

EmblemHealth 2012 Pharmacy Benefit Services Small Group Formulary Summary



This is a list of the most commonly prescribed preferred drugs for members of small group Commercial benefit plans with prescription drug coverage. Make sure to ask your doctor to prescribe generic drugs whenever appropriate; this may lower your out-of-pocket expenses.

NOTE: Not all drugs listed are covered by all pharmacy benefit programs, so coverage is not guaranteed. You should also check your benefit materials for the copay and any other responsibilities you may have under your pharmacy benefit. For additional questions about your prescription drug coverage, please call **1-877-793-6253**, Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 6 pm.

A

ABILIFY (QLL)
ABILIFY DISCMELT
acarbose
acebutolol hcl
acetaminophen-codeine
acetaminophen-tramadol (QLL)
acetazolamide
ACIPHEX (ST/QLL)
ACTIQ (QLL)
ACTIVELLA
ACTONEL (ST/QLL)
ACTOPLUS MET (QLL)
ACTOPLUS MET XR
ACTOS (QLL)
ACUVAIL
acyclovir
adapalene
ADDERALL XR
ADVAIR DISKUS
ADVAIR HFA (QLL)
AGGRENOX
albuterol sulfate (QLL)
alclometasone dipropionate
alendronate sodium (QLL)
allopurinol
ALOMIDE (QLL)
ALORA (QLL)
ALPHAGAN P
alprazolam/er/xr
amantadine
amethia/lo
amiloride hcl
amiodarone hcl
AMITIZA
amitriptyline hcl
amlodipine besylate (QLL)
amlodipine - atorvastatin (QLL)
amlodipine - benazepril (QLL)
amox tr-potassium clavulanate
amoxicillin
amoxicillin-clavulanate er
amphetamine salt combo
AMTURNIDE
anagrelide hcl
anastrozole
ANDROGEL (QLL)
antipyrine-benzocaine
anucort-hc
apri
aranelle
arbinoxa
ARMOUR THYROID
ASACOL
ASACOL HD
ASMANEX (QLL)
atenolol
atenolol-chlorthalidone
atorvastatin calcium (QLL)
ATRIPLA
atropine sulfate (PA)
ATROVENT HFA (QLL)
AVALIDE (QLL/ST)

AVANDAMET
AVANDARYL
AVANDIA
AVAPRO (QLL/ST)
AVELOX
AVELOX/ABC PACK
aviane
AVINZA (QLL)
AVODART
AVONEX/ADMINPACK (QLL)
azathioprine
azithromycin
AZOR (ST)

B

bacitracin bacitracin-polymyxin
baclofen
BACTROBAN
balsalazide disodium
balziva
BARACLUDE
benazepril hcl
benazepril-hydrochlorothiazide
BENZACLIN
benzonatate
benzoyl peroxide
benztropine mesylate
betamethasone dipropionate
betamethasone valerate
bethanechol chloride
bicalutamide
bisoprolol fumarate
bisoprolol-hydrochlorothiazide
brimonidine tartrate
bromocriptine mesylate
budesonide (QLL)
bumetanide
bupropion hcl
bupropion hcl sr
bupropion xl (QLL)
buspirone hcl
butalbital
compound-codeine
butalbital-aspirin-caffeine
butorphanol tartrate (QLL)
BYETTA (QLL)

C

calcipotriene
calcipotriene
calcitonin nasal spray
CALCITRENE
calcitriol
calcium acetate
camila
camrese
CANASA
captopril
captopril-hydrochlorothiazide
carbamazepine
carbidopa-levodopa
carisoprodol (QLL)

cartia xt (QLL)
carvedilol
cefaclor er
cefadroxil
cefdirinir
cefepodoxime proxetil
cefprozil
cefuroxime
CELEBREX (QLL/ST)
CELLCEPT (PA/QLL)
cephalexin
cesia
cetirizine
CHANTIX
chlordiazepoxide hcl
chlorthalidone
chlorthalidone
chlorzoxazone
cholestyramine
choline mag trisalicylate
CIALIS (QLL)
ciclopirox
cilostazol
cimetidine
CIPRODEX
ciprofloxacin er
ciprofloxacin hcl
citalopram (QLL)
citalopram hbr (QLL)
clarithromycin
clarithromycin er
CLIMARA PRO (QLL)
clindamycin hcl
clindamycin phosphate
clobetasol propionate
clomiphene citrate (PA)
clomipramine hcl
clonazepam
clonidine
clonidine hcl
clorazepate
dipotassium
clotrimazole
clotrimazole-betamethasone
clozapine
COLCRYS
colestipol hcl
COMBIGAN
COMBIPATCH (QLL)
COMBIVENT (QLL)
COMBIVIR
COMPLERA
COMTAN
CONDYLOX
COPAXONE (QLL)
COREG CR (ST)
COUMADIN
CREON
CRESTOR (QLL/ST)
cromolyn sodium (QLL)
cryselle
cyclobenzaprine hcl
CYMBALTA (QLL)
cyproheptadine hcl
CYTOMEL

