## **Blue Shield Medicare (PPO)**



## Formulary Updates:

The enclosed table lists the changes made to your formulary such as removing or adding: a drug, prior authorization, quantity limits or step therapy as well as any changes to a cost sharing tier. The table also includes alternative drug(s) if applicable.

## **Abbreviation Key**:

Symbol	Name	Description
LA	Limited Access	This prescription may be available only at certain pharmacies.
PA	Prior Authorization	Coverage for this prescription requires prior authorization from Blue Shield. Call Blue Shield to provide the necessary information to determine coverage. Some drugs may require Part B or Part D coverage determination, based on Medicare coverage rules. These drugs are noted with "PA - Part B vs. D Determination"
QL	Quantity Limit	This medication has a dosing or prescription quantity limit. Maximum daily dose limits are defined by the FDA and listed in the drug package insert. Other quantity limits encourage consolidated dosing when possible.
ST	Step Therapy	Coverage for this prescription is provided when other first-line or preferred drug therapies have been tried (step therapy).
NDS	Non-Extended Day Supply	Medication is NOT available for long-term supply.
ED	Excluded Part D Drug	This prescription drug is not normally covered in a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan; however, Blue Shield covers this drug as a supplemental benefit. The amount you pay when you fill a prescription for this drug does not count towards your total drug costs (that is, the amount you pay does not help you qualify for catastrophic coverage). In addition, if you are receiving extra help from Medicare or Social Security to pay for your prescriptions, you will not get any extra help to pay for this drug.

## Drug Tier Key

gen: Generic Drugs

**brd**: Preferred Brand Drugs

**npd**: Non-Preferred Brand Drugs

**spec:** Specialty Tier Drugs

EFFECTIVE 02/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
AFINITOR 10 MG TAB everolimus	- Formulary Removal	everolimus 10 mg tab
AFINITOR DISPERZ 2 MG TAB SOL everolimus	- Formulary Removal	everolimus 2 mg tab sol
AFINITOR DISPERZ 3 MG TAB SOL everolimus	- Formulary Removal	everolimus 3 mg tab sol
AFINITOR DISPERZ 5 MG TAB SOL everolimus	- Formulary Removal	everolimus 5 mg tab sol
bosentan tab 125 mg	- PA Removed	
bosentan tab 62.5 mg	- PA Removed	
brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate ophth soln 0.2-0.5%	- Added to Tier 2	
BYSTOLIC 10 MG TAB nebivolol hcl	- Formulary Removal	nebivolol hcl 10 mg tab
BYSTOLIC 2.5 MG TAB nebivolol hcl	- Formulary Removal	nebivolol hcl 2.5 mg tab
BYSTOLIC 20 MG TAB nebivolol hcl	- Formulary Removal	nebivolol hcl 20 mg tab
BYSTOLIC 5 MG TAB nebivolol hcl	- Formulary Removal	nebivolol hcl 5 mg tab
CEPHALEXIN 750 MG CAP cephalexin	- Added to Tier 1	

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EFFECTIVE 02/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
CHANTIX 0.5 MG TAB varenicline tartrate	- Formulary Removal	
CHANTIX 1 MG TAB varenicline tartrate	- Formulary Removal	
CHANTIX CONTINUING MONTH PAK 1 MG TAB varenicline tartrate	- Formulary Removal	
DUREZOL 0.05 % EMULSION difluprednate	- Formulary Removal	difluprednate 0.05 % emulsion
glycopyrrolate oral soln 1 mg/5ml	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
HETLIOZ 20 MG CAP tasimelteon	- PA Removed	
LANREOTIDE ACETATE 120 MG/0.5ML SOLUTION lanreotide acetate	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added	
norethindrone & ethinyl estradiol tab 1 mg-35 mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
PAXIL 10 MG/5ML SUSPENSION paroxetine hcl	- Formulary Removal	paroxetine hcl 10 mg/5ml suspension
PREHEVBRIO 10 MCG/ML SUSPENSION hepatitis b vaccine 3-antigen recombinant	- Added to Tier 2 - PA Added	
RINVOQ 30 MG TAB ER 24H upadacitinib	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	

