

Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Dakota Drug List Updates



April 2026

TRADE NAME (generic name) or generic name	Brand/ Generic Product	Effective Date	Description of Change
amantadine hcl soln 50 mg/5ml	Generic	4/1/26	Addition
ANDEMBRY (garadacimab-gxii soln auto-injector 200 mg/1.2ml)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
ciprofloxacin-hydrocortisone otic susp 0.2-1%	Generic	12/7/25	Addition, generic for CIPRO HC
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (10 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (4 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (5 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (6 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (7 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (8 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
cladribine tab therapy pack 10 mg (9 tabs)	Generic	12/14/25	Addition, generic for MAVENCLAD
DAWZERA (donidalorsen sodium subcutaneous soln auto-inj 80 mg/0.8ml)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
DIFICID (fidaxomicin tab 200 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
ENTRESTO (sacubitril-valsartan tab 24-26 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
ENTRESTO (sacubitril-valsartan tab 49-51 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
ENTRESTO (sacubitril-valsartan tab 97-103 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
estrogens, conjugated tab 0.3 mg	Generic	10/26/25	Addition, generic for PREMARIN
estrogens, conjugated tab 0.45 mg	Generic	10/26/25	Addition, generic for PREMARIN
estrogens, conjugated tab 0.625 mg	Generic	10/26/25	Addition, generic for PREMARIN
estrogens, conjugated tab 0.9 mg	Generic	10/26/25	Addition, generic for PREMARIN
estrogens, conjugated tab 1.25 mg	Generic	10/26/25	Addition, generic for PREMARIN
KERENDIA (finerenone tab 40 mg)	Brand	3/1/26	Addition
KLOR-CON 8 (potassium chloride tab er 8 meq (600 mg))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
lomustine cap 10 mg	Generic	11/16/25	Addition, generic of GLEOSTINE
lomustine cap 100 mg	Generic	11/16/25	Addition, generic of GLEOSTINE
lomustine cap 40 mg	Generic	11/16/25	Addition, generic of GLEOSTINE
loteprednol etabonate-tobramycin ophth susp 0.5-0.3%	Generic	1/18/26	Addition, generic of ZYLET
OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz subcutaneous sol prefill syringe 200 mg/2ml)	Brand	12/14/25	Addition
OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz subcutaneous soln auto-injector 200 mg/2ml)	Brand	12/14/25	Addition
oxcarbazepine tab er 24hr 150 mg	Generic	4/1/26	Addition, generic for OXTELLAR XR
oxcarbazepine tab er 24hr 300 mg	Generic	4/1/26	Addition, generic for OXTELLAR XR
oxcarbazepine tab er 24hr 600 mg	Generic	4/1/26	Addition, generic for OXTELLAR XR
RHAPSIDO (remibrutinib tab 25 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Addition
RIDAURA (auranofin cap 3 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal
SAXENDA (liraglutide (weight mngmt) soln pen-inj 18 mg/3ml (6 mg/ml))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available
SELARSDI (ustekinumab-aekn subcutaneous soln 45 mg/0.5ml)	Brand	10/26/25	Addition
TRACLEER (bosentan tab for oral susp 32 mg)	Brand	4/1/26	Removal, generics available

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VELTASSA (patiomer sorbitex calcium for susp packet 1 gm (base eq))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal
VELTASSA (patiomer sorbitex calcium for susp packet 16.8 gm (base eq))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal
VELTASSA (patiomer sorbitex calcium for susp packet 25.2 gm (base eq))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal
VELTASSA (patiomer sorbitex calcium for susp packet 8.4 gm (base eq))	Brand	4/1/26	Removal
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 0.5 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/28/25	Addition
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 0.75 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	12/28/25	Addition
WEGOVY (semaglutide (weight management) tab 1.5 mg)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
WEGOVY (semaglutide (weight management) tab 25 mg)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
WEGOVY (semaglutide (weight management) tab 4 mg)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
WEGOVY (semaglutide (weight management) tab 9 mg)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
YEZTUGO (lenacapavir sodium subcutaneous soln 463.5 mg/1.5ml)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
YEZTUGO (lenacapavir sodium tab 300 mg)	Brand	2/1/26	Addition
ZURNAI (nalmeferene hcl soln auto-injector 1.5 mg/0.5ml (base equiv))	Brand	4/1/26	Addition

Utilization Management Implementations

Prior Authorizations and Step Therapy Programs

Medications	Utilization Management
Starjemza	PA+QL
Fluticasone Furoate Ellipta	PA
Wayrilz tablets	PA+QL
Cabtreo	ST
Komzifti capsules	PA+QL
Hyrnuo tablets	PA+QL
Anzupgo cream	PA+QL
Rhapsido tablets	PA+QL
Leqembi Iqlik	PA+QL
Vyjuvek	PA+QL
Wegovy tablets	PA+QL
Jascayd	PA+QL
Zepbound Kwikpen	PA+QL

Dispensing Limits

Medication Name	Dispensing Limit
Starjemza 45 mg vial	1 vial per 84 days
Starjemza 45 mg prefilled syringe	1 syringe per 84 days
Starjemza 90 mg prefilled syringe	1 syringe per 56 days
Bimzelx 320 mg/2mL pen	1 pen per 56 days
Bimzelx 320 mg/2mL syringe	1 syringe per 56 days
Freestyle Libre 2 plus sensors	2 sensors per 30 days
Freestyle Libre 3 plus sensors	2 sensors per 30 days
Prilosec Pack 2.5 mg	2 packets per day
Wayrilz tablets	2 tablets per day
Komzifti capsules	3 capsules per day
Omlonti ophthalmic solution	2.5 ml per 30 days
Hyrnuo tablets	4 tablets per day
Anzupgo cream	60 grams per 30 days

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Medication Name	Dispensing Limit
Rhapsido tablets	2 tablets per day
Leqwmbi Iqlik	4 pens per 28 days
Vyjuvek	4 vials per 28 days
Wegovy tablets 1.5 mg	60 tablets per 180 days
Wegovy tablets 4 mg	60 tablets per 180 days
Wegovy tablets 9 mg	60 tablets per 180 days
Wegovy tablets 25 mg	1 tablet per day
Jascayd 9 mg tablets	2 tablets per day
Jascayd 18 mg tablets	2 tablets per day
Zepbound Kwikpen 2.5 mg	1 pen per 180 days
Zepbound Kwikpen 5 mg, 7.5 mg, 10 mg, 12.5 mg, 15 mg	1 pen per 28 days

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