

# Your prescription benefit updates

## Formulary Updates - Effective January 1, 2021

Medications are grouped by the conditions they treat. Each medication is placed in a tier that shows the amount you will pay for that prescription. This is decided by your employer or health plan. Please use this chart as you review these updates.



**Tier 1**  
Lowest-cost medications



**Tier 2**  
Midrange-cost medications



**Tier 3**  
Highest-cost medications

### Medications moving to a lower tier

The following medications are moving to a lower tier, making them more affordable.

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Tier placement
<b>Antigout Agents</b>	COLCHICINE TAB 0.6MG	<b>EXC to Tier 1</b>
<b>Dermatological Agents - Drugs for Skin Conditions</b>	FINACEA GEL 15%	<b>EXC to Tier 3</b>
<b>Diabetes - Glucose Monitoring</b>	CONTOUR TEST STRIP	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NEXT TEST STRIP	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR KIT	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
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	CONTOUR NEXT EZ KIT	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NEXT ONE KIT	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR HIGH CONTROL SOL	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR LOW CONTROL SOL	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NORM CONTROL SOL	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NEXT CONTROL SOLUTION LEVEL 1	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NEXT CONTROL SOLUTION LEVEL 2	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR LINK 2.4 KIT	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>
	CONTOUR NEXT LINK KIT	<b>EXC to Tier 2</b>

## Medications moving to a higher tier

These medications are moving to a higher tier and will cost more because there are other lower-cost options. If your medication is listed below, you may still take it, but you may pay a higher cost. Please talk to your doctor about lower-cost option(s) to see if they will work for you.

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Tier placement	Lower-cost medications
<b>Antineoplastics - Drugs for Cancer</b>	ISTODAX INJ 10MG	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	ROMIDEPSIN INJ 10MG	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
<b>Dermatological Agents - Drugs for Skin Conditions</b>	MIRVASO GEL	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	SOOLANTRA CR	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	metronidazole cr, rosadan cr, azelaic acid gel
<b>Immunological Agents - Drugs for Immune System Stimulation or Suppression</b>	HYPERRAB INJ 300UNIT, 1500UNIT	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	HYPERRAB S/D INJ 150U/ML, 300U/2ML	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	IMOGAM RABIES INJ 150U/ML, 300U/2ML	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	KEDRAB INJ 150U/ML, 300U/2ML	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
<b>Ophthalmic Agents - Drugs for Glaucoma</b>	RHOPRESSA OP SOL	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	latanoprost op sol, travoprost op sol, bimatoprost op sol
	ROCKLATAN OP SOL	<b>Tier 2 to Tier 3</b>	dorzolamide/timolol op sol, COMBIGAN OP SOL, SIMBRINZA OP SOL

## Medications moving to exclusion

The following excluded medications will not be covered by your plan.

Therapeutic use	Medication name	Tier placement	Lower-cost medications
<b>Anti-Addiction / Substance Abuse Treatment Agents</b>	EVZIO INJ 2/0.4ML	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	NARCAN
<b>Antidepressants</b>	BUPROPION HYDROCHLORIDE TAB 450MG XL	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	bupropion hcl tab XL
	FORFIVO XL TAB 450MG	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	bupropion hcl tab XL
<b>Antigout Agents</b>	COLCRYS TAB 0.6MG	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	colchicine tab
<b>Antiparasitics</b>	PLAQUENIL TAB 200MG	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	hydroxychloroquine
<b>Antivirals</b>	DESCOVY TAB 200/25	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
	TRUVADA TAB 100-150MG, 133-200MG, 167-250MG, 200-300MG	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
<b>Blood Products / Modifiers / Volume Expanders - Drugs for Bleeding Disorders</b>	UDENYCA INJ 6MG/.6ML	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	NEULASTA, ZIEXTENZO
<b>Cardiovascular Agents - Drugs for Heart and Circulation Conditions</b>	LIVALO TAB 1MG, 2MG, 4MG	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	atorvastatin, fluvastatin, lovastatin, pravastatin, rosuvastatin, simvastatin
<b>Central Nervous System Agents - Drugs for Multiple Sclerosis</b>	REBIF INJ 22/0.5, 44/0.5	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	AVONEX, BETASERON
	REBIF REBIDOSE INJ 22/0.5, 44/0.5	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	AVONEX, BETASERON
	REBIF INJ TITRATION PACK	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	AVONEX, BETASERON

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<b>Central Nervous System Agents - Drugs for Multiple Sclerosis</b>	REBIF REBIDOSE INJ TITRATION PACK	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	AVONEX, BETASERON
<b>Central Nervous System Agents - Miscellaneous</b>	CONTRACE TAB 8-90MG	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	Please talk to your doctor about other option(s)
<b>Dermatological Agents - Drugs for Skin Conditions</b>	AVITA CR 0.025%, GEL 0.025%	<b>Tier 1 to EXC</b>	tretinoin cr, tretinoin gel
	TRIANEX OINT 0.05%	<b>Tier 1 to EXC</b>	hydrocortisone valerate, triamcinolone acetonide
<b>Diabetes - Glucose Monitoring</b>	ONETOUCH ULTRA TEST STRIP	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH ULTRA BLUE TEST STRIP	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO TEST STRIP	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH ULTRA LINK SYSTEM(HEX) KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH ULTRA MINI KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH ULTRA 2 KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO FLEX KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO IQ KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO REFLECT KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO SYNC KIT	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH ULTRA CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT

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<b>Diabetes - Glucose Monitoring</b>	ONETOUCH VERIO CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	ONETOUCH VERIO-HI CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	SURESTEP CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	SURESTEP GLU SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	SURESTEP GLU SOL HIGH/LOW	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	SURESTEP PRO TEST HIGH CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
	SURESTEP PRO TEST NORM CONTROL SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	CONTOUR, CONTOUR NEXT
<b>Gastrointestinal Agents - Drugs for Bowel, Intestine and Stomach Conditions</b>	OSMOPREP TAB 1.5GM	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	Clenpiq, Gavilyte-N, PEG 3350-kcl-sod bicarb-nacl, Prepopik, Suprep
	PLENVU SOL	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	Clenpiq, Gavilyte-N, PEG 3350-kcl-sod bicarb-nacl, Prepopik, Suprep
<b>Genetic or Enzyme Disorder - Drugs for Replacement, Modification, Treatment</b>	EXONDYS 51 SOL 100/2ML, 500/10ML	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	dexamethasone, methylprednisolone, prednisone
<b>Hormonal Agents - Men's Health</b>	AVEED INJ 750/3ML	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	testosterone, ANDRODERM, XYOSTED
	NATESTO GEL 5.5MG	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	testosterone, ANDRODERM, XYOSTED
	TESTOPEL PELLETS	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	testosterone, ANDRODERM, XYOSTED
<b>Respiratory Tract / Pulmonary Agents - Drugs for Asthma and Other Lung Conditions</b>	ALBUTEROL SULFATE HFA	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler

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<b>Respiratory Tract / Pulmonary Agents - Drugs for Asthma and Other Lung Conditions</b>	INCRUSE ELLIPTA	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	SPIRIVA CAP HANDIHALER
	LEVALBUTEROL TARTRATE HFA	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	PROAIR DIGIHALER 108MCG	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	PROAIR HFA	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	PROAIR RESPICLICK	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	PROVENTIL HFA	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	VENTOLIN HFA	<b>Tier 2 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler
	XOPENEX HFA	<b>Tier 3 to EXC</b>	albuterol HFA inhaler



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