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EFFECTIVE 02/2022				
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative		
TRACLEER 32 MG TAB SOL bosentan	- PA Added			
urea cream 41%	- Added to Tier 1			
XARELTO 1 MG/ML RECON SUSP rivaroxaban	- Added to Tier 2 - QL Added: 20 / 1 DAYS - PA Removed			

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EFFECTIVE 03/2022			
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative	
*betaine powder for oral solution***	- Added to Tier 3		
*pediatric multiple vitamins w/ fluoride chew tab 0.25 mg***	- Change		
amphotericin b liposome iv for susp 50 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added		
APRETUDE 600 MG/3ML SUSP cabotegravir	- Added to Tier 4		
BESREMI 500 MCG/ML SOLN PRSYR ropeginterferon alfa-2b-njft	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change		
CORTROPHIN 80 UNIT/ML GEL corticotropin	- PA Added - LA Added		
deferiprone tab 1000 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added - LA Added		
digoxin tab 62.5 mcg (0.0625 mg)	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS		
EPRONTIA 25 MG/ML SOLUTION topiramate	- Added to Tier 3 - PA Change		
ivermectin tab 3 mg	- QL Added: 16 / 365 OVER TIME		
maraviroc tab 150 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS		

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EFFECTIVE 03/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
maraviroc tab 300 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 4 / 1 DAYS	
MULTI-VIT-FLOR 0.25 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1 - Added	
MULTI-VIT-FLOR 0.5 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1 - Added	
MULTI-VIT-FLOR 1 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1 - Added	
MULTIVITAMIN/FLUORIDE 0.25 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
MULTIVITAMIN/FLUORIDE 0.5 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
MULTIVITAMIN/FLUORIDE 1 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
norethindrone ace & ethinyl estradiol-fe tab 1 mg-20 mcg	- Removed	
norethindrone ace & ethinyl estradiol-fe tab 1.5 mg-30 mcg	- Removed	
pot & sod citrates w/ cit ac soln 550-500-334 mg/5ml	- Added	
potassium citrate & citric acid soln 1100-334 mg/5ml	- Added	
promethazine & phenylephrine syrup 6.25-5 mg/5ml	- Removed	
REPATHA 140 MG/ML SOLN PRSYR evolocumab	- Tier Decreased: Tier 3 to Tier 2	

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EFFECTIVE 03/2022				
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative		
REPATHA PUSHTRONEX SYSTEM 420 MG/3.5ML SOLN CART evolocumab	- Tier Decreased: Tier 3 to Tier 2			
REPATHA SURECLICK 140 MG/ML SOLN A-INJ evolocumab	- Tier Decreased: Tier 3 to Tier 2			
sodium citrate & citric acid soln 500-334 mg/5ml	- Added			
SCEMBLIX 20 MG TAB asciminib hcl	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change			
SCEMBLIX 40 MG TAB asciminib hcl	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change			
TALZENNA 0.5 MG CAP talazoparib tosylate	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added			
TALZENNA 0.75 MG CAP talazoparib tosylate	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added			
XALKORI 200 MG CAP crizotinib	- QL Change: 2 / 1 DAYS to 4 / 1 DAYS			
XALKORI 250 MG CAP crizotinib	- QL Change: 2 / 1 DAYS to 4 / 1 DAYS			
zolpidem tartrate sl tab 3.5 mg	- Removed			

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EFFECTIVE 03/2022				
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative		
ZORTRESS 1 MG TAB everolimus (immunosuppressant)	- Formulary Removal	everolimus 1 mg tab		

