

Formulary Updates February 2023



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Effective Date as of 02/01/2023:

Drug	Addition, Change, Deletion from Formulary	Formulary Status
NOXAFIL 300MG POWDER FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 4, PA
DESCOVY 120-15MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, QL
JYNNEOS 0.5ML INJ	Addition	Tier 3, VAC
IMBRUVICA 70MG/ML SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, NDS
finzala 24 fe chewable 28 day pack	Addition	Tier 2
PHEBURANE 483MG/GM ORAL PELLETT	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
ORKAMBI 94-75MG GRANULES	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
CAPLYTA 10.5MG CAP	Addition	Tier 4, PA NSO, QL
CAPLYTA 21MG CAP	Addition	Tier 4, PA NSO, QL
ZONISADE 100MG/5ML SUSP	Addition	Tier 4, PA NSO
tafluprost 0.0015% ophth soln	Addition	Tier 2, ST, QL
DEPO-PROVERA 150MG/ML INJ	Addition	Tier 4, QL
albuterol 108mcg HFA inhaler (8.5gm)	Addition	Tier 2, QL
albuterol 108mcg HFA inhaler (6.7gm)	Addition	Tier 2, QL
CAMZYOS 2.5MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
CAMZYOS 5MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
CAMZYOS 10MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
CAMZYOS 15MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
RADICAVA 105MG/5ML SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL

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roflumilast 0.5mg tab	Update	Tier 2
lenalidomide 2.5mg cap	Update	Tier 2, PA NSO, QL
lenalidomide 20mg cap	Update	Tier 2, PA NSO, QL
ZIMHI 5MG/0.5ML SYRINGE	Update	Tier 2
KOSELUGO 10MG CAP	Update	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
PEMAZYRE 4.5MG TAB	Update	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO
PEMAZYRE 9MG TAB	Update	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO
PEMAZYRE 13.5MG TAB	Update	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO
celecoxib 50mg cap	Update	Tier 2
celecoxib 100mg cap	Update	Tier 2
celecoxib 200mg cap	Update	Tier 2
celecoxib 400mg cap	Update	Tier 2
PENTACEL 96-30-68UNIT/ML INJ	Deletion	NF
INTRON A 18000000UNIT INJ	Deletion	NF
larissia 28 day pack	Deletion	NF
digitek 0.125mg tab	Deletion	NF
furosemide 10mg/ml syringe	Deletion	NF
ENBREL 25MG INJ	Deletion	NF
PRED-G 0.3-1% OPHTH SUSP	Deletion	NF
SKYRIZI 150MG DOSE PACK 75MG/0.83ML	Deletion	NF
DALIRESP 500MCG TAB	Deletion	NF
GILENYA 0.5MG CAP	Deletion	NF

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Drug	Addition, Change, Deletion from Formulary	Formulary Status
GLEOSTINE 10MG CAP	Addition	Tier 3
GLEOSTINE 40MG CAP	Addition	Tier 3
GLEOSTINE 100MG CAP	Addition	Tier 3
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/valsartan 5-12.5-160mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/valsartan 5-25-160mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/valsartan 10-12.5-160mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/valsartan 10-25-160mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/valsartan 10-25-320mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
SKYRIZI 180MG/1.2ML CARTRIDGE	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL
AUVELITY 105-45MG ER TAB	Addition	Tier 4, ST NSO, QL
OXBRYTA 300MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
hydroxychloroquine sulfate 300mg tab	Addition	Tier 4, QL
hydroxychloroquine sulfate 400mg tab	Addition	Tier 2, QL
roflumilast 250mcg tab	Update	Tier 2
hydroxychloroquine sulfate 100mg tab	Update	Tier 2

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Drug	Addition, Change, Deletion from Formulary	Formulary Status
INTRON A 10000000UNIT INJ	Deletion	NF
INTRON A 50000000UNIT INJ	Deletion	NF
DALIRESP 250MCG TAB	Deletion	NF

