



2018 EmblemHealth Medicaid Formulary

The following is a list of the most commonly prescribed drugs. It represents an abbreviated version of the drug list (formulary) that is at the core of your prescription plan. The list is not all-inclusive and does not guarantee coverage. In addition to using this list, you are encouraged to ask your doctor to prescribe generic drugs whenever appropriate.

PLEASE NOTE: Brand-name drugs may move to nonformulary status if a generic version becomes available during the year. Not all the drugs listed are covered by all prescription plans; check your benefit materials for the specific drugs covered and the copayments for your prescription plan. For specific questions about your coverage, please call the phone number printed on your member ID card.

<p>A</p> <p>ABILIFY MAINTENA ER SYR & VL [INJ] [PA] acetaminophen/codeine acyclovir AKYNZEO [QLL] albuterol nebulization solution alendronate sodium [QLL] allopurinol ALPHAGAN P 0.1% alprazolam amiodarone AMITIZA amitriptyline amlodipine amlodipine/benazepril amlodipine/valsartan amoxicillin amoxicillin/potassium clavulanate anastrozole ANORO ELLIPTA [QLL] APRISO aripiprazole ARISTADA [INJ] atenolol atenolol/chlorthalidone atorvastatin [QLL] AVONEX [INJ] [PA] [QLL] azelastine nasal spray [QLL] azithromycin</p> <p>B</p> <p>baclofen BASAGLAR [INJ] benazepril benzonatate betamethasone dp aug cream, ointment BEVESPI AEROSPHERE [QLL] bisoprolol/hctz BRILINTA budesonide nebulization suspension [QLL] bupropion bupropion ext-release buspirone butalbital/acetaminophen/caffeine BYDUREON, -BCISE [INJ] [PA] [QLL]</p>	<p>C</p> <p>CANASA [QLL] carbidopa/levodopa carvedilol cefdinir cefuroxime celecoxib [ST] cephalexin chlorthalidone gluconate chlorthalidone ciprofloxacin citalopram clarithromycin clindamycin hcl clindamycin phosphate clindamycin phosphate/benzoyl peroxide clonazepam clonidine clonidine patch [QLL] clotidogrel clotrimazole/ betamethasone dipropionate COLCRYS COMBIVENT RESPIMAT [QLL] CORLANOR [PA] CREON CRINONE 4% GEL cyclobenzaprine</p> <p>D</p> <p>desloratadine [QLL] dexamethasone dexmethylphenidate ext-release dextroamphetamine/amphetamine dextroamphetamine/amphetamine ext-release diazepam diclofenac sodium delayed-release dicyclomine hcl digoxin diltiazem ext-release diphenoxylate/atropine divalproex delayed-release divalproex ext-release donepezil doxazosin [QLL] doxycycline hyclate doxycycline monohydrate duloxetine delayed-release</p>	<p>DUPIXENT [INJ] [PA]</p> <p>E</p> <p>ELIQUIS EMVERM enalapril ENBREL, -MINI [INJ] [PA] [QLL] enoxaparin [INJ] ENTRESTO [PA] EPCLUSA [PA] EPINEPHRINE AUTOINJECTOR (by Mylan) [INJ] [QLL] erythromycin eye ointment escitalopram esomeprazole magnesium delayed-release [QLL] ESTRACE CREAM estradiol estradiol patches [QLL] estradiol/norethindrone acetate eszopiclone [QLL] etodolac EVOTAZ EXTAVIA [INJ] [PA] [QLL] ezetimibe</p> <p>F</p> <p>famotidine fenofibrate fenofibrate micronized fenofibric acid delayed-release fentanyl patches [PA] finasteride FLOVENT DISKUS, HFA [QLL] [ST] fluoxetine fluticasone nasal spray [QLL] FREESTYLE [QLL] furosemide</p> <p>G</p> <p>gabapentin gemfibrozil GILENYA [PA] GLOTRIF [PA] glimepiride glipizide glipizide ext-release GLUCAGON EMERGENCY