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1. Background:

UnitedHealthcare benefit documents define Therapeutically Equivalent as when medications/products have essentially the same efficacy and adverse effect profile. This determination is made by the UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee and is not intended to imply therapeutic equivalence as defined by the FDA Orange Book.

Benefit plan designs include a prior authorization for certain prescription medications if they are Therapeutically Equivalent, defined as similar outcomes and adverse events, to a covered medication or an over-the-counter medication. Some states, including Oxford plans due to state mandates, may require a prior authorization for these medications which will require history of failure, contraindication or intolerance to another product(s) or an over-the-counter medication. For additional information on coverage please see the Physician PDL posted to UHCProvider.com.

2. Coverage Criteria^{a, d}:

A. The following excluded medications may be approved based on the following criteria:

1. Approval Criteria

- a. Submission of medical records documenting history of trial and failure, inadequate response, or intolerance to the Therapeutically Equivalent covered medications listed below. (Document date and duration of trial):

Excluded Medication	*	Must try one unless otherwise noted (up to a maximum of 5 alternatives)
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Abilify Tablets	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try aripiprazole (generic Abilify) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. olanzapine (generic Zyprexa) b. quetiapine (generic Seroquel) OR quetiapine extended-release (generic Seroquel XR) c. risperidone (generic Risperdal) d. ziprasidone (generic Geodon)
Januvia ^d	Single Source Brand	Must try three month trial each of BOTH of the following: 1. Tradjenta AND 2. Alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic) OR saxagliptin (generic Onglyza)
Janumet/ Janumet XR ^d	Single Source Brand	Must try three month trial each of BOTH of the following: 1. Alogliptin-Metformin (Kazano authorized generic) OR saxagliptin-metformin extended- release (generic Kombiglyze XR) AND 2. Jentadueto OR Jentadueto XR
Myrbetriq	Brand Only	ALL of the following: 1. Must try mirabegron extended-release (generic Myrbetriq) 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. trospium (generic Sanctura) c. tolterodine (generic Detrol) 3. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC
Noritrate	Single Source Brand	MUST TRY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: metronidazole 0.75% cream (generic Metrocream) or metronidazole 0.75% gel (generic Metrogel)
Secuado	Single Source Brand	asenapine (generic Saphris)
Symtuza	Single Source Brand	Prezcobix plus Cimduo, Prezcobix plus Descovy
Tresiba/Insulin Degludec ^d	Single Source Brand	MUST HAVE THREE MONTH TRIAL ^b OF BOTH: Lantus, Toujeo
Vesicare	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. trospium (generic Sanctura) c. tolterodine (generic Detrol) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL)

		c. Oxytrol OTC
Zovirax cream	Brand & Generic	MUST TRY OTC Abreva AND TWO OF THE FOLLOWING: acyclovir capsule/tablet (generic Zovirax), famciclovir tablet (generic Famvir), valacyclovir tablet (generic Valtrex)

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

B. The following excluded medications may be approved based on the following criteria:

1. Approval Criteria

a. BOTH of the following:

(1) Submission of medical records documenting history of trial and failure, inadequate response, or intolerance to the Therapeutically Equivalent covered medications as listed below. (Document date and duration of trial)

Excluded Medication	*	Must try one unless otherwise noted (up to a maximum of 5 alternatives)
Acanya	Brand & Generic	clindamycin 1.2% /benzoyl peroxide 5% gel (generic Duac), clindamycin + OTC benzoyl peroxide
Adapalene 0.1% pads	Single Source Brand	OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Albuterol HFA [Ventolin HFA Authorized Generic (Prasco)]	Authorized Generic	albuterol sulfate HFA (generic ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA) [non-Prasco products]
Ambien CR	Brand Only	Must try TWO (two week trial required): zolpidem (generic Ambien), zaleplon (generic Sonata), eszopiclone (generic Lunesta)
Ambien	Brand Only	Must try TWO (two week trial required): zolpidem (generic Ambien), zaleplon (generic Sonata), eszopiclone (generic Lunesta)
Aplenzin	Brand Only	bupropion extended-release (generic Wellbutrin XL)
Ampyra	Brand Only	dalfampridine (generic Ampyra)
Asacol HD	Brand & Generic	Must try TWO of the following: 1. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol) 2. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda) 3. Apriso

Ativan	Brand Only	MUST TRY: lorazepam (generic Ativan), AND ONE OF: alprazolam (generic Xanax), clonazepam (generic Klonopin), diazepam (generic Valium)
Azor	Brand & Generic	MUST TRY BOTH: amlodipine (generic Norvasc) plus olmesartan (generic Benicar), amlodipine /valsartan (generic Exforge)
Basaglar ^d	Single Source Brand	Lantus, Toujeo
Celexa	Brand Only	citalopram (generic Celexa)
Chlorzoxazone 250mg	Generic Only	chlorzoxazone 500mg (generic Parafon Forte DSC)
Clemastine fumarate syrup	Generic Only	OTC clemastine (generic Tavist)
Coxanto (oxaprozin)	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must try THREE of the following: 1. diclofenac 2. flurbiprofen 3. ibuprofen (prescription strength) 4. naproxen (prescription strength) 5. oxaprozin
Cymbalta	Brand Only	MUST TRY BOTH: duloxetine (generic Cymbalta), venlafaxine ER (generic Effexor XR)
Delzicol	Brand Only	ALL of the following: 1. Must try mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol) 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda) b. Apriso
Differin	Brand & Generic	MUST TRY BOTH: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Diovan	Brand Only	MUST TRY: valsartan (generic Diovan), AND ONE OF: losartan (generic Cozaar), telmisartan (generic Micardis), irbesartan (generic Avapro)
Diovan HCT	Brand Only	MUST TRY: valsartan/HCTZ (generic Diovan HCT), AND ONE OF: losartan/HCTZ (generic Hyzaar), telmisartan/HCTZ (generic Micardis HCT), irbesartan/HCTZ (generic Avalide)
Duexis	Brand & Generic	ibuprofen (generic for Motrin) plus OTC famotidine (generic for Pepcid AC)
Dymista	Brand & Generic	fluticasone (generic for Flonase) plus azelastine (generic for Astelin)
Effexor XR	Brand Only	venlafaxine extended-release (generic Effexor XR)
Forfivo XL	Brand & Generic	bupropion extended-release (generic Wellbutrin XL)
Gleevec	Brand Only	Imatinib (generic Gleevec) ^e
Intuniv	Brand Only	guanfacine extended-release (generic Intuniv)
Klonopin	Brand Only	MUST TRY: clonazepam (generic Klonopin) AND ONE OF THE

		FOLLOWING: alprazolam (generic Xanax), diazepam (generic Valium), lorazepam (generic Ativan)
Lexapro	Brand Only	MUST TRY: escitalopram (generic Lexapro), AND ONE OF: paroxetine (generic Paxil), sertraline (generic Zoloft), fluoxetine (generic Prozac), citalopram (generic Celexa)
Lipitor	Brand Only	MUST TRY: atorvastatin (generic for Lipitor) AND ONE OF: pravastatin (generic Pravachol), simvastatin (generic Zocor), lovastatin (generic Mevacor), rosuvastatin (generic Crestor)
Lofena (diclofenac potassium)	Brand and Generic	diclofenac tablet (generic Cataflam, generic Voltaren)
Lorzone (chlorzoxazone)	Brand and Generic	Must try ALL of the following: 1. cyclobenzaprine (generic Flexeril) 2. carisoprodol (Soma 350mg) 3. methocarbamol (generic Robaxin) 4. chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC) 5. tizanidine (generic Zanaflex tablet)
Lunesta	Brand Only	Must try TWO (two week trial required): zolpidem (generic Ambien), zaleplon (generic Sonata), eszopiclone (generic Lunesta)
Norgesic (orphenadrine-aspirin-caffeine)	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC aspirin IN COMBINATION WITH cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril) 2. chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC) 3. methocarbamol (generic Robaxin) 4. orphenadrine extended-release (generic Norflex) 5. tizanidine tablet (generic Zanaflex)
Norgesic Forte, Orphengesic Forte (orphenadrine-aspirin-caffeine)	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC aspirin IN COMBINATION WITH cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril) 2. chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC) 3. methocarbamol (generic Robaxin) 4. orphenadrine extended-release (generic Norflex) 5. tizanidine tablet (generic Zanaflex)
Otrexup	Single Source Brand	MUST TRY BOTH: Oral methotrexate tablets, Rasuvo
Oxtellar XR	Brand and Generic	oxcarbazepine, Trileptal
Pennsaid topical solution	Brand and Generic	OTC Voltaren Gel
Pentasa	Brand and Generic	Must try TWO of the following: 1. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol)

		2. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda) 3. Apriso
Percocet	Brand Only	oxycodone/ acetaminophen (generic Percocet)
Pexeva	Brand Only	paroxetine (generic Paxil)
Pokonza	Single Source Brand	potassium chloride capsule, packet, OR tablet (generic Klor-con, generic Micro-K)
Proair RespiClick	Single Source Brand	albuterol sulfate HFA (generic ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA) [non-Prasco products]
Promacta tablet (eltrombopag)	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. Alvaiz 2. Doptelet
Prozac	Brand Only	MUST TRY: fluoxetine (generic Prozac) AND ONE OF: paroxetine (generic Paxil), sertraline (generic Zoloft), citalopram (generic Celexa), escitalopram (generic Lexapro)
Qudexy XR	Brand & Generic	topiramate, Topamax
Rayos	Single Source Brand	prednisone
Rebif & Rebif Rebidose	Single Source Brand	MUST TRY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING: Avonex, Betaseron, Plegridy
Relafen	Brand Only	nabumetone (generic Relafen)
Relafen DS	Single Source Brand	nabumetone (generic Relafen)
Semglee ^d	Single Source Brand	MUST HAVE THREE MONTH TRIAL ^b OF BOTH: Lantus, Toujeo
Sorilux	Single Source Brand	calcipotriene (generic Dovonex)
Spritam	Single Source Brand	levetiracetam immediate-release, levetiracetam solution
Synthroid	Brand Only	levothyroxine (generic Synthroid)
Tecfidera	Brand Only	dimethyl fumarate (generic Tecfidera)
Tivorbex	Single Source Brand	ibuprofen (generic Motrin), indomethacin capsule (generic Indocin), meloxicam (generic Mobic), naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Treximet	Brand & Generic	sumatriptan (generic Imitrex) IN COMBINATION WITH naproxen
Trokendi XR	Brand and Generic	topiramate, Topamax
Ursodiol 200mg and 400mg capsule	Multisource Brand without Generic	ursodiol 250 mg OR 500 mg (generic Actigall)
Valium	Brand Only	diazepam (generic Valium)
Valtrex	Brand Only	valacyclovir (generic Valtrex)

Ventolin HFA	Single Source Brand	albuterol sulfate HFA (generic ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA) [non-Prasco products]
Wellbutrin SR	Brand Only	bupropion extended-release (generic Wellbutrin SR)
Wellbutrin XL	Brand Only	bupropion extended-release (generic Wellbutrin XL)(trial must be in 2014 or later)
Xanax	Brand Only	MUST TRY: alprazolam (generic Xanax) AND ONE OF: clonazepam (generic Klonopin), diazepam (generic Valium), lorazepam (generic Ativan)
Xanax XR	Brand Only	MUST TRY: alprazolam (generic Xanax) AND ONE OF: clonazepam (generic Klonopin), diazepam (generic Valium), lorazepam (generic Ativan)
Zoloft	Brand Only	MUST TRY: sertraline (generic Zoloft) AND ONE OF: paroxetine (generic Paxil), fluoxetine (generic Prozac), citalopram (generic Celexa), escitalopram (generic Lexapro)

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- (2) Provider must give an explanation of potential rationale for how the excluded medication will work if stating the patient failed on the covered Therapeutically Equivalent product which has the same active ingredient- (eg, the member had an adverse reaction to an inactive ingredient in the alternative product)

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

C. The following excluded medications may be approved based on the following criteria:

1. Approval Criteria

- a. History of failure, contraindication or intolerance to one alternative (unless otherwise specified below up to a maximum of 5 alternatives):

**Excluded Medication	*	Must try one unless otherwise noted (up to a maximum of 5 alternatives)
Abilify MyCite	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity criteria Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Abrilada	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Absorica (all strengths)	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: (1) Must try two of the following: (a) Topical retinoid or retinoid-like agent [e.g., Retin-A/Retin-A Micro (tretinoin)]

		<p>(b) oral antibiotic [e.g., Ery-Tab (erythromycin), Minocin (minocycline)]</p> <p>(c) topical antibiotic with or without benzoyl peroxide [e.g., Cleocin-T (clindamycin), erythromycin, BenzaClin (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin), Benzamycin (benzoyl peroxide/erythromycin)]</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(2) Must try two of the following oral isotretinoin formulations (document duration of trial):</p> <p>(a) Claravis</p> <p>(b) Myorisan</p> <p>(c) Zenatane</p> <p>(d) Amnesteem</p> <p>(e) isotretinoin 10mg, 20mg, 30mg, 40mg</p>
Absorica LD	Single Source Brand	<p>BOTH of the following:</p> <p>(1) Must try two of the following:</p> <p>(a) Topical retinoid or retinoid-like agent [e.g., Retin-A/Retin-A Micro (tretinoin)]</p> <p>(b) oral antibiotic [e.g., Ery-Tab (erythromycin), Minocin (minocycline)]</p> <p>(c) topical antibiotic with or without benzoyl peroxide [e.g., Cleocin-T (clindamycin), erythromycin, BenzaClin (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin), Benzamycin (benzoyl peroxide/erythromycin)]</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(2) Must try two of the following oral isotretinoin formulations (document duration of trial):</p> <p>(a) Claravis</p> <p>(b) Myorisan</p> <p>(c) Zenatane</p> <p>(d) Amnesteem</p> <p>(e) isotretinoin 10mg, 20mg, 30mg, 40mg</p>
Accrufer	Single Source Brand	OTC iron
Accupril	Brand Only	quinapril (generic Accupril)
Acetaminophen/ Caffeine/ Dihydrocodeine Bitartrate 325/30/16 mg	Single Source Brand	acetaminophen/codeine
Aciphex	Brand Only	<p>Must try ALL of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> omeprazole (generic Prilosec) pantoprazole tablet (generic Protonix) rabeprazole tablet (generic Aciphex)
Actemra	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Acticlate	Single Source Brand	doxycycline hyclate (generic Vibramycin, Vibra-Tab), doxycycline monohydrate 50 or 100mg (generic Monodox)
Actiq	Brand Only	<p>fentanyl citrate lozenges (generic Actiq)</p> <p>MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be</p>

		approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Actonel	Brand Only	Must try all: alendronate (generic Fosamax), ibandronate (generic Boniva), risedronate (generic Actonel)
Actos	Brand Only	pioglitazone (generic Actos) In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Acuvail	Single Source Brand	ketorolac ophthalmic solution (generic Acular, Acular LS)
Aczone topical gel	Brand Only	dapsone topical gel (generic Aczone)
Adalimumab-aaty (unbranded Yuflyma)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Adalimumab-adbm (unbranded Cyltezo)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Adalimumab-fkjp (unbranded Hulio)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Adalimumab-ryvk	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Adcirca	Brand Only	tadalafil tablets (generic Adcirca tablets)
Adderall	Brand Only	amphetamine/ dextroamphetamine immediate-release (generic Adderall)
Adderall XR	Brand Only	amphetamine/dextroamphetamine extended-release 24hr (generic Adderall XR)
Advair Diskus	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: 1. fluticasone-salmeterol Diskus (generic Advair Diskus) OR Advair HFA 2. Breo Ellipta 3. Symbicort
Adlarity transdermal patch	Single Source Brand	Must try: donepezil tablet (generic Aricept) AND one of the the following: galantamine (Razadyne), memantine (generic Namenda), rivastigmine transdermal patch (generic Exelon)

Admelog (All dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	<p>Must try ONE of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Humalog KwikPen 2. Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog) 3. Insulin Lispro vial (unbranded Humalog) 4. Lyumjev KwikPen <p>In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).</p>
Doxycycline monohydrate (generic Adoxa)	Generic Only	doxycycline hyclate (generic Vibramycin, Vibra-Tab), doxycycline monohydrate 50 or 100mg (generic Monodox)
Adzenys XR-ODT	Single Source Brand	<p>Must try TWO of the following:</p> <p>amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)</p>
Afinitor tablet	Brand Only	everolimus (generic Afinitor) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Afinitor Disperz	Brand Only	everolimus tablet for oral suspension (generic Afinitor Disperz) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Afrezza	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Agamree oral suspension (vamorolone)	Single Source Brand	Prednisone
Agrylin	Brand Only	anagrelide (generic Agrylin)
AirDuo Digihaler	Single Source Brand	<p>BOTH of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must try ONE of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus) b. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic AirDuo RespiClick) c. Advair HFA <p>AND</p>