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SUNLENCA 300MG TAB 4-TABLET PACK	Addition	Tier 5, QL
SUNLENCA 300MG TAB 5-TABLET PACK	Addition	Tier 5, QL
HEPLISAV-B 20MCG/0.5ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 3, PA BvD
LEUPROLIDE ACETATE 22.5MG INJ	Addition	Tier 5, QL
KRAZATI 200MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
estradiol valerate 10mg/ml inj	Addition	Tier 2
OZEMPIC 2MG/3ML PEN INJ	Addition	Tier 3, QL
pirfenidone 267mg cap	Update	Tier 2, PA, QL
NORVIR 80MG/ML ORAL SOLN	Deletion	NF
femynor 28 day pack	Deletion	NF
digitek 0.25mg tab	Deletion	NF
ESBRIET 267MG CAP	Deletion	NF

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ORSERDU 86MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
ORSERDU 345MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
JAYPIRCA 50MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
JAYPIRCA 100MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
LYTGOBI 4MG TAB PACK (12MG DAILY DOSE)	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
LYTGOBI 4MG TAB PACK (16MG DAILY DOSE)	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
LYTGOBI 4MG TAB PACK (20MG DAILY DOSE)	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
REZLIDHIA 150MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
FUROSCIX 80MG/10ML CARTRIDGE	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, QL
tasimelteon 20mg cap	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
ZTALMY 50MG/ML SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
tramadol 100mg er ta	Addition	Tier 2, QL
tramadol 200mg er tab	Addition	Tier 2, QL
tramadol 300mg er tab	Addition	Tier 2, QL
ZORYVE 0.3% CREAM	Addition	Tier 3, PA, QL

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amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/olmesartan medoxomil 5-12.5-20mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/olmesartan medoxomil 5-12.5-40mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/olmesartan medoxomil 5-25-40mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/olmesartan medoxomil 10-12.5-40mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
amlodipine/hydrochlorothiazide/olmesartan medoxomil 10-25-40mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
captopril 12.5mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
captopril 25mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
captopril 50mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
captopril 100mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
ezetimibe 10mg/simvastatin 10mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
ezetimibe 10mg/simvastatin 20mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
ezetimibe 10mg/simvastatin 40mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
ezetimibe 10mg/simvastatin 80mg tab	Addition	Tier 2
moexipril 7.5mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
moexipril 15mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
perindopril erbumine 2mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
perindopril erbumine 4mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
perindopril erbumine 8mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
trandolapril 1mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
trandolapril 2mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
trandolapril 4mg tab	Addition	Tier 1
lubiprostone 8mcg cap	Addition	Tier 2, QL
lubiprostone 24mcg cap	Addition	Tier 2, QL

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sodium sulfate/potassium sulfate/magnesium sulfate 17.5-3.13-1.6 gm/177ml prep kit	Addition	Tier 2
peg 3350 powder for oral soln (100gm Moviprep equiv)	Addition	Tier 2
lurasidone 20mg tab	Update	Tier 2, ST NSO
lurasidone 40mg tab	Update	Tier 2, ST NSO
lurasidone 60mg tab	Update	Tier 2, ST NSO
lurasidone 80mg tab	Update	Tier 2, ST NSO
lurasidone 120mg tab	Update	Tier 2, ST NSO
BENZNIDAZOLE 12.5MG TAB	Update	Tier 3
BENZNIDAZOLE 100MG TAB	Update	Tier 3
pirmella 1/35 28 day pack	Deletion	NF
OSENI 12.5-45MG TAB	Deletion	NF
ACCURETIC 25-20MG TAB	Deletion	NF
HETLIOZ 20MG CAP	Deletion	NF
LATUDA 20MG TAB	Deletion	NF
LATUDA 40MG TAB	Deletion	NF
LATUDA 60MG TAB	Deletion	NF
LATUDA 80MG TAB	Deletion	NF
LATUDA 120MG TAB	Deletion	NF

