

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina 5 Tier Enhanced Formulary Updates



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TRADE NAME (generic name) or generic name	Brand/ Generic Product	Effective Date	Description of Change
abiraterone acetate tab 250 mg	Generic	12/7/18	Addition, Tier 5 - generic for ZYTIGA
ACETAMINOPHEN/CAFFEINE/DIHYDROCODEINE BITARTRATE (acetaminophen-caffeine-dihydrocodeine tab 325-30-16 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
ACTEMRA ACTPEN (tocilizumab subcutaneous soln auto-injector 162 mg/0.9ml)	Brand	12/23/18	Addition, Tier 5
acyclovir cream 5%	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ZOVIRAX
ADVAIR DISKUS (fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 100-50 mcg/dose)	Brand	2/11/19	Moved to Tier 2 - generics available
ADVAIR DISKUS (fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 250-50 mcg/dose)	Brand	2/11/19	Moved to Tier 2 - generics available
ADVAIR DISKUS (fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 500-50 mcg/dose)	Brand	2/11/19	Moved to Tier 2 - generics available
AIMOVIG (erenumab-aooe subcutaneous soln auto-injector 70 mg/ml)	Brand	2/1/19	Addition, Tier 3
aminocaproic acid tab 1000 mg	Generic	12/9/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for AMICAR
aminocaproic acid tab 500 mg	Generic	12/9/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for AMICAR
azelaic acid gel 15%	Generic	11/19/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for FINACEA
AZOPT (brinzolamide ophth susp 1%)	Brand	4/8/19	Moved to Tier 4
buprenorphine hcl-naloxone hcl sl film 12-3 mg (base equiv)	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SUBOXONE
buprenorphine hcl-naloxone hcl sl film 2-0.5 mg (base equiv)	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SUBOXONE
buprenorphine hcl-naloxone hcl sl film 4-1 mg (base equiv)	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SUBOXONE
buprenorphine hcl-naloxone hcl sl film 8-2 mg (base equiv)	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SUBOXONE
buprenorphine td patch weekly 10 mcg/hr	Generic	11/27/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for BUTRANS
buprenorphine td patch weekly 15 mcg/hr	Generic	11/27/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for BUTRANS
buprenorphine td patch weekly 20 mcg/hr	Generic	11/27/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for BUTRANS
buprenorphine td patch weekly 5 mcg/hr	Generic	11/27/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for BUTRANS
CIPROFLOXACIN ER (ciprofloxacin-ciprofloxacin hcl tab er 24hr 1000 mg(base eq))	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
CIPROFLOXACIN ER (ciprofloxacin-ciprofloxacin hcl tab er 24hr 500 mg (base eq))	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
clobazam suspension 2.5 mg/ml	Generic	10/28/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ONFI
clobazam tab 10 mg	Generic	10/28/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ONFI
clobazam tab 20 mg	Generic	10/28/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ONFI
COLCRYS (colchicine tab 0.6 mg)	Brand	4/8/19	Moved to Tier 4
cycloserine cap 250 mg	Generic	1/14/19	Addition, Tier 2
DAURISMO (glasdegib maleate tab 100 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
DAURISMO (glasdegib maleate tab 25 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
DUPIXENT (dupilumab subcutaneous soln prefilled syringe 200 mg/1.14ml)	Brand	11/8/18	Addition, Tier 5
DVORAH (acetaminophen-caffeine-dihydrocodeine tab 325-30-16 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
EMGALITY (galcanezumab-gnlm subcutaneous soln auto-injector 120 mg/ml)	Brand	2/1/19	Addition, Tier 3

