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Summary of change lists

2021 Aetna Standard Plan



Aetna Standard Plan - January 1, 2021 updates

There will be changes to the Aetna Standard Plan drug list that applies to your plan starting January 1, 2021. It's important that you review and understand the changes in the chart below. Talk to your health care provider about how these changes might impact you.

What if I need a prescription drug that requires a medical exception?

You or your prescriber can request a medical exception to the changes in this letter. If you would like to ask for a medical exception, speak directly with your prescriber or you can call us at the toll-free number on your member ID card.

We'll contact you and your prescriber with our decision. If your exception is approved, you only need to pay your plan copay or cost-share. This amount is based on your pharmacy plan design.

How to find a preferred medicine that's right for you

You can visit the website that's on your member ID card and sign into your account.

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UPPERCASE	Brand-name medicine
lowercase italics	Generic medicine

Drugs moving from not covered to covered status

Drug name
PERSERIS
PHESGO
LAMICTAL, LAMICTAL ODT, LAMICTAL XR
TOUJEO
ONETOUCH ULTRA, ONETOUCH VERIO
NORDITROPIN
DOPTELET, ZIEXTENZO
FLAREX
DUROLANE, EUFLEXXA

Drugs moving from non-preferred to preferred (Tier 3 to Tier 2) status

Disease state	Drug name	
Cancer	ALECENSA, ALUNBRIG, ERIVEDGE, NINLARO, PERJETA, VELCADE	
Cardiovascular	NEXLETOL, NEXLIZET	
CNS	INBRIJA, NAYZILAM, VALTOCO, XCOPRI	
Contraceptive	ANNOVERA	
Endocrine	IMVEXXY	
Gastrointestinal	CLENPIQ	
Multiple Sclerosis	OCREVUS	
Ophthalmic	ZIOPTAN	
Respiratory	BREZTRI	
Rosacea	ORACEA	

Drugs moving from preferred to non-preferred (Tier 2 to Tier 3) status

Disease state	Drug name	Alternative(s)
Antipsychotic	RISPERDAL INJ	ABILIFY MAINTENA, PERSERIS
Nausea	VARUBI	aprepitant
Schizophrenia	ARISTADA	ABILIFY MAINTENA, PERSERIS

Drugs moving from covered to not covered status

Disease state	Drug name	Alternative(s)
Acne	AZELEX, DIFFERIN, FABIOR	adapalene, benzoyl peroxide, clindamycin gel (except NDC^68682046275), clindamycin solution, clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide, erythromycin solution, erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide, tretinoin, EPIDUO, ONEXTON
Acne / Psoriasis	TAZORAC	adapalene, benzoyl peroxide, clindamycin gel (except NDC^68682046275), clindamycin solution, clindamycin-benzoyl peroxide, erythromycin solution, erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide, tretinoin, EPIDUO, ONEXTON; calcipotriene ointment, calcipotriene solution
Angina	isosorbide dinitrate 40mg	isosorbide dinitrate (except isosorbide dinitrate 40 mg), isosorbide mononitrate
Cancer	BORTEZOMIB, KYPROLIS	NINLARO, VELCADE
CNS	ADZENYS, APTENSIO, DAYTRANA	amphetamine-dextroamphetamine mixed salts ext-rel (excluding certain NDCs), methylphenidate ext-rel (excluding certain NDCs), MYDAYIS, VYVANSE
	APOKYN	INBRIJA
Contraceptive	NUVARING	ethinyl estradiol-etonogestrel, ANNOVERA
Depression	PAXIL, PAXIL CR, PEXEVA, VIIBRYD	citalopram, escitalopram, fluoxetine (except fluoxetine tablet 60 mg, fluoxetine tablet [generics for SARAFEM]), paroxetine HCl, paroxetine HCl ext-rel, sertraline, TRINTELLIX
Diabetes Supplies	ACCU-CHEK	ONETOUCH ULTRA, ONETOUCH VERIO
	ESTRING, FEMRING, INTRAROSA, PREMARIN VAG CREAM	estradiol, IMVEXXY
	MENEST, OSPHENA, PREMARIN	estradiol
	SIGNIFOR, SOMAVERT	SOMATULINE DEPOT
Gastrointestinal	GOLYTELY, SUPREP	peg 3350-electrolytes, CLENPIQ
Growth Hormone	HUMATROPE	NORDITROPIN
Hematologic	NEULASTA, UDENYCA	ZIEXTENZO
IBS	AMITIZA	LINZESS, MOVANTIK, SYMPROIC
	TRULANCE	LINZESS
Malaria	DARAPRIM	pyrimethamine
Multiple Sclerosis	TECFIDERA	dimethyl fumarate delayed-rel, glatiramer, AUBAGIO, BETASERON, COPAXONE, GILENYA, KESIMPTA, MAYZENT, OCREVUS, REBIF, TYSABRI, VUMERITY, ZEPOSIA
Ophthalmic	BEPREVE	azelastine, cromolyn sodium, olopatadine, LASTACAFT, PAZEO
	LACRISERT	RESTASIS, XIIDRA
	PROLENSA	bromfenac, diclofenac, ketorolac, ACUVAIL, ILEVRO, NEVANAC
	ZIRGAN	trifluridine
Otic	CIPRO HC, CIPRODEX	ciprofloxacin-dexamethasone, ofloxacin otic
PAH	TRACLEER	ambrisentan, bosentan, OPSUMIT
Pain	GEL-ONE, VISCO-3	DUROLANE, EUFLEXXA, GELSYN-3, SUPARTZ FX
	metaxolone	cyclobenzaprine (except cyclobenzaprine tablet 7.5 mg)
	oxymorphone	fentanyl transdermal, hydrocodone ext-rel, hydromorphone ext-rel, methadone, morphine ext-rel, NUCYNTA ER, XTAMPZA ER
Psoriasis	calcipotriene / betamethasone	calcipotriene ointment or calcipotriene solution WITH desoximetason fluocinonide (except fluocinonide cream 0.1%) or BRYHALI

Drugs moving from covered to not covered status

Disease state	Drug name	Alternative(s)
Respiratory	ARALAST, GLASSIA	PROLASTIN-C
	BEVESPI	ANORO ELLIPTA, STIOLTO RESPIMAT
	INCRUSE	SPIRIVA, YUPELRI
Rosacea	MIRVASO	azelaic acid gel, metronidazole, FINACEA FOAM, SOOLANTRA

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