		2. Must try BOTH of the following: a. Breo Ellipta b. Brand Symbicort
AirDuo Respiclick	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus) b. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic AirDuo RespiClick) c. Advair HFA AND 2. Must try BOTH of the following: a. Breo Ellipta b. Brand Symbicort
Ajovy	Single Source Brand	Use med nec or step therapy
Aldactone	Brand Only	spironolactone (generic Aldactone)
Alinia tablets	Brand Only	nitazoxanide (generic Alinia)
Alkindi	Single Source Brand	hydrocortisone tablet (generic Cortef)
Allegra (all dosage forms)	Legend Medication (Brand and generic)	OTC Allegra (fexofenadine)
Allegra -D (all dosage forms)	Brand & Generic	OTC Allegra D (fexofenadine- pseudoephedrine)
Allopurinol 200mg	Single Source Brand	allopurinol 100 mg or 300 mg (generic Zyloprim)
Allzital	Single Source Brand	butalbital/acetaminophen 50 mg/325 mg (generic Phenilin)
Altace	Brand Only	ramipril (generic Altace)
Altoprev	Single Source Brand	Must try all: atorvastatin (generic Lipitor), lovastatin (generic Mevacor), pravastatin (generic Pravachol), simvastatin (generic Zocor), rosuvastatin (generic Crestor)
Altreno	Single Source Brand	Must try all: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Alvesco	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Arnuity Ellipta 2. QVAR RediHaler
Amaryl	Brand Only	glimepiride (generic Amaryl)
Amicar	Brand Only	aminocaproic acid (generic Amicar)
Amitiza	Brand Only	Must try both: lubiprostone, Linzess
Amjevita (adalimumab-atto) *This includes products not manufactured for Nuvaaila	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaaila 3. Humira
Amrix	Brand & Generic	Must try cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril) and two of the following: carisoprodol (Soma)

		350mg), methocarbamol (generic Robaxin), chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC), tizanidine (Zanaflex Tablets)
Anafranil	Brand Only	Must try all: clomipramine (generic Anafranil), citalopram (generic Celexa), escitalopram (generic Lexapro), fluoxetine capsules (generic Prozac), fluvoxamine (generic Luvox), paroxetine (generic Paxil), sertraline (generic Zoloft)
Anaprox DS	Brand Only	Must try BOTH of the following: naproxen (generic Naprosyn, generic Anaprox DS), OTC naproxen
AndroGel 1%	Brand & Generic	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
AndroGel 1.62% Pump	Brand Only	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Testosterone 1.62% gel packet	Generic Only	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Anusol HC Supp	Brand Only	hydrocortisone cream (generic Anusol-HC), hydrocortisone suppository (generic Anusol-HC)
Apadaz	Brand only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen (generic Norco)
Apidra (All dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Aptensio XR	Brand & Generic	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Arava	Brand Only	leflunomide (generic Arava)
Arazlo	Single Source Brand	OTC Differin, tretinoin cream
Aricept 23 mg only	Brand Only	donepezil (generic Aricept)
Aricept 5 mg, 10 mg	Brand Only	donepezil (generic Aricept)
Arimidex	Brand Only	anastrozole (generic Arimidex) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Arixtra	Brand Only	fondaparinux (generic Arixtra)

ArmonAir Digihaler	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Arnuity Ellipta 2. QVAR RediHaler
Aromasin	Brand Only	exemestane (generic Aromasin) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Arthrotec	Brand Only	diclofenac/misoprostol (generic Arthrotec)
Asmanex HFA	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
Asmanex Twisthaler	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Arnuity Ellipta 2. QVAR RediHaler
Astagraf XL	Single Source Brand	tacrolimus
Astepro	Brand & Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC azelastine (Astepro Allergy) 2. azelastine 0.1% nasal spray (generic Astelin)
Atacand	Brand Only	candesartan (generic Atacand)
Atacand HCT	Brand Only	candesartan/hydrochlorothiazide (generic Atacand HCT)
Atelvia	Brand & Generic	risedronate (generic Actonel)
Atralin	Brand & Generic	Must try all: tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A) OTC Differin gel
Atripla	Brand Only	efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil fumarate (generic Atripla), Symfi, Symfi Lo
Aubagio	Brand Only	teriflunomide (generic Aubagio)
Augmentin	Brand Only	amoxicillin/clavulanic acid (generic Augmentin)
Augmentin 125mg /5 mL	Single Source Brand	amoxicillin/clavulanic acid (generic Augmentin 250mg/5mL)
Augmentin ES-600	Brand Only	amoxicillin/clavulanic acid (generic Augmentin)
Augmentin XR (amoxicillin-Clavulanate ER)	Brand & Generic	amoxicillin/clavulanic acid (generic Augmentin)
Auryxia	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. calcium acetate (generic PhosLo) 2. sevelamer carbonate tablet (generic Renvela) 3. Velphoro
Avalide	Brand Only	Must try all: irbesartan/hydrochlorothiazide (generic Avalide), candesartan/hydrochlorothiazide (generic Atacand HCT)), losartan-HCTZ (generic Hyzaar), olmesartan-HCTZ (Benicar HCT), valsartan-HCTZ (generic Diovan HCT), telmisartan-HCTZ (generic Micardis HCT)
Avapro	Brand Only	Must try FIVE of the following: 1. candesartan (generic Atacand) 2. irbesartan (generic Avapro) 3. losartan (generic Cozaar)

		4. telmisartan (generic Micardis) 5. valsartan (generic Diovan) 6. olmesartan (generic Benicar)
Avar Foam (9.5%-5%, 10-2%)	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Avar, Avar LS	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Avita 0.025%	Brand and Generic	Must Try Both: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Avodart	Brand Only	Must try all: dutasteride (generic Avodart), finasteride (generic Proscar)
Axid	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC Pepcid AC 2. OTC Tagamet HB 3. OTC Zantac 360
Testosterone transdermal solution (generic Axiron)	Generic Only	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Azesco	Single Source Brand	Brand and generic prenatal vitamins
Azilect	Brand Only	Use Step Therapy
Azopt (brand only)	Brand Only	Must try both: brinzolamide (generic Azopt), dorzolamide (generic Trusopt)
Baclofen 15mg	Generic Only	baclofen 5mg, 10mg, OR 20mg
Balcoltra	Brand and Generic	levonorgestrel 0.1 mg/ethinyl estradiol 0.02 mg [Aubra, Aubra EQ, Aviane, Delyla, Falmina, Larissia, Lessina, Lutera, Orsythia, Sronyx, Vienva (generics for Alesse)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Baraclude Tablets	Brand Only	entecavir tablet (generic Baraclude)
Beconase AQ	Single Source Brand	Must try THREE of the following: 1. flunisolide (generic Nasarel) 2. fluticasone (generic Flonase) OR OTC Flonase Allergy Relief OR OTC Flonase Sensimist 3. mometasone (generic Nasonex) OR OTC Nasonex 24HR Allergy 4. Zetonna 5. OTC Nasacort Allergy 24HR 6. OTC Rhinocort Allergy Spray
Benadryl	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Benadryl (diphenhydramine)
Benicar	Brand Only	Must try FIVE of the following: 1. candesartan (generic Atacand), 2. irbesartan (generic Avapro), 3. losartan (generic Cozaar), 4. telmisartan (generic Micardis), 5. valsartan (generic Diovan),

		6. olmesartan (generic Benicar)
Benicar HCT	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: 1. candesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Atacand HCT) 2. irbesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Avalide) 3. losartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Hyzaar) 4. valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Diovan HCT) 5. olmesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Benicar HCT)
Benzaclin jar & pump	Brand & Generic	Must try Both: clindamycin 1.2% /benzoyl peroxide 5% gel (generic Duac), clindamycin solution + OTC benzoyl peroxide
Bepreve	Brand & Generic	Must try ALL of the following: 1. OTC ketotifen (generic Zaditor) 2. OTC olopatadine (generic Pataday) 3. OTC Lastacast 4. azelastine ophthalmic solution (generic Optivar) 5. epinastine (generic Elestat)
Betapace	Brand Only	sotalol (generic Betapace)
Bethkis	Brand Only	tobramycin 300 mg /4 mL (generic Bethkis)
Bexagliflozin	Multisource Brand without Generic	Use Step Therapy
Beyaz	Brand & Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. drospirenone-ethinyl estradiol (generic Yaz) IN COMBINATION WITH folic acid 2. Yaz IN COMBINATION WITH folic acid DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
BiDil	Brand Only	isosorbide dinitrate/hydralazine (generic BiDil)
Binosto	Single Source Brand	Must try all: alendronate (generic for Fosamax), ibandronate (generic Boniva)
Boniva tablet	Brand Only	ibandronate (generic Boniva)
Bonjesta	Single Source Brand	OTC doxylamine (Unisom) + pyridoxine (Vitamin B6)
Brimonidine tartrate/timolol maleate	Generic Only	brand Combigan
Brisdelle	Brand & Generic	estradiol (generic Estrace), paroxetine (generic Paxil), paroxetine extended-release (generic Paxil CR), Premarin
Bromsite	Single Source Brand	Must try all: bromfenac ophthalmic solution (generic Bromday, Xibrom), diclofenac ophthalmic solution (generic Voltaren), ketorolac ophthalmic solution (generic Acular), Nevanac
Bronchitol	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy

Bryhali	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Budesonide-formoterol (generic Symbicort)	Generic Only	Symbicort
Bupap (butalbital 50mg/300mg acetaminophen)	Brand & Generic	butalbital/acetaminophen 50 mg/325 mg (generic Phrenilin)
Buphenyl	Brand Only	sodium phenylbutyrate (generic Buphenyl)
butalbital/acetaminophen capsule 50/300 mg	generic only	butalbital/acetaminophen 50/325 mg tablet (generic Phrenilin)
Butrans	Brand Only	Use med nec or step therapy MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Bystolic	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: 1. atenolol (generic Tenormin) 2. bisoprolol (generic Zebeta) 3. metoprolol (generic Lopressor) 4. nebivolol (generic Bystolic)
Cabtreo gel (adapalene-benzoyl peroxide-clindamycin)	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC Differin gel IN COMBINATION WITH clindamycin 1.2%-benzoyl peroxide 5% (generic Duac) OR 2. adapalene 0.1%-benzoyl peroxide 2.5% (generic Epiduo) IN COMBINATION WITH clindamycin 1% gel (generic Clindagel)
Caduet	Brand & Generic	Must try all: amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + atorvastatin (generic Lipitor), amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + lovastatin (generic Mevacor), amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + pravastatin (generic Pravachol), amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + simvastatin (generic Zocor), amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + rosuvastatin (generic Crestor)
Cambia	Brand and Generic	Must try all: diclofenac tablets (generic Voltaren, Cataflam), ibuprofen (generic Motrin), naproxen (generic Aleve)
Canasa	Brand Only	mesalamine suppository (generic Canasa)
Carac	Multisource Brand without Generic	fluorouracil 5% (generic Efudex), Fluoroplex 1% cream
Carafate tablet/suspension	Brand Only	sulcralfate (generic Carafate)
Carbaglu	Brand Only	carglumic tablets (generic Carbaglu)
carbinoxamine 6 mg	Generic only	carbinoxamine tablets (generic Palgic)
Cardizem CD	Brand Only	diltiazem extended-release (generic Cardizem CD)
Cardizem LA	Brand Only	diltiazem extended-release (generic Cardizem LA)
Cardizem	Brand Only	diltiazem (generic Cardizem)
Cataflam	Brand Only	diclofenac tablets (generic Cataflam, generic Voltaren)

Catapres-TTS	Brand Only	clonidine patch (generic Catapres-TTS)
Celebrex	Brand Only	Must try all: celecoxib (generic Celebrex), ibuprofen (generic Motrin), meloxicam (generic Mobic), naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Cellcept	Brand Only	mycophenolate mofetil (generic Cellcept)
Centany AT Kit	Single Source Brand	mupirocin ointment (generic Bactroban)
Cequa	Single Source Brand	Must try all: Restasis (single use vials), Xiidra
Cialis	Brand Only	Must try all: sildenafil (generic Viagra), tadalafil (generic Cialis), and vardenafil (generic Levitra)
Ciclodan Kit	Brand & Generic	ciclopirox nail lacquer (generic Penlac)
Cinryze	Single Source Brand	Haegarda, Takhzyro
Ciprodex	Brand Only	ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone otic (generic Ciprodex)
Clarinx	Brand & Generic	levocetirizine (generic for Xyzal)
Clarinx-D	Single Source Brand	levocetirizine (generic for Xyzal) + OTC pseudoephedrine
Claritin (all dosage forms)	Brand & Generic	OTC Claritin (loratadine)
Claritin D	Brand & Generic	OTC Claritin-D (loratadine-pseudoephedrine)
Clemastine fumarate tab	Generic Only	OTC clemastine (generic Tavist)
Climara	Brand Only	estradiol transdermal patch (generic Climara)
Clindacin Pac	Single Source Brand	Must try all: clindamycin gel 1% (generic for Cleocin-T), clindamycin solution, clindamycin lotion
Clindagel	Brand & Authorized Generic	Must try all: clindamycin gel 1% (generic for Cleocin-T), clindamycin solution, clindamycin lotion
Clobetasol propionate 0.05% ophthalmic suspension	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. prednisolone (generic Pred Forte) 2. loteprednol 0.5% ophthalmic suspension (generic Lotemax) 3. Lotemax ointment 4. Maxidex 5. Vexol
Clobex 0.05% spray	Brand Only	clobetasol 0.05% spray (generic Clobex spray)
Clobex Lotion	Brand & Generic	clobetasol 0.05% gel (generic Temovate), clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Clobex Shampoo (including Clodan)	Brand & Generic	clobetasol 0.05% gel (generic Temovate), clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Cloderm	Brand Only	Use med nec or step therapy
Colazal	Brand Only	balsalazide (generic Colazal)
Colcrys tablet	Brand Only	Must try BOTH: 1. colchicine (generic Colcrys), 2. Brand Mitigare OR colchicine capsule (generic Mitigare)

Compounding Kits	All	Use prior authorization criteria
Concerta	Brand Only	methylphenidate extended-release osmotic release (generic Concerta)
Conjupri	Single Source Brand	amlodipine (generic Norvasc)
Consensi	Single Source Brand	amlodipine (generic Norvasc) + celecoxib (generic Celebrex)
ConZip	Single Source Brand & Authorized Generic	Must try all: tramadol (generic Ultram), tramadol ER (generic for Ultram ER)
Cordran 0.025% cream	Single Source Brand	hydrocortisone valerate 0.2% cream (generic Westcort cream), prednicarbate 0.1% cream (generic Dermatop cream), fluticasone propionate cream 0.05% (generic Cutivate cream)
Cordran Lotion	Brand Only	Use step therapy
Coreg	Brand Only	carvedilol (generic Coreg)
Coreg CR	Brand & Generic	carvedilol (generic for Coreg)
Cortisone tablet (cortisone acetate)	Single Source Brand	hydrocortisone (generic Cortef)
Cosopt PF	Brand and Generic	dorzolamide/timolol (generic Cosopt)
Cotempla XR-ODT	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Cozaar	Brand Only	losartan (generic Cozaar)
Crestor	Brand only	Must try all: atorvastatin (generic Lipitor), lovastatin (generic Mevacor), pravastatin (generic Pravachol), simvastatin (generic Zocor), rosuvastatin (generic Crestor)
Cuvrior (trientine)	Single Source Brand	trientine (generic Syprine)
Cyclosporine 0.05% ophthalmic emulsion single dose vials (generic Restasis SDV)	Generic Only	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Restasis single use vials 2. Xiidra
Cyltezo (adalimumab-adbm)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvila 3. Humira
Cytomel	Brand Only	lithyronine (generic Cytomel)
Daliresp (roflumilast)	Brand Only	roflumilast (generic Daliresp)
Darifenacin (generic Enablex)	Generic Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan)

