

Abbreviation Key

Refer to your plan documents for a complete description of benefits, exclusions and limitations of coverage

*	Some plans may not cover this drug. Alternatives are available.
FE Formulary Exclusion	These drugs are not covered under your pharmacy benefit plan due to a formulary exclusion. You can still get these drugs but will need to pay the full cost of the drug.
NC Not-Covered	These drugs are not covered under your pharmacy benefit plan due to a benefit exclusion. You can still get these drugs but will need to pay the full cost of the drug.
NPB/G Non-preferred brand or non-preferred generic drug	These drugs aren't preferred. You may pay higher out-of-pocket costs when using a non-preferred brand-name or non-preferred generic drug.
NPS Non-preferred specialty drug	These drugs aren't preferred. You may pay higher out-of-pocket costs when using a non-preferred drug on the Aetna Specialty Drug List.
PA - Preauthorization (Precertification)	Preauthorization only applies if your plan includes precertification. This means that we have to approve some drugs before we cover them. If this is required, your doctor must contact us to request approval of coverage.
PB Preferred brand-name drug	These are brand-name drugs that are covered at your 2 nd Tier copay. You may pay lower out-of-pocket costs when you use preferred drugs, but this may not always be the case.
PS Preferred specialty drugs	You may pay lower out-of-pocket costs when you use preferred drugs on the Aetna Specialty Drug List.
PG Preferred generic	These are generic drugs that are covered at your 1 st tier copay. You may pay lower out-of-pocket costs when you use preferred drugs, but this may not always be the case.
QL Quantity limits	Quantity limits only applies if your plan includes preauthorization. Quantity limits help ensure that you get a safe amount of your drug. If you go past the quantity limit, your doctor must contact us to request approval of coverage.
SE Safety edit	The drugs on this list require clinical checks for all plans. These drugs have the greatest potential for harm according to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Overuse and abuse of these drugs can have harmful side effects and they must be used within the guidelines set by the FDA.
SPB Specialty pharmacy coverage	You may pay higher out of pocket costs and may be required to get these products at an Aetna Specialty Pharmacy network provider, like Aetna Specialty Pharmacy. Specialty products are limited to a 30 day supply.
ST Step therapy	Step therapy only applies if your plan includes this option. This means that you must try one or more prerequisite drug(s) before we cover a step-therapy drug. Step therapy protocol complies with all mandated requirements which include disclosing an exceptions request process to the enrollee; and disclosing an enrollee's expedited adverse determination appeal rights and independent review organization (IRO) rights for denials of exception requests.

Drug Name	Current Tier	Tier as of 4/1/18	Formulary Alternative(s)	Notes
ALLZITAL	NPB/G	NPB/G*	butalbital-acetaminophen 50-325	Add ST
AVONEX	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
AVONEX PEN	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
AVONEX PREFL	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
BETASERON	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
BRISDELLE	NPB/G	NPB/G	paroxetine	Add ST
bupap	PG	PG*	butalbital-acetaminophen 50-325	
butalbital-acetaminophen tab 50-300 mg	PG	PG*	butalbital-acetaminophen 50-325	
CORDRAN 0.05% CRM, OINT, LOT	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (60gm per 30 days)
DESCOVY	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Remove PA, Remove SE
dextroamphetamine sol 5mg/5ml	PG	PG	generic stimulant, atomoxetine, VYVANSE	Add PA
EFFIENT	PB	NPB/G	clopidogrel	
ELIQUIS 2.5 MG	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (60 tabs per 30 days)
ELIQUIS 5 MG	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (75 tabs per 30 days)
EVZIO	NPB/G*	NPB/G*	Does not apply to this change	ADD QL (2 injections per fill, 4 injections per month)
EXTAVIA	NPS	NPS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
FARXIGA	NPB/G*	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Remove ST
finasteride	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add PA, Remove Age Limit
FLOVENT HFA	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Change QL (2 inhalers per month)
flurandrenol 0.05% crm, oint, lot	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (60gm per 30 days)
FORTAMET	NPB/G*	NPB/G*	generic GLUCOPHAGE/GLUCOPHAGE XR	Add PA
GLUMETZA	NPB/G*	NPB/G*	generic GLUCOPHAGE/GLUCOPHAGE XR	Add PA
INGREZZA	NPS	NPS	Does not apply to this change	Change QL (1/ day)
klor-con pow 20meq	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (5 packs per day)
LAZANDA	NPB/G	NPB/G*	fentanyl citrate lozenge	
LEMTRADA	NPS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Remove ST
mefenam acid	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (30 caps per 7 days)
metformin er tab (generic FORTAMET)	PG*	PG*	generic GLUCOPHAGE/GLUCOPHAGE XR	Add PA
metformin er tab (generic GLUMETZA)	PG*	PG*	generic GLUCOPHAGE/GLUCOPHAGE XR	Add PA

