

3rd Quarter 2022 preferred drug list update

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Arizona

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan's preferred drug list (PDL) is updated quarterly by our Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee. Please review the below changes which are effective as of **August 1, 2022**.

Drugs added to the Preferred Drug List

Drug/ Product Name	Comments
Fexofenadine Tablets	Indicated for the relief of symptoms associated with season allergic rhinitis Moved to preferred on 6/1/2022 .
Fluocinonide 0.05% Cream	Indicated for the relief of a variety of skin conditions. Moved to preferred on 6/1/2022 .
Nityr™ Tablets	Indicated for the treatment of hereditary tyrosinemia type I. Prior Authorization is required .
Modafinil Tablets	Indicated to improve wakefulness in adult patients with excessive sleepiness associated with narcolepsy, obstructive sleep apnea or shift work disorder. Prior Authorization is required .

Drugs removed from the Preferred Drug List

Drug/ Product Name	Comments
Orfadin® Capsules	Nityr tablets is an alternative option with prior authorization. Prior Authorization is required .
Colcrys® Tablets	Generic colchicine tablets and Mitigare capsules are alternative options.

For medications which have been removed from the PDL, we have provided potential alternatives for UnitedHealthcare Community Plan members. If the drug alternative is medically appropriate, please provide members with a new prescription for a preferred alternative, via:

- Call or fax the pharmacy
- Use e-Script
- Write a new prescription and give it directly to the member (where permitted by state regulations)

If a preferred alternative is not medically appropriate, please call **800-310-6826** for prior authorization for the UnitedHealthcare Community Plan member to remain on their current medication.

You may also view the changes at UHCprovider.com/plans > Choose Your State > Medicaid (Community Plan) > Pharmacy Resources and Physician-Administered Drugs.

Contact us

If you have any questions, call UnitedHealthcare Community Plan's Pharmacy department at **800-310-6826**.
Thank you.