		<p>b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL)</p> <p>c. Oxytrol OTC</p> <p>AND</p> <p>2. Must try ALL of the following:</p> <p>a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare)</p> <p>b. tolterodine (generic Detrol)</p> <p>c. trospium (generic Sanctura)</p>
Davimet with Fluoride (pediatric chewable multivitamin with fluoride)	Single Source Brand	generic pediatric multivitamin with fluoride
Daytrana	Brand and Generic	<p>Must try TWO of the following:</p> <p>amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR),</p> <p>dexmethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR),</p> <p>lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse),</p> <p>methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)</p>
Dayvigo	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
DDAVP injection	Brand Only	desmopressin (generic DDAVP)
DDAVP tablets	Brand Only	desmopressin (generic DDAVP)
Denavir	Brand and Generic	<p>Must Try Two: acyclovir capsule/tablet (generic Zovirax), famciclovir tablet (generic Famvir), valacyclovir tablet (generic Valtrex), OTC Abreva</p>
Descovy	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity or Step Therapy
Desoxyn	Brand Only	methamphetamine (generic Desoxyn)
Desvenlafaxine ER	Brand & Generic	venlafaxine extended-release capsule (generic Effexor XR)
Detrol	Brand Only	<p>BOTH of the following:</p> <p>1. Must try ONE of the following:</p> <p>a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan),</p> <p>b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL)</p> <p>c. Oxytrol OTC</p> <p>AND</p> <p>2. Must try ALL of the following:</p> <p>a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare)</p> <p>b. trospium (generic Sanctura)</p> <p>c. tolterodine (generic Detrol)</p>
Detrol LA	Brand & Generic	<p>BOTH of the following:</p> <p>1. Must try ONE of the following:</p> <p>a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan)</p> <p>b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL)</p> <p>c. Oxytrol OTC</p> <p>AND</p> <p>2. Must try ALL of the following:</p> <p>a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare)</p> <p>b. trospium (generic Sanctura)</p> <p>c. tolterodine (generic Detrol)</p>

Dexedrine	Brand Only	dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Dexedrine)
Dexilant (dexlansoprazole)	Brand & Generic	Must try all: omeprazole (generic Prilosec), pantoprazole (generic Protonix), rabeprazole (generic Aciphex)
Dhivy	Single Source Brand	carbidopa/levodopa (generic Sinemet)
Dibenzyliline	Brand Only	phenoxybenzamine (generic Dibenzyliline)
Diclegis	Brand & Generic	OTC doxylamine (Unisom) + pyridoxine (Vitamin B6)
diflorasone diacetate 0.05% ointment (generic Psorcon)	Generic Only	Must try all: clobetasol 0.05% ointment (generic Temovate), halobetasol 0.05% ointment (generic Ultravate)
Diflucan	Brand Only	fluconazole (generic Diflucan)
Dilaudid	Brand Only	hydromorphone (generic Dilaudid)
Ditropan XL	Brand Only	oxybutynin extended-release tablet (generic Ditropan XL)
Doral	Brand and Generic	temazepam (generic Restoril)
Doryx/Doryx MPC	Brand & Generic	doxycycline hyclate (generic Morgidox, Vibramycin), doxycycline monohydrate 50 mg or 100 mg (generic Monodox)
doxycycline 75mg capsule (generic Monodox)	Generic Only	doxycycline hyclate (generic Morgidox, Vibramycin), doxycycline monohydrate 50 mg or 100 mg (generic Monodox)
Duaklir	Single Source Brand	Must try all: Anoro Ellipta, Bevespi Aerosphere
Duexis	Brand & Generic	ibuprofen (generic for Motrin) plus OTC famotidine (generic for Pepcid AC)
Dulera	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
duloxetine 40mg (Irenka)	Authorized Generic	duloxetine (generic Cymbalta)
Duobrii	Single Source Brand	Must try all: Enstilar, Taclonex solution or Tazorac + fluocinonide 0.05% gel/solution (generic Lidex), desoximetasone 0.5% gel (generic Topicort)
Durezol (difluprednate ophthalmic emulsion)	Brand Only	difluprednate (generic Durezol)
Dxevo-11 day pack	Single Source Brand	dexamethasone tablets
Dyanavel XR	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Dyrenium	Brand Only	triamterene capsules (generic Dyrenium)
E.E.S. 400	Brand Only	erythromycin ethylsuccinate (generic E.E.S. 400)

Ecoza	Single Source Brand	Must Try Two: econazole (generic Spectazole), ketoconazole (generic Nizoral), terbinafine (generic Lamisil)
Edarbi	Single Source Brand	Must try THREE: candesartan (generic Atacand), irbesartan (generic Avapro), losartan (generic Cozaar), olmesartan (generic Benicar), telmisartan (generic Micardis), valsartan (generic Diovan)
Edarbyclor	Single Source Brand	Must try THREE: candesartan HCT (generic Atacand HCT), irbesartan HCT (generic Avalide), losartan HCT (generic Hyzaar), olmesartan HCT (Benicar HCT), valsartan HCT (generic Diovan HCT)
Edecrin	Brand Only	ethacrynic acid tablets (generic Edecrin)
Edluar	Single Source Brand	Must try a two week trial each of TWO of the following: 1. zolpidem (generic Ambien) 2. zaleplon (generic Sonata) 3. eszopiclone (generic Lunesta)
Effient	Brand Only	prasugrel (generic Effient)
Elepsia XR	Single Source Brand	levetiracetam (generic Keppra)
Elidel	Brand Only	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. pimecrolimus (generic Elidel) 2. tacrolimus (generic Protopic)
Elyxyb oral solution	Single Source Brand	Must try all: celecoxib capsules (generic Celebrex), OTC ibuprofen (generic Motrin), OTC naproxen (Naprosyn)
Emend capsules	Brand Only	aprepitant capsules (generic Emend)
Emflaza	Single Source Brand	Use med nec or step therapy
Entadfi	Single Source Brand	finasteride (generic Proscar) plus tadalafil (generic Cialis)
Entocort EC	Brand Only	budesonide (generic Entocort EC)
Envarsus XR	Single Source Brand	Use Nonform guideline
Eohilia (budesonide oral suspension)	Single Source Brand	budesonide nebulized solution (generic Pulmicort Respules) Maryland only: Approve for FDA approved indication(s). All other indications must try budesonide nebulized solution
Epiduo	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try adapalene 0.1%-benzoyl peroxide 2.5% AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. OTC benzoyl peroxide IN COMBINATION WITH OTC Differin Gel, b. OTC benzoyl peroxide IN COMBINATION WITH tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Epiduo Forte	Brand & Generic	BOTH of the following:

		<p>1. Must try adapalene 0.1%-benzoyl peroxide 2.5% AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. OTC benzoyl peroxide IN COMBINATION WITH OTC Differin Gel, b. OTC benzoyl peroxide IN COMBINATION WITH tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)</p>
EpiPen	Brand Only	<p>Must try BOTH of the following: 1. epinephrine auto-injector (generic EpiPen/EpiPen Jr) 2. Auvi-Q</p>
EpiPen Jr	Brand Only	<p>Must try BOTH of the following: 1. epinephrine auto-injector (generic EpiPen/EpiPen Jr) 2. Auvi-Q</p>
Epogen	Single Source Brand	Retacrit
Eprontia oral solution	Single Source Brand	topiramate IR (generic Topamax), topiramate sprinkle (generic Topamax sprinkle)
Epsolay	Single Source Brand	Soolantra
Epzicom	Brand Only	abacavir/lamivudine (generic Epzicom)
Ertaczo	Single Source Brand	Must Try Two: ciclopirox (generic Loprox), econazole (generic Spectazole), ketoconazole (generic Nizoral)
Esbriet	Brand Only	pirfenidone (generic Esbriet)
Esperoct	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Estrace	Brand Only	estradiol tablets (generic Estrace)
Estrace vaginal cream	Brand Only	estradiol vaginal cream (generic Estrace vaginal cream)
Estrostep FE	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol 1/20-1/30-1/35 [Tilia FE, Tri-Legest FE (generic Estrostep FE)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Eulexin	Single Source Brand	<p>bicalutamide (generic Casodex)</p> <p>AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics</p>
Evekeo	Brand Only	Must try all: amphetamine/dextroamphetamine immediate-release (generic Adderall), dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Dexedrine)
Evekeo ODT	Single Source Brand	Must try all: amphetamine/ dextroamphetamine immediate-release (generic Adderall), dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Dexedrine)

Evista	Brand Only	raloxifene (generic Evista)
Evoxac	Brand Only	cevimeline (generic Evoxac)
Exelon	Brand Only	Must try all: rivastigmine transdermal patch (generic Exelon), rivastigmine capsules (generic Exelon)
Exforge	Brand Only	Must try FIVE of the following: 1. amlodipine-valsartan (generic Exforge), 2. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH losartan (generic Cozaar), 3. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH irbesartan (generic Avapro), 4. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH telmisartan (generic Micardis), 5. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH candesartan (generic Atacand), 6. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH valsartan (generic Diovan)
Amlodipine-valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Exforge HCT)	Generic Only	Initial authorization review: ALL of the following: 1. History of trial and failure to ONE of the following: a. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH losartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Hyzaar) b. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Diovan HCT) c. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH olmesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Benicar HCT) d. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH telmisartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Micardis HCT) 2. History of a trial resulting in a therapeutic failure (i.e., blood pressure goal not met) to amlodipine/valsartan (generic Exforge) IN COMBINATION WITH hydrochlorothiazide 3. Patient is unable to adhere to antihypertensive therapy and prescriber determines combination therapy would be beneficial. Reauthorization review: Documentation of positive clinical response to therapy
Exjade	Brand Only	deferasirox (generic Exjade)

Exservan	Single Source Brand	riluzole (generic Rilutek)
Extavia	Single Source Brand	Use step therapy
Fabior	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A) 2. OTC Differin 0.1% gel
Fareston	Brand Only	toremifene (generic Fareston) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Farxiga	Single Source Brand	Use step therapy
Femara	Brand Only	letrozole (generic Femara) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Fenofibrate micronized capsule 30mg and 90mg	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Fenofibric acid 35mg and 105mg	Generic Only	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Fenoglide	Brand & Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Fenortho	Brand & Generic	Must try all: ibuprofen (generic Motrin), naproxen (generic Aleve, Naprosyn)
fentanyl transdermal patch (37.5, 62.5 and 87.5 mcg/hr strengths only)	Generic Only	Must try ONE of the following strengths of fentanyl transdermal patch (generic Duragesic): 12mcg, 25mcg, 50mcg, 75mcg, or 100mcg MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.

Fentora	Single Source Brand	fentanyl citrate lozenges (generic Actiq) MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Fexmid 7.5 mg	Brand & Generic	cyclobenzaprine 5 mg, 10 mg (generic Flexeril)
Fiasp (All dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Use step therapy In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Fibricor 35 mg, 105 mg	Multisource Brand Without Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Finacea	Brand Only	azelaic acid gel (generic Finacea)
Fioricet with Codeine capsule 50mg/300mg/40 mg/30mg	Brand & Generic	butalbital/acetaminophen/caffeine/codeine 50 mg/325 mg/40 mg/30 mg (generic Fioricet with Codeine)
Firazyr	Brand Only	icatibant acetate (generic Firazyr)
Flomax	Brand Only	tamsulosin (generic Flomax)
Floriva Plus	Single Source Brand	generic pediatric multivitamin with fluoride
Flovent Diskus	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
Flovent HFA	Multisource Brand Without Generic	Must try BOTH: Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
Fluorouracil 0.5% cream	Single Source Brand	fluorouracil 5% (generic Efudex)
Fluticasone furoate/Vilanterol Ellipta	Multisource Brand Without Generic	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus) b. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic AirDuo RespiClick) c. Advair HFA AND

		2. Must try BOTH of the following: a. Breo Ellipta b. Brand Symbicort
Fluticasone propionate HFA	Multisource Brand Without Generic	For diagnosis of asthma: ONE of the following: 1. Must try BOTH of the following: a. Arnuity Ellipta b. QVAR RediHaler OR 2. Patient requires a metered dose inhaler used with a spacer device due to one of the following: a. Physical dexterity b. Inspiratory flow c. Cognitive status For diagnosis of eosinophilic esophagitis: Approve For all other diagnoses: Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Arnuity Ellipta 2. QVAR RediHaler
Fluticasone-salmeterol HFA	Multisource Brand Without Generic	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus) b. fluticasone propionate-salmeterol (generic AirDuo RespiClick) c. Advair HFA AND 2. Must try BOTH of the following: a. Breo Ellipta b. Brand Symbicort
Focalin XR	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try dexmethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR) b. lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse) c. methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Metformin extended-release (generic Fortamet)	Generic Only	Use Medical Necessity
Forteo	Brand and Generic	Use Step Therapy
Fortesta	Brand and Generic	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Fosrenol chewable tablets	Brand & Generic	Use step therapy

Frova	Brand Only	Must try frovatriptan (Frova) plus two of the following: almotriptan (Axert), eletriptan (Relpax), naratriptan (generic Amerge), rizatriptan (Maxalt/Maxalt MLT), sumatriptan (Imitrex), zolmitriptan (Zomig)
Fulphila	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Neulasta, Udenyca
Fynetra	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Neulasta, Udenyca
Gastrocrom	Brand Only	cromolyn oral concentrate (generic Gastrocrom)
Gelnique	Single Source Brand	Must try one of: oxybutynin (generic Ditropan), oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL), Oxytrol OTC and All of the following: solifenacin (generic Vesicare), tolterodine (generic Detrol), trospium (generic Sanctura)
Gemtesa	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC AND 2. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. tolterodine (generic Detrol) c. trospium (generic Sanctura)
Genotropin and Genotropin MiniQuick	Single Source Brand	Norditropin FlexPro, Omnitrope
Geodon	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ziprasidone (generic Geodon) AND 2. Must try TWO of the following: a. olanzapine (generic Zyprexa) b. quetiapine (generic Seroquel) OR quetiapine extended-release (generic Seroquel XR) c. risperidone (generic Risperdal) d. aripiprazole tablet (generic Abilify) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Gialax kit	Single Source Brand	OTC Miralax
Gilenya 0.5mg	Brand Only	fingolimod (generic Gilenya)
Gimoti	Single Source Brand	metoclopramide (generic Reglan)
Glipizide 2.5mg	Generic Only	Take one-half tablet of glipizide 5mg
GlucaGen Hypokit	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: glucagon (generic Glucagon Emergency Kit), Baqsimi, Zegalogue, Gvoke

Glucagon Emergency Kit (Lilly)	Brand Only	Must try TWO of the following: glucagon (generic Glucagon Emergency Kit), Baqsimi, Zegalogue, Gvoke
Glumetza	Brand & Generic	Use Medical Necessity
Glycate	Brand Only	glycopyrrolate (generic Robinul)
Gocovri	Single Source Brand	amantadine IR (generic Symmetrel)
Gonitro	Single Source Brand	nitroglycerin sublingual tablet (generic Nitrostat)
Gralise	Single Source Brand	gabapentin (generic Neurontin)
Granix	Single Source Brand	Zarxio
Hadlima (adalimumab-bwwd)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Halog 0.1% solution	Single Source Brand	Must try all: fluocinonide 0.05% gel/solution (generic Lidex), desoximetasone 0.05% gel (generic Topicort)
Halog cream	Brand Only	Use Step Therapy
Halog ointment	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Helidac	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. Must try all of the following IN COMBINATION: a. metronidazole (generic Flagyl) b. tetracycline (generic Sumycin) c. OTC bismuth subsalicylate OR 2. Omeclamox-Pak OR 3. Voquezna Dual Pak OR Triple Pak
Hemady	Single Source Brand	dexamethasone tablet
Hepsera	Brand Only	adefovir (generic Hepsera)
Hidex 6-day pack	Single Source Brand	dexamethasone
Horizant	Single Source Brand	gabapentin (generic Neurontin) or ropinirole (generic Requip)or pramipexole (generic Mirapex)
Hulio (adalimumab-fkjp) (all dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Humalog Tempo Pen	Single Source Brand	Humalog KwikPen, Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog), Lyumjev KwikPen

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Humalog vial	Single Source Brand	insulin lispro vial (unbranded Humalog) In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, diabetes medications may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Humatrope	Single Source Brand	Norditropin FlexPro, Omnitrope
Humira manufactured by Cordavis Limited (adalimumab)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira not manufactured by Cordavis Limited
Hycodan	Single Source Brand	hydrocodone/homatropine 5/1.5 mg/5 mL (generic Hycodan)
hydrocortisone cream & lotion	Brand & Generic	OTC hydrocortisone
Hyrimoz (adalimumab-adaz)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Hysingla extended-release	Brand Only	Use Medical Necessity
Hyzaar	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: 1. candesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Atacand HCT), 2. irbesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Avalide), 3. losartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Hyzaar), 4. valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Diovan HCT), 5. olmesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Benicar HCT)
Ibsrela	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity or Step Therapy
Icy Hot PM	Single Source Brand	OTC capsaicin patches

