obtener esta información y ayuda en su idioma en forma gratuita. Llame al número de Servicios para Miembros que figura en su tarjeta de identificación para obtener ayuda. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Chinese

您有權使用您的語言免費獲得該資訊和協助。請撥打您的 ID 卡上的成員服務號碼尋求協助。(TTY/TDD: 711)

Vietnamese

Quý vị có quyền nhận miễn phí thông tin này và sự trợ giúp bằng ngôn ngữ của quý vị. Hãy gọi cho số Dịch Vụ Thành Viên trên thẻ ID của quý vị để được giúp đỡ. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Korean

귀하에게는 무료로 이 정보를 얻고 귀하의 언어로 도움을 받을 권리가 있습니다. 도움을 얻으려면 귀하의 ID 카드에 있는 회원 서비스 번호로 전화하십시오. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Tagalog

May karapatan kayong makuha ang impormasyon at tulong na ito sa ginagamit ninyong wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa numero ng Member Services na nasa inyong ID card para sa tulong. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Russian

Вы имеете право получить данную информацию и помощь на вашем языке бесплатно. Для получения помощи звоните в отдел обслуживания участников по номеру, указанному на вашей идентификационной карте. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Arabic

يحق لك الحصول على هذه المعلومات والمساعدة بلغتك مجاناً. اتصل برقم خدمات الأعضاء الموجود على بطاقة التعريف الخاصة بك للمساعدة. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Armenian

Դուք իրավունք ունեք Ձեր լեզվով անվճար ստանալ այս տեղեկատվությունը և ցանկացած օգնություն: Օգնություն ստանալու համար զանգահարեք Անդամների սպասարկման կենտրոն՝ Ձեր ID քարտի վրա նշված համարով: (TTY/TDD: 711)

Farsi

شما این حق را دارید که این اطلاعات و کمکها را به صورت رایگان به زبان خودتان دریافت کنید. برای دریافت کمک به شماره مرکز خدمات اعضاء که بر روی کارت شناساییتان درج شده است، تماس بگیرید. (TTY/TDD: 711)

French

Vous avez le droit d'accéder gratuitement à ces informations et à une aide dans votre langue. Pour cela, veuillez appeler le numéro des Services destinés aux membres qui figure sur votre carte d'identification. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Japanese

この情報と支援を希望する言語で無料で受けることができます。支援を受けるには、IDカードに記載されているメンバーサービス番号に電話してください。(TTY/TDD: 711)

Haitian

Ou gen dwa pou resevwa enfòmasyon sa a ak asistans nan lang ou pou gratis. Rele nimewo Manm Sèvis la ki sou kat idantifikasyon ou a pou jwenn èd. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Italian

Ha il diritto di ricevere queste informazioni ed eventuale assistenza nella sua lingua senza alcun costo aggiuntivo. Per assistenza, chiami il numero dedicato ai Servizi per i membri riportato sul suo libretto. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Polish

Masz prawo do bezpłatnego otrzymania niniejszych informacji oraz uzyskania pomocy w swoim języku. W tym celu skontaktuj się z Działem Obsługi Klienta pod numerem telefonu podanym na karcie identyfikacyjnej. (TTY/TDD: 711)

Punjabi

ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਇਹ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਅਤੇ ਮਦਦ ਮੁਫਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕਰਨ ਦਾ ਅਧਿਕਾਰ ਹੈ। ਮਦਦ ਲਈ ਆਪਣੇ ਆਈਡੀ ਕਾਰਡ ਉੱਤੇ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਸਰਵਿਸਜ਼ ਨੰਬਰ ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ। (TTY/TDD: 711)

Navajo

Bee ná ahóót'í t'áá ni nizaad k'eh'í níká a'doowó't'áá jík'e. Naaltsoos bee atah nilínígíí bee né'cho'dó'zingo nanitínígíí béc'sh bee hane'í bikáá' áá'j' hodiilnih. Naaltsoos bee atah nilínígíí bee né'cho'dó'zingo nanitínígíí béc'sh bee hane'í bikáá' áá'j' hodiilnih. (TTY/TDD: 711)

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