



## PREFERRED DRUG LIST UPDATES

### January 11, 2010

Formulary changes made on November 20, 2009 (please see below) were transcribed to the 2010 website formulary document.

### November 20, 2009

- P.17: Ilaris: added to formulary with PA per P&T committee
- P.21: Addition of generic amphetamine/dextroamphetamine extended-release (brand Adderall XR) to formulary
- P.30: Ulesfia Lotion: added to formulary per P&T committee
- P.45: Addition of generic next choice (brand Plan B) to formulary
- P.49: Addition of generic ketorolac ophthalmic solution (brand Acular, Acular LS) to formulary

### September 3, 2009

- P. 6: Replaced brand Videc EC with generic didanosine delayed-release (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009)
- P.7: Replaced brand Zerit with generic stavudine (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009)
- P.18: Replaced brand Risperdal with generic risperidone (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009)
- P.21: Replaced brand Imitrex tablets and vials with generic sumatripan tablets and vials (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009). Please note brand Imitrex nasal spray and refill cartridges are still formulary.
- P.22: Replaced brand Keppra with generic levetiracetam (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009)
- P.22: Replaced brand Lamictal with generic lamotrigine (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009). Note: Brand Lamical Disper tabs remain formulary.
- P.23: Replaced brand Requip with generic ropinirole (members sent EOB on June 1, 2009)
- P.27: Addition of Trilipix
- P.41: Addition of Renvela
- P.44: Replaced brand Phoslo with generic calcium acetate (members sent EOB on May 1, 2009)
- P.46: Addition of Complete Natal DHA
- P.47: Addition of Alphagan, Alphagan P
- P.51: Addition of Symbicort

#### June 22, 2009

- P. 7: Addition of generic stavudine (generic for Zerit)
- P.15: Addition of Hycamtin with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.16: Addition of generic mycophenolate mofetil 250 mg capsule, 500 mg tablet (generic for Cellcept). PA requirement also applies for the generic.
- P.18: Replaced brand Razadyne with generic galantamine (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)
- P.19: Addition of generic carbamazepine ER (generic for Tegretol XR)
- P.19: Replaced brand Actiq with generic fentanyl lozenge. QLL=136 lozenges/34 days still applies (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)
- P.22: Addition of Banzel
- P.22: Addition of generic topiramate (generic for Topamax). PA requirement also applies for the generic.
- P.22: Addition of Vimpat with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.23: Addition of Xenazine with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.24: Addition of Chantix with QLLs. 0.5 mg=11 tabs/year; 1mg=154 tabs/year; 1<sup>st</sup> month starter pack=1 pack/year
- P.34: Replaced brand Precose with generic acarbose (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)
- P.39: Addition of Nplate with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.39: Addition of Promacta with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.39: Addition of Cinryze with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.39: Addition of Mozobil with PA per P&T Committee decision
- P.44: Replaced brand Oxandrin with generic oxandrolone (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)
- P.46: Replaced brand Activella with generic estradiol/norethindrone (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)
- P.52: Replaced brand Urocit-K with generic potassium citrate (members sent EOB on March 1, 2009)

#### April 27, 2009

- P. 16: Removal of Raptiva. Manufacturer is withdrawing the product from the market. There are no members utilizing Raptiva, therefore no need for member notification.

#### March 16, 2009

- P. 26: Addition of Toprol XL due to generic shortage
- P. 24: Removal of prescription-strength nicotine patch. Members have been notified of the change on 3/23/09. Formulary alternatives= buproban, bupropion SR, Nicotrol inhaler/nasal spray.

**January 16, 2009**

- **P.17: Addition of generic galantamine and galantamine extended-release (generics for brand Razadyne and Razadyne Extended-Release)**
- **P.20: Addition of generic sumatriptan (generic for brand Imitrex)**
- **P.21: Addition of generic levetiracetam (generic for brand Keppra)**
- **P.21: Addition of generic tranylcypromine (generic for brand Parnate)**
- **P.42: Addition of generic calcium acetate (generic for brand Phoslo)**
- **P.43: Addition of generic oxandrolone (generic for brand Oxandrin). PA requirement remains for brand and generic.**
- **P.50: Addition of generic potassium citrate (generic for Urocit-K)**
- **Formatting Change: added QLLs approved by CMS to actual formulary document**