Idacio (adalimumab-aacf) (all dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Ilevro	Single Source Brand	Must try all: bromfenac ophthalmic solution (generic Bromday, Xibrom), diclofenac ophthalmic solution (generic Voltaren), ketorolac ophthalmic solution (generic Acular), Nevanac
Ilumya	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity criteria
Imbruvica 140mg and 280mg tablet	Single Source Brand	Imbruvica capsule
Imitrex (Injections & Tablets)	Brand Only	sumatriptan tablets or injection (generic Imitrex)
Imodium	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Imodium (loperamide)
Impeklo 0.05% lotion	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. betamethasone 0.05% augmented gel (generic Diprolene) 2. clobetasol propionate 0.05% gel (generic Temovate) OR clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Impoyz	Single Source Brand	Must try all: betamethasone dipropionate augmented 0.05% cream (generic Diprolene AF), fluocinonide 0.05% cream (generic Lidex cream)
Imuran	Brand Only	azathioprine (generic Imuran)
Incruse Ellipta	Single Source Brand	Spiriva Respimat/HandiHaler
Inderal LA	Brand Only	propranolol extended-release capsule (generic Inderal LA)
Inderal XL	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. propranolol (generic Inderal) 2. propranolol extended-release (generic Inderal LA)
Innopran XL	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. propranolol (generic Inderal) 2. propranolol extended-release (generic Inderal LA)
Inspra	Brand Only	eplerenone (generic Inspira)
Insulin Aspart	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Insulin Aspart Protamine/Insulin Aspart	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Insulin glargine vial, SoloStar (Lantus vial/Lantus SoloStar Authorized Brand Alternative)	Single Source Brand	Must try all: Lantus, Toujeo In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred

		alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Insulin Lispro	Authorized generic (Single Source Brand)	<p>Must try ONE of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Humalog KwikPen 2. Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog) 3. Lyumjev KwikPen <p>In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).</p>
Zolpidem sublingual (generic Intermezzo)	Generic Only	Must Try Two: zolpidem (generic Ambien), zaleplon(generic Sonata), eszopiclone (generic Lunesta)
Invega	Brand Only	paliperidone (generic Invega) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Invokamet	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Invokamet XR	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Invokana	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Isordil Titrados	Brand Only	isosorbide dinitrate (generic Isordil Titrados)
isosorbide dinitrate 40mg	Generic Only	isosorbide dinitrate 2 x 20 mg (generic Isordil Titrados)
Isotretinoin 25mg and 35mg (generic Absorica)	Generic Only	<p>BOTH of the following:</p> <p>(1) Must try two of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Topical retinoid or retinoid-like agent [e.g., Retin-A/Retin-A Micro (tretinoin)] (b) oral antibiotic [e.g., Ery-Tab (erythromycin), Minocin (minocycline)] (c) topical antibiotic with or without benzoyl peroxide [e.g., Cleocin-T (clindamycin), erythromycin, BenzaClin (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin), Benzamycin (benzoyl peroxide/erythromycin)] <p>AND</p> <p>(2) Must try two of the following oral isotretinoin formulations (document duration of trial):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Claravis (b) Myorisan (c) Zenatane (d) Amnesteem

		(e) isotretinoin 10mg, 20mg, 30mg, 40mg
Ixinity	Single Source Brand	Must try all: BeneFIX, Rixubis
Iyuzeh	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. bimatoprost 0.03% (generic Lumigan) or Lumigan 0.01%, 2. latanoprost (generic Xalatan) 3. travoprost (generic Travatan Z)
Jadenu	Brand Only	deferasirox (generic Jadenu)
Jalyn	Brand & Generic	dutasteride (generic Avodart) + tamsulosin (generic Flomax)
Janumet	Single Source Brand	For NY Fully Insured, NJ Fully Insured, and CT Fully Insured: Must try three month trial each of BOTH of the following: 1. Alogliptin-Metformin (Kazano authorized generic) OR saxagliptin-metformin extended-release (generic Kombiglyze XR); AND 2. Jentadueto OR Jentadueto XR For all ASO, Non-NY-Fully Insured, Non-NJ Fully Insured, and Non-CT Fully Insured, Use DPP4 Inhibitors - Step Therapy guideline
Janumet XR	Single Source Brand	For NY Fully Insured, NJ Fully Insured, and CT Fully Insured: Must try three month trial each of BOTH of the following: 1. Alogliptin-Metformin (Kazano authorized generic) OR saxagliptin-metformin extended-release (generic Kombiglyze XR); AND 2. Jentadueto OR Jentadueto XR For all ASO, Non-NY-Fully Insured, Non-NJ Fully Insured, and Non-CT Fully Insured, Use DPP4 Inhibitors - Step Therapy guideline
Januvia	Single Source Brand	For NY Fully Insured, NJ Fully Insured, and CT Fully Insured: Must try three month trial each of BOTH of the following: 1. Tradjenta AND 2. Alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic) OR saxagliptin (generic Onglyza) For all ASO, Non-NY-Fully Insured, Non-NJ Fully Insured, and Non-CT Fully Insured, Use DPP4 Inhibitors - Step Therapy guideline
Jatenzo	Single Source Brand	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)

Javygtor	Brand Only	sapropterin (generic Kuvan)
Kadian	Brand Only	Use med nec or step therapy MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Kapvay	Brand & Generic	guanfacine extended-release (generic Intuniv)
Karbinal ER	Single Source Brand	carbinoxamine tablets (generic Palgic)
Katerzia suspension	Single Source Brand	Must try both: amlodipine (generic Norvasc), Norliqva solution
Kazano	Multisource Brand without Generic	Alogliptin-Metformin (Kazano authorized generic)
Kenalog Spray	Brand Only	triamcinolone spray (generic Kenalog)
Keralyt Scalp Kit	Single Source Brand	salicylic acid shampoo, salicylic acid gel
Kerydin	Brand and Generic	Use MedNec or Step Therapy
Ketodan Kit	Single Source Brand	ketoconazole cream (generic Nizoral)
ketoprofen (generic Orudis)	Generic only	Use Step Therapy
ketoprofen extended-release (generic Oruvail)	Generic only	Use Step Therapy
Keveyis (dichlorphenamide)	Brand Only	dichlorphenamide (generic Keveyis)
Kiprofen (ketoprofen)	Brand Only	Must try THREE of the following: 1. diclofenac (generic Cataflam, Voltaren) 2. flurbiprofen (generic Ansaid) 3. ibuprofen (generic Motrin) 4. naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Kitabis Pak	Single Source Brand	tobramycin 300 mg /4 mL (generic Bethkis)
Kombiglyze XR	Brand Only	saxagliptin/metformin extended-release (generic Kombiglyze XR)
Korlym (mifepristone)	Brand Only	Mifepristone (generic Korlym)
Kuvan	Brand Only	sapropterin (generic Kuvan)
Lactic Acid with vitamin E (ammonium lactate) OR Lactic Acid cream & lotion (Lac Hydrin 12%)	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Lac-Hydrin (ammonium lactate)
lactulose (generic Kristalose)	Generic Only	lactulose oral solution
Lamictal XR (Lamotrigine ER)	Brand & Generic	Use med nec or step therapy
Lansoprazole/amoxicillin/clarithromycin therapy pack (generic Prevpac)	Generic Only	Must try ONE of the following: 1. Voquezna Dual OR Triple Pak 2. Omeclamox-Pak
Latuda	Brand Only	lurasidone (generic Latuda) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Lescol XL	Brand Only	Use step therapy

Letairis	Brand Only	ambrisentan (generic Letairis)
Levemir (All dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Use separate Levemir (insulin detemir) - All Primary Review Types guideline In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, diabetes medications may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Levetiracetam 250mg disintegrating soluble (tablet for oral suspension)	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. levetiracetam tablet 2. levetiracetam oral solution (generic Keppra)
Levitra	Brand Only	vardenafil (generic Levitra)
Lexette	Brand and Authorized generic	Must try ALL of the following: 1. betamethasone 0.05% augmented gel (generic Diprolene) 2. clobetasol propionate 0.05% gel (generic Temovate) OR clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Lexiva	Brand Only	fosamprenavir (generic Lexiva)
Lialda (mesalamine)	Brand Only	Must try TWO of the following: 1. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol) 2. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda) 3. Apriso
Librax	Brand Only	chlordiazepoxide/clidinium (generic Librax)
Licart	Single Source Brand	OTC Voltaren gel
Lidoderm	Brand Only	lidocaine transdermal patch (generic Lidoderm)
Lipofen	Brand & Generic	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Livalo	Single Source Brand	For Oxford plans: Use Medical Necessity For all other plans: Use Step Therapy
Locoid Lipocream	Brand & Generic	hydrocortisone butyrate (generic Locoid) cream ointment or solution
Locoid Lotion	Brand & Generic	hydrocortisone butyrate (generic Locoid) cream ointment or solution
Lodine	Brand Only	etodolac (generic Lodine)

Lodosyn	Brand Only	carbidopa (generic Lodosyn)
Loestrin 1.5/30	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol 1.5 mg/30 mcg [Aurovela, Hailey, Junel 1.5/30, Larin, Microgestin (generic Loestrin 1.5/30)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Loestrin 1/20	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol 1 mg/20 mcg [Aurovela, Junel 1/20, Larin, Microgestin (generic Loestrin 1/20)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Loestrin FE 1.5/30	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol 1.5 mg/30 mcg [Aurovela FE, Blisovi FE, Hailey FE, Junel FE, Larin FE, Microgestin FE, (generic Loestrin FE 1.5/30)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Loestrin FE 1/20	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol [Aurovela FE, Blisovi FE, Hailey FE, Junel FE, Larin FE, Microgestin FE, Tarina FE (generics for Loestrin FE 1/20)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Lonsurf	Single Source Brand	Stivarga AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Loprox 0.77% cream	Brand Only	ciclopirox 0.77% cream (generic Loprox)
Loprox 0.77% suspension	Brand Only	ciclopirox 0.77% suspension (generic Loprox)
Loprox Shampoo	Brand Only	ciclopirox shampoo (generic Loprox Shampoo)
Loreev XR	Single Source Brand	lorazepam (generic Ativan)
Lotemax 0.5% ophthalmic suspension	Brand Only	loteprednol 0.5% ophthalmic suspension (generic Lotemax)
Lotemax Gel	Brand & Generic	loteprednol 0.5% suspension (generic Lotemax)
Lotrel	Brand Only	amlodipine/benazepril (generic Lotrel)
Lotrimin 1% cream & solution	Legend Medication	OTC Lotrimin (clotrimazole)
Lotronex	Brand Only	alosetron (generic Lotronex)
Lovaza	Brand Only	Omega-3-acid ethyl esters (generic Lovaza)

Lovenox	Brand Only	enoxaparin (generic Lovenox)
Luxiq	Brand & Generic	betamethasone lotion (generic Valisone)
Luzu	Brand & Generic	Must Try Two: ciclopirox (generic Loprox), econazole (generic Spectazole), ketoconazole (generic Nizoral)
Lybalvi	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Lymepak	Single Source Brand	Must try all: doxycycline hyclate 100 mg (generic Morgidox, Vibramycin), doxycycline monohydrate 100 mg (generic Monodox)
Lyrica CR	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Lyumjev Tempo Pen	Single Source Brand	Humalog KwikPen, Insulin Lispro KwikPen (unbranded Humalog), Lyumjev KwikPen In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, diabetes medications may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Lyvispah granules	Single Source Brand	Must try both: baclofen (generic Lioresal), Ozobax
Marinol (dronabinol)	Brand Only	dronabinol (generic Marinol)
Maxalt	Brand Only	Must try rizatriptan (Maxalt/Maxalt MLT) plus two of the following: almotriptan (Axert), eletriptan (Relpax), frovatriptan (Frova), naratriptan (generic Amerge), sumatriptan (generic Imitrex), zolmitriptan (Zomig)
Maxalt- MLT	Brand Only	Must try rizatriptan (Maxalt/Maxalt MLT) plus two of the following: almotriptan (Axert), eletriptan (Relpax), frovatriptan (Frova), naratriptan (generic Amerge), sumatriptan (generic Imitrex), zolmitriptan (Zomig)
Meclizine (Antivert)	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Meclizine
Mektovi	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Mephyton	Brand Only	phytonadione (generic Mephyton)
Mepron Suspension	Generic Only	atovaquone suspension (generic Mepron)
Mesalamine ER capsule (generic Apriso)	Generic Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try Apriso

		AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Delzicol) b. mesalamine delayed-release (generic Lialda)
Mestinon 60 mg tablet	Brand Only	pyridostigmine (generic Mestinon)
Mestinon Timespan	Brand Only	pyridostigmine extended-release tablet (generic Mestinon Timespan)
Metadate CD	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR) b. dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR) c. lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse)
Metformin 625mg	Generic Only	metformin (generic Glucophage, generic Glucophage XR) In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Methocarbamol 1000mg	Generic Only	methocarbamol 500mg (generic Robaxin)
Methylphenidate extended-release tablet	Generic Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR) b. dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR) c. lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse)
Metoprolol 37.5, 75 mg	Generic Only (Single Source Brand)	metoprolol (25, 50, 100 mg strengths) (generic Lopressor)
Metoclopramide orally-disintegrating tablet (generic Metozolv ODT)	Generic Only	metoclopramide (generic Reglan)
Metrogel 1%	Brand & Generic	metronidazole gel 0.75% (generic Metrogel)

Micardis	Brand Only	Must try FIVE of the following: 1. candesartan (generic Atacand), 2. irbesartan (generic Avapro), 3. losartan (generic Cozaar), 4. telmisartan (generic Micardis), 5. valsartan (generic Diovan), 6. olmesartan (generic Benicar)
Micardis HCT	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: 1. candesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Atacand HCT), 2. irbesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Avalide), 3. losartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Hyzaar), 4. valsartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Diovan HCT), 5. olmesartan-hydrochlorothiazide (generic Benicar HCT)
Migranal	Brand Only	ALL of the following: 1. Must try dihydroergotamine nasal spray (generic Migranal) AND 2. Must try ONE oral triptan [e.g., almotriptan (Axert), eletriptan (Relpax), rizatriptan (Maxalt/Maxalt MLT), sumatriptan (Imitrex), zolmitriptan (Zomig)] AND 3. Must try TWO nasal triptans: a. sumatriptan nasal spray (generic Imitrex) b. Zomig nasal spray
Millipred	Single Source Brand	prednisone tablet, prednisolone tablet
Minastrin 24 FE	Brand Only	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol FE 1/0.02 mg [Blisovi FE, Junel FE, Larin FE, Microgestin FE, Tarina FE (branded generics for Loestrin FE)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Minivelle	Brand Only	estradiol patch (generic Minivelle), Vivelle-Dot
Minocin 100mg	Brand Only	minocycline immediate release capsule (generic Minocin)
minocycline tablet (Generic Dynacin)	Generic Only	minocycline immediate release capsules (generic Minocin)
Minolira	Single Source Brand	minocycline immediate-release capsules (generic Minocin)
Mirapex ER	Brand & Generic	pramipexole (generic for Mirapex)
Mircette	Brand Only	desogestrel/ethinyl estradiol [Azurette, Bekyree, Kariva, Pimtrea, Simliya, Viorele, Volnea (generic Mircette)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary

Mobic	Brand Only	meloxicam (generic Mobic)
Motofen	Single Source Brand	diphenoxylate/atropine (generic Lomotil)
Motrin Suspension, Pedia-Profen	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Motrin (ibuprofen)
Movantik	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. lubiprostone (generic Amitiza) 2. Symproic
MS Contin	Brand Only	Use Medical Necessity
Multivitamin-fluoride chewable (manufactured by Neos Therapeutics)	Generic Only	generic pediatric multivitamin with fluoride
Multi-Vit-Flor	Single Source Brand	generic pediatric multivitamin with fluoride
Mycapssa	Single Source Brand	octreotide (generic Sandostatin)
Mydayis	Brand Only	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Myfortic	Brand Only	mycophenolate sodium, delayed release (generic Myfortic)
Naftin 1% & 2% Cream, Gel	Brand & Generic	Must try all: ciclopirox (generic Loprox), econazole (generic Spectazole), ketoconazole (generic Nizoral)
Nalfon	Brand & Generic	Must try all: ibuprofen (generic Motrin), naproxen (generic Aleve, Naprosyn)
Nalocet/oxycodone-acetaminophen 2.5mg-300mg	Multisource Brand Without Generic	oxycodone/acetaminophen (generic Percocet)
Namenda	Brand Only	memantine (generic Namenda)
Namenda XR	Brand Only	memantine immediate-release (generic Namenda)
Namzaric	Brand and Generic	donepezil (generic Aricept) plus memantine (generic Namenda)
Naprelan	Brand & Generic	naproxen sodium (generic Naprosyn)
Naprosyn oral suspension	Brand & Generic	Must try all: OTC Naproxen, OTC Ibuprofen suspension
Naprosyn tablets	Brand Only	naproxen tablets (generic Naprosyn)
Nasonex	Brand & Generic	Must try THREE of the following: 1. flunisolide (generic Nasarel) 2. fluticasone (generic Flonase) OR OTC Flonase Allergy Relief OR OTC Flonase Sensimist 3. mometasone (generic Nasonex) OR OTC Nasonex 24HR Allergy 4. Zetonna 5. OTC Nasacort Allergy 24HR 6. OTC Rhinocort Allergy Spray

