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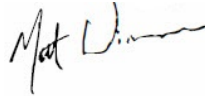
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Subject: Update to Idaho Medicaid Preferred Drug List per Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee Meetings on April 20 and May 18, 2019

Drug/Drug Classes:	Noted below. Agents shaded indicate changes in preferred drug status.
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The attached document is an update to the Idaho Medicaid Preferred Drug List. It reflects decisions based on recommendations from the Idaho Medicaid Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee at the April and May 2019 meetings.

The preferred drug list and drug-class specific prior authorization criteria are based on nationally recognized peer-reviewed information and evidence-based clinical criteria. Medicaid designates preferred agents within a drug-class based primarily on objective evaluations of their relative safety, effectiveness, and clinical outcomes in comparison with other therapeutically interchangeable alternative drugs and, secondarily, on cost.

Questions regarding the Preferred Drug List can be referred to the Idaho Medicaid Pharmacy Unit at (208) 364-1829. A current listing of preferred agents, non-preferred agents, and prior authorization criteria for all drug classes is also available online at www.medicaidpharmacy.idaho.gov.

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May 2019 PDL Recommendations

Therapeutic Class	Divisions Recommendations
Analgesics, Narcotic – Long Acting	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> morphine ER ^{CL} tablets</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ARYMO ER (morphine ER) ^{CL} BELBUCA (buprenorphine) ^{CL} buccal film buprenorphine transdermal ^{CL} BUTRANS (buprenorphine transdermal) ^{CL} CONZIP (tramadol ER) ^{CL} EMBEDA (morphine/naloxone) ^{CL} EXALGO (hydromorphone) ^{CL} hydromorphone ER ^{CL} HYSINGLA ER (hydrocodone ER) ^{CL} fentanyl transdermal ^{CL} methadone ^{CL} MORPHABOND ER (morphine ER) ^{CL} morphine ER ^{CL} capsules NUCYNTA ER (tapentadol ER) ^{CL} oxycodone ER ^{CL} OXYCONTIN (oxycodone) ^{CL} oxymorphone ER ^{CL} tramadol ER ^{CL} XTAMPZA ER (oxycodone) ZOHYDRO ER (hydrocodone ER) ^{CL}</p>
Analgesics, Narcotic-Short Acting	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> hydrocodone/APAP morphine IR tablet, solution, conc soln oxycodone/APAP tablets tramadol IR tramadol/APAP</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ABSTRAL (fentanyl) ^{CL} ACTIQ (fentanyl transmucosal) ^{CL} APADAZ (benzhydrocodone/APAP) butalbital/APAP/caffeine/codeine butalbital/ASA/caffeine/codeine butorphanol nasal Capital and codeine suspension (codeine/ APAP) carisoprodol compound/codeine codeine codeine/ acetaminophen dihydrocodeine/APAP/caffeine DSUVIA (sufentanil) sublingual fentanyl transmucosal ^{CL} FENTORA (fentanyl) ^{CL} hydrocodone/ibuprofen</p>

Therapeutic Class	Divisions Recommendations
Analgesics, Narcotic – Short Acting (continued)	hydromorphone tablets, liquid, suppositories IBUDONE (hydrocodone/ibuprofen) LAZANDA (fentanyl) ^{CL} nasal spray levorphanol meperidine morphine suppositories NALOCET (oxycodone/acetaminophen) NUCYNTA (tapentadol) oxycodone/APAP solution oxycodone/aspirin oxycodone/ibuprofen oxycodone IR tablets, capsules, solution, concentrate, oral syringe oxymorphone PANLOR (dihydrocodeine/ APAP/caffeine) pentazocine/naloxone PRIMLEV (oxycodone/APAP) ROXICET solution (oxycodone/APAP) SUBSYS (fentanyl sublingual) ^{CL} XARTEMIS XR (oxycodone/APAP) XODOL (hydrocodone/APAP)
Androgenic Drugs (Topical)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> testosterone gel packet (generic Vogelxo) testosterone gel pump (generic Vogelxo) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ANDROGEL (testosterone) ^{CL} packet, pump ANDRODERM (testosterone) ^{CL} testosterone gel (generic ANDROGEL, FORTESTA, TESTIM) ^{CL} testosterone gel pump (generic ANDROGEL, AXIRON) ^{CL}
Angiotensin Modulators	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> benazepril benazepril/HCTZ enalapril enalapril/HCTZ ENTRESTO (sacubitril/valsartan) ^{CL} irbesartan irbesartan/HCTZ lisinopril lisinopril/HCTZ losartan losartan/HCTZ ramipril valsartan valsartan/HCTZ <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> candesartan candesartan/HCTZ captopril captopril/HCTZ EDARBI (azilsartan)