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
apomorphine hcl soln cartridge 30 mg/3ml	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added - LA Added	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 32G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 32G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 32G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 33G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 33G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM MINI INSULIN PEN NEEDLE 33G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
AUM READYGARD DUO PEN NEEDLE 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
BD PEN NEEDLE NANO 2ND GEN 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 12.5-50-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 18.75-75-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 25-100-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 31.25-125-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 37.5-150-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
carbidopa-levodopa-entacapone tabs 50-200-200 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
CARETOUCH PEN NEEDLES 29G X 12MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
COMBIGAN 0.2-0.5 % SOLUTION brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate	- Formulary Removal	brimonidine tartrate-timolol 0.2-0.5 % solution
dapsone gel 7.5%	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 90 / 30 OVER TIME - PA Added	
DESCOVY 120-15 MG TAB emtricitabine-tenofovir alafenamide fumarate	- Added to Tier 2 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS	
DEXLANSOPRAZOLE 30 MG CAP DR dexlansoprazole	- Removed	
DEXLANSOPRAZOLE 60 MG CAP DR dexlansoprazole	- Removed	
DIFLORASONE DIACETATE 0.05 % CREAM diflorasone diacetate	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Removed	
DROPSAFE SAFETY PEN NEEDLES 31G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
erythromycin lactobionate for inj 500 mg	- Added to Tier 3	
GNP ULTICARE PEN NEEDLES 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTICARE PEN NEEDLES 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTICARE PEN NEEDLES 32G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTIGUARD SAFEPACK NEEDLE 31G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTIGUARD SAFEPACK NEEDLE 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTIGUARD SAFEPACK NEEDLE 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
GNP ULTIGUARD SAFEPACK NEEDLE 32G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
lacosamide tab 100 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
lacosamide tab 150 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
lacosamide tab 200 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
lacosamide tab 50 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022			
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative	
lenalidomide cap 10 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added		
lenalidomide cap 15 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added		
lenalidomide cap 25 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added		
lenalidomide cap 5 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added		
levothyroxine sodium tab 100 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 112 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 125 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 137 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 150 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 175 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		
levothyroxine sodium tab 200 mcg	- Added to Tier 1		

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
levothyroxine sodium tab 25 mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
levothyroxine sodium tab 50 mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
levothyroxine sodium tab 75 mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
levothyroxine sodium tab 88 mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
moxifloxacin hcl ophth soln 0.5% (base equiv)	- Added to Tier 1	
PENTIPS 29G X 12MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PENTIPS 31G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PENTIPS 31G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PENTIPS 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PENTIPS 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PREVENT DROPSAFE PEN NEEDLES 31G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
PREVENT DROPSAFE PEN NEEDLES 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
QC UNIFINE PENTIPS 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
RINVOQ 45 MG TAB ER 24H upadacitinib	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 56 / 365 OVER TIME - PA Removed	
UNIFINE PENTIPS 29G X 12MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE PENTIPS 31G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE PENTIPS 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE PENTIPS 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE PENTIPS 32G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE ULTRA PEN NEEDLE 31G X 5 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE ULTRA PEN NEEDLE 31G X 6 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE ULTRA PEN NEEDLE 31G X 8 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
UNIFINE ULTRA PEN NEEDLE 32G X 4 MM MISC insulin pen needle	- Added to Tier 2	
VONJO 100 MG CAP pacritinib citrate	- QL Added: 4 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added	

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EFFECTIVE 04/2022			
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative	
ZOLPIDEM TARTRATE 3.5 MG SL TAB zolpidem tartrate	- Removed		
CEFAZOLIN SODIUM 2 GM RECON SOLN cefazolin sodium	- Added to Tier 3		

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EFFECTIVE 05/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
cyanocobalamin inj 1000 mcg/ml	- Added to Tier 1 - Added	
CARBAGLU 200 MG TAB SOL carglumic acid	- Formulary Removal	carglumic acid 200 mg tab
INVEGA TRINZA 273 MG/0.88ML SUSP PRSYR paliperidone palmitate	- QL Change: 0.875 / 30 OVER TIME to 0.88 / 30 OVER TIME	
INVEGA TRINZA 410 MG/1.32ML SUSP PRSYR paliperidone palmitate	- QL Change: 1.315 / 30 OVER TIME to 1.32 / 30 OVER TIME	
INVEGA TRINZA 819 MG/2.63ML SUSP PRSYR paliperidone palmitate	- QL Change: 2.625 / 30 OVER TIME to 2.62 / 30 OVER TIME	
OZEMPIC (2 MG/DOSE) 8 MG/3ML SOLN PEN semaglutide	- Added to Tier 2 - QL Added: 3 / 28 OVER TIME	
SELZENTRY 150 MG TAB maraviroc	- Formulary Removal	maraviroc 150 mg tab
SELZENTRY 300 MG TAB maraviroc	- Formulary Removal	maraviroc 300 mg tab
TRIUMEQ PD 60-5-30 MG TAB SOL abacavir-dolutegravir-lamivudine	- Added to Tier 3 - QL Added: 6 / 1 DAYS	