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EMGALITY (galcanezumab-gnlm subcutaneous soln prefilled syr 120 mg/ml)	Brand	2/1/19	Addition, Tier 3
ENDOMETRIN (progesterone vaginal insert 100 mg)	Brand	2/20/19	Moved to Tier 3
EPIDIOLEX (cannabidiol soln 100 mg/ml)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
epinephrine solution auto-injector 0.3 mg/0.3ml (1:1000)	Generic	12/2/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for EPIPEN 2-PAK
EPIPEN 2-PAK (epinephrine solution auto-injector 0.3 mg/0.3ml (1:1000))	Brand	4/8/19	Moved to Tier 4 - generics available
FIRDAPSE (amifampridine phosphate tab 10 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	1/4/19	Addition, Tier 5
fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 100-50 mcg/dose	Generic	2/17/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ADVAIR DISKUS
fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 250-50 mcg/dose	Generic	2/17/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ADVAIR DISKUS
fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 500-50 mcg/dose	Generic	2/17/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ADVAIR DISKUS
ganirelix acetate inj 250 mcg/0.5ml	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for GANIRELIX
GRANIX (tbo-filgrastim subcutaneous inj 300 mcg/ml)	Brand	11/11/18	Addition, Tier 5
GRANIX (tbo-filgrastim subcutaneous inj 480 mcg/1.6ml (300 mcg/ml))	Brand	11/11/18	Addition, Tier 5
LEDIPASVIR/SOFOSBUVIR (ledipasvir-sofosbuvir tab 90-400 mg)	Brand	12/7/18	Addition, Tier 5
levorphanol tartrate tab 2 mg	Generic	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 2
LORBRENA (lorlatinib tab 100 mg)	Brand	11/22/18	Addition, Tier 5
LORBRENA (lorlatinib tab 25 mg)	Brand	11/22/18	Addition, Tier 5
LUMIGAN (bimatoprost ophth soln 0.01%)	Brand	4/8/19	Moved to Tier 4
mesalamine suppos 1000 mg	Generic	12/23/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for CANASA
minocycline hcl tab er 24hr 105 mg	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SOLODYN
minocycline hcl tab er 24hr 80 mg	Generic	2/10/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SOLODYN
MITIGARE (colchicine cap 0.6 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Addition, Tier 3
MOEXIPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (moexipril-hydrochlorothiazide tab 15-12.5 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
MOEXIPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (moexipril-hydrochlorothiazide tab 15-25 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
MOEXIPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (moexipril-hydrochlorothiazide tab 7.5-12.5 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
NEFAZODONE HYDROCHLORIDE (nefazodone hcl tab 250 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
NEFAZODONE HYDROCHLORIDE (nefazodone hcl tab 50 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
NEOMYCIN/POLYMYXIN/GRAMICIDIN (neomycin-polymy-gramicid op sol 1.75-10000-0.025mg-unt-mg/ml)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
NEUPOGEN (filgrastim inj 300 mcg/ml)	Brand	4/8/19	Addition, Tier 5
NEUPOGEN (filgrastim inj 480 mcg/1.6ml (300 mcg/ml))	Brand	4/8/19	Addition, Tier 5
NEUPOGEN (filgrastim soln prefilled syringe 300 mcg/0.5ml)	Brand	4/8/19	Addition, Tier 5
NEUPOGEN (filgrastim soln prefilled syringe 480 mcg/0.8ml (600 mcg/ml))	Brand	4/8/19	Addition, Tier 5
NOVOLIN 70/30 FLEXPEN (insulin nph & regular susp pen-inj 100 unit/ml (70-30))	Brand	11/9/18	Addition, Tier 3
NOVOLIN 70/30 FLEXPEN RELION (insulin nph & regular susp pen-inj 100 unit/ml (70-30))	Brand	11/9/18	Addition, Tier 3
ORLISSA (elagolix sodium tab 150 mg (base equiv))	Brand	1/15/19	Addition, Tier 3
ORLISSA (elagolix sodium tab 200 mg (base equiv))	Brand	1/15/19	Addition, Tier 3
OXERVATE (cenegermin-bkbj ophth soln 0.002% (20 mcg/ml))	Brand	12/7/18	Addition, Tier 5
pimecrolimus cream 1%	Generic	12/27/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for ELIDEL