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Angiotensin Modulators (continued)	EDARBYCLOR (azilsartan/chlorthalidone) EPANED (enalapril) powder for solution, solution eprosartan fosinopril fosinopril/HCTZ MICARDIS (telmisartan) MICARDIS-HCT (telmisartan/HCTZ) moexepiril moexepiril/HCTZ olmesartan olmesartan/HCTZ perindopril QBRELIS (lisinopril) solution quinapril quinapril/HCTZ TEKTURNA (aliskiren) TEKTURNA HCT (aliskiren/HCTZ) telmisartan telmisartan/HCTZ trandolapril
Angiotensin Modulator Combinations	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> benazepril/amlodipine valsartan/amlodipine</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> BYVALSON (valsartan/nebivolol) olmesartan/amlodipine olmesartan/amlodipine/HCTZ PRESTALIA (perindopril/amlodipine) TARKA (trandolapril/verapamil ER) telmasartan/amlodipine trandolapril/verapamil ER valsartan/amlodipine /HCTZ</p>
Antibiotics, GI	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> metronidazole tablet neomycin tinidazole vancomycin capsules</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> DIFICID (fidaxomicin) ^{CL} FIRVANQ (vancomycin suspension) FLAGYL ER (metronidazole) capsule metronidazole capsule paramomycin XIFAXAN (rifaximin) ^{CL}</p>

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Antibiotics, Inhaled	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> BETHKIS (tobramycin inhaled) ^{CL} CAYSTON (aztreonam inhaled) ^{CL} KITABIS PACK (tobramycin inhaled) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ARIKAYCE (amikacin liposomal inhalation) TOBI (tobramycin inhaled) ^{CL} TOBI Podhaler (tobramycin inhaled) ^{CL} tobramycin solution (inhalation) ^{CL} tobramycin pak (for KITABIS PACK)</p>
Antibiotics, Topical	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> mupirocin ointment</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ALTABAX (retapamulin) gentamicin sulfate mupirocin cream</p>
Antibiotics, Vaginal	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> CLEOCIN OVULES (clindamycin) CLINDESSE (clindamycin) Metronidazole (0.75%) gel NUVESSA (metronidazole 1.3%) gel</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> clindamycin cream VANDAZOLE (metronidazole)</p>
Anticoagulants	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> ELIQUIS (apixaban) ^{CL} enoxaparin syringe LOVENOX (enoxaparin) vial warfarin XARELTO (rivaroxaban) ^{CL} 10 mg, 15mg and 20 mg tablets</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ELIQUIS (apixaban) ^{CL} Dose Pack enoxaparin vial fondaparinux FRAGMIN (dalteparin) syringe FRAGMIN (dalteparin) vial PRADAXA (dabigatran) ^{CL} SAVAYSA (edoxaban) ^{CL} XARELTO (rivaroxaban) ^{CL} 2.5 mg tablets XARELTO (rivaroxaban) ^{CL} Starter Pack</p>

