

### Drugs Moving to a Non-Preferred Brand Level

(higher out-of-pocket cost for you)

Effective: January 1, 2024

(changes known as of October 1, 2023)

Drug <sup>1</sup>	Condition Used For	Preferred Alternatives <sup>2</sup>
MESALAMINE DR (mesalamine tab delayed release 800 mg)	Ulcerative Colitis	mesalamine tab delayed release 400 mg
NAFRINSE DROPS (sodium fluoride soln 0.125 mg/drop f (0.275 mg/drop naf))	Dental Caries Prophylaxis	Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
OXANDROLONE (oxandrolone tab 2.5 mg, 10 mg)	Promotes Weight Gain	Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
PODOFILOX (podofilox soln 0.5%)	Warts	imiquimod cream 5%
TELMISARTAN/AMLODIPINE (telmisartan-amlodipine tab 40-5 mg, 40-10 mg, 80-5 mg, 80-10 mg)	Hypertension	telmisartan tab 40 mg, amlodipine tab 10 mg, amlodipine-valsartan, amlodipine-olmesartan

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## Drugs No Longer Covered

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ADVAIR DISKUS (fluticasone-salmeterol aer powder ba 100-50 mcg/act, 250-50 mcg/act, 500-50 mcg/act)	Asthma, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)	There is a generic equivalent available. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
APO-VARENICLINE (varenicline tartrate tab 0.5 mg, 1 mg (base equivalent))	Smoking cessation	There is a generic equivalent available. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
FIRVANQ (vancomycin hcl for oral soln 25 mg/mL, 50 mg/mL (base equivalent))	C. Difficile Infection, Staphylococcal Enterocolitis	vancomycin solution 50 mg/mL
FLOVENT DISKUS (fluticasone propionate aer pow ba 50 mcg/act, 100 mcg/act, 250 mcg/act) <i>(manufacturer to discontinue product in early 2024)</i>	Asthma	ARNUITY, ASMANEX, QVAR
FLOVENT HFA (fluticasone propionate hfa inhal aero 44 mcg/act (50/valve), 110 mcg/act (125/valve), 220 mcg/act (250/valve)) <i>(manufacturer to discontinue product in early 2024)</i>	Asthma	ARNUITY, ASMANEX, QVAR
lamotrigine tab disint 21 x 25 mg & 7 x 50 mg, 42 x 50 mg & 14 x 100 mg titration kit	Bipolar disorder, Seizures	Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
PREZISTA (darunavir tab 600 mg, 800 mg)	HIV	There is a generic equivalent available. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medication(s) available for your condition.
risedronate sodium tab delayed release 35 mg	Osteoporosis treatment	risedronate tablet 35 mg
VICTOZA (liraglutide soln pen-injector 18 mg/3 mL (6 mg/mL))	Diabetes	MOUNJARO, OZEMPIC, RYBELSUS, TRULICITY

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