KIT [INJ]</p>	<p>glyburide GLYXAMBI [QLL] [ST] GRASTEK [PA] guanfacine ext-release</p> <p>H</p> <p>haloperidol decanoate HARVONI [PA] [QLL] HUMALOG, -JR [INJ] HUMIRA [INJ] [PA] [QLL] HUMULIN [INJ] hydralazine hydrochlorothiazide hydrocodone/acetaminophen hydrocodone/homatropine hydrocortisone cream, ointment, lotion hydromorphone hydroxychloroquine hydroxyzine hcl hydroxyzine pamoate</p> <p>I</p> <p>ibandronate [QLL] ibuprofen INCRUSE ELLIPTA [QLL] indomethacin INSECT REPELLENT SPRAY [QLL] irbesartan IRESSA [PA] isosorbide mononitrate ext-release</p> <p>J</p> <p>JANUMET [QLL] [ST] JANUMET XR [QLL] [ST] JANUVIA [QLL] [ST] JARDIANCE [QLL] [ST] JENTADUETO [QLL] [ST] JENTADUETO XR [QLL] [ST]</p> <p>K</p> <p>ketoconazole cream, shampoo KITABIS PAK [QLL] KOMBIGLYZE XR [QLL] [ST]</p> <p>L</p> <p>labetalol hcl lamotrigine</p>	<p>lansoprazole delayed-release [QLL] latanoprost levetiracetam levocetirizine [QLL] levofloxacin levothyroxine sodium lidocaine patches [PA] LINZESS liothyronine lisinopril lisinopril/hctz lorazepam losartan losartan/hctz lovastatin [QLL] LYRICA [ST]</p> <p>M</p> <p>meclizine hcl medroxyprogesterone acetate [QLL] meloxicam [QLL] MEPHYTON MESTINON SYRUP metaxalone metformin metformin er [QLL] (generic GLUCOPHAGE XR only) methimazole methocarbamol methotrexate methylphenidate methylphenidate ext-release methylprednisolone metoclopramide hcl metoprolol succinate ext-release metoprolol tartrate metronidazole metronidazole topical metronidazole vaginal gel minocycline mirtazapine MITIGARE moderiba mometasone cream, ointment, solution mometasone nasal spray [QLL] montelukast morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL] MOVANTIK mupirocin ointment</p>	<p>N</p> <p>nabumetone naproxen, naproxen sodium NARCAN NASAL SPRAY [QLL] neomycin/polymyxin/hydrocortisone ear drops niacin ext-release nifedipine ext-release nitrofurantoin monohydrate/macrocrystals NORDITROPIN [INJ] [PA] nortriptyline NUEDEXTA [PA] NUVARING [QLL] nystatin oral suspension nystatin topical</p> <p>O</p> <p>olanzapine omeprazole delayed-release [QLL] ondansetron [QLL] ondansetron orally disintegrating tablets [QLL] ONGLYZA [QLL] [ST] oseltamivir 6 mg/ml suspension [QLL] OTEZLA [PA] oxcarbazepine oxybutynin ext-release oxybutynin ext-release 5 mg tab [QLL] oxycodone oxycodone/acetaminophen</p> <p>P</p> <p>pantoprazole delayed-release [QLL] paroxetine penicillin v potassium PENTASA PERFOROMIST [QLL] pioglitazone [QLL] PLEGRIDY [INJ] [PA] [QLL] polymyxin/trimethoprim eye solution potassium chloride ext-release POTIGA PRALUENT [INJ] [PA] pramipexole pravastatin [QLL]</p>
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PRECISION [QLL]
 prednisolone acetate
 eye suspension
 prednisolone sodium
 phosphate
 prednisone
 PROAIR RESPICLICK [QLL]
 progesterone micronized
 promethazine
 promethazine/
 dextromethorphan
 propranolol
 propranolol ext-release

Q

quetiapine [ST]
 quinapril
 QVAR [QLL]

R

rabeprazole
 delayed-release
 RAGWITEK [PA]
 raloxifene
 ramipril
 ranitidine

REBIF [INJ] [PA] [QLL]
 RECTIV
 RELENZA [QLL]
 RELISTOR [INJ] [PA]
 RENVELA TABLETS
 REPATHA [INJ] [PA]
 REPATHA PUSHTRONEX
 [INJ] [PA]
 RISPERDAL CONSTA
 SYR [PA]
 risperidone
 rizatriptan [QLL]
 ropinirole
 rosuvastatin [QLL]