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Antiemetics-Antivertigo Agents	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> dimenhydrinate OTC EMEND (aprepitant) capsules meclizine metoclopramide ondansetron ^{CL} ondansetron ODT ^{CL} prochlorperazine (oral, rectal) promethazine (oral, rectal 12.5 and 25 mg) TRANSDERM-SCOP (scopolamine)</p> <p><u>Non – Preferred Drugs</u> AKYNZEO (netapitant/palonosetron) ANZEMET (dolasetron) ^{CL} Aprepitant capsules, powder pack BONJESTA (doxylamine/pyridoxine) ^{CL} CESAMET (nabilone) ^{CL} COMPRO (prochlorperazine) rectal DICLEGIS (doxylamine/pyridoxine) ^{CL} dronabinol ^{CL} EMEND (aprepitant) powder pack granisetron ^{CL} metoclopramide ODT promethazine 50 mg rectal SANCUSO (granisetron)^{CL} transdermal scopolamine transdermal (TRANSDERM-SCOP) SYNDROS (dronabinol) ^{CL} solution trimethobenzamide (oral) VARUBI (rolapitant) ZUPLENZ (ondansetron) ^{CL} film</p>
Antifungals, Oral	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> clotrimazole fluconazole suspension, tablets nystatin suspension terbinafine</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> CRESEMBA (isavuconazonium) flucytosine griseofulvin suspension griseofulvin tablet itraconazole 100mg itraconazole solution ketoconazole^{CL} NOXAFIL (posaconazole) suspension, tablets nystatin powder, tablets ONMEL (itraconazole) 200 mg ORAVIG (miconazole) buccal tablet SPORANOX(itraconazole soln) TOLSURA (itraconazole) voriconazole suspension, tablets</p>

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Antifungals, Topical	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> clotrimazole OTC and RX clotrimazole/betamethasone cream ketoconazole cream, gel, powder, shampoo miconazole cream, powder nystatin terbinafine OTC tolnaftate OTC cream, powder, solution</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ALEVAZOL (clotrimazole) butenafine OTC ciclopirox cream, gel, shampoo ciclopirox solution nail lacquer^{CL} clotrimazole/betamethasone lotion econazole ECOZA (econazole) ERTACZO (sertaconazole) EXELDERM (sulconazole) EXTINA (ketoconazole foam) JUBLIA (efinaconazole)^{CL} KERYDIN (tavaborole)^{CL} ketoconazole foam ketoconazole/hydrocortisone LAMISIL (terbinafine) cream, gel, spray LOPROX (ciclopirox) luliconazole MENTAX (butenafine) miconazole nitrate OTC miconazole nitrate/zinc oxide/petrolatum miconazole ointment, spray naftifine NIZORAL shampoo (ketoconazole) NIZORAL AD shampoo OTC (ketoconazole) nystatin/triamcinolone cream, ointment oxiconazole tolnaftate spray XOLOGEL (ketoconazole)</p>
Antihypertensives, Sympatholytics	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> CATAPRESS TTS (clonidine transdermal) clonidine guanfacine methyldopa</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> clonidine transdermal methyldopa-hydrochlorothiazide</p>

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<p>Antimigraine Agents</p>	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>Triptans: rizatriptan oral tablets, MLT RELPAX (eletriptan) sumatriptan nasal, oral sumatriptan syringe, vial</p> <p>Calcitonin Gene-related Peptide Inhibitors (CGRP): EMGALITY (galcanezumab-gnlm) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>Triptans: almotriptan eletriptan FROVA (frovatriptan) frovatriptan naratriptan ONZETRA XSAIL (sumatriptan) nasal sumatriptan/naproxen SUMAVEL DOSEPRO (sumatriptan) TREXIMET (sumatriptan/naproxen) ^{CL} ZEMBRACE SYMTOUCH (sumatriptan) zolmitriptan oral, ODT ZOMIG (zolmitriptan) nasal</p> <p>Calcitonin Gene-related Peptide Inhibitors (CGRP): AIMOVIG (erenumab-aooe) ^{CL} AJOVY (fremanezumab-vfrm) ^{CL}</p>
<p>Antiparasitics, Topical</p>	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>NATROBA (spinosad) permethrin OTC and Rx piperonyl butoxide/pyrethrins SKLICE (ivermectin)</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>CROTAN (crotamiton) EURAX lotion and cream (crotamiton) lindane malathion spinosad ULESFIA (benzyl alcohol) VANALICE GEL (piperonyl butoxide/pyrethrins)</p>

