Maryland's Preferred Drug List - January 1, 2015

Generic vs. Brand Status on Maryland's Preferred Drug List

Medicaid's Preferred Drug List, encompassing about 1700 drugs, covers most of the generic versions of preferred multisource brand drugs without any type of prior authorization. If the prescription for a brand name drug is to be dispensed as written, the prescriber must complete and submit a Medwatch form (http://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/pap/docs/Maryland%20Medwatch%20Form.pdf). The State's clinical pharmacy team will review the Medwatch form and notify the prescriber whether the request for the brand name drug was approved or denied. The State will forward the Medwatch form to the FDA.

The Maryland Medicaid Pharmacy Program (MMPP) wants to alert you to changes in the exceptions to this rule that is included in the attached updated Preferred Drug List (PDL) that is effective January 1, 2015. Brand names Vancocin®, Tobi® inhalation solution, Cymbalta®, Tricor® and Astelin® are no longer preferred over their generic equivalents. Brand Intuniv® is now preferred over its generic equivalent (guanfacine ER). Also, the brand Optipranolol® has been removed from both the multisource brand and the generic preferred list, leaving the generic (metipranolol) as preferred. Please refer to our website for a complete list of the PDL at the following link: https://mmcp.dhmh.maryland.gov/pap/SitePages/Preferred%20Drug%20List.aspx

Not All Generics are Preferred

In order for the State to enhance the benefit of the PDL, in some instances the multisource brand name drug is Preferred over its generic equivalent, because the branded drug is less costly than its generic counterpart. This happens most often in cases of newly released generics. When manufacturer rebates are taken into
consideration, the brand name drug has a lower net cost to the State. When the brand name drug is Preferred, no Medwatch nor authorization is needed. Enter a DAW code of 6 on the claim to have it correctly priced. If any problems are encountered during the on-line claim adjudication of Preferred Brands, contact Xerox 24-hour Help Desk at 800-932-3918 for additional system overrides related to the use of the correct DAW code (For example, when there is other insurance that is primary).

Please maintain this Advisory as a reference in addition to any updates that follow. This information is available at http://www.epocrates.com on your desktop computer or PDA/Smartphone. Epocrates is updated weekly. The Brand Preferred exceptions are as follows:

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1 Unless the Program has established clinical criteria for the drug. Clinical Criteria can be found by going to the below link: 
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Only drugs that are part of the listed therapeutic categories are affected by the PDL. Therapeutic categories not listed here are not part of the PDL and will continue to be covered as they always have for Maryland Medicaid patients.

**Note:** Brand names listed in parentheses are only listed as a reference. For most multi-source products, the generic products are usually preferred and the branded innovator product is non-preferred. If a generic product is non-preferred, the corresponding brand product is also non-preferred except where specifically noted as “(generic only)”. PDL products that are new to market require prior authorization until they are reviewed.

Changes in the Preferred Drug List are **highlighted** in yellow

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<td>buprenorphine (Subutex)* naltrexone (Revia)* naloxone (Narcan) Suboxone film</td>
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<td><strong>Skeletal Muscle Relaxants</strong></td>
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(Cephalosporins, Second and Third Generation, Penicillins) | amoxicillin/clavulanate (Augmentin, Augmentin ES)  
 cefaclor, cefaclor ER (Ceclor, Cefclor CD)  
 cefadroxil capsules (Duricef)  
 cefdinir (Omnicef)  
 cefprozil (Cefzil)  
 cefuroxime (Ceftin)  
 cephalaxin (Keflex)  
 Suprax capsules and suspension | amoxicillin/clav ER (Augmentin XR)  
 cefadroxil suspension and tablets (Duricef)  
 cefditoren (Spectracef)  
 cefpodoxime (Vantin)  
 cefibuten (Cedar)  
 Cefin suspension  
 Suprax chewables and tablets |
| **Fluoroquinolones (Quinolones)** | ciprofloxacin tablets (Cipro)  
 levofloxacin tablets (Levaquin) | ciprofloxacin ER (Cipro XR)  
 ciprofloxacin suspension (Cipro)  
 levofloxacin solution (Levaquin)  
 moxifloxacin (Avelox)  
 ofloxacin (Floxin)  
 Factive  
 Noroxin |
| **Hepatitis C Agents (Hepatitis C Treatment Agents, Immunomodulators)** | ribavirin (Copegus, Rebetol)  
 Pegasys  
 Pegintron  
 Sovaldi*  
 Victrelis* | Infergen  
 Moderiba  
 Olysio*  
 Rebetol solution  
 Ribapak  
 Ribaphere |
| **Macrolides/Ketolides** | azithromycin (Zithromax)  
 erythromycin base  
 E.E.S.  
 EryPed  
 Ery-Tab  
 Erythrocin | clarithromycin (Biaxin)  
 clarithromycin ER (Biaxin XL)  
 Ketek  
 PCE  
 Zmax |
| **Tetracyclines** | doxycycline hyclate (Vibramycin)  
 doxycycline monohydrate 50mg, 100mg (Monodox)  
 minocycline capsules (Minocin)  
 tetracycline (Sumycin) | demeclocycline (Declomycin)  
 doxycycline hyclate DR (Doryx)  
 doxycycline monohydrate 75mg, 150mg (Monodox)  
 doxycycline monohydrate solution (Vibramycin)  
 minocycline tablets  
 minocycline ER  
 Oracea  
 Solodyne |
| **Topical Antibiotics** | bacitracin OTC  
 bacitracin/polymyxin OTC  
 gentamicin  
 mupirocin ointment (Bactroban Ointment)  
 triple antibiotic OTC | mupirocin cream (Bactroban Cream)  
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| **Antidepressants, Other (Alpha-2 Receptor Antagonist, Serotonin-2 Antagonist/Reuptake Inhibitors, Serotonin-Norepinephrine Reuptake-Inhib, Norepinephrine and Dopamine Reuptake Inhib)** | | |
| bupropion, bupropion SR, bupropion XL (Wellbutrin, Wellbutrin SR, Wellbutrin XL) | desvenlafaxine ER |
| mirtazapine, mirtazapine ODT (Remeron, Remeron Soltab) | nefazodone (Serzone) |
| phenelzine (Nardil) | tranylcypromine (generic only) |
| trazodone (Desyrel) | venlafaxine ER tablets |
| venlafaxine (Effexor) | Aplenzin |
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| Marplan | Emsam |
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