S

SAVELLA [ST]
 sertraline
 simvastatin [QLL]
 SOVALDI [PA] [QLL]
 spironolactone
 SPRYCEL [PA]
 STRENSIQ [INJ]
 STRIVERDI RESPIMAT [QLL]
 SUBOXONE SL FILM [QLL]
 sulfamethoxazole/
 trimethoprim
 sumatriptan [INJ] [QLL]
 sumatriptan tablets [QLL]
 SYMBICORT [QLL]
 SYMLINPEN [INJ] [PA] [QLL]
 SYNJARDY [QLL] [ST]
 SYNJARDY XR [QLL] [ST]

T

TAMIFLU
 SUSPENSION [QLL]
 tamoxifen
 tamsulosin ext-release

TANZEUM [INJ] [PA] [QLL]
 TARCEVA [PA]
 TAZORAC GEL,
 0.05% CREAM [PA]
 TECFIDERA [PA]
 temazepam
 terazosin [QLL]
 terconazole vaginal [QLL]
 testosterone gel pump [PA]
 timolol maleate eye
 solution
 tizanidine tablets
 tobramycin eye solution
 tobramycin/
 dexamethasone susp

topiramate
 TOUJEO SOLOSTAR [INJ]
 TRAJENTA [QLL] [ST]
 tramadol [QLL]
 trazodone
 triamcinolone cream,
 ointment, lotion
 triamterene/hctz
 triderm cream
 TUDORZA PRESSAIR [QLL]

U

UCERIS TABLETS
 ULORIC [ST]
 UPTRAVI [PA]

V

valacyclovir [QLL]
 valsartan
 valsartan/hctz
 VARUBI [QLL]
 VASCEPA [PA]
 venlafaxine
 venlafaxine ext-release
 VENTOLIN HFA [QLL]
 verapamil ext-release
 VIBERZI
 VIMPAT [PA]
 VIOKACE
 VIVITROL
 VYVANSE [ST]

W

warfarin

X

XARELTO
 XIFAXAN [QLL]
 XIIDRA [QLL]

Z

zolpidem [QLL]
 zolpidem ext-release [QLL]
 ZOMIG NASAL [QLL]
 ZOVIRAX CREAM [PA] [QLL]
 ZUBSOLV [QLL]
 ZYTIGA [PA]

Examples of Nonformulary Medications With Selected Formulary Alternatives

The following is a list of some nonformulary brand-name medications with examples of selected alternatives that are on the formulary. Column 1 lists examples of nonformulary medications. Column 2 lists some alternatives that can be prescribed.

