2025 Guide to Covered Drug Alternatives



Wellcare By Health Net (Health Net*) covers more than 40,000 drugs

The Plan strives to cover the most common drugs across all conditions. Below are some common drugs not covered by the Plan, along with alternative drugs that are covered. If your patient is currently on a drug that is not covered, please see if the formulary alternatives listed below would work for your patient.

You can also check our Plan's formulary (drug list) for a comprehensive listing of all drugs that are covered and any formulary restrictions that may apply.

- **Bold text** = Brand name drug
- Unbolded text = Generic drug
- ** = Interchangeable alternative (same active ingredient)
- PA = Prior authorization
- QL = Quantity limit





Generics and authorized generics listed in the table below with the double asterisk (**) have the same active ingredients as the drug not covered on the formulary. If your patient has an active prescription for a drug not covered, they will still be able to access the listed double-asterisked drug without needing a new prescription.

Drug(s) not covered on the formulary	Drug(s) covered on the formulary	Formulary restrictions
NovoLog®	Insulin Aspart**	None
Fiasp®, Humalog®, Insulin Lispro	Insulin Aspart	None
NovoLog mix 70/30®	Insulin Aspart mix 70/30**	None
Semglee (yfgn)®, Lantus®	Insulin Glargine-yfgn pen**	None
Basaglar KwikPen®, Levemir®	Insulin Glargine-yfgn pen	None
Toujeo [®]	Insulin Glargine U-300**	None
Tresiba [®]	Insulin Degludec**	None
Victoza®, Byetta®	Mounjaro®, Ozempic®, Trulicity®, Rybelsus®	PA, QL

Drug(s) not covered on the formulary	Drug(s) covered on the formulary	Formulary restrictions
Advair Diskus®, Wixela Inhub®	Fluticasone-Salmeterol Diskus**, Breyna [®] , Breo Ellipta[®], Advair HFA [®]	QL
Symbicort [®]	Breyna**, Fluticasone-Salmeterol Diskus, Breo Ellipta, Advair HFA	QL
Dulera®	Breyna, Fluticasone-Salmeterol Diskus, Breo Ellipta, Advair HFA	QL
Pulmicort Flexhaler®, Flovent®	Arnuity Ellipta®	QL
Levalbuterol HFA	Albuterol HFA, Ventolin HFA ®	QL
Spiriva Handihaler®, Spiriva Respimat®	Incruse Ellipta®	QL
Gemtesa®, Fesoterodine ER	Tolterodine IR/ER, Solifenacin, Oxybutynin ER, Myrbetriq®	QL
	Oxybutynin IR	None
Silodosin	Tamsulosin, Alfuzosin ER, Finasteride	None
	Dutasteride, Dutasteride-Tamsulosin	QL
Repatha®	Praluent®	PA
Omega-3 Acid Ethyl Esters	Vascepa [®]	None
Veltassa [®]	Sodium Polystyrene Sulfate, Lokelma®	None
Simbrinza®	Brimonidine 0.15%, Brimonidine 0.2%, Dorzolamide Hcl 2%, Dorzolamide-Timolol, Brinzolamide, Alphagan P 0.1%®, Combigan®	None
Restasis [®]	Cyclosporine 0.05% eye drops**	QL
Forteo®	Teriparatide 620mcg/2.48ml	PA, QL
	Prolia®	QL
Procrit [®]	Retacrit®	PA
Xeljanz [®] , Xeljanz XR [®]	Cyltezo [®] low concentration (e.g. 40mg/0.8ml), Humira [®] , Enbrel [®] , Rinvoq [®] , Skyrizi [®] , Stelara [®] , Cosentyx [®] , Tremfya [®] , Otezla [®] , Actemra [®]	PA, QL

Please note: Alternative drugs are suggestions only and may not be right for every patient or their condition. This information is correct as of May 1, 2025, but is subject to change. Please check the drug list for details on which drugs are covered, as this drug list can change at any time.

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