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EFFECTIVE 06/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
apomorphine hcl soln cartridge 30 mg/3ml	- LA Removed	
aztreonam for inj 2 gm	- Tier Decreased: Tier 4 to Tier 3	
APOKYN 30 MG/3ML SOLN CART apomorphine hydrochloride	- Formulary Removal	apomorphine hcl 30 mg/3ml soln cart
brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate ophth soln 0.2-0.5%	- Tier Decreased: Tier 2 to Tier 1	
CEFEPIME HCL 2 GM RECON SOLN cefepime hcl	- Added to Tier 3	
COMBIGAN 0.2-0.5 % SOLUTION brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate	- Formulary Removal	brimonidine tartrate-timolol 0.2-0.5 % solution
CYSTADANE POWDER betaine	- Formulary Removal	betaine powder
deferiprone tab 1000 mg	- LA Removed	
DEXLANSOPRAZOLE 30 MG CAP DR dexlansoprazole	- Added to Tier 1	
isosorbide dinitrate-hydralazine hcl tab 20-37.5 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 6 / 1 DAYS	
lacosamide iv inj 200 mg/20ml (10 mg/ml)	- Added to Tier 3 - PA Added	

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EFFECTIVE 06/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
pirfenidone tab 267 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 9 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added	
pirfenidone tab 801 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 3 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added	
PRENATAL PLUS VITAMIN/MINERAL 27-1 MG TAB prenatal vit w/ ferrous fumarate-folic acid	- Added to Tier 2	
QUADRACEL 0.5 ML SUSP PRSYR diph-tetanus tox ad-acell pertussis & polio virus, ipv vac	- Added to Tier 2	
REVLIMID 10 MG CAP lenalidomide	- Formulary Removal	lenalidomide 10 mg cap
REVLIMID 15 MG CAP lenalidomide	- Formulary Removal	lenalidomide 15 mg cap
REVLIMID 25 MG CAP lenalidomide	- Formulary Removal	lenalidomide 25 mg cap
REVLIMID 5 MG CAP lenalidomide	- Formulary Removal	lenalidomide 5 mg cap
RINVOQ 45 MG TAB ER 24H upadacitinib	- PA Removed	
tamsulosin hcl cap 0.4 mg	- ST Removed	
timolol maleate tab 5 mg	- Added to Tier 1	

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EFFECTIVE 06/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
VARENICLINE TARTRATE 0.5 MG X 11 & 1 MG X 42 TAB THPK varenicline tartrate	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 60 / 30 OVER TIME	
VENCLEXTA 100 MG TAB venetoclax	- QL Added: 6 / 1 DAYS	
VIMPAT 100 MG TAB lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 100 mg tab
VIMPAT 150 MG TAB lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 150 mg tab
VIMPAT 200 MG TAB lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 200 mg tab
VIMPAT 200 MG/20ML SOLUTION lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 200 mg/20ml solution
VIMPAT 50 MG TAB lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 50 mg tab

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EFFECTIVE 07/2022			
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative	
bexarotene gel 1%	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 60 / 30 OVER TIME - PA Added		
CHANTIX STARTING MONTH PAK 0.5 MG X 11 & 1 MG X 42 TAB THPK varenicline tartrate	- Formulary Removal		
COMBIGAN 0.2-0.5 % SOLUTION brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate	- Formulary Removal	brimonidine tartrate-timolol 0.2-0.5 % solution	
CORTROPHIN 80 UNIT/ML GEL corticotropin	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change		
doxepin hcl cap 150 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added		
FERRIPROX 1000 MG TAB deferiprone	- Formulary Removal	deferiprone 1000 mg tab	
FERRIPROX TWICE-A-DAY 1000 MG TAB deferiprone	- Formulary Removal	deferiprone 1000 mg tab	
lacosamide oral solution 10 mg/ml	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 40 / 1 DAYS		
mesalamine cap er 500 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 8 / 1 DAYS - ST Added		