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methamphetamine 5 mg tab	PG	PG	amphetamine/ dextroamphetamine, methylphenidate, dexamethylphenidate	Add PA
NARCAN NASAL SPRAY	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (2 sprays per fill, 4 sprays per month)
nolix	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (60gm per 30 days)
PLEGRIDY	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
PLEGRIDY PEN	PS	PS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 box/ month)
PONSTEL	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (30 caps per 7 days)
pot chloride pow 20meq	PG	PG	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (5 packs per day)
PRADAXA	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (2 per day)
PRIMLEV	NPB/G	NPB/G*	oxycodone/acetaminophen	Add ST
PROSCAR	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Add PA, Remove Age Limit
PULMICORT	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Add PA
SAVAYSA	NPB/G	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 per day)
SUBSYS	NPB/G	NPB/G*	fentanyl citrate lozenge	
TRELEGY	NPB/G	PB	Does not apply to this change	
TRUVADA	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Remove PA, Remove SE
TUDORZA PRES	NPB/G	NPB/G	INCRUSE, SPIRIVA	Add PA
VALCHLOR	NPS	NPS	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (4/ day)
VOSEVI	NPS	PS	Does not apply to this change	
XARELTO 20 MG	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 per day)
XARELTO 15 MG	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (2 per day)
XARELTO 10 MG	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (35 tabs per 180 days)
XARELTO STARTER PACK	PB	PB	Does not apply to this change	Add QL (1 pack per 365 days)
XIGDUO XR	NPB/G*	NPB/G	Does not apply to this change	Remove ST

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Please note that if your prescription drug benefits plan changes, the information in this letter may no longer apply.

Some health benefits and health insurance plans are offered, administered and/or underwritten by Aetna Health Inc., 151 Farmington Avenue, Hartford, CT 06156. Each insurer has sole financial responsibility for its own products.

Not all health services are covered. See plan documents for a complete description of benefits, exclusions, limitations and conditions of coverage. Plan features and availability may vary by location and are subject to change.

Aetna receives rebates from drug manufacturers that may be taken into account in determining the Aetna Pharmacy Plan and Specialty Drug List. Rebates do not reduce the amount a member pays the pharmacy for covered prescriptions. Information is subject to change. For more information about your pharmacy plan, refer to your plan's website that is on your member ID card.

In accordance with state law, commercial fully insured (including HMO) members in Louisiana and Texas (except Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan members) who are receiving coverage for medications that are added or removed from the Aetna Pharmacy Plan and Specialty Drug List will continue to have those medications covered at the same benefit level until their plan's renewal date. In Texas, preauthorization approval is known as "preservice utilization review." It is not "verification" as defined by Texas law. Preauthorization means a determination that healthcare services proposed to be provided to a patient are medically necessary and appropriate.

In accordance with state law, fully insured commercial California HMO members (except Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan members) who are receiving coverage for medications that are to receive precertification or step-therapy reviews will continue to have those medications covered, for as long as the treating physician continues prescribing them, provided that the drug is appropriately prescribed and is considered safe and effective for treating the enrollee's medical condition.

In accordance with state law, fully insured commercial Connecticut PPO members (except Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan members) who are receiving coverage for medications that are to receive preauthorization or step-therapy reviews will continue to have those medications covered for as long as the treating physician prescribes them, provided the drug is medically necessary and more medically beneficial than other covered drugs. Nothing in this section shall preclude the prescribing provider from prescribing another drug covered by the plan that is medically appropriate for the enrollee, nor shall anything in this section be construed to prohibit generic drug substitutions.

The drugs on the Aetna Pharmacy Plan and Specialty Drug List including formulary exclusions, preauthorization, quantity limit and step-therapy reviews are subject to change. The quantity limits and step-therapy drug coverage review programs are not available in all service areas. For example, step-therapy programs do not apply to fully insured members in Indiana. Step therapy does not apply to fully insured members in New Jersey. However, these programs are available to self-funded plans.

Aetna Pharmacy Management administers, but does not offer, insure or otherwise underwrite the prescription drug benefit portion of your health plan and has no financial responsibility therefor. Aetna Pharmacy Management refers to an internal business unit of Aetna Health Management, LLC.

This material is for information only. It contains only a partial, general description of plan benefits or programs and does not constitute a contract. See plan documents for a complete description of benefits, exclusions, limitations and conditions of coverage. Plan features and availability may vary by location and are subject to change. Providers are independent contractors and are not agents of Aetna. Provider participation may change without notice. Aetna does not provide care or guarantee access to health services. For more information you can refer to your plan's website.

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Aetna provides free aids/services to people with disabilities and to people who need language assistance.

If you need a qualified interpreter, written information in other formats, translation or other services, call the number on your ID card.

