

2002 Three-tier Patient Drug Formulary Guide

Medication Categories Listing

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What is a Formulary Guide?

This is a guide to your Formulary, which is a list of medications preferred by your plan. The specially selected medications on this Guide can help you and your prescriber maximize your plan benefits and minimize prescription medication costs. This list also is available alphabetically on our web site (www.whphi.com). All the medications listed have received FDA approval as safe and effective. A committee of physicians and pharmacists has chosen the medications included on this list.

How do I use this Guide?

This Guide can help you locate brand and generic medication alternatives that may lower your copayment. Share this Guide with your physician and encourage him or her to authorize a generic alternative for you whenever possible.

How does the Formulary impact my copayment?

The chart at top right describes the three-tier copayment options your plan provides. The first tier includes less-costly generic medications. These medications generally have the lowest copