

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Alabama Generics Plus Drug Guide Updates



October 2018

TRADE NAME (generic name) or generic name	Brand/Generic Product	Effective Date	Description of Change
ALINIA (nitazoxanide for susp 100 mg/5 ml)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
ALINIA (nitazoxanide tab 500 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
BIKTARVY (bictegravir-emtricitabine-tenofovir af tab 50-200-25 mg)	Brand	8/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
CARTEOLOL HCL (carteolol hcl ophth soln 1%)	Brand	3/1/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
CHLOROQUINE PHOSPHATE (chloroquine phosphate tab 250 mg)	Brand	7/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
CIMDUO (lamivudine-tenofovir disoproxil fumarate tab 300-300 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
CYCLOSPORINE MODIFIED (cyclosporine modified cap 50 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
DDAVP (desmopressin acetate nasal soln 0.01% (refrigerated))	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
ERLEADA (apalutamide tab 60 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
ESTRACE (estradiol vaginal cream 0.1 mg/gm)	Brand	10/1/2018	Move from Tier 2 to Tier 3, generics available
HUMIRA (adalimumab prefilled syringe kit 10 mg/0.1 ml)	Brand	4/29/2018	Addition to Tier 2
HUMIRA (adalimumab prefilled syringe kit 20 mg/0.2 ml)	Brand	4/29/2018	Addition to Tier 2
HUMIRA (adalimumab prefilled syringe kit 40 mg/0.4 ml)	Brand	4/29/2018	Addition to Tier 2
HUMIRA PEDIATRIC CROHNS DISEASE STARTER PACK (adalimumab prefilled syringe kit 80 mg/0.8ml & 40 mg/0.4 ml)	Brand	4/29/2018	Addition to Tier 2
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HUMIRA PEN (adalimumab pen-injector kit 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	4/29/2018	Addition to Tier 2
HYDROCODONE BITARTRATE/CHLORPHENIRAMINE MALEATE/PSE (pseudoeph-chlorphen w/ hydrocodone soln 60-4-5 mg/5 ml)	Brand	5/2/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib cap 70 mg)	Brand	3/4/2018	Addition to Tier 2
IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib tab 140 mg)	Brand	3/4/2018	Addition to Tier 2
IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib tab 280 mg)	Brand	3/4/2018	Addition to Tier 2
IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib tab 420 mg)	Brand	3/4/2018	Addition to Tier 2
IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib tab 560 mg)	Brand	3/4/2018	Addition to Tier 2
METHYLTESTOSTERONE (methyltestosterone cap 10 mg)	Brand	5/10/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
NORVIR (ritonavir powder packet 100 mg)	Brand	5/20/2018	Addition to Tier 2
OXAZEPAM (oxazepam cap 30 mg)	Brand	4/19/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
PREDNISOLONE (prednisolone syrup 15 mg/5ml (usp solution equivalent))	Brand	5/17/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
SUSTIVA (efavirenz tab 600 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Move from Tier 2 to Tier 3, generics available
SYMFI (efavirenz-lamivudine-tenofovir df tab 600-300-300 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
SYMFI LO (efavirenz-lamivudine-tenofovir df tab 400-300-300 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
TASIGNA (nilotinib hcl cap 50 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	4/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
TIMOLOL MALEATE OPHTHALMIC GEL FORMING (timolol maleate ophth gel forming soln 0.5%)	Brand	2/15/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
TIMOPTIC-XE (timolol maleate ophth gel forming soln 0.25%)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
TIMOPTIC-XE (timolol maleate ophth gel forming soln 0.5%)	Brand	10/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2

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TOUJEO MAX SOLOSTAR (insulin glargine soln pen-injector 300 unit/ml)	Brand	5/1/2018	Addition to Tier 2
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TRANDOLAPRIL/VERAPAMIL HCL ER (trandolapril-verapamil hcl tab er 1-240 mg)	Brand	3/29/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
VERAPAMIL HCL SR (verapamil hcl cap er 24hr 360 mg)	Brand	6/5/2018	Move from Tier 1 to Tier 2
VIREAD (tenofovir disoproxil fumarate tab 300 mg)	Brand	10/1/2018	Move from Tier 2 to Tier 3, generics available
ZENPEP (pancrelipase (lip-prot-amyl) dr cap 15000-47000-63000 unit)	Brand	5/6/2018	Addition to Tier 2
ZENPEP (pancrelipase (lip-prot-amyl) dr cap 10000-32000-42000 unit)	Brand	4/8/2018	Addition to Tier 2
ZENPEP (pancrelipase (lip-prot-amyl) dr cap 3000-10000-14000 unit)	Brand	5/20/2018	Addition to Tier 2