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Antivirals, Oral	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>Antiherpetic: acyclovir capsules, tablets, suspension valacyclovir</p> <p>Antiinfluenza: oseltamivir suspension TAMIFLU (oseltamivir) capsule</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u></p> <p>Antiherpetic: famciclovir SITAVIG (acyclovir) buccal</p> <p>Antiinfluenza: oseltamivir capsule RELENZA (zanmivir) inhalation rimantadine XOFLUZA (baloxair marboxil)</p>
Antivirals, Topical	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> None at this time.</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> acyclovir cream, ointment ^{CL} DENA VIR (penciclovir) ^{CL} XERESE (acyclovir/hydrocortisone) ^{CL} ZOVIRAX (acyclovir) cream ^{CL} ZOVIRAX (acyclovir) ointment ^{CL}</p>
Beta Blockers	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> atenolol atenolol/chlorthalidone bisoprolol bisoprolol/HCTZ carvedilol labetalol metoprolol metoprolol XL propranolol propranolol ER sotalol</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> acebutolol betaxolol BYSTOLIC (nebivolol) carvedilol ER COREG CR (carvedilol) DUTOPROL (metoprolol succinate/HCTZ) HEMANGEOL (propranolol) ^{CL}</p>

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Beta Blockers (continued)	INDERAL LA (propranolol) INNOPRAN XL (propranolol) KASPARGO (metoprolol succinate) metoprolol/HCTZ nadolol nadolol/bendroflumethiazide pindolol propranolol/HCTZ SOTYLIZE (sotalol) ^{CL} solution timolol
Bladder Relaxant Preparations	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> oxybutynin ER oxybutynin IR TOVIAZ (fesoterodine) VESICARE (solifenacin) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> darifenacin ER ENABLEX (darifenacin ER) flavoxate GELNIQUE (oxybutynin) transdermal, gel pump MYRBETRIQ (mirabegron) OXYTROL (oxybutynin) transdermal tolterodine tolterodine ER trospium trospium ER
Bone Resorption Suppression And Related Drugs (Oral)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> alendronate tablets calcitonin-salmon <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> alendronate solution ATELVIA (risedronate) BINOSTO (alendronate) etidronate disodium FORTEO (teriparatide) ^{CL} – <i>preferred agent only for diagnosis of glucocorticoid-induced osteoporosis</i> FOSAMAX Plus D (alendronate/ cholecalciferol) ibandronate tablets PROLIA (denosumab) risedronate TYMLOS (abaloparatide)
BPH Treatments	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> alfuzosin dutasteride doxazosin finasteride tamsulosin terazosin

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BPH Treatments (continued)	<u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> CARDURA XL (doxazosin) dutasteride/tamsulosin RAPAFLO (silodosin) silodosin
Calcium Channel Blockers	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> amlodipine diltiazem diltiazem ER (generic Cardizem CD) nifedipine ER nifedipine IR verapamil verapamil ER tablets <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> diltiazem ER tablets (generic Cardizem LA) felodipine ER isradipine nicardipine nimodipine nisoldipine TIAZAC (diltiazem) 420 mg verapamil ER PM verapamil ER capsules
Cephalosporins and Related Antibiotics (Oral)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> Beta Lactam/Beta Lactamase Inhibitor Combinations: amoxicillin/clavulanate IR tablets amoxicillin/clavulanate suspension except 125/31.25mg/5ml Cephalosporins: cefadroxil capsules, suspension cefdinir capsules, suspension cefprozil suspension, tablets cefuroxime tablets cephalixin capsules, suspension <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> Beta Lactam/Beta Lactamase Inhibitor Combinations: amoxicillin/clavulanate chew tablets amoxicillin/clavulanate XR AUGMENTIN (amoxicillin/clavulanate) 125/31.25 mg/5 ml suspension Cephalosporins: cefaclor capsules, suspension cefaclor ER tablets cefixime suspension CEFTIN (cefuroxime) suspension cefadroxil tablet cefpodoxime suspension, tablets cephalixin tablets DAXBIA (cephalexin) SUPRAX (cefixime) capsules, chew tablets, suspension