		<p>Maryland only:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For diagnosis of chronic rhinosinusitis with nasal polyps: Must try mometasone nasal spray. 2. For all other indications: Must try the above alternative(s).
Natesto	Single Source Brand	<p>Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Natroba	Brand Only	spinosad (generic Natroba)
Neoral	Single Source Brand	cyclosporine modified (generic Neoral)
Neo-Synalar	Single Source Brand	OTC Triple Antibiotic Ointment plus fluocinolone 0.025% cream (generic Synalar)
Neo-Synalar Kit	Single Source Brand	OTC Triple Antibiotic Ointment plus fluocinolone 0.025% cream (generic Synalar)
Nesina	Multisource Brand without Generic	Alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic)
Neuac kit	Single Source Brand	Must try all: clindamycin 1.2% /benzoyl peroxide 5% gel (generic Duac), clindamycin solution + OTC benzoyl peroxide
Neupogen (Vial & Syringe)	Brand Only	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For patients 12 years of age and younger - Approve 2. For patients > 12 years of age - Must try Zarxio
Nexavar	Brand Only	<p>sorafenib (generic Nexavar)</p> <p>AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.</p>
Nexiclon XR (clonidine extended-release)	Multisource Brand Without Generic	clonidine (generic Catapres)
Nexium Capsules	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	Must try all: omeprazole (generic Prilosec), pantoprazole (generic Protonix) tablet, rabeprazole (generic Aciphex) tablet
Nextstellis	Single Source Brand	<p>Must try ONE of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yaz 2. Yasmin <p>DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary</p>
Niacor	Generic Only	niacin extended-release (generic Niaspan)
Niaspan	Brand Only	niacin extended-release (generic Niaspan)
Nilandron	Brand & Generic	bicalutamide (generic Casodex)
Nitisinone	Generic Only	Orfadin
Nitrofurantoin 50mg/5mL oral suspension	Single Source Brand	nitrofurantoin 25mg/5mL oral suspension

Nitrolingual	Brand & Generic	nitroglycerin spray (generic Nitromist), nitroglycerin sublingual tablet (generic Nitrostat)
Nityr	Brand Only	Orfadin
Northera	Brand Only	droxidopa (generic Northera)
Norvasc	Brand Only	amlodipine (generic Norvasc)
Norvir	Brand Only	ritonavir tablets (generic Norvir)
Novolin (includes Relion)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Novolin 70/30 (Includes Novolin 70/30 Relion)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Novolin N (Includes Novolin N Relion)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Novolin R (Includes Novolin R Relion)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Novolog (All dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Noxafil tablets	Brand Only	posaconazole tablets (generic Noxafil)
Nutropin AQ NuSpin (somatropin)	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Norditropin FlexPro 2. Omnitrope
NuvaRing	Brand only	etonogestrel-ethinyl estradiol vaginal ring (generic NuvaRing), Eluryng (generic NuvaRing) DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Nuvessa	Single Source Brand	metronidazole 0.75% vaginal gel (generic Metrogel-Vaginal)
Nuvigil	Brand Only	armodafinil (generic Nuvigil)
nystatin/triamcinolone (generic Mycolog II) cream and ointment	Generic Only	nystatin cream or ointment (generic Mycostatin) + triamcinolone 0.1% cream or ointment (generic Kenalog)
Nyvepria	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Neulasta, Udenyca
Olux	Brand & Generic	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. betamethasone 0.05% augmented gel (generic Diprolene) 2. clobetasol propionate 0.05% gel (generic Temovate) OR clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Olux-E	Brand & Generic	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. betamethasone 0.05% augmented gel (generic Diprolene) 2. clobetasol propionate 0.05% gel (generic Temovate) OR clobetasol 0.05% solution (generic Temovate)
Omnaris	Single Source Brand	Must try THREE of the following: 1. flunisolide (generic Nasarel)

		<p>2. fluticasone (generic Flonase) OR OTC Flonase Allergy Relief OR OTC Flonase Sensimist</p> <p>3. mometasone (generic Nasonex) OR OTC Nasonex 24HR Allergy</p> <p>4. Zetonna</p> <p>5. OTC Nasacort Allergy 24HR</p> <p>6. OTC Rhinocort Allergy Spray</p>
Ondansetron 16mg ODT (orally-disintegrating tablet)	Generic Only	ondansetron 4mg OR 8mg (generic Zofran, generic Zofran ODT)
Onexton 1.2-3.75%	Brand and Generic	clindamycin topical solution (generic Cleocin T) + OTC benzoyl peroxide or clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide (generic Duac) 1.2%-5%
Ongentys	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. carbidopa-levodopa (generic Sinemet), 2. entacapone (generic Comtan), 3. tolcapone (generic Tasmar)
Onglyza	Brand Only	saxagliptin (generic Onglyza)
Onzetra Xsail	Single Source Brand	sumatriptan nasal spray (generic Imitrex)
Opsynvi (macitentan-tadalafil)	Single Source Brand	tadalafil (generic Adcirca) IN COMBINATION WITH Opsumit
Oracea	Brand and Generic	Must Try Two: doxycycline hyclate 50 mg, 100 mg (generic Morgidox, Vibramycin), doxycycline hyclate 20 mg (generic Periostat), doxycycline monohydrate 50 mg, 100 mg (generic Monodox)
Orladeyo	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Ormalvi (dichlorphenamide)	Brand Only	dichlorphenamide (generic Keveyis)
Orphengesic Forte	Brand & Generic	OTC aspirin + cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril), chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC) methocarbamol (generic Robaxin), orphenadrine extended-release (generic Norflex), or tizanidine (Zanaflex Tablets)
Ortho Tri-Cyclen Lo	Brand Only	norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol Lo 0.18-0.215-0.25/0.025 mg [Tri-Lo-Estarylla, Tri-Lo-Marzia, Tri-Lo-Sprintec, Trinessa Lo (branded generics Ortho Tri-Cyclen Lo)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Ortikos	Single Source Brand	budesonide extended-release (generic Entocort EC)
Oseni	Multisource Brand without Generic	Alogliptin-Pioglitazone (Oseni authorized generic)
Osmolex ER	Single Source Brand	amantadine immediate-release
OsmoPrep	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. OTC Miralax 2. PEG (generic Golytely) 3. Sutab 4. Suprep

Otovel	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. ofloxacin 0.3% solution (generic Floxin, Ocuflax) 2. ciprofloxacin-dexamethasone otic suspension (generic Ciprodex)
Ovace Plus 9.8% lotion	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium 10% lotion, gel
Ovace Plus Foam	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium 10% lotion, gel
Oxaydo	Single Source Brand	oxycodone immediate-release (generic Roxicodone)
Oxistat Lotion	Single Source Brand	Must Try Two: ciclopirox (generic Loprox), econazole (generic Spectazole), ketoconazole (generic Nizoral)
Oxycodone 10mg abuse deterrent tablet	Multisource Brand without Generic	oxycodone immediate-release (generic Roxicodone)
Oxycodone-acetaminophen oral solution	Multisource Brand without Generic	oxycodone-acetaminophen (generic Percocet)
Oxycontin	Brand & Generic	Use med nec MN, NV - Coverage of medications to treat conditions associated with cancer may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Oxytrol	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC AND 2. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. tolterodine (generic Detrol) c. trospium (generic Sanctura)
Pamelor	Brand Only	nortriptyline (generic Pamelor)
Panlor	Single Source Brand	acetaminophen/codeine
Parlodel	Brand only	bromocriptine (generic Parlodel)
Paxil	Brand Only	paroxetine (generic Paxil)
Paxil CR	Brand Only	paroxetine extended-release (generic Paxil CR)
Cuprimine (penicillamine)	Brand and Generic	penicillamine titratabs (generic Depen)
Pepcid Tablets	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Pepcid AC (famotidine)
Pheburane	Single Source Brand	sodium phenylbutyrate (generic Buphenyl)
Phexxi gel	Single Source Brand	OTC spermicides

Pifeltro	Single Source Brand	Symfi, Symfi Lo, Triumeq
Plaquenil	Brand Only	hydroxychloroquine (generic Plaquenil)
Plavix	Brand Only	clopidogrel (generic Plavix)
Plexion 9.8-4.8% cream, liquid, lotion	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Plexion Cloth 9.8%-4.8% pads	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Poly-Vi-Flor	Single Source Brand	generic pediatric multivitamin with fluoride
Ponvory	Single Source Brand	fingolimod (generic Gilenya)
Praluent	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity or Step Therapy
Pred Forte 1%	Brand Only	prednisolone 1% ophthalmic suspension (generic Pred Forte)
prednisolone solution 5mg/5ml, 25mg/5ml, 20mg/5ml, 10mg/5ml	Generic Only	prednisolone sodium phosphate 15mg/5mL (generic Prelone)
Pregenna	Single Source Brand	Brand and generic prenatal vitamins
Prenara	Single Source Brand	Brand and generic prenatal vitamins
Prenatrix	Single Source Brand	Brand and generic prenatal vitamins
Prescription Benzoyl Peroxide Products-multiple strengths and dosage forms (ex-cleanser, cleansing pad, cream, creamy wash, gel, etc.)	Brand & Generic (EPDL OTC Exclusion list drug)	TWO OTC benzoyl peroxide formulations
Prestalia	Single Source Brand	perindopril (generic Aceon) plus amlodipine (generic Norvasc)
Prevacid Capsules	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	Must try all: omeprazole (generic Prilosec), pantoprazole (generic Protonix) tablet, rabeprazole (generic Aciphex) tablet, Prevacid 24 hour
Prevacid Solutab	Brand Only	Use Step Therapy
Prezista	Brand Only	darunavir (generic Prezista)
Prilosec Suspension	Brand & Generic	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Nexium suspension (esomeprazole) 2. lansoprazole orally-disintegrating tablet (generic Prevacid SoluTab)
Pristiq	Brand Only for BOB Brand and Generic for EPDL	venlafaxine extended-release capsule (Effexor XR)
ProAir Digihaler	Single Source Brand	albuterol sulfate HFA (generic ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA)
Procardia XL	Brand Only	nifedipine extended-release tablet (generic Procardia XL)
Procort	Single Source Brand	hydrocortisone acetate/pramoxine HCl

Procrit	Single Source Brand	Retacrit
Proctocort	Brand Only	hydrocortisone 1% cream (generic Proctocort), hydrocortisone 30 mg suppository (generic Proctocort)
Proglycem	Brand Only	diazoxide (generic Proglycem)
Prolate (oxycodone/acetaminophen)	Multisource Brand without Generic	oxycodone/acetaminophen (generic Percocet)
Prolensa	Single Source Brand	Must try all: bromfenac ophthalmic solution (generic Bromday, Xibrom), diclofenac ophthalmic solution (generic Voltaren), ketorolac ophthalmic solution (generic Acular), Nevanac
Prometrium	Brand Only	progesterone (generic Prometrium)
Proscar	Brand Only	finasteride (generic Proscar)
Protonix	Brand Only	Must try ALL of the following: omeprazole (generic Prilosec), pantoprazole (generic Protonix), rabeprazole (generic Aciphex)
Protonix Granules for Suspension	Brand & Generic	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Nexium suspension (esomeprazole) 2. lansoprazole orally-disintegrating tablet (generic Prevacid SoluTab)
Proventil HFA	Brand Only	albuterol sulfate HFA (generic ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA)
Provigil	Brand Only	modafinil
Prudoxin	Brand Only	betamethasone dipropionate cream 0.05% (generic Diprosone), desoximetasone cream 0.05% (generic Topicort), fluocinonide cream 0.05% (generic Lidex), mometasone furoate cream 0.1% (generic Elocon), triamcinolone acetonide cream 0.5% (generic Aristocort)
Pulmicort Flexhaler	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Arnuity Ellipta, QVAR RediHaler
Pulmicort inhalation suspension	Brand Only	budesonide inhalation suspension (generic Pulmicort)
Pyridostigmine 30 mg	Single Source Brand	pyridostigmine 60 mg (generic Mestinon)
Qdolo	Single Source Brand	tramadol 50 mg (generic Ultram)
Qelbree	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Qnasl	Single Source Brand	Must try THREE of the following: 1. flunisolide (generic Nasarel) 2. fluticasone (generic Flonase) OR OTC Flonase Allergy Relief OR OTC Flonase Sensimist 3. mometasone (generic Nasonex) OR OTC Nasonex 24HR Allergy 4. Zetonna 5. OTC Nasacort Allergy 24HR 6. OTC Rhinocort Allergy Spray

Qtern	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Quartette	Brand & Generic	levonorgestrel-ethinyl estradiol and ethinyl estradiol (generic Quartette) DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Quillichew ER	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Quillivant XR	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Quviviq	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Rabeprazole delayed-release sprinkle	Single Source Brand	Must try ALL of the following: 1. omeprazole (generic Prilosec) 2. pantoprazole tablet (generic Protonix) 3. rabeprazole tablet (generic Aciphex)
Ranexa	Brand Only	ranolazine (generic Ranexa)
Rapaflo	Brand Only	silodosin (generic Rapaflo)
Rapamune Tablet	Brand Only	sirolimus (generic Rapamune)
Royaldee	Single Source Brand	Must try all: calcitriol (generic Rocaltrol), doxercalciferol (generic Hectorol), paricalcitol (generic Zemplar)
Rebinyn	Single Source Brand	Benefix, Rixubis, Alprolix, Idelvion
Reditrex	Single Source Brand	methotrexate tablets, Rasuvo
Releuko	Single Source Brand	Zarxio
Relexxii/methylphenidate extended-release 45 mg, 63 mg	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)

Relexxii 72 mg	Brand and Generic	Must try TWO of the following: amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Relistor Tablet	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. lubiprostone (generic Amitiza) 2. Symproic
Relpax	Brand Only	Must try all: eletriptan (generic Relpax), naratriptan (generic Amerge), rizatriptan (generic Maxalt), sumatriptan (generic Imitrex), zolmitriptan (generic Zomig)
Reltone	Single Source Brand	ursodiol 250mg OR 500mg (generic Actigall)
Remeron	Brand Only	mirtazapine (generic Remeron)
Remeron SolTab	Brand Only	mirtazapine (generic Remeron)
Renagel	Brand and Generic	sevelamer carbonate tablet (generic Renvela)
Renvela	Brand Only	sevelamer carbonate tablet (generic Renvela)
RopiniroleXL	Generic Only	ropinirole (Requip)
Restasis MultiDose	Single Source Brand	Must try all: Restasis Single Use vials, Xiidra
Retin-A Cream	Brand Only	Must Try Both: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Retin-A Gel	Brand & Generic	Must Try Both: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Retin-A Micro & Retin-A Micro Pump	Brand & Generic	Must Try Both: OTC Differin gel, tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Revatio suspension	Brand Only	sildenafil (generic Revatio)
Revatio tablets	Brand Only	sildenafil (generic Revatio)
Rezvoglar KwikPen	Single Source Brand	Lantus, Toujeo In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, diabetes medications may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Reyataz Capsules	Brand Only	atazanavir (generic Reyataz)
Rilutek (brand only)	Brand Only	riluzole (generic Rilutek)