D

DAPSONE
desipramine hcl
desmopressin acetate
desonide
desoximetasone
DETROL/LA
dexamethasone
dexamethasone sodphos
DEXILANT (ST/QLL)
dexmethylphenidate hcl
dextroamphetamine
sulfate
dextroamphetamine amphetamine
diazepam (QLL)
diclofenac potassium
diclofenac sodium
dicloxacillin sodium
dicyclomine hcl
diflunisal
digoxin
DILANTIN
diltiazem/er
cilostazol 24hr er
DIOVAN/HCT (QLL/ST)
DIPENTUM
diphenhydramine hcl
diphenoxylate-atropine
dipyridamole disulfiram
divalproex sodium/er
donepezil hcl
dorzolamide hcl (QLL)
dorzolamide-timolol
doxazosin mesylate
doxepin hcl (QLL)
doxycycline hyclate
doxycycline monohydrate
dronabinol
DUETACT

E

econazole nitrate
eliphos
EMEND (PA)
enalapril maleate
enalapril-hydrochlorothiazide
ENBREL (QLL)
endocet (QLL)
enoxaparin sodium (PA)
enpresse
enulose
EPIPEN/JR (QLL)
EPIVIR
EPIVIR HBV
epiprenone
eprosartan mesylate
EPZICOM
errin
erythromycin
erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide
estazolam
ESTRACE
estradiol (QLL)
ESTRING

estrogen & methyltestosterone
estropiate
etidronate disodium
etodolac
EVISTA (QLL)
EXALGO (QLL)

F

famciclovir
famotidine felbamate
felodipine er (QLL)
fenofibrate
fentanyl
FENTORA (PA)
fexofenadine hcl
finasteride
flecainide acetate
FLOVENT DISKUS
fluconazole (QLL)
flucytosine
fludrocortisone acetate
flunisolide (QLL)
fluocinonide acetoneide
fluocinonide
fluorometholone
fluorouracil
fluoxetine hcl (QLL)
fluphenazine hcl (QLL)
flurazepam hcl
flurbiprofen
fluticasone propionate (QLL)
fluvoxamine maleate
FML FORTE
foliac acid
FORADIL
FORTEO (QLL)
FOSAMAX PLUS D (QLL)
fosinopril sodium
fosinopril-hydrochlorothiazide
FREESTYLE FREEDOM LITE (QLL)
FREESTYLE LITE METER (QLL)
FREESTYLE LITE STRIPS (QLL)
furosemide

G

gabapentin
galantamine hbr
gemfibrozil
gentamicin sulfate
GEODON
GLEEVEC
glimepiride
glipizide/er
glipizide-metformin
glyburide
glyburide micronized
glyburide-metformin hcl
granisetron hcl (QLL)
guaifenesin/codeine
guanfacine hcl

H

HALFLYTELY-BISACODYL
halobetasol propionate

haloperidol
heparin sodium (PA)
HUMIRA (QLL)
hydrochlorothiazide
hydrocodone bit-ibuprofen
hydrocodone-acetaminophen (QLL)
hydrocortisone
hydrocortisone acetate
hydrocortisone butyrate
hydrocortisone valerate
hydromorphone hcl (QLL)
hydroxychloroquine sulfate
hydroxyurea
hydroxyzine
hyoscyamine sulfate

I

ibuprofen
imipramine hcl
INCIVEK (PA/QLL)
indapamide
indomethacin
INVEGA
ipratropium bromide (QLL)
ipratropium-albuterol (QLL)
ISENTRESS
isoniazid
isosorbide
isosorbide dinitrate
isotretinoin
itraconazole

J

JJALYN
JANUMET/ XR
JANUVIA
jevantique
jinteli
jolessa
jolivette
junel/fe

K

KADIAN (PA/QLL)
KALETRA
kariva
kelnor 1-35
ketoconazole
ketoprofen
ketorolac
tromethamine (PA/QLL)
ketotifen fumarate
KOMBIGLYZE XR

L

labetalol hcl
lactulose
lamivudine
lamivudine-zidovudine
lamotrigine
LANOXIN
lansoprazole (QLL)
LANTUS (ST)