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EFFECTIVE 07/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
NUCALA 40 MG/0.4ML SOLN PRSYR mepolizumab	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 0.4 / 28 OVER TIME - PA Added - LA Added	
PEGASYS 180 MCG/0.5ML SOLN PRSYR peginterferon alfa-2a	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added - QL Added: 2 / 30 OVER TIME	
ranolazine tab er 12hr 1000 mg	- PA Removed	
ranolazine tab er 12hr 500 mg	- PA Removed	
RECTIV 0.4 % OINTMENT nitroglycerin (intra-anal)	- PA Removed	
silodosin cap 4 mg	- ST Removed	
silodosin cap 8 mg	- ST Removed	
sorafenib tosylate tab 200 mg (base equivalent)	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 4 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
SOMATULINE DEPOT 120 MG/0.5ML SOLUTION lanreotide acetate	- Formulary Removal	
vilazodone hcl tab 10 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - ST Added	

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EFFECTIVE 07/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
vilazodone hcl tab 20 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - ST Added	
vilazodone hcl tab 40 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - ST Added	
VONJO 100 MG CAP pacritinib citrate	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change	

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EFFECTIVE 08/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
BIDIL 20-37.5 MG TAB isosorbide dinitrate-hydralazine hcl	- Formulary Removal	isosorb dinitrate- hydralazine 20-37.5 mg tab
cyclobenzaprine hcl tab 7.5 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Change	
COMBIGAN 0.2-0.5 % SOLUTION brimonidine tartrate-timolol maleate	- Formulary Removal	brimonidine tartrate-timolol 0.2-0.5 % solution
ESBRIET 267 MG TAB pirfenidone	- Formulary Removal	pirfenidone 267 mg tab
ESBRIET 801 MG TAB pirfenidone	- Formulary Removal	pirfenidone 801 mg tab
fesoterodine fumarate tab er 24hr 4 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
fesoterodine fumarate tab er 24hr 8 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
flunisolide nasal soln 25 mcg/act (0.025%)	- ST Change	
PRIORIX RECON SUSP measles, mumps & rubella virus vaccines	- Added to Tier 2	
SKYRIZI 360 MG/2.4ML SOLN CART risankizumab-rzaa (crohn's)	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added	
SKYRIZI 600 MG/10ML SOLUTION risankizumab-rzaa (crohn's)	- PA Added	

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EFFECTIVE 08/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
tramadol hcl tab 100 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - NDS Added - QL Added: 4 / 1 DAYS	
TICOVAC 1.2 MCG/0.25ML SUSP PRSYR tick-borne encephalitis virus vaccine, inactivated	- Added to Tier 2	
TRIZIVIR 300-150-300 MG TAB abacavir sulfate-lamivudine-zidovudine	- Added to Tier 2	
VIMPAT 10 MG/ML SOLUTION lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 10 mg/ml solution
ZTALMY 50 MG/ML SUSPENSION ganaxolone	- QL Added: 36 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added	

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EFFECTIVE 09/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
BIDIL 20-37.5 MG TAB isosorbide dinitrate-hydralazine hcl	- Formulary Removal	isosorb dinitrate- hydralazine 20-37.5 mg tab
CAPLYTA 10.5 MG CAP lumateperone tosylate	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
CAPLYTA 21 MG CAP lumateperone tosylate	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
dabigatran etexilate mesylate cap 150 mg (etexilate base eq)	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
dabigatran etexilate mesylate cap 75 mg (etexilate base eq)	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
diclofenac sodium soln 1.5%	- PA Removed	
ESBRIET 267 MG TAB pirfenidone	- Formulary Removal	pirfenidone 267 mg tab
ESBRIET 801 MG TAB pirfenidone	- Formulary Removal	pirfenidone 801 mg tab
flunisolide nasal soln 25 mcg/act (0.025%)	- Added to Tier 1 - ST Added - QL Added: 50 / 30 OVER TIME	
NEXAVAR 200 MG TAB sorafenib tosylate	- Formulary Removal	sorafenib tosylate 200 mg tab