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Cystic Fibrosis, Oral	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> KALYDECO (ivacaftor) ^{CL} SYMDEKO (ivacaftor/tezacaftor) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ORKAMBI (lumacaftor/ivacaftor) ^{CL}</p>
Fluoroquinolones, Oral	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> ciprofloxacin tablet CIPRO (ciprofloxacin) suspension levofloxacin tablets</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> BAXDELA (delafloxacin) ciprofloxacin ER ciprofloxacin suspension levofloxacin solution moxifloxacin ofloxacin</p>
GI Motility, Chronic	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> AMITIZA (lubiprostone) ^{CL} LINZESS (linaclotide) ^{CL} MOVANTIK (naloxegol) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> alosetron ^{CL} LOTRONEX (alosetron) ^{CL} MOTTEGRITY (prucalopride) ^{CL} RELISTOR (methylnaltrexone) oral, syringe, vial ^{CL} SYMPROIC (naldemedine) TRULANCE (plecanatide) ^{CL} VIBERZI (elaxadoline) ^{CL}</p>
Growth Hormone	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> GENOTROPIN (somatropin) ^{CL} NORDITROPIN (somatropin) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> HUMATROPE (somatropin) ^{CL} NUTROPIN AQ (somatropin) ^{CL} OMNITROPE (somatropin) ^{CL} SAIZEN (somatropin) ^{CL} SEROSTIM (somatropin) ^{CL} ZOMACTIN (somatropin) ^{CL} ZORBTIVE (somatropin) ^{CL}</p>
H.Pylori	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> PYLERA (bismuth subcitrate potassium, metronidazole, tetracycline)</p>

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H.Pylori(continued)	<u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> lansoprazole, amoxicillin, clarithromycin OMECLAMOX-PAK (omeprazole, amoxicillin, clarithromycin)
Hepatitis C Agents (Interferons , Ribavirin)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> PEGASYS (pegylated interferon alfa-2a) syringe, vial PEG-INTRON (pegylated interferon alfa-2b) ribavirin capsules, tablets <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> PEGASYS (pegylated interferon alfa-2a) Proclick RIBAPAK (ribavirin) RIBASPHERE (ribavirin) ribavirin dose pack
Hepatitis C Agents (Direct-Acting Anti-viral Agents)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> EPCLUSA (sofosbuvir/ velpatasvir) ^{CL} MAVYRET (glecaprevir/pibrentasivir) ^{CL} VOSEVI (sofosbuvir/velpatasvir/ voxilaprevir) ^{CL} <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> HARVONI (ledipasvir/sofosbuvir) ^{CL} ledipasvir/sofosbuvir ^{CL} sofosbuvir/velpatasvir ^{CL} SOVALDI (sofosbuvir) ^{CL} VIEKIRA PAK (dasbuvir/ ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir) ^{CL} ZEPATIER (elbasvir/grazoprevir) ^{CL}
Hereditary Angioedema	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> CINRYZE (C1 esterase inhibitor) ^{CL} FIRAZYR (icatibant) ^{CL} KALBITOR (ecallantide) ^{CL} <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> BERINERT (C1 esterase inhibitor) ^{CL} HAEGARDA (C1 esterase inhibitor) ^{CL} RUCONEST (recombinant C1 esterase) ^{CL} TAKHZYRO (lanadelumab-FLYO)
Hypoglycemics, Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> BYDUREON (exenatide ER) ^{CL} pens BYETTA (exenatide) ^{CL} GLYXAMBI (empaglifloxin/linagliptin) JANUMET (sitagliptin/metformin) JANUMET XR (sitagliptin/metformin) JANUVIA (sitagliptin) JENTADUETO (linagliptin/metformin) SYMLIN (pramlintide) ^{CL} TRADJENTA (linagliptin) VICTOZA (liraglutide) ^{CL} <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ADLYXIN (lixisenatide) alogliptin