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leena
leflunomide (QLL)
lessina
LETAIRIS
leucovorin calcium (PA)
leuprolide acetate (PA)
LEVEMIR
levetiracetam/er
levobunolol hcl
levocarnitine (PA)
levocetirizine
dihydrochloride
levora-28
levothyroxine sodium
levoxyl
LIALDA
lidocaine hcl (PA)
lidocaine-prilocaine
lisinopril
lisinopril-hydrochloro-
thiazide
lithium carbonate
loperamide
loratadine
lorazepam (QLL)
losartan potassium (QLL)
losartan-
hydrochlorothiazide
lovastatin (QLL)
low-ogestrel
LUMIGAN (ST)
lutera
LYRICA

M

meclizine hcl
medroxyprogesterone
acetate (PA/QLL)
mefloquine hcl
megestrol acetate
meloxicam (QLL)
mercaptapurine
metaproterenol
sulfate (QLL)
metaxalone
metformin hcl
metformin hcl er (QLL)
methadone hcl (QLL)
methimazole
methocarbamol
methotrexate (PA)
methyl dopa
methylphenidate hcl (QLL)
methylphenidate er/sr
methylprednisolone
metoclopramide hcl
metolazone
metoprolol succinate
metoprolol tartrate
metoprolol-
hydrochlorothiazide
METROGEL
metronidazole
microgestin
microgestin fe
minocycline hcl
minoxidil

mirtazapine
misoprostol
moexipril hcl
moexipril-hydrochloro-
thiazide
mometasone furoate
mononessa
morphine sulfate (QLL)
MOVIPREP
mupirocin
MYFORTIC

N

nabumetone
nadolol
naltrexone hcl
NAMENDA
naproxen
naproxen sodium
naratriptan hcl (QLL)
NASONEX (QLL/ST)
nateglinide
necon
nefazodone hcl
neomycin-
bacitracin-polymyxin
neomycin-
polymyxin-dexameth
neomycin-polymyxin-hc
nifediac cc (QLL)
nifedical xl (QLL)
nifedipine er (QLL)
nisoldipine
nitrofurantoin
nitrofurantoin
mono-macro
nitroglycerin nitroglycerin
patch
NITROSTAT
nizatidine
nora-be
NORDITROPIN FLEXPOR (PA)
NORDITROPIN
NORDIFLEX (PA)
norethindrone acetate
nortrel
nortriptyline hcl (QLL)
NORVIR
novarel (PA)
NOVOFINE (QLL)
NOVOFINE 32 (QLL)
NOVOFINE AUTOCOVER (QLL)
NOVOLIN 70-30
NOVOLIN N
NOVOLIN R
NOVOLOG
NOVOLOG MIX 70-30
NUVARING (QLL)
nystatin
nystatin-triamcinolone

O

ocella
ofloxacin
ogestrel
olanzapine/odt
omeprazole (QLL)

omeprazole-sodium
bicarbonate
ondansetron hcl (QLL)
ondansetron odt (QLL)
ONGLYZA
OPANA/ER (PA/QLL)
orphenadrine citrate
ORTHO EVRA (QLL)
ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN LO
oxaprozin
oxazepam
oxcarbazepine
oxybutynin chloride/er
oxycodone hcl (QLL)
oxycodone hcl-
acetaminophen (QLL)
OXYCONTIN (PA)
oxymorphone hcl

P

PANCRELIPASE 5,000
pantoprazole sodium (QLL)
paroxetine hcl
peg 3350-electrolyte
PEGASYS (PA/QLL)
PEGASYS PROCLICK (PA)
penicillin v potassium
pentoxifylline
permethrin
perphenazine
phenazopyridine hcl
phenobarbital
phentermine hcl (PA)
PHENYTEK
phenytoin sodium
extended
pilocarpine hcl
pindolol
piroxicam
PLAVIX (QLL)
polymyxin b
sul-trimethoprim
portia
potassium chloride
PA/QLL)
potassium citrate
PRADAXA (QLL)
pramipexole dihydro-
chloride
PRANDIN
pravastatin sodium (QLL)
prazosin hcl
PRECISION (QLL)
PRECISION XTRA (QLL)
prednisolone
prednisolone acetate
prednisolone sodium
phosphate
prednisone
PREFEST
PREMARIN PREMPHASE
PREMPRO
previfem
PREZISTA
primidone
probenecid
prochlorperazine maleate

proctosol-hc
proctozone-hc
PRODIGY INSULIN
SYRINGE (QLL)
PRODIGY PEN NEEDLE (QLL)
progesterone in oil (PA)
PROGRAF
promethazine hcl
promethazine vc-codeine
promethazine-codeine
promethazine-dm
promethegan
propafenone hcl
propranolol hcl
(propylthiouracil
PROTOPIC (QLL)
PROVENTIL HFA (QLL)
PROVIGIL (ST)
PULMICORT (QLL)
PULMICORT FLEXHALER (QLL)
PULMOZYME
pyridostigmine bromide