If you believe we have failed to provide these services or otherwise discriminated based on a protected class noted above, you can also file a grievance with the Civil Rights Coordinator by contacting:

Civil Rights Coordinator,

P.O. Box 14462, Lexington, KY 40512 (CA HMO customers: PO Box 24030 Fresno, CA 93779),
1-800-648-7817, TTY: 711,

Fax: 859-425-3379 (CA HMO customers: 860-262-7705), CRCoordinator@aetna.com.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, or at 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD).

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TTY: 711

To access language services at no cost to you, call the number on your ID card.

Para acceder a los servicios de idiomas sin costo, llame al número que figura en su tarjeta de identificación. (Spanish)

如欲使用免費語言服務，請致電您 ID 卡上的電話號碼 (Chinese)

Afin d'accéder aux services langagiers sans frais, veuillez composer le numéro inscrit sur votre carte d'identité. (French)

Para ma-access ang mga serbisyo sa wika nang wala kayong babayaran, tawagan ang numero sa inyong ID card. (Tagalog)

T'áá ni nizaad k'ehjí bee níká a'doowoł doo bááh ílínígóó naaltsoos bee atah níłjigo nanitinígíí bee néého'dółzinígíí béésh bee hane'í bikáá' áají' hólne'. (Navajo)

Um auf für Sie kostenlose Sprachdienstleistungen zuzugreifen, rufen Sie die Nummer auf Ihrer ID-Karte an. (German)

Për shërbime përkthimi falas për ju, telefononi në numrin që gjendet në kartën tuaj të identitetit. (Albanian)

የድንገተኛ አገልግሎቶችን ያለከፍያ ለማግኘት፣ በመታወቂያዎች ላይ ያለውን ቁጥር ይደውሉ። (Amharic)

للحصول على الخدمات اللغوية دون أي تكلفة، الرجاء الاتصال على الرقم الموجود على بطاقتك الشخصية. (Arabic)

Անվճար լեզվական ծառայություններից օգտվելու համար զանգահարեք ձեր ինքնության (ID) քարտի վրա նշված հեռախոսահամարով: (Armenian)

Kugira uronke serivisi z'indimi atakiguzi, Hamagara inumero iri kuri karangamuntu kawe. (Bantu)

আপনাকে বিনামূল্যে ভাষা পরিষেবা পেতে হলে আপনার পরিচয়পত্রে দেওয়া নম্বরে টেলিফোন করুন। (Bengali)

Ngadto maakses ang mga serbisyo sa pinulongan alang libre, tawagan sa numero sa nimong ID card. (Bisayan-Visayan)

သင့်အနေဖြင့် အခကြေးငွေ မပေးရဲဘဲ ဘာသာစကားဝန်ဆောင်မှုများ ရရှိနိုင်ရန်၊ သင့် ID ကတ်ပေါ်တွင်ရှိသော ဖုန်းနံပါတ်အား ခေါ်ဆိုပါ။ (Burmese)

Per accedir a serveis lingüístics sense cap cost per vostè, telefoni al número indicat a la seva targeta d'identificació. (Catalan)

Para un hago' i setbision lengguåhi ni dibåtde para hågu, ågang i numiru gi iyo-mu kard aidentifikasion. (Chamorro)

[illegible]

Anumpa tohsholi I toksvli ya peh pilla ho ish I paya hinla kv t chi holisso iskitini holhtena takanli ma I paya. (Choctaw)

Tajaajjiiloota afaanii gatii bilisaa ati argaachuuf, lakkoofsa duugda waraaqaa eenyummaa (ID) kee irraa jiruun bilbili. (Cushite-Oromo)

Voor gratis toegang tot taaldiensten, bel het nummer op uw ID-kaart. (Dutch)

Pou jwenn sèvis lang gratis, rele nimewo telefòn ki sou kat idantite ou a. (French Creole-Haitian)

Για να επικοινωνήσετε χωρίς χρέωση με το κέντρο υποστήριξης πελατών στη γλώσσα σας, τηλεφωνήστε στον αριθμό που αναγράφεται στην κάρτα σας προνομίων μέλους. (Greek)

તમારે કોઈ જાતના ખર્ચ વિના ભાષાની સેવાઓની પહોંચ માટે, તમારા આઇડી કાર્ડ ઉપરના નંબરને કોલ કરો. (Gujarati)

No ka walaʻau ʻana me ka lawelawe ʻōlelo e kahea aku i ka helu kelepona ma kāu kākēka ID. Kāki ʻole ʻia kēia kōkua nei. (Hawaiian)

आपके लिए बिना किसी कीमत के भाषा सेवाओं का उपयोग करने के लिए, अपने आईडी कार्ड पर दिये नम्बर पर कॉल करें। (Hindi)

Xav tau kev pab txhais lus tsis muaj nqi them rau koj, hu tus naj npawb ntawm koj daim npav ID.
(Hmong)