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Hypoglycemics, Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers (continued)	alogliptin/metformin alogliptin/pioglitazone BYDUREON (exenatide ER) ^{CL} subcutaneous BYDUREON BCISE (exenatide) ^{CL} JENTADUETO XR (linagliptin/metformin) KOMBIGLYZE XR (saxagliptin/metformin) ONGLYZA (saxagliptin) OZEMPIC (semaglutide) ^{CL} QTERN (dapaglifloxin/saxagliptin) SOLIQUA (insulin glargine/lixisenatide) ^{CL} STEGLUJAN (ertugliflozin/sitagliptin) TANZEUM (albiglutide) ^{CL} TRULICITY (dulaglutide) ^{CL} XULTOPHY (insulin degludec/liraglutide) ^{CL}
Hypoglycemics, Insulin and Related Agents	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> HUMALOG (insulin lispro) except 200 U/ml and Junior Kwikpen HUMALOG MIX (insulin lispro/lispro protamine) HUMULIN (insulin) vials (except 500 U/ml) LANTUS (insulin glargine) LEVEMIR (insulin detemir) NOVOLOG (insulin aspart) NOVOLOG MIX (insulin aspart/aspart protamine) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ADMELOG (insulin lispro) AFREZZA (insulin, inhaled) ^{CL} APIDRA (insulin glulisine) BASAGLAR (insulin glargine) FIASP (insulin aspart) HUMALOG (insulin lispro) 200 U/ml HUMALOG JUNIOR KWIKPEN (insulin lispro) HUMULIN (insulin) pens HUMULIN (insulin) vials 500 U/ml insulin lispro NOVOLIN (insulin) TOUJEO (insulin glargine) TOUJEO MAX SOLOSTART (insulin glargine) TRESIBA (insulin degludec) Flextouch, vial
Hypoglycemics, Metformins	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> glyburide-metformin metformin metformin ER (GLUCOPHAGE XR) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> FORTAMET (metformin ER) glipizide-metformin metformin ER (FORTAMET) metformin ER (GLUMETZA) RIOMET (metformin) oral solution

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Hypoglycemics, SGLT2	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> FARXIGA (dapagliflozin) ^{CL} INVOKANA (canagliflozin) ^{CL} JARDIANCE (empagliflozin) ^{CL} SYNJARDY (empagliflozin/metformin) ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> INVOKAMET (canagliflozin/metformin) ^{CL} INVOKAMET XR (canagliflozin/metformin) ^{CL} SEGLUROMET (ertugliflozin/metformin) ^{CL} STEGLATRO (ertugliflozin) ^{CL} SYNJARDY XR (empagliflozin/metformin) ^{CL} XIGDUO XR (dapagliflozin/metformin XR) ^{CL}</p>
Hypoglycemics, TZD	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> pioglitazone</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> AVANDIA (rosiglitazone) ^{CL} pioglitazone/glimepiride ^{CL} pioglitazone/metformin ^{CL}</p>
Immunosuppressives, Oral	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> azathioprine cyclosporine, modified mycophenolate mofetil capsules, tablets RAPAMUNE (sirolimus) solution tacrolimus</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ASTRAGRAF XL (tacrolimus) AZASAN (azathioprine) cyclosporine capsules cyclosporine softgel ENVARUS XR (tacrolimus) mycophenolate mofetil solution mycophenolic acid sirolimus solution, tablets ZORTRESS (everolimus)</p>
Lipotropics, Other	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> cholestyramine colestipol granules, tablets ezetimibe fenofibrate (generic for TRICOR) gemfibrozil 600 mg</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> colesevelam fenofibrate (generic for ANTARA, FENOGLIDE, LIPOFEN, LOFIBRA, TRIGLIDE) fenofibric acid (generic for FIBRICOR, TRILIPEX) FENOGLIDE (fenofibrate) JXTAPID (lomitapide mesylate) ^{CL}</p>