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ERLEADA 240MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
TYBLUME CHEW TAB 28 DAY PACK	Addition	Tier 3
teriflunomide 7mg tab	Update	Tier 2
teriflunomide 14mg tab	Update	Tier 2
ANDRODERM 2MG/24HR PATCH	Deletion	NF
ANDRODERM 4MG/24HR PATCH	Deletion	NF
oxandrolone 2.5mg tab	Deletion	NF
oxandrolone 10mg tab	Deletion	NF
azelastine 0.206mg/act nasal inhaler	Deletion	NF
GENTAK 0.3% OPHTH OINTMENT	Deletion	NF
olopatadine 0.2% ophth soln	Deletion	NF
PREDNICARBATE 0.1% OINTMENT	Deletion	NF
AUBAGIO 7MG TAB	Deletion	NF
AUBAGIO 14MG TAB	Deletion	NF

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LUMAKRAS 320MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
ORENITRAM MONTH 1 TITRATION PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA
ORENITRAM MONTH 2 TITRATION PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA
ORENITRAM MONTH 3 TITRATION PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA
AUSTEDO 6MG ER TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
AUSTEDO 12MG ER TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
AUSTEDO 24MG ER TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
RELYVRIO 3-1GM POWDER PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
NEXLETOL 180MG TAB	Addition	Tier 3, PA, QL
NEXLIZET 180-10MG TAB	Addition	Tier 3, PA, QL
MAVENCLAD 4 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 5 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 6 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 7 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 8 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 9 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
MAVENCLAD 10 TABLET PACK 10MG	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
posaconazole 40mg/ml susp	Update	Tier 2, PA

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bismuth subcitrate/metronidazole/tetracycline 140-125-125mg cap	Update	Tier 2
budesonide 2mg/act rectal foam	Update	Tier 2, PA
levofloxacin 25mg/ml inj	Deletion	NF
EPIVIR HBV 5MG/ML ORAL SOLN	Deletion	NF
TRUSELTIQ 50MG DAILY DOSE CARTON 25MG PACK	Deletion	NF
TRUSELTIQ 75MG DAILY DOSE CARTON 25MG PACK	Deletion	NF
TRUSELTIQ 100MG DAILY DOSE CARTON PACK	Deletion	NF
TRUSELTIQ 125MG DAILY DOSE CARTON PACK	Deletion	NF
emoquette pack	Deletion	NF
OZEMPIC 2MG/1.5ML PEN INJ	Deletion	NF
ALOGLIPTIN 12.5MG/PIOGLITAZONE 45MG TAB	Deletion	NF
DRIZALMA 20MG DR CAP	Deletion	NF
DRIZALMA 30MG DR CAP	Deletion	NF
DRIZALMA 40MG DR CAP	Deletion	NF
DRIZALMA 60MG DR CAP	Deletion	NF
myorisan 10mg cap	Deletion	NF
myorisan 20mg cap	Deletion	NF
myorisan 30mg cap	Deletion	NF
myorisan 40mg cap	Deletion	NF
avita 0.025% gel	Deletion	NF

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TAFINLAR 10MG TAB FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
TURALIO 125MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
MEKINIST 0.05MG/ML ORAL SOLN	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL
KALYDECO 13.4MG GRANULES	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA
TRIKAFTA 80-40-60MG/59.5MG GRANULES PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
TRIKAFTA 100-50-75MG/75MG GRANULES PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
BYLVAY 600MCG ORAL PELLETT	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
UZEDY 50MG/0.14ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, QL
UZEDY 75MG/0.21ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, QL
UZEDY 100MG/0.28ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
UZEDY 125MG/0.35ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, QL
UZEDY 150MG/0.42ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
UZEDY 200MG/0.56ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
UZEDY 250MG/0.7ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
ABILIFY 720MG/2.4ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
ABILIFY 960MG/3.2ML SYRINGE	Addition	Tier 5, QL
UDENYCA 6MG/0.6ML AUTO-INJECTOR	Addition	Tier 5, NDS
gefitinib 250mg tab	Update	Tier 2, PA NSO
methsuximide 300mg cap	Update	Tier 2
alendronate sodium 70mg/75ml oral soln	Update	Tier 2