Riomet	Brand Only	Must try all: metformin tablets (generic Glucophage), metformin oral solution (generic Riomet)
Risperdal	Brand Only	risperidone (generic Risperdal) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Ritalin LA	Brand Only	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. amphetamine-dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Adderall XR), b. dexamethylphenidate extended-release (generic Focalin XR), c. lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse), d. methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta, Metadate CD, Metadate ER, Ritalin LA)
Ritalin tablets	Brand Only	methylphenidate tablets (generic Ritalin)
Robinul	Brand Only	glycopyrrolate tablet (generic Robinul)
Robinul Forte	Brand Only	glycopyrrolate tablet (generic Robinul Forte)
Rosadan Cream Kit	Single Source Brand	metronidazole cream (generic Metrocream), metronidazole 0.75% gel (generic Metrogel)
Rosadan Gel Kit	Single Source Brand	metronidazole gel 0.75% (generic Metrogel), metronidazole lotion (generic Metrolotion)
Roszet	Multisource Brand Without Generic	ezetimibe (generic Zetia) plus rosuvastatin (generic Crestor) or ezetimibe/simvastatin (generic Vytorin)
Roxicodone	Brand Only	oxycodone immediate-release (generic Roxicodone)
Roxybond	Multisource Brand without Generic	oxycodone immediate-release (generic Roxicodone) FL, MD and WV only: approve
Rozerem	Brand Only	Use Step Therapy
Ryaltris	Single Source Brand	olopatadine (generic Patanase) plus an over-the-counter nasal steroid (e.g., Nasonex Allergy), OR over-the-counter Astepro Allergy plus an over-the-counter nasal steroid (e.g., Nasonex Allergy)
Ryclora	Brand and Generic	OTC chlorpheniramine (generic Chlor-Trimeton)
Rytary	Single Source Brand	carbidopa/levodopa extended release tablet (generic Sinemet CR), carbidopa/levodopa (generic Sinemet)
Rythmol SR	Brand Only	propafenone extended-release capsules (generic Rythmol)
Ryvent 6mg Tablet	Brand & Generic	carbinoxamine tablets (generic Palgic)
Sabril powder pack	Brand Only	vigabatrin powder pack (generic Sabril)

Safyral	Brand Only	<p>Must try ONE of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. drospirenone-ethinyl estradiol (generic Yasmin) IN COMBINATION WITH folic acid 2. Yasmin IN COMBINATION WITH folic acid <p>DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary</p>
Saizen	Single Source Brand	Norditropin FlexPro, Omnitrope
Sajazir	Generic Only	Icatibant acetate (generic Firazyr)
Sancuso	Single Source Brand	granisetron (generic Kytril)
Sandimmune Capsule	Brand Only	cyclosporine (generic Sandimmune)
Sandostatin	Brand Only	octreotide (generic Sandostatin)
Saphris	Brand Only	asenapine (generic Saphris)
Fluoxetine (generic Sarafem)	Generic Only	fluoxetine capsules (generic Prozac); Maryland only: Approve for FDA-approved indication(s). For all other indications, must try alternative.
Seasonique	Brand Only	levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol [Introvale, Jolessa, Quasense, Setlakin (generics for Seasonale)], levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol [Amethia, Ashlyna, Camrese, Daysee, Jaimiess, Simpesse (generics for Seasonique)]
Segluromet	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Selenium sulfide-pyrithione zinc in urea shampoo 2.3%	Brand & Generic	selenium sulfide shampoo
Selrx	Single Source Brand	selenium sulfide shampoo (generic Selsun shampoo), Selsun
Sensipar	Brand Only	<p>Must try ALL of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. calcium acetate (generic PhosLo) 2. cinacalcet (generic Sensipar) 3. sevelamer carbonate (generic Renvela)
Sernivo spray	Single Source Brand	betamethasone lotion (generic Del-Beta)
Seroquel	Brand Only	<p>Must try ALL of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. quetiapine (generic Seroquel) OR quetiapine extended-release (generic Seroquel XR) 2. olanzapine (generic Zyprexa) 3. risperidone (generic Risperdal) 4. ziprasidone (generic Geodon) 5. aripiprazole tablet (generic Abilify) <p>Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document</p>
Seroquel XR	Brand Only	<p>Must try ALL of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. quetiapine (generic Seroquel) OR quetiapine extended-release (generic Seroquel XR) 2. olanzapine (generic Zyprexa)

		<p>3. risperidone (generic Risperdal) 4. ziprasidone (generic Geodon) 5. aripiprazole tablet (generic Abilify)</p> <p>Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document</p>
Sertraline capsules	Single Source Brand	sertraline tablets 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg (generic Zoloft)
Sevelamer hydrochloride tablet (generic Renagel)	Generic Only	sevelamer carbonate tablet (generic Renvela)
Sevenfact	Single Source Brand	Novoseven
Seysara	Single Source Brand	doxycycline hyclate (generic Vibramycin), doxycycline monohydrate 50 mg and 100 mg (generic Monodox), minocycline immediate-release capsules (generic Minocin)
Siklos	Single Source Brand	hydroxyurea (generic Hydrea), Droxia
Silenor	Brand and Generic	Must try all: doxepin (generic Sinequan), zolpidem (generic Ambien), zaleplon (generic Sonata)
Siliq	Single Source Brand	Use medical necessity
Simbrinza 1-0.2%	Single Source Brand	brimonidine (generic Alphagan) plus Azopt
Simlandi (adalimumab-ryvk)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Singulair Chewable Tablet	Brand Only	montelukast chewable tablet (generic Singulair)
Singulair Tablet	Brand Only	montelukast tablet (generic Singulair)
Sitagliptin (Zituvio authorized generic)	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try Tradjenta AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. saxagliptin (generic Onglyza) b. alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic)
Sitavig	Single Source Brand	Must try all: acyclovir capsule/tablet (generic Zovirax), famciclovir tablet (generic Famvir), valacyclovir tablet (generic Valtrex), OTC Abreva
Skelaxin	Brand Only	Must try all: cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril), carisoprodol (Soma 350mg), methocarbamol (generic Robaxin), chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC), tizanidine (Zanaflex Tablets), metaxalone (generic Skelaxin)
Soaanz	Single Source Brand	toremide (generic Demadex)
Sodium Oxybate (manufactured by Amneal Pharmaceuticals) (Xyrem authorized generic)	Multisource Brand without Generic	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try Sodium Oxybate (Xyrem authorized generic manufactured by Hikma Pharmaceuticals) AND 2. Must try TWO of the following: a. armodafinil (generic Nuvigil)

		b. modafinil (generic Provigil) c. Lumryz d. Sunosi e. Xywav
Sodium Sulfacetamide/Sulfur Kit	Generic Only	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Sogroya	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: Ngenla, Skytrofa
Solodyn	Brand & Generic	Use med nec OR for step therapy only: minocycline immediate-release capsule (generic Minocin)
Soltamox	Single Source Brand	tamoxifen (generic Nolvadex) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Soma 250 mg	Brand & Generic	Must try all: cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril), carisoprodol (Soma 350mg), methocarbamol (generic Robaxin), chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC), tizanidine (Zanaflex Tablets)
Soma 350 mg tablets	Brand Only	Must try all: cyclobenzaprine tablet (generic Flexeril), carisoprodol (Soma 350mg), methocarbamol (generic Robaxin), chlorzoxazone (generic Parafon Forte DSC), tizanidine (Zanaflex Tablets)
Soolantra	Generic only	Brand Soolantra
Sovuna (hydroxychloroquine)	Single Source Brand	hydroxychloroquine (generic Plaquenil)
Sporanox	Brand Only	itraconazole (generic for Sporanox)
Sprycel	Brand Only	dasatinib (generic Sprycel)
Steglatro	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Steglujan	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Stimufend	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Neulasta, Udenyca
Strattera	Brand Only	atomoxetine (generic Strattera)
Suboxone Film	Brand Only	Must try all: Zubsolv, buprenorphine/naloxone (tablet or film)
Sumadan Kit	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Sumadan Wash	Brand & Generic	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Sumadan XLT Kit	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Sumaxin CP	Single Source Brand	sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur 10-5%
Sustiva capsules	Brand Only	efavirenz (generic Sustiva)

Sutent	Brand Only	sunitinib (generic Sutent) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Synalar 0.01%	Brand Only	fluocinolone 0.01% solution (generic Synalar)
Synalar 0.025%	Brand Only	fluocinolone 0.025% cream, ointment (generic Synalar)
Synalar Kit	Single Source Brand	fluocinolone (generic for Synalar)
Synalar TS	Single Source Brand	fluocinolone (generic for Synalar)
Syprine	Brand Only	trientine (generic Syprine)
Taclonex ointment	Brand & Generic	Must try both: Enstilar foam, Taclonex suspension
Taclonex Suspension	Generic only BOB Brand and Generic EPDL	Must try all: betamethasone (generic Diprosone) + calcipotriene (generic Dovonex), Enstilar
Talicia	Single Source Brand	Must try ONE of the following: 1. amoxicillin (generic Amoxil), omeprazole (generic Prilosec), and rifabutin (generic Mycobutin) IN COMBINATION 2. Omeclamox 3. Voquezna Dual Pak or Triple Pak
Taltz	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy or medical necessity
Tamiflu	Brand Only	oseltamivir capsules (generic Tamiflu)
Tamiflu Suspension	Brand Only	oseltamivir suspension (generic Tamiflu)
Tarceva	Brand Only	erlotinib (generic Tarceva) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Targadox	Brand and Generic	doxycycline hyclate (generic Vibramycin, Vibra- Tab), doxycycline monohydrate 50 or 100mg (generic Monodox)
Targretin capsule	Brand Only	bexarotene capsule (generic Targretin)
Targretin gel	Brand Only	bexarotene gel (generic Targretin)
Tascenso ODT	Single Source Brand	fingolimod (generic Gilenya)
Tasmar	Brand Only	tolcapone (generic Tasmar)
Taytulla	Single Source Brand	norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol 24 FE 1/0.02 mg [Blisovi 24 FE, Junel 24 FE, Larin 24 FE, LoMedia 24 FE, (branded generic Loestrin 24 FE)], and norethindone/ethinyl estradiol FE 1/0.02 mg [Blisovi FE, Junel FE, Larin FE, Microgestin FE, Tarina FE (branded generic Loestrin FE)] DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey,

		New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary
Tenoretic	Brand Only	atenolol/chlorthalidone (generic Tenoretic)
Tenormin	Brand Only	atenolol (generic Tenormin)
testosterone topical gel (authorized generic)	Authorized Generic	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Testosterone topical gel (generic Testim)	Generic Only	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Tetracycline tablet	Single Source Brand	Tetracycline capsule (generic Acromycin V)
Thalitone 15 mg	Single Source Brand	chlorthalidone (generic Hygronton)
Thyquidity	Single Source Brand	Must try all: levothyroxine (generic Synthroid), Tirosint-Sol
Tiotropium capsule for inhalation (generic Spiriva HandiHaler)	Generic Only	Spiriva HandiHaler, Spiriva Respimat
Tirosint capsules	Multisource Brand without Generic	levothyroxine tablet (generic Synthroid)
Tlando capsule	Single Source Brand	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim 2. testosterone 1.62% gel pump (generic AndroGel Pump)
Tobi Nebulized Solution	Brand & Generic	tobramycin 300 mg /4 mL (generic Bethkis)
Tobradex ST	Single Source Brand	tobramycin/dexamethasone ophthalmic drops (generic for Tobradex)
Tolak 4% cream	Single Source Brand	fluorouracil 5% cream (generic Efudex)
Tolectin 600mg (tolmetin)	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must try THREE of the following: 1. diclofenac (generic Cataflam, Voltaren) 2. flurbiprofen (generic Ansaid) 3. ibuprofen (generic Motrin) 4. naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Tolmetin 400mg (generic Tolectin)	Generic Only	Must try THREE of the following: 1. diclofenac (generic Cataflam, Voltaren) 2. flurbiprofen (generic Ansaid) 3. ibuprofen (generic Motrin) 4. naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Tolsura	Single Source Brand	itraconazole capsule (generic Sporanox)
Topicort Spray	Brand and Generic	desoximetasone 0.05% gel (generic Topicort)

Toprol XL	Brand Only	metoprolol succinate extended-release tablet (generic Toprol XL)
Tosymra	Single Source Brand	sumatriptan injection, nasal spray, tablets (generic Imitrex)
Toviaz (fesoterodine)	Brand & Generic	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC AND 2. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. trospium (generic Sanctura) c. tolterodine (generic Detrol)
Tramadol 25mg	Generic Only	Take one-half tablet of tramadol 50mg (generic Ultra)
Tramadol 100 mg	Generic only	Use 2 of the tramadol 50 mg (generic Ultram)
Transderm Scop	Brand Only	scopolamine transdermal patch (generic Transderm Scop)
Travatan Z	Brand Only	Use Step Therapy
Trezix	Brand and Generic	acetaminophen/codeine
Trianex	Single Source Brand	Must try all: triamcinolone ointment (generic Kenalog), fluocinolone 0.025% ointment (generic Synalar)
Tribenzor	Brand & Generic	Must try ALL of the following: 1. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH losartan-HCTZ (generic Hyzaar), 2. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH irbesartan-HCTZ (generic Avalide), 3. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH valsartan-HCTZ (generic Diovan HCT), 4. amlodipine (generic Norvasc) IN COMBINATION WITH candesartan-HCTZ (generic Atacand HCT), 5. amlodipine IN COMBINATION WITH olmesartan HCTZ (generic Benicar HCT)
Tricor	Brand Only	Must try ONE of the following: 1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)
Trilipix	Brand Only	Must try ONE of the following:

		<p>1. fenofibrate 48mg, 54mg, 145mg, 160mg tablet (generic Lofibra, Tricor, Triglide); OR 2. fenofibrate micronized capsule 43mg, 130mg (generic Antara); OR 3. fenofibrate micronized capsule 67mg, 134mg, 200mg (generic Lofibra, Tricor)</p>
Trospium chloride extended-release (generic Sanctura ER)	Generic Only	<p>BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC AND 2. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. tolterodine (generic Detrol) c. trospium (generic Sanctura)</p>
Trudhesa	Single Source Brand	Must try one oral triptan [e.g., almotriptan (Axert), eletriptan (Relpax), rizatriptan (Maxalt/Maxalt MLT), sumatriptan (Imitrex), zolmitriptan (Zomig)] AND two nasal triptans [i.e., sumatriptan (generic Imitrex), Zomig]
Trulance	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy or Prior Authorization Medical Necessity
Tudorza Pressair	Single Source Brand	Spiriva Handihaler/Resipmat
Tuzistra XR	Single Source Brand	hydrocodone polistirex/chlorpheniramine polistirex (generic Tussionex Pennkinetic), Z-Tuss AC
Twirla	Single Source Brand	<p>ethinyl estradiol-norelgestromin patch (generic Ortho Evra), Xulane</p> <p>DC, Oregon, Connecticut, California, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and West Virginia only: approve if provider states medically necessary</p>
Twynéo cream	Single Source Brand	OTC benzoyl peroxide + OTC Differin gel or tretinoin cream (generic Retin A)
Telmisartan-amlodipine (generic Twynsta)	Generic Only	telmisartan (generic Micardis) + amlodipine (generic Norvasc)
Tykerb	Brand Only	<p>lapatinib tablet (generic Tykerb) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.</p>
Uceris rectal foam	Brand Only	budesonide rectal foam (generic Uceris)
Budesonide extended-release tablet (generic Uceris)	Generic Only	Uceris tablet
Uloric	Brand & Generic	allopurinol 100mg OR 300mg (generic Zyloprim)

UltraSal-ER	Legend Medication	OTC salicylic acid
Ultravate 0.05% lotion	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Umecta Mousse	Single Source Brand	urea 40%
Uroxatral	Brand Only	Must try all: alfuzosin (generic Uroxatral), doxazosin (generic Cardura), terazosin (generic Hytrin), tamsulosin (generic Flomax)
Urso 250	Brand Only	ursodiol (generic Actigall, generic Usro 250, generic Urso Forte)
Urso Forte	Brand Only	ursodiol (generic Actigall, generic Usro 250, generic Urso Forte)
Vagifem	Brand Only	estradiol vaginal tablet (Yuvaferm (generic Vagifem))
Valcyte	Brand Only	valganciclovir (generic Valcyte)
Valcyte oral solution	Brand Only	valganciclovir oral solution (generic Valcyte)
Vanos	Brand & Generic	fluocinonide 0.05% cream (generic Lidex)
Varubi	Single Source Brand	aprepitant capsule (generic Emend)
Vascepa	Brand and Generic	Use Medical Necessity
Vaseretic	Brand Only	enalapril/hydrochlorothiazide (generic Vaseretic)
Vasotec	Brand Only	enalapril (generic Vasotec)
Vectical	Brand Only	calcitriol ointment (generic Vectical)
Velsipity	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try Zeposia AND 2. Must try THREE of the following: a. ONE adalimumab product: i. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) ii. Amjevita for Nuvaila iii. Humira b. Entyvio c. Omvoh d. Rinvoq d. Simponi f. Skyrizi g. Stelara h. Tremfya i. Xeljanz
Veltin	Single Source Brand	clindamycin gel, solution or lotion (generic Cleocin) + tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Vemlidy	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Venlafaxine besylate ER 112.5 mg	Single Source Brand	venlafaxine extended release (generic Effexor XR)
Venlafaxine ER tablet	Brand & Generic	venlafaxine extended-release capsule (Effexor XR)
Verdeso	Single Source Brand	desonide lotion (generic Desowen)