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Lipotropics, Other (continued)	KYNAMRO (mipomersen) ^{CL} niacin niacin ER NIACOR (niacin) omega-3 fatty acids (generic for LOVAZA) PRALUENT (alirocumab) ^{CL} REPATHA (evolocumab) ^{CL} TRIGLIDE (fenofibrate) VASCEPA (icosapent ethyl) WELCHOL (colesevalam)
Lipotropics, Statins	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> atorvastatin lovastatin pravastatin rosuvastatin <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ALTOPREV (lovastatin ER) atorvastatin/amlodipine fluvastatin fluvastatin ER LESCOL XL (fluvastatin) LIVALO (pitavastatin) simvastatin simvastatin/ezetimibe VYTORIN (simvastatin/ezetimibe) ^{CL} ZYPITAMAG (pitavastatin)
Macrolides (Oral)	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> azithromycin clarithromycin IR tablets erythromycin base capsules erythromycin ethylsuccinate 200 mg suspension <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> clarithromycin ER clarithromycin suspension E.E.S. (erythromycin ethylsuccinate) 400 mg tablets ERYPED suspension (erythromycin ethyl-succinate) ERY-TAB (erythromycin) erythromycin base tablets erythromycin ethylsuccinate 400mg suspension
Multiple Sclerosis Agents	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> AVONEX (interferon beta – 1a) BETASERON (interferon beta-1b) COPAXONE (glatiramer) 20 mg syringe REBIF (interferon beta-1a) REBIF REBIDOSE (interferon beta-1a) TECFIDERA (dimethyl fumarate) ^{CL} <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> AMPYRA (dalfampridine) ^{CL}

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Multiple Sclerosis Agents (Continued)	AUBAGIO (teriflunomide) ^{CL} COPAXONE (glatiramer) 40 mg syringe ^{CL} dalfampridine ER EXTAVIA (interferon beta-1b) GILENYA (fingolimod) ^{CL} glatiramir 20 mg, 40 mg syringe LEMTRADA (alemtuzamab) ^{CL} IV OCREVUS (ocrelizumab) ^{CL} PLEGRIDY (peginterferon beta-1 a) IV TYSABRI (natalizumab)
Opiate Dependence Treatments	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> buprenorphine/naloxone SL tablets naloxone vial, syringe NARCAN (naloxone) nasal SUBOXONE FILM (buprenorphine/naloxone) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> BUNAVAIL (buprenorphine/naloxine) buccal buprenorphine buprenorphine/naloxone SL film LUCEMYRA (Iofexidine) ^{CL} naltrexone oral ^{CL} PROBUPHINE (buprenorphine implant) ^{CL} SUBLOCADE (buprenorphine) injection ^{CL} VIVITROL (naltrexone) injection ^{CL} ZUBSOLV (buprenorphine/naloxone) SL tablet
Pancreatic Enzymes	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> CREON ZENPEP <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> PANCREAZE PERTZYE VIOKACE
Phosphate Binders	<u>Preferred Drugs</u> calcium acetate capsules (generic for PhosLo) RENAGEL (sevelamer HCl) <u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> AURYXIA (ferric citrate) calcium acetate tablets (generic for ELIPHOS) FOSRENOL (lanthanum) lanthanum PHOSLYRA (calcium acetate) solution sevelamer carbonate sevelamer HCl (generic for RENAGEL) VELPHORO (sucroferric oxyhydroxide)