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PIMOZIDE (pimozide tab 1 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PIMOZIDE (pimozide tab 2 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PRADAXA (dabigatran etexilate mesylate cap 110 mg (etexilate base eq))	Brand	3/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PRADAXA (dabigatran etexilate mesylate cap 150 mg (etexilate base eq))	Brand	3/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PRADAXA (dabigatran etexilate mesylate cap 75 mg (etexilate base eq))	Brand	3/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PREVIDENT RINSE (sodium fluoride rinse 0.2%)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4 - generics available
primaquine phosphate tab 26.3 mg (15 mg base)	Generic	2/17/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for PRIMAQUINE
PROMACTA (eltrombopag olamine powder pack for susp 12.5 mg (base eq))	Brand	12/30/18	Addition, Tier 5
PROMETHAZINE/PHENYLEPHRINE (promethazine & phenylephrine syrup 6.25-5 mg/5ml)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
PROMETHAZINE/PHENYLEPHRINE/CODEINE (promethazine-phenylephrine-codeine syrup 6.25-5-10 mg/5ml)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
REPATHA (evolocumab subcutaneous soln prefilled syringe 140 mg/ml)	Brand	11/6/18	Moved to Tier 3
REPATHA PUSHTRONEX SYSTEM (evolocumab subcutaneous soln cartridge/infusor 420 mg/3.5ml)	Brand	11/6/18	Moved to Tier 3
REPATHA SURECLICK (evolocumab subcutaneous soln auto-injector 140 mg/ml)	Brand	11/6/18	Moved to Tier 3
sevelamer hcl tab 800 mg	Generic	2/17/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for RENAGEL
SIKLOS (hydroxyurea tab 1000 mg)	Brand	11/4/18	Addition, Tier 5
silodosin cap 4 mg	Generic	12/2/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for RAPAFLO
silodosin cap 8 mg	Generic	12/2/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for RAPAFLO
sirolimus oral soln 1 mg/ml	Generic	2/3/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for RAPAMUNE
SOFOSBUVIR/VELPATASVIR (sofosbuvir-velpatasvir tab 400-100 mg)	Brand	12/7/18	Addition, Tier 5
SULFACETAMIDE SODIUM/PREDNISOLONE SODIUM PHOSPHATE (sulfacetamide sodium-prednisolone ophth soln 10-0.23(0.25)%)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
TEGSEDI (inotersen sod subcutaneous pref syr 284 mg/1.5ml (base eq))	Brand	11/8/18	Addition, Tier 5
testosterone td gel 10mg/act (2%)	Generic	11/12/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for FORTESTA
toremifene citrate tab 60 mg (base equivalent)	Generic	1/27/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for FARESTON
TRAVATAN Z (travoprost ophth soln 0.004% (benzalkonium free) (bak free))	Brand	4/8/19	Moved to Tier 4
TRESIBA (insulin degludec inj 100 unit/ml)	Brand	2/3/19	Addition, Tier 3
triazolam tab 0.125 mg	Generic	11/7/18	Addition, Tier 2
UDENYCA (pegfilgrastim-cbqv soln prefilled syringe 6 mg/0.6ml)	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
ildenafil hcl orally disintegrating tab 10 mg	Generic	11/25/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for STAXYN
ildenafil hcl tab 10 mg	Generic	11/4/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for LEVITRA
ildenafil hcl tab 2.5 mg	Generic	11/4/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for LEVITRA
ildenafil hcl tab 20 mg	Generic	11/4/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for LEVITRA
ildenafil hcl tab 5 mg	Generic	11/4/18	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for LEVITRA

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VERDROCET (hydrocodone-acetaminophen tab 2.5-325 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Moved to Tier 4
vigabatrin tab 500 mg	Generic	1/20/19	Addition, Tier 2 - generic for SABRIL
VITRAKVI (larotrectinib sulfate cap 100 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
VITRAKVI (larotrectinib sulfate cap 25 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
VITRAKVI (larotrectinib sulfate oral soln 20 mg/ml (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
XARELTO (rivaroxaban tab 2.5 mg)	Brand	4/1/19	Addition, Tier 3
XOSPATA (gilteritinib fumarate tablet 40 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/13/18	Addition, Tier 5
ZORTRESS (everolimus tab 1 mg)	Brand	10/28/18	Addition, Tier 5