Versacloz	Single Source Brand	Must try all: clozapine (generic Clozaril), clozapine orally disintegrating tablet (generic Fazacllo) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Vesicare LS	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try ONE of the following: a. oxybutynin (generic Ditropan) b. oxybutynin extended-release (generic Ditropan XL) c. Oxytrol OTC AND 2. Must try ALL of the following: a. solifenacin (generic Vesicare) b. tolterodine (generic Detrol) c. trospium (generic Sanctura)
Vevye (cyclosporine ophthalmic solution)	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH of the following: 1. Restasis single dose vial 2. Xiidra
Viagra	Brand Only	Must try all: sildenafil (generic Viagra), tadalafil (generic Cialis), and vardenafil (generic Levitra)
Hydrocodone-acetaminophen 5/300 mg (generic Vicodin)	Generic Only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 5/325 mg (generic Norco)
Hydrocodone-acetaminophen ES 7.5/300 mg (generic Vicodin ES)	Generic Only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 7.5/325 mg (generic Norco)
Hydrocodone-acetaminophen HP 10/300 mg (generic Vicodin HP)	Generic Only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 10/325 mg (generic Norco)
Victoza (liraglutide)	Brand Only	liraglutide (generic Victoza)
Vigamox	Brand Only	moxifloxacin ophthalmic solution (generic Vigamox)
Viibryd	Brand Only	vilazodone (generic Viibryd)
Vimovo	Brand & Generic	Must try ALL of the following: 1. naproxen (generic Naprosyn) IN COMBINATION WITH omeprazole (generic Prilosec) 2. naproxen (generic Naprosyn) IN COMBINATION WITH pantoprazole (generic Protonix) 3. naproxen (generic Naprosyn) IN COMBINATION WITH rabeprazole (generic Aciphex)
Nevirapine extended-release (generic Viramune XR)	Generic Only	nevirapine (generic Viramune)
Viread 300mg	Brand Only	tenofovir (generic Viread)
Vivelle-Dot	Brand only	estradiol TD twice weekly patch (generic Vivelle-Dot)
Meloxicam capsule (generic Vivlodex)	Generic Only	Meloxicam tablet (generic Mobic)
Vogelxo	Brand and Generic	Must try a minimum four week trial of BOTH of the following: 1. Testim

		2. testosterone 1.62% (generic AndroGel)
Voltaren 1% gel	Brand & Generic	OTC Voltaren Arthritis Pain 1% gel
Vosevi	Single Source Brand	Harvoni, Epclusa
Votrient	Brand Only	pazopanib (generic Votrient) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Vuity 1.25% ophthalmic solution	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Vumerity	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy or medical necessity
Vusion	Multisource Brand without Generic	Must Try Both: nystatin Cream (generic Mycostatin), OTC miconazole cream
Vytorin	Brand Only	Must try all: simvastatin/ezetimibe (generic Vytorin), ezetimibe plus atorvastatin (generic Lipitor), ezetimibe plus lovastatin (generic Mevacor), ezetimibe plus pravastatin (generic Pravachol), ezetimibe plus simvastatin (generic Zocor), ezetimibe plus rosuvastatin (generic Crestor)
Vyvanse	Brand Only	lisdexamfetamine dimesylate (generic Vyvanse)
Vyzulta	Single Source Brand	use step therapy
Welchol	Brand Only	colesevelam (generic Welchol)
Winlevi	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Wynzora	Single Source Brand	Must try all: betamethasone (generic Diprosone) + calcipotriene (generic Dovonex), betamethasone/calcipotriene ointment (generic Taclonex), Enstilar, Taclonex Suspension
Xadago	Single Source Brand	Must try all: selegiline (generic Eldepryl), rasagiline (generic Azilect)
Xalatan (Brand Only)	Brand Only	latanoprost (generic Xalatan)
Xalkori	Single Source Brand	Use Nonform guideline AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Xeloda	Brand Only	capecitabine (generic Xeloda) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Xenazine	Brand Only	tetrabenazine (generic Xenazine)

Xerese	Single Source Brand	Must try all: acyclovir capsule/tablet (generic Zovirax), famciclovir tablet (generic Famvir), valacyclovir tablet (generic Valtrex), OTC Abreva
Xhance	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Xifaxan	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Xigduo XR	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Ximino	Single Source Brand	minocycline immediate-release capsules (generic Minocin)
Hydrocodone-acetaminophen 10/300 mg (generic Xodol)	Generic Only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 10/325 mg (generic Norco)
Xodol 5/300 mg	Brand & Generic	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 5/325 mg (generic Norco)
Hydrocodone-acetaminophen 7.5/300 mg (generic Xodol)	Generic Only	hydrocodone/acetaminophen 7.5/325 mg (generic Norco)
Xopenex Nebules	Brand Only	Must try ONE of the following: 1. albuterol nebulized solution (generic Proventil Inhalation Solution) 2. levalbuterol nebulules (generic Xopenex)
Xultophy	Single Source Brand	Soliqua In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and- 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).
Xyntha	Single Source Brand	Use Medical Necessity
Xyosted	Single Source Brand	Use medical necessity
Xyrem	Multisource Brand Without Generic	Use Prior Authorization or Medical Necessity
Yonsa	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Yosprala	Single Source Brand	OTC Aspirin plus omeprazole (Prilosec) or pantoprazole (Protonix)
Yuflyma (adalimumab-aaty) (all dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila 3. Humira
Yusimry (adalimumab-aqvh) (all dosage forms)	Single Source Brand	Must try TWO of the following: 1. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) 2. Amjevita for Nuvaila

		3. Humira
Zalvit	Single Source Brand	Brand and generic prenatal vitamins
Zantac Capsules/Tablets	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Zantac (ranitidine)
Zavesca	Brand Only	miglustat (generic Zavesca)
Zegerid capsule	(Brand and generic) Legend Medication	Must try all: omeprazole (generic Prilosec), pantoprazole (generic Protonix) tablet, rabeprazole (generic Aciphex) tablet
Zegerid packet	Brand & Generic	Use step therapy
Zembrace	Single Source Brand	sumatriptan injection (generic Imitrex)
Zenzedi 5mg and 10mg	Brand Only	Must try all: amphetamine/dextroamphetamine immediate-release (generic Adderall), dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Dexedrine)
Zenzedi 2.5mg, 7.5mg, 15mg, 20mg and 30mg	Brand and Generic	Must try all: amphetamine/dextroamphetamine immediate-release (generic Adderall), dextroamphetamine extended-release (generic Dexedrine)
Zerviate	Single Source Brand	Must try all: OTC ketotifen (Zaditor), OTC olopatadine (Pataday), azelastine ophthalmic solution (generic Optivar), olopatadine ophthalmic solution (generic Patanol), Lastacraft
Zestoretic	Brand Only	lisinopril/hydrochlorothiazide (generic Zestoretic)
Zestril	Brand Only	lisinopril (generic Zestril)
Zetia	Brand Only	ezetimibe tablet (generic Zetia)
Ziana	Brand & Generic	clindamycin gel, solution or lotion (generic Cleocin) + tretinoin cream (generic Retin-A)
Ziextenzo	Single Source Brand	Must try BOTH: Neulasta, Udenyca
Zipsor 25mg	Brand and Generic	oral diclofenac (generic Cataflam, Voltaren)
Zituvimet (sitagliptin free base-metformin)	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try linagliptin-metformin (generic Kombiglyze XR) AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. Alogliptin-Metformin b. Jentadueto
Zituvio (sitagliptin)	Single Source Brand	BOTH of the following: 1. Must try Tradjenta AND 2. Must try ONE of the following: a. saxagliptin (generic Onglyza) b. Alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic)
Zocor	Brand Only	simvastatin (generic Zocor)

Zolpidem capsule	Single Source Brand	zolpidem tablet (generic Ambien, generic Ambien CR)
Zomacton	Brand Only	Norditropin FlexPro, Omnitrope
Zolmitriptan nasal spray	Generic Only	Must try all: sumatriptan nasal spray, brand Zomig nasal spray
Zomig tablets	Brand Only	zolmitriptan tablets (generic Zomig)
Zonalon	Brand Only	doxepin cream
Zonatuss	Brand & Generic	benzonatate (generic Tessalon Perles)
Zortress	Brand Only	everolimus (generic Zortress)
Zorvolex	Single Source Brand	Must try all: diclofenac tablets (generic Voltaren, Cataflam), ibuprofen (generic Motrin), naproxen (generic Naprosyn)
Zovirax Ointment	Brand Only	Must try TWO of the following: oral acyclovir (generic Zovirax), famciclovir (generic Famvir), valacyclovir (generic Valtrex)
Zyclara	Brand and Generic	imiquimod 5% cream (generic Aldara)
Zykadia	Single Source Brand	Use Nonform guideline AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics.
Zymfentra (infliximab)	Single Source Brand	ONE of the following: 1. For plans that have medical necessity review: Use Medical Necessity guideline ONLY OR 2. For plans that do NOT have medical necessity review: Must try THREE of the following: A. ONE adalimumab product: i. Adalimumab-adaz (unbranded Hyrimoz) ii. Amjevita for Nuvaila iii. Humira B. Cimzia (certolizumab) C. Entyvio D. Infliximab IV (medical benefit) E. Omvoh F. Rinvoq G. Simponi H. Stelara I. Skyrizi J. Xeljanz
Zypitamag	Single Source Brand	Use Step Therapy
Zyprexa	Brand Only	olanzapine (generic Zyprexa) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document
Zyprexa Zydis	Brand Only	olanzapine orally disintegrating tablet (generic Zyprexa Zydis) Minnesota: See State Mandate Overview Document

Zyrtec (all dosage forms)	Brand & Generic Legend Medication	OTC Zyrtec
Zytiga 250mg	Brand only	abiraterone 250mg (generic Zytiga) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Zytiga 500mg	Brand & Generic	Use 2 of the abiraterone 250mg (generic Zytiga) AR, CT, CO, DE, IL, LA, MD, MN, NV - Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates. See State Mandate Overview Document for specifics
Zyvox	Brand Only	linezolid (generic Zyvox)

D. Copaxone Only

1. Copaxone will be approved based on ALL of the following:

- a. Submission of medical records documenting history of trial and failure, inadequate response, or intolerance to glatiramir acetate (generic Copaxone. Mylan product only)
Document date and duration of trial

-AND-

- b. Submission of medical records documenting history of trial and failure, inadequate response, or intolerance to Glatopa (Document date and duration of trial)

-AND-

- c. Provider must give an explanation of potential rationale for how the excluded medication will work if stating the patient failed on the covered Therapeutically Equivalent product which has the same active ingredient- (eg, the member had an adverse reaction to an inactive ingredient in the alternative product).

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

E. Brand Truvada

1. Brand Truvada will be approved based on one of the following

- a. All of the following:

- (1) Member is taking **brand** Truvada 200/300 mg as effective antiretroviral therapy for PrEP (Pre-exposure Prophylaxis)

-AND-

(2) **Brand** Truvada 200/300 mg will be used as part of a comprehensive prevention strategy including other prevention measures

-AND-

(3) Submission of medical records documenting a history of adverse event or intolerance to prior use of generic Truvada (emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil fumarate)

Authorization will be issued for zero copay for PreP with deductible bypass for 12 months.

-OR-

b. Submission of medical records documenting Truvada is not being used for PreP and a history of adverse event or intolerance to prior use of generic Truvada (emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil fumarate)

Authorization for Non-PreP indications will be issued for 12 months.

F. Levemir^d

1. Levemir will be approved based on one of the following:

a. Submission of medical records documenting history of a three month trial resulting in a therapeutic failure, contraindication, or intolerance to both Lantus and Toujeo^b

-OR-

b. Member is pregnant and has a history of trial and failure, contraindication, or intolerance to insulin NPH

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

^a State mandates may apply. Any federal regulatory requirements and the member specific benefit plan coverage may also impact coverage criteria. Other policies and utilization management programs may apply.

^b For Connecticut, Kentucky, and Mississippi business, only a 30 day trial will be required.

^c Coverage of oncology medications may be approved based on state mandates.

^d In Florida, Maine, and Tennessee only, medications prescribed for diabetes may be approved based on both of the following: 1) Provider attests use of this product is medically necessary for the treatment of diabetes; and 2) If applicable, clinical characteristics exist that preclude the use of the covered preferred alternative(s) and use of the covered preferred alternative(s) could result in worsening of patient's condition or inadequate treatment (document alternatives and clinical information related to worsening/inadequate treatment).

*Products listed as single source brands were not available generically at time of review and publication. Products listed are current at the time of last review.

**Reauthorization criteria may be applied if initial review criteria is not met and member has a previously approved PA on file for the same review type:
 Requested medication will be approved based on both of the following: documentation of positive clinical response and member is currently on medication as documented in claims history (evidence of claims in past 120 days)

3. Additional Clinical Programs:

- Supply limits may also apply.
- Prior Authorization may also apply.
- Notwithstanding Coverage Criteria, UnitedHealthcare may approve initial and re-authorization based solely on previous claim/medication history, diagnosis codes (ICD-10) and/or claim logic. Use of automated approval and re-approval processes varies by program and/or therapeutic class.

4. References:

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Program	New and Therapeutic Equivalent Medications - Prior Authorization
Change Control	
Date	Change
5/2016 AT UM	New program
10/2016	Added additional products to program. Added provider attestation requirement
2/2017	Added Lantus and Auvi-Q. Added reauthorization criteria. Revised formatting and added Connecticut, New Jersey and New York for clarity.
4/2017	Added Lantus Solostar for clarification. Added state mandate reference language.
4/2018	Annual Review. Administrative changes.
4/2019	Annual Review. Retitled document. Revised background section. Removed provider attestation. Revised alternatives for Azor.
8/2019	Updated Delzicol, Vesicare, and Zovirax from Single Source Brands to Brand & Generic.
11/2019	Added Aplenzin, Celexa, Effexor XR, Forfivo XL and Pexeva.
2/2020	Added Basaglar, Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR and Tresiba. Removed Lantus.
3/2020	Added Copaxone.
4/2020: 5/1/20 effective	Added Lantus. Removed Basaglar, Januvia, Januet, Janumet XR and Tresiba due to change in effective date of exclusions.
4/2020: 6/1/20 effective	Added Copaxone to separate section Reformatted reauthorization section.