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Platelet Aggregation Inhibitors	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> clopidogrel dipyridamole prasugrel</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> AGGRENOX (dipyridamole / aspirin) BRILINTA (ticagrelor) dipyridamole/ aspirin ticlopine ZONTIVITY (vorapaxr)</p>
Proton Pump Inhibitors	<p><u>Preferred Agents</u> lansoprazole capsule ^{CL} NEXIUM (esomeprazole) suspension ^{CL} omeprazole RX ^{CL} pantoprazole tablets ^{CL}</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ACIPHEX (rabeprazole) sprinkle ^{CL} DEXILANT (dexlansoprazole) ^{CL} esomeprazole magnesium capsules ^{CL} esomeprazole strontium capsules ^{CL} lansoprazole solutabs ^{CL} omeprazole OTC ^{CL} omeprazole magnesium OTC ^{CL} omeprazole/sodium bicarbonate ^{CL} PREVACID SOLUTAB (lansoprazole) ^{CL} PRILOSEC (omeprazole) suspension ^{CL} PROTONIX suspension (pantoprazole) ^{CL} rabeprazole tablets ^{CL}</p>
Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Agents, Oral and Inhaled	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> LETAIRIS (ambrisentan) sildenafil ^{CL} tablets TRACLEER (bosentan) tablets</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ADCIRCA (tadalafil) ^{CL} ADEMPAS (riociguat) OPSUMIT (macitentan) ORENITRAM ER (treprostiniil) REVATIO (sildenafil) ^{CL} suspension tadalafil ^{CL} TRACLEER (bosentan) suspension TYVASO (teprostiniil) UPTRAVI (selexipag) VENTAVIS (iloprost)</p>

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<p>Skeletal Muscle Relaxants</p>	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> baclofen 10 mg, 20 mg cyclobenzaprine IR 5, 10 mg tablets methocarbamol tizanidine tablets</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> AMRIX (cyclobenzaprine ER) baclofen 5 mg carisoprodol^{CL} carisoprodol compound^{CL} chlorzoxazone cyclobenzaprine IR 7.5 mg tablets dantrolene metaxalone orphenadrine tizanidine capsules</p>
<p>Tetracyclines</p>	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> doxycycline hyclate IR (20 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg) minocycline capsules</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> demeclocycline DORYX (doxycycline hyclate) doxycycline hyclate DR doxycycline hyclate IR 75 mg, 150 mg doxycycline monohydrate minocycline ER minocycline tablets MORGIDOX (doxycycline) NUZYRA (omadacycline) ORACEA (doxycycline) SOLODYN (minocycline) TARGADOX (doxycycline) ^{CL} tetracycline VIBRAMYCIN (doxycycline) suspension, syrup XIMINO (minocycline)</p>

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Ulcerative Colitis Agents	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> APRISO (mesalamine) CANASA (mesalamine) rectal mesalamine rectal sulfasalazine DR sulfasalazine IR</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> ASACOL HD (mesalamine) azulfadine tablets azulfadine DR tablets balsalazide budesonide DR DELZICOL (mesalamine)</p> <p>DIPENTUM (olsalazine) GIAZO (balsalazide) LIALDA (mesalamine) mesalamine (generic for ASACOL HD, LIALDA) mesalamine rectal (generic for CANASA) PENTASA (mesalamine) UCERIS (budesonide) oral, rectal</p>
Vasodilators, Coronary	<p><u>Preferred Drugs</u> isosorbide dinitrate isosorbide mononitrate tablets isosorbide mononitrate SR tablets NITRO-BID (nitroglycerin) ointment nitroglycerin ER capsules nitroglycerin sublingual nitroglycerin transdermal patch NITROLINGUAL SPRAY translingual NITROSTAT sublingual</p> <p><u>Non-Preferred Drugs</u> BIDIL (hydralazine/isosorbide dinitrate) GONITRO (nitroglycerin) sublingual isosorbide dinitrate ER capsules nitroglycerin translingual spray</p>

Note: Changes are indicated by highlighted area. Non-preferred drugs require failure of 1, 2 or 3 preferred agents for prior authorization approval. Those drugs with a ^{CL} also have or will have clinical prior authorization criteria for use associated with them.