Q

quasense
quinapril hcl
quinapril-
hydrochlorothiazide

R

ramipril
RANEXA
ranitidine hcl
RAPAMUNE (QLL)
REBIF (QLL)
reclipsen
RELENZA (QLL)
RENAGEL
REVELA
reprexain
RETIN-A MICRO/PUMP
REYATAZ
ribapak (PA)
rifampin
RIOMET (QLL)
risperidone (QLL)
rivastigmine
ropinirole hcl
ROXICET (QLL)

S

salsalate
selenium sulfide
SENSIPAR
SEREVENT DISKUS (QLL)
SEROQUEL/XR
sertraline hcl (QLL)
silver sulfadiazine
SIMCOR (QLL/ST)
simvastatin (QLL)
SINGULAIR (QLL)
sodium fluoride
sodium sulfacetamide
sulfur
solia
sotalol

SPIRIVA
spironolactone
spironolactone-hctz
sprintec
sronyx
STALEVO
STRATTERA
SUBOXONE (QLL)
sucralfate
sulfacetamide sodium
sulfamethoxazole-
trimethoprim
sulfasalazine
sulindac
sumatriptan (QLL)
SUSTIVA
SYMBICORT (QLL)
SYMBYAX
SYMLIN/PEN (QLL)
SYNTHROID

T

TAMIFLU (QLL)
tamoxifen citrate
tamsulosin hcl
TAZORAC
TEGRETOL XR
TEKAMLO
TEKURNA HCT
temazepam
terazosin hcl
terbinafine hcl
terconazole
TESTIM (QLL)
testosterone cypionate
tetracycline hcl
theophylline
theophylline anhydrous
thioridazine hcl
thiothixene
tilia fe
timolol maleate
tizanidine hcl
TOBI
TOBRADEX
tobramycin sulfate
tobramycin-dexameth
topiramate
torsemide
tramadol hcl
tramadol hcl-
acetaminophen (QLL)
trandolapril
tranylcypromine sulfate
trazodone hcl
tretinoin
TREXIMET (ST/QLL)
triamcinolone
acetanide (QLL)
triamterene-hctz
triazolam
trifluoperazine hcl
trifluridine
trihexyphenidyl hcl
tri-legest fe
trilyle with flavor packets
trimethoprim

trinessa
tri-previfem
tri-sprintec
trivora-28
TRUVADA

U

ULORIC
ursodiol

V

valacyclovir
VALPROIC ACID
vandazole
velivet
venlafaxine hcl
VENLAFAXINE HCL ER
VENTOLIN HFA (QLL)
VERAMYST (QLL/ST)
verapamil
veripred 20
VIAGRA (QLL)
VICTOZA
VIMOVO (QLL)
VIRAMUNE
VIREAD
vitamin d
VIVELLE-DOT (QLL)

W

warfarin sodium

X

XARELTO (QLL)
XELODA

Z

zaleplon (QLL)
zamicet (QLL)
ZEMPLAR
zenchent
ZENPEP
ZETIA (QLL)
zolidem tartrate (QLL)
zonisamide
zovia 1-35e
zovia 1-50e
ZYMAXID
ZYPREXA ZYDIS

Key:

Capital letters:	Brand drug
Lowercase bold letters:	Generic drug
(PA):	Prior Authorization – Prescriber needs to obtain EmblemHealth approval for coverage of this drug (as outlined in the member's plan).
(QLL):	Quantity Level Limit – Quantities dispensed may be limited.
(ST):	Step Therapy – Drug is part of a program where drug options are organized in a series of steps (as outlined in the member's plan).
For the member:	Generic medications contain the same active ingredients as the corresponding brand-name medications, but may differ in color or shape. They have been FDA-approved under strict standards.
For the physician:	Please prescribe preferred products and allow generic substitutions when medically appropriate.

THIS FORMULARY SUMMARY IS EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2012 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2012, AND IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

You can get more information about our formularies and our Pharmacy Benefit Services program at www.emblemhealth.com.

Formulary Disclaimer

Please refer to your benefit materials for specific coverage information. Your benefit design determines what is covered for you and what your copayment will be. The presence of a medication on this formulary does not guarantee that you as a plan member will be covered for that drug. Additionally, these medications may be subject to Prior Authorization. Coverage for some drugs may be limited to specific dosage forms and/or strengths. The medications listed on this formulary are subject to change pursuant to the formulary management activities of EmblemHealth's Pharmacy Benefit Services. As new generics become available, the corresponding brand name drug will no longer be considered a preferred agent.