5/2020; 7/1/20 effective	Added Noritate. Added Basaglar, Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR and Tresiba. Removed Lantus. Added Colcrlys. Updated Dymista to brand & generic. Updated background.
6/2020; 9/1/20 effective	Added Secuado.
7/2020; 10/1/20 effective	Revised criteria for Zovirax cream.
9/2020; 10/1/20 effective	Added Brand Truvada
10/2020; 1/1/21 effective	Added Tivorbex, brand Synthroid, Symtuza, Gleevec, Norditropin Flexpro, Rayos, and Ampyra. Updated Forfivo XL to Brand & Generic & Januvia, Janumet, and Janumet XR requirements.
12/2020; 1/1/21 effective	Removed Pennsaid.
1/1/2021; 3/1/21 effective	Added amphetamine/dextroamphetamine (generic Adderall XR) and Focalin XR.
3/1/2021; 5/1/2021 effective	Added Otrexup, Relafen, Relafen DS, Semglee, and brand Tecfidera.
5/2021; 7/1/2021 effective	Added Adapalene 0.1% pads. Updated brand Focalin XR.
6/2021; 9/1/2021 effective	Added Oxtellar XR, Qudexy XR, Spritam, Trokendi XR, and Sorilux. Removed reauthorization criteria for sections A and B.
9/1/2021, 12/1/2021 effective	Added Levemir. Updated note for Connecticut and Kentucky.
11/2021; 1/1/2022 effective	Added Ventolin HFA, Albuterol HFA, Rebif & Rebif Rebidose, Proair RespiClick & HFA, methylphenidate extended-release tablet (generic Concerta & methylphenidate extended-release tablet, and Klonopin.
3/2022, 5/1/2022 effective	Added Differin and Duexis. Updated Myrbetriq and Vesicare.
4/2022, 5/1/2022 effective	Added FL, ME, TN mandate language to diabetes drugs.
4/2022, 7/1/2022 effective	Updated oncology medications state mandate note.
7/2022, 8/1/2022 effective	Removed Norditropin Flexpro. Updated Rebif and Rebif Rebidose.
6/2022, 9/1/2022 effective	Added clemastine fumarate syrup.
11/2022, 1/1/2023 effective	Added criteria for existing excluded drugs into a new section within the N&T guideline. Added Vemlidy, Aczone 5% topical gel (brand only), Aczone 7.5% topical gel (brand only), Alinia tablets (brand only), Auryxia, Dilaudid (brand only), Firazyr (brand only), MS Contin (brand only), Nilandron (brand and generic), Renagel (brand only), Welchol (brand only). Removed dapsone gel (generic Aczone 5% and 7.5%), generic Firazyr, generic Welchol. Updated Hysingla ER, Colcrlys.
3/2023, 5/1/2023 effective	Added Adlarity transdermal patch, Afinitor Disperz tablet for suspension, Epsolay, Ibsrela, insulin glargine via/SoloStar, Katerzia suspension, Lyvispah granules, metformin 625mg tablet, Nexiclon XR and clonidine extended-release authorized brand alternative, Quviviq,

	<p>Releuko, Relexxii/methylphenidate extended-release 45mg and 63mg, Relexxii 72mg, Robinul, Robinul Forte, Soanz, Sutent, Tascenso ODT, Tlando, Twyneo cream.</p> <p>Revised criteria for Amitiza, Atripla, Colcrys tablet, Fiasp, Ponvory, Vemlidy, Viibryd, Zortress.</p> <p>Updated Pentasa to reflect brand and generic, Amitiza to reflect brand only, Ambien CR to brand only, Aricept 23mg to brand only, Asacol HD to brand and generic, Atripla to brand only, Butrans to brand only, Lofibra 67mg/134mg/200mg to brand only, Minastrin 24 FE to brand only, Namenda XR to brand only, Tricor to brand only, Nalocet to include oxycodone/acetaminophen 2.5-300mg and reflect multisource brand without generic. Updated Restasis SDV generic only to cyclosporine 0.05% ophthalmic emulsion single dose vials generic only. Updated state mandate note to include Mississippi. Updated diabetes meds state mandate note for Florida, Maine, and Tennessee.</p> <p>Removed Adrenaclick, Auvi-Q, Cordran cream, Cordran ointment, Gvoke auto-injector/prefilled syringe, Gvoke kit, Mounjaro, Radicava ORS, tramadol extended-release (generic Ryzolt), Trizivir, Verkazia 0.1% ophthalmic emulsion, Vijoice.</p>
6/2023, 9/1/2023 effective date	<p>Added allopurinol 200mg, Buphenyl, Entadfi, Esbriet, Fylnetra, Gilenya, isotretinoin 25mg and 35mg, Javygtor, Lanreotide, methocarbamol 1000mg, Pheburane, Ryaltris, Sajazir, Stimufend</p> <p>Removed pantoprazole (Camber manufacturer)</p> <p>Revised Absorica, Absorica LD, Amitiza</p>
12/2023, 1/1/2024 effective date	<p>Added Abrilada, Adderall XR, Advair Diskus, BiDil, Ciprodex, Concerta, Edarbi, Edarbyclor, fenofibrate micronized capsule 30mg and 90mg, fenofibric acid 35mg and 105mg, Finacea, Flovent Diskus, Flovent HFA, Humalog vial, Kombiglyze XR, nitisinone, Onglyza, Prezista, Pulmicort Flexhaler, rabeprazole delayed-release sprinkle, Targretin capsule, Targretin gel, topiramate ER (generic Trokendi XR), Trezix, Uceris rectal foam, Xifaxan, Xyrem, Ziextenzo</p> <p>Revised Antara, Asmanex HFA, Delzicol drug status, Fenoglide, Fibricor, fluticasone furoate/vilanterol ellipta, fluticasone propionate HFA, fluticasone propionate/salmeterol HFA, Fulphila, Fylnetra, Humalog Tempo Pen, Jatenzo, Latuda, Lialda, Lipofen, Lyumjev Tempo Pen, Neupogen, Nyvepria, Rezvoglar KwikPen, Saphris, Stimufend, Tresiba, Vyvanse</p> <p>Updated Androgel 1.62%, Apriso to generic, Daytrana, Denavir, Doral to brand and generic, Enablex to generic, Fiasp to include diabetes mandate, Kerydin drug status, Levemir to include diabetes mandate, Lofena, Onexton, Prevpac to generic, Roszet drug status, Targadox, Tricor, Trilipix, Zovirax ointment</p> <p>Removed Aklief, amphetamine-dextroamphetamine XR, bexarotene capsule, bexarotene gel, bimatoprost 0.03%, Elestat, fluticasone-salmeterol (generic Advair Diskus), Lofibra, methylphenidate extended-release (generic Concerta), QVAR RediHaler, Staxyn, Tavalisse, Triglide, Wixela (generic Advair Diskus), Udenyca, Xopenex HFA</p>
3/20/2024, 5/1/2024 effective date	<p>Added Imbruvica 140mg and 280mg tablet, methylphenidate extended-release tablet, Millipred, Ogsiveo, ursodiol 200mg and 400mg capsule, Xdemvy, zolpidem capsule</p>

	<p>Revised Adhansia XR, Adzenys XR-ODT, Aptensio XR, Cotempla XR-ODT, Daytrana, Dyanavel XR, darifenacin, Evekeo (to brand only), Focalin XR, Forteo (to brand and generic), Mydayis, Pentasa, Quillichew ER, Quillivant XR, Relexxi 72mg, Relexxi/methylphenidate extended-release 45mg and 63mg, Ritalin LA, Sodium Oxybate, Sogroya, Trilipix (to brand only), Votrient</p> <p>Removed fluoxetine 60mg tablet, Hemangeol, Skytrofa, Sohonos, Sympazan</p> <p>Update to Connecticut trial requirement from 60 days to 30 days.</p>
<p>8/16/2024, 9/1/2024 effective date</p>	<p>Added Amjevita 50mg/mL, Bexagliflozin, Bimzelx, Cyltezo, Floriva Plus, glipizide 2.5mg, Iyuzeh, Kazano, Multi-Vi-Flor, multivitamin with fluoride chewable (manufactured by Neos Therapeutics), Nesina, nitrofurantoin 50mg/5mL oral suspension, Oseni, Pokonza, Poly-Vi-Flor, Velsipity.</p> <p>Revised Abrilada, Adalimumab-fkjp, Bepreve, Fabior, Genotropin, Hulio, Humatrope, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Saizen, Travatan Z, Zerviate, Zomacton.</p> <p>Removed Alogliptin (Nesina authorized generic, Alogliptin-Metformin (Kazano authorized generic), Alogliptin-Pioglitazone (Oseni authorized generic), Tev-Tropin.</p>
<p>12/2024, 1/1/2025 effective date</p>	<p>Section A:</p> <p>Revised Brand Abilify tablet, Januvia, Janumet/Janumet XR, brand Myrbetriq, Secaudo, brand Vesicare.</p> <p>Section B:</p> <p>Added Coxanto.</p> <p>Revised Asacol HD, brand Delzicol, Pentasa, Treximet, ursodiol 200mg and 400mg.</p> <p>Updated drug status on Oxtellar XR (to brand and generic), Pennsaid topical solution (to brand and generic), Trokendi XR (to brand and generic).</p> <p>Removed Brand Duragesic, Proair HFA.</p> <p>Section C:</p> <p>Added Adalimumab-aaty (unbranded Yuflyma), Adalimumab-adbm (unbranded Cyltezo), Adalimumab-ryvk, Agamree oral suspension, brand Anaprox DS, brand Aubagio, Axid (all dosage forms), Cabtree gel, Cortisone tablet, Cuvrior, Davimet with Fluoride, Eohilia, Hadlima, Humira manufactured by Cordavis Limited, Hyrimoz, Brand Korlym, Multivitamin-fluoride chewable (manufactured by Neos Therapeutics), Nutropin AQ NuSpin, Oxycodone-acetaminophen oral solution, Promacta tablet, Sevelamer hydrochloride tablet (generic Renagel), Simlandi, Sitagliptin (Zituvio authorized generic), Tetracycline tablet, tiotropium capsule for inhalation (generic Spiriva HandiHaler), tramadol 25mg, Vevye, Yuflyma, Yusimry, Zituvio, Zymfentra.</p> <p>Revised Abrilada, brand Aciphex, brand Actiq, brand Advair Diskus, Admelog, brand Afinitor (remove strengths listed), AirDuo Digihaler, brand AirDuo Respiclick, Alkindi, Alvesco, Amjevita, AndroGel 1%, AndroGel 1.62% Pump, brand Aricept 23mg, ArmonAir Digihaler, Asmanex Twisthaler, Astepro, Auryxia, brand Avapro, Axid solution, Beconase AQ, brand Benicar, brand Benicar HCT, Beyaz, brand</p>

	<p> Bystolic, Brand Colcrys, Cuprimine, cyclosporine 0.05% ophthalmic emulsion single dose vial (generic Restasis SDV), Cyltezo, darifenacin (generic Enablex), brand Detrol, Detrol LA, Edluar, brand Elidel, brand Epiduo, Epiduo Forte, brand EpiPen, brand EpiPen Jr., Eulexin, brand Exforge, generic Exforge HCT, fentanyl transdermal patch (37.5mcg/hr, 62.5mcg/hr, and 87.5mcg/hr strengths only), Fentora, fluorouracil 0.5% cream, Fluticasone furoate-Vilanterol Ellipta, Fluticasone propionate HFA, Fluticasone-Salmeterol HFA, brand Focalin XR, Fortesta, Gemtesa, Genotropin/Genotropin MiniQuick, brand Geodon, Gialax kit, GlucaGen Hypokit, Glucagon Emergency Kit (Lilly), Helidac, Hulio, brand Hyzaar, Ibsrela, Idacio, Impeklo 0.05% lotion, Inderal XL, Innopran XL, Insulin Lispro, Iyuzeh, Janumet, Janumet XR, Januvia, Jatenzo, lansoprazole-amoxicillin-clarithromycin therapy pack (generic Prevpac), Lexette, brand Lialda, mesalamine ER capsule (generic Apriso), brand Metadate CD, methylphenidate extended-release tablet, brand Micardis, brand Micardis HCT, brand Migranal, brand Minocin (change to 100mg strength only), Nasonex, Natesto, Nextstellis, generic Niacor, brand NuvaRing, Olux, Olux-E, Omnaris, Ongentys, OsmoPrep, Otovel, Oxytrol, Prilosec suspension, brand Protonix, Protonix granules for suspension, Qnasl, Quartette, Rabeprazole delayed-release sprinkle, Relistor tablet, Reltone, Renagel, brand Ritalin LA, Safyral, Saizen, Sarafem generic, brand Sensipar, brand Seroquel, brand Seroquel XR, Sertraline capsule (remove strengths), Sodium Oxybate (manufactured by Amneal Pharmaceuticals – Xyrem authorized generic), Talicia, testosterone 1.62% gel packet, testosterone transdermal solution (generic Axiron), testosterone topical gel (authorized generic), testosterone topical gel (generic Testim), Tlando capsule, Toviaz, brand Travatan Z, Tribenzor, Trospium chloride extended-release (generic Sanctura ER), Twirla, Uloric, Vascepa (removed strengths only), Velsipity, Vesicare LS, Vimovo, Viread (add 300mg strength to target drug name), Vogelxo, Xhance, brand Xopenex Nebules, Zenzedi. Updated drug status on Doxycycline monohydrate (generic Adoxa) to generic only, Balcoltra (to brand and generic), Cambia (to brand and generic), Carac (to multisource brand without generic), Concerta (to brand only), Fortamet (to generic only), Intermezzo (to generic only), Metozolv ODT (to generic only), Prolate (to multisource brand without generic), Requip XL (to generic only), Sumadan Kit (to single source brand), Tirosint capsule (to multisource brand without generic), Topicort Spray (to brand and generic), Twynesta (to generic), Umecta Mousse (to single source brand), Vicodin 5-300mg (to generic), Vicodin 7.5-300mg (to generic), Vicodin HP 10-300mg (to generic), Viramune XR (to generic), Vivlodex (to generic), Vusion (to multisource brand without generic), Xodol 10-300mg (to generic only), Xodol 7.5-300mg (to generic only), Zipsor (to brand and generic), Zyclara (to brand and generic). </p> <p> Removed Abstral, brand Aciphex Sprinkle, brand Actigall, Adhansia XR, Alevicyn Antipruritic Gel, Alevicyn Antipruritis Sg, Alevicyn Dermal Spray, brand Amerge, Antara, ArmonAir RespiClick, Atopaderm, Atopiclair, Atrapro Antipruritic Hydrogel, Atrapro Cp, Atrapro Dermal Spray, Aurstat Anti Itch Hydrogel, brand Avelox tablet, </p>
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	<p>brand Avinza, Azeschew, Azstarys, Belsomra, Bimzalex, generic brompheniramine-pseudoephedrine-dextromethorphan, Bunavail Film, Carrasyn Hydrogel Wound Dressing, Ceracade, Ciclodan Combination Package, Cleocin Vaginal Suppository, generic colchicine capsule, Comfort Pac Tizanidine, D.H.E. 45, Daxbia, brand Decadron Elixir, brand Decadron tablet, Dermasorb HC kit, Dermasorb TA, Dermasorb XM 39% kit, Diab, Diab F.D.G. Freeze Dried, brand Disalcid, brand Dovonex, Dutoprol, Dvorah, Eleton, Eleton Twin Pack, Emadine, Embeda, Emulsion Sb, Entty, Epiceram, esomeprazole strontium, Evzio, brand Exalgo, Brand Femhrt, brand Fioricet with Codeine 50mg-325mg-40mg-30mg, brand Floxin 0.3% otic, Genadur, Genadur Kit, Giazio, Helixate FS, Histex, Histex AC Syrup, HPR, HPR Plus, HPR Plus Hydrogel, HPR Plus/MG Hydrogel, brand Humatin, Hycofenix, Hydrocodone-guaifenesin solution 2.5-200mg/5mL, Hylatopic Plus, Ingrezza, Jornay PM, Kendall Amorphous Hydrogel Wound Dressing, Keralac 47% cream, Khedezla, Lanreotide, Lonhala Magnair, Lumakras, MB Hydrogel, brand Metrogel 0.75% Vaginal, brand Micort HC 2.5% cream, Microcyn, Moderiba Tablet and Pack., brand Monodox, Morgidox Kit, Neosalus, Neosalus Cp, Nicazeldoxy 30 kit (Doxycycline plus MVI), Nivatopic Plus, brand Norco, Ogsiveo, Omnitrope, Onmel, Opana ER, brand Optivar, Brand Patanase, Pcp 100 Kit, brand Penlac Nail Lacquer, PR Cream, Pramosome E, brand Pravachol, Presera, brand Prilosec capsule, Primlev, Promiseb Complete Kit, brand Protopic, brand Prozac Weekly, Pruclair, Prumyx, Qmiiz ODT, Qulipta, QVAR RediHaler, Radiagel, RadiaPlex RX, Ribasphere Ribapak, Rosula, SilvaSorb, brand Soriatane, Spectragel, SSS 10-5, Subsys, brand Sumaxin TS, Brand Tarka, Temixys, brand Temodar capsule, Tetravex gel, Therahoney, Trinaz, Tropazone, Brand Ultram, Umecta Kit (nail film pen/film suspension), Umecta PD, Uramaxin GT 45%, Uramaxin GT Kit, brand Urevaz 44% cream, Utopic (urea) 41%, Vacustim, Vascuderm, Vascuderm Hydrogel Wound Dressing, Veramyst, Viramune, Brand Wellbutrin, Xartemis XR, Xdemvy, Zanabin Antipruritis Hydrogel, Zcort, brand Zofran tablet, brand Zohydro ER, brand Zomig ZMT, Zuplenz, brand Zutripro.</p>
<p>4/2025, 5/1/2025 effective date</p>	<p>Add baclofen 15mg, Clobetasol propionate 0.05% ophthalmic suspension, brand Daliresp, brand Durezol, brand Keveyis, brand Kiprofen, Levetiracetam 250mg disintegrating soluble, brand Marinol, Norgesic, ondansetron 16mg ODT, Opsynvi, Ormalvi, Oxycodone 10mg abuse deterrent, brand Sprycel, Sovuna, Tolectin 600mg, tolmetin 400mg, brand Victoza, Zituvimet.</p> <p>Revise chlorzoxazone 250mg, Lofena, Lorzone, Mydayis to brand only, Namzaric to brand and generic, Norgesic Forte, Orphengesic Forte, Oxycontin, Promacta tablet, Roxybond drug status, Safyral to brand only, Travatan Z.</p> <p>Remove Generess FE, Nivestym.</p>