Iji nwetaòhèrè na ọrụ gasị asụsụ n'efu, kpọọ nọmba no na kaadị ID gị. (Ibo)

Tapno maaksesyo dagiti serbisio maipapan iti pagsasao nga awan ti bayadanyo, tawagan ti numero idiay ID cardyo. (Ilocano)

Untuk mengakses layanan bahasa tanpa dikenakan biaya, hubungi nomor telepon di kartu identitas Anda. (Indonesian)

Per accedere ai servizi linguistici, senza alcun costo per lei, chiami il numero sulla tessera identificativa.
(Italian)

言語サービスを無料でご利用いただくには、IDカードに記載の番号にお電話ください。
(Japanese)

လၢတၢ်ကမၤန့ၢ်ကျိၣ်အတၢ်မၤစၢၤအတၢ်ဖဲးတၢ်မၤစတၢ်လၢတအိၣ်ဒီးအပ္ပၤလၢနကဘၣ်ဟ့ၣ်အိၣ်ဘၣ်န့ၣ်.ကိးဘၣ်လိတဖီနီၣ်ဂံၢ်လၢအိၣ်လၢနတၢ်ဂီၤဆိ (ID)
အခးလိၣ်တကၢ် (Karen)

무료 언어 서비스를 이용하려면 보험 ID 카드에 수록된 번호로 전화해 주십시오. (Korean)

M dyi wuḍu-dù kà kò dò bě dyi móuń nì pídỳi ní, nìí, dǎ nòbà nìà nì ID káàò kǝ. (Kru-Bassa)

بۆ دەسپێر اگەشتن بە خزمەتگوزاری زمان بەبێ تێچوون بۆ تۆ، پەيوەندی بکە بە ژمارەى سەر ئای دى (ID) کارتی خۆت.
(Kurdish)

ເພື່ອເຂົ້າໃຊ້ການບໍລິການພາສາໂດຍບໍ່ເສຍຄ່າຕໍ່ກັບທ່ານ,
ໃຫ້ໂທຫາເບີໂທທົບອກໄວ້ໃນບັດປະຈຳຕົວຂອງທ່ານ. (Laotian)

कोणत्याही शुल्काशिवाय भाषा सेवा प्राप्त करण्यासाठी, तुमच्या ID कार्डवरील क्रमांकावर फोन करा. (Marathi)

Nan etal nan jikin jiban ko ikijen kajin ilo an ejelok onen nan kwe, kirllok nomba eo ilo ID kaat eo am.
(Marshallese)

Pwehn alehdi sawas en lokaia kan ni sohte pweipwei, koahlih nempe nan amhw doaropwe en ID.
(Micronesian-Pohnpeian)

ដើម្បីទទួលបានសេវាកម្មភាសាដែលឥតគិតថ្លៃសម្រាប់លោកអ្នក សូមហៅទូរស័ព្ទទៅកាន់
លេខដែលមាននៅលើប័ណ្ណសម្គាល់ខ្លួនរបស់លោកអ្នក។ (Mon-Khmer, Cambodian)

निःशुल्क भाषा सेवा प्राप्त गर्न आफ्नो परिचयपत्रमा भएको नम्बरमा टेलिफोन गर्नुहोस् । (Nepali)

Të kɔɔr yīn wěēr de thokic ke cīn wěu kɔr keek tēnɔŋ yīn. Ke cɔl kɔc ye kɔc kuɔny nē nɔmba de abac tō
nē ID kard du kōu. (Nilotic-Dinka)

For tilgang til kostnadsfri språktjenester, ring nummeret på ID-kortet ditt. (Norwegian)

Um Schprooch Services zu griegie mitaus Koscht, ruff die Nummer uff dei ID Kaart. (Pennsylvania Dutch)

برای دسترسی به خدمات زبان به طور رایگان، با شماره قید شده روی کارت شناسایی خود تماس بگیرید. (Persian-Farsi)

Aby uzyskać dostęp do bezpłatnych usług językowych proszę zadzwonić numer telefonu na Twojej
Karcie Identykującej (Polish)

Para acessar os serviços de idiomas sem custo para você, ligue para o número que consta na sua
identidade. (Portuguese)

ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਬਿਨਾਂ ਕਿਸੇ ਕੀਮਤ ਵਾਲੀਆਂ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ ਦੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ, ਆਪਣੇ ਆਈਡੀ ਕਾਰਡ 'ਤੇ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਨੰਬਰ ਤੇ ਫ਼ੋਨ
ਕਰੋ। (Punjabi)

Pentru a accesa gratuit serviciile de limbă, apelați numărul de pe cardul dvs. de identificare.
(Romanian)

Для того чтобы бесплатно получить помощь переводчика, позвоните по телефону, приведенному
на вашей карточке участника плана. (Russian)

