

## Quarterly pharmacy formulary change notice

Please note, this communication applies to Anthem HealthKeepers Plus, Medallion and Anthem HealthKeepers Plus, Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus (Anthem CCC Plus) offered by HealthKeepers, Inc.

The formulary changes listed in the table below applies to all Anthem HealthKeepers Plus (FAMIS [CHIP] and Medallion [Medicaid]) members and Anthem HealthKeepers Plus, Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus (Anthem CCC Plus) members. These changes were reviewed and approved at the fourth quarter Pharmacy and Therapeutics committee meeting.

Effective July 15, 2022, formulary changes, non-formulary changes and prior authorization requirements will apply. Remember to read the footnotes at the end of the table.

Effective for all members on July 15, 2022			
Therapeutic class	Medication	Formulary status change	Potential alternatives (preferred products)
ANTIMIGRAINE AGENTS	UBRELVY TAB 50MG UBRELVY TAB 100MG	NON-PREFERRED	NURTEC TAB 75MG ODT
	NURTEC TAB 75MG ODT	PREFERRED	N/A
ANTIVIRAL-TOPICALS	ABREVA CREAM 10% ZOVIRAX CREAM 5%	NON-PREFERRED	DOCOSANOL CREAM 10% ACYCLOVIR CREAM 5%
	DOCOSANOL CREAM 10% ACYCLOVIR CREAM 5%	PREFERRED	N/A
COPD AGENTS	SPIRIVA RESPIMAT	PREFERRED	N/A
CYTOKINE AND CAM ANTAGONISTS	RENFLEXIS INJ 100MG	NON-PREFERRED	INFLECTRA INJ 100MG
	INFLECTRA INJ 100MG	PREFERRED	N/A
HYPOGLYCEMIC AGENTS, INCRETIN	GLYXAMBI TAB 10-5 MG GLYXAMBI TAB 25-5 MG	NON-PREFERRED	FARXIGA TAB JARDIANCE TAB SYNJARDY TAB
HYPOGLYCEMIC AGENTS, INSULIN	NOVOLOG MIX INJ 70/30 NOVOLOG MIX INJ FLEXPEN	NON-PREFERRED	INSULIN ASPART INJ 70/30 INS ASPART PROTAMINE INJ FLEXPEN
	INSULIN ASPART INJ 70/30 INSULIN ASPART PROTAMINE INJ FLEXPEN INSULIN ASPART INJ 100/ML	PREFERRED	N/A

<https://providers.anthem.com/va>

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Therapeutic class	Medication	Formulary status change	Potential alternatives (preferred products)
	INSULIN ASPART INJ FLEXPEN INSULIN ASPART INJ PENFILL INSULIN LISPRO INJ JUNIOR INSULIN LISPRO INJ 100/ML KWIKPEN INSULIN LISPRO INJ PROTAMIN		
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	TECFIDERA CAP 120MG TECFIDERA CAP 240MG TECFIDERA MIS STARTER	NON-PREFERRE D	DIMETHYL FUMARATE CAP 120MG DR DIMETHYL FUMARATE CAP 240MG DR DIMETHYL FUMARATE MIS STARTER
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STIMULANTS	FOCALIN TAB 2.5MG FOCALIN TAB 5MG FOCALIN TAB 10MG	NON-PREFERRE D	DEXMETHYLPHENIDATE TAB 2.5MG DEXMETHYLPHENIDATE TAB 5MG DEXMETHYLPHENIDATE TAB 10MG
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Edits effective July 15, 2022.		
No changes in preferred/nonpreferred status revision or addition to UM edit only		
Therapeutic class	Medication	Formulary status change
OPIOID AGONISTS	TRAMADOL HCL TAB 100MG	ADD PA

**What action do I need to take?**

Please review these changes and work with your Anthem HealthKeepers Plus patients and/or Anthem CCC Plus patients to transition them to formulary alternatives. If you determine formulary alternatives are not clinically appropriate for specific patients, you will need to obtain prior authorization to continue coverage beyond the applicable effective date.

### What if I need assistance?

We recognize the unique aspects of patients' cases. If your patients cannot be converted to a formulary alternative, call our Pharmacy department at **800-901-0020** (Anthem HealthKeepers Plus members) or **855-323-4687** (Anthem CCC Plus members) and follow the voice prompts for pharmacy prior authorization. You can find the *Preferred Drug List* (formulary) on our provider website at <https://mediproviders.anthem.com/va> > Pharmacy > Medicaid Common Core Formulary > Common Core Preferred Drug List.

If you have any questions about this communication, call Anthem HealthKeepers Plus, Medallion Provider Services at **800-901-0020** or Anthem CCC Plus Provider Services at **855-323-4687**.



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