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EFFECTIVE 09/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
oxandrolone tab 10 mg	- PA Removed	
oxandrolone tab 2.5 mg	- PA Removed	
potassium phosphate monobasic tab 500 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - Added	
QUETIAPINE FUMARATE 150 MG TAB quetiapine fumarate	- Added to Tier 1	
SKYRIZI 600 MG/10ML SOLUTION risankizumab-rzaa (crohn's)	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change	
STELARA 130 MG/26ML SOLUTION ustekinumab (iv)	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change	
TARGRETIN 1 % GEL bexarotene (topical)	- Formulary Removal	bexarotene 1 % gel
VIIBRYD 10 MG TAB vilazodone hcl	- Formulary Removal	vilazodone hcl 10 mg tab
VIIBRYD 20 MG TAB vilazodone hcl	- Formulary Removal	vilazodone hcl 20 mg tab
VIIBRYD 40 MG TAB vilazodone hcl	- Formulary Removal	vilazodone hcl 40 mg tab
VIMPAT 10 MG/ML SOLUTION lacosamide	- Formulary Removal	lacosamide 10 mg/ml solution

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EFFECTIVE 10/2022		
Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
azelastine hcl nasal spray 0.1% (137 mcg/spray)	- ST Removed	
azelastine hcl nasal spray 0.15% (205.5 mcg/spray)	- ST Removed	
CALQUENCE 100 MG TAB acalabrutinib maleate	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added - LA Added - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
fenoprofen calcium cap 400 mg	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
lenalidomide cap 20 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
lenalidomide caps 2.5 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
olopatadine hcl nasal soln 0.6%	- ST Removed	
PIRFENIDONE 534 MG TAB pirfenidone	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 5 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
sod sulfate-pot sulf-mg sulf oral sol 17.5-3.13-1.6 gm/177ml	- Added to Tier 1	
ZONISADE 100 MG/5ML SUSPENSION zonisamide	- Added to Tier 3	
ZTALMY 50 MG/ML SUSPENSION ganaxolone	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change	

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Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
AUVELITY 45-105 MG TAB ER dextromethorphan hydrobromide-bupropion hydrochloride	- PA Added - QL Added: 2 / 1 DAYS	
dexamethasone tab 2 mg	- Added to Tier 1	
fingolimod hcl cap 0.5 mg (base equiv)	- QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
icosapent ethyl cap 0.5 gm	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 8 / 1 DAYS	
IMBRUVICA 70 MG/ML SUSPENSION ibrutinib	- Added to Tier 4 - QL Added: 8 / 1 DAYS - PA Added - LA Added	
POLY-VI-FLOR 0.25 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
POLY-VI-FLOR 0.5 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
POLY-VI-FLOR 1 MG CHEW TAB pediatric multivitamins w/fl	- Added to Tier 1	
sapropterin dihydrochloride tab 100 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added	
timolol maleate preservative free ophth soln 0.25%	- Added to Tier 1	

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Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
AUVELITY 45-105 MG TAB ER dextromethorphan hydrobromide-bupropion hydrochloride	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Change	
estradiol td gel 0.25 mg/0.25gm (0.1%)	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
estradiol td gel 0.5 mg/0.5gm (0.1%)	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
estradiol td gel 0.75 mg/0.75gm (0.1%)	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
estradiol td gel 1 mg/gm (0.1%)	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
estradiol td gel 1.25 mg/1.25gm (0.1%)	- Added to Tier 1 - PA Added	
ELIXOPHYLLIN 80 MG/15ML ELIXIR theophylline	- Added to Tier 1	
norethindrone ac-ethinyl estrad-fe tab 1-20/1-30/1-35 mg- mcg	- Added to Tier 1	
norethindrone ace-eth estradiol-fe chew tab 1 mg-20 mcg (24)	- Added to Tier 1	
roflumilast tab 250 mcg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 28 / 180 OVER TIME - PA Added	

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Drug Name	Description of Change	Alternative
roflumilast tab 500 mcg	- Added to Tier 1 - QL Added: 1 / 1 DAYS - PA Added	
sapropterin dihydrochloride powder packet 100 mg	- Added to Tier 4 - PA Added	
theophylline elixir 80 mg/15ml	- Added to Tier 1	
LEVOFLOXACIN 1.5 % SOLUTION levofloxacin (ophth)	- Added to Tier 1	

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