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levo-t 25mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 50mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 75mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 88mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 100mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 112mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 125mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 137mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 150mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 175mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 200mcg tab	Deletion	NF
levo-t 300mcg tab	Deletion	NF
hydrochlorothiazide 12.5mg/quinapril 10mg tab	Deletion	NF
hydrochlorothiazide 12.5mg/quinapril 20mg tab	Deletion	NF
hydrochlorothiazide 25mg/quinapril 20mg tab	Deletion	NF
CIMETIDINE 60MG/ML ORAL SOLN	Deletion	NF
ZEPOSIA STARTER KIT PACK	Deletion	NF
KYNMOBI 10MG SUBLINGUAL FILM	Deletion	NF
KYNMOBI 15MG SUBLINGUAL FILM	Deletion	NF
KYNMOBI 20MG SUBLINGUAL FILM	Deletion	NF
KYNMOBI 25MG SUBLINGUAL FILM	Deletion	NF
KYNMOBI 30MG SUBLINGUAL FILM	Deletion	NF
IRESSA 250MG TAB	Deletion	NF

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darunavir 600mg tab	Update	Tier 2
darunavir 800mg tab	Update	Tier 2
icatibant 10mg/ml syringe	Update	Tier 2, PA
sajazir 30mg/3ml syringe	Update	Tier 2, PA
sapropterin 100mg tab	Update	Tier 2, PA
javygtor 100mg tab	Update	Tier 2, PA
sapropterin 100mg powder for oral soln	Update	Tier 2, PA
javygtor 100mg powder for oral soln	Update	Tier 2, PA
sapropterin 500mg powder for oral soln	Update	Tier 2, PA
javygtor 500mg powder for oral soln	Update	Tier 2, PA
IMBRUVICA 560MG TAB	Deletion	NF
TURALIO 200MG CAP	Deletion	NF
PHOSLYRA 667MG/5ML ORAL SOLN	Deletion	NF
procto-pak 1% cream	Deletion	NF

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ZEJULA 100MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL, NDS
ZEJULA 200MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL, NDS
ZEJULA 300MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL, NDS
TALZENNA 0.1MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL, NDS
TALZENNA 0.35MG CAP	Addition	Tier 5, PA NSO, QL, NDS
AUSTEDO 6-12-24MG XR TAB TITRATION PACK	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
ZEPOSIA 28-DAY STARTER KIT PACK	Addition	Tier 5, PA, NDS
LUMRYZ 4.5GM GRANULES FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
LUMRYZ 6GM GRANULES FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
LUMRYZ 7.5GM GRANULES FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
LUMRYZ 9GM GRANULES FOR ORAL SUSP	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
FILSPARI 200MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
FILSPARI 400MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, PA, QL, NDS
electrolyte-148 solution	Update	Tier 2
PENICILLIN G PROCAINE 600000UNIT/ML SYRINGE	Deletion	NF

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INGREZZA CAP PACK	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA, QL
NEVIRAPINE 100MG ER TAB	Deletion	NF
avita 0.025% cream	Deletion	NF

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Effective Date as of 12/01/2023:

Drug	Addition, Change, Deletion from Formulary	Formulary Status
VANFLYTA 17.7MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
VANFLYTA 26.5MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
OJJAARA 100MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
OJJAARA 150MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
OJJAARA 200MG TAB	Addition	Tier 5, NDS, PA NSO, QL
SYNJARDY 5-1000MG ER TAB	Deletion	NF
SYNJARDY 10-1000MG ER TAB	Deletion	NF
SYNJARDY 12.5-1000MG ER TAB	Deletion	NF
SYNJARDY 25-1000MG ER TAB	Deletion	NF

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