Nonformulary Medications	Formulary Alternative(s)	Nonformulary Medications	Formulary Alternative(s)
ACCU-CHEK	FREESTYLE [QLL], PRECISION [QLL]	NOVOLIN	HUMULIN
ADVAIR DISKUS/HFA	SYMBICORT [QLL]	NOVOLOG	HUMALOG, -JR
ALVESCO	FLOVENT DISKUS/HFA [QLL] [ST], QVAR [QLL]	NUCYNTA ER	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]
APIDRA	HUMALOG, -JR	NUTROPIN AQ, NUTROPIN AQ NUSPIN	NORDITROPIN [PA]
ARNUITY ELLIPTA	FLOVENT DISKUS/HFA [QLL] [ST], QVAR [QLL]	OMNARIS	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]
ASMANEX HFA/TWISTHALER	FLOVENT DISKUS/HFA [QLL] [ST], QVAR [QLL]	OMNITROPE	NORDITROPIN [PA]
BAYER	FREESTYLE [QLL], PRECISION [QLL]	ONETOUCH	FREESTYLE [QLL], PRECISION [QLL]
BECONASE AQ	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]	OPANA ER	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]
BETASERON	AVONEX [PA] [QLL], EXTAVIA [PA] [QLL], PLEGRIDY [PA] [QLL], REBIF [PA] [QLL]	OXYCONTIN	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]
BREEZE, CONTOUR	FREESTYLE [QLL], PRECISION [QLL]	PROAIR HFA	PROAIR RESPICLICK [QLL], VENTOLIN HFA [QLL]
BREO ELLIPTA	SYMBICORT [QLL]	PROVENTIL HFA	PROAIR RESPICLICK [QLL], VENTOLIN HFA [QLL]
CIMZIA	ENBREL, -MINI [PA] [QLL], HUMIRA [PA] [QLL], OTEZLA [PA]	PULMICORT FLEXHALER	FLOVENT DISKUS/HFA [QLL] [ST], QVAR [QLL]
CIPRODEX	ciprofloxacin	QNASL	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]
COSENTYX	ENBREL, -MINI [PA] [QLL], HUMIRA [PA] [QLL]	RESTASIS	XIIDRA [QLL]
DULERA	SYMBICORT [QLL]	SAIZEN, SAIZENPREP	NORDITROPIN [PA]
EDARBI	irbesartan, losartan, valsartan	SIMPONI	ENBREL, -MINI [PA] [QLL], HUMIRA [PA] [QLL], OTEZLA [PA]
EDARBYCLOR	irbesartan/hctz, losartan/hctz, valsartan/hctz	STELARA	ENBREL, -MINI [PA] [QLL], HUMIRA [PA] [QLL]
EMBEDA	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]	STIOLTO RESPIMAT	ANORO ELLIPTA [QLL], BEVESPI AEROSPHERE [QLL]
EPIPEN, EPIPEN JR	EPINEPHRINE AUTOINJECTOR (by Mylan) [QLL]	TRAVATAN Z	bimatoprost, latanoprost
FARXIGA	JARDIANCE [QLL] [ST]	TRESIBA	BASAGLAR, TOUJEO SOLOSTAR
FROVA	rizatriptan [QLL], sumatriptan [QLL], zolmitriptan [QLL]	TRUETEST, TRUETRACK	FREESTYLE [QLL], PRECISION [QLL]
GENOTROPIN	NORDITROPIN [PA]	TRULICITY	BYDUREON, -BCISE [PA] [QLL], TANZEUM [PA] [QLL]
HUMATROPE	NORDITROPIN [PA]	VERAMYST	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]
HYSINGLA ER	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]	VICTOZA	BYDUREON, -BCISE [PA] [QLL], TANZEUM [PA] [QLL]
INVOKAMET	SYNJARDY [QLL] [ST], SYNJARDY XR [QLL] [ST]	VIEKIRA, VIEKIRA XR	EPCLUSA [PA], HARVONI [PA] [QLL], SOVALDI [PA] [QLL]
INVOKANA	JARDIANCE [QLL] [ST]	XELJANZ, XELJANZ XR	ENBREL, -MINI [PA] [QLL], HUMIRA [PA] [QLL]
KADIAN	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]	XIGDUO XR	SYNJARDY [QLL] [ST], SYNJARDY XR [QLL] [ST]
KAZANO	JANUMET [QLL] [ST], JANUMET XR [QLL] [ST], JENTADUETO [QLL] [ST], JENTADUETO XR [QLL] [ST], KOMBIGLYZE XR [QLL] [ST]	XOPENEX HFA	PROAIR RESPICLICK [QLL], VENTOLIN HFA [QLL]
LANTUS	BASAGLAR, TOUJEO SOLOSTAR	ZETONNA	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]
LEVEMIR	BASAGLAR, TOUJEO SOLOSTAR	ZIOPATAN	bimatoprost, latanoprost
LUMIGAN	bimatoprost, latanoprost	ZOHYDRO ER	morphine sulfate ext-release [QLL]
NASONEX	budesonide [QLL], flunisolide [QLL], fluticasone [QLL], mometasone [QLL]	ZOMACTON	NORDITROPIN [PA]
NESINA	JANUVIA [QLL] [ST], ONGLYZA [QLL] [ST], TRAJENTA [QLL] [ST]		

KEY

[INJ] - Injectable Drug
 [PA] - Prior Authorization is required for coverage
 [QLL] - Quantity Level Limit may apply to certain strengths and/or doses of this medication
 [ST] - Step Therapy may apply to certain indications or some or all strengths of the drug
For the member: Generic medications contain the same active ingredients as their corresponding brand-name medications, although they may look different 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.
 Brand-name drugs are listed in CAPITAL letters. Generic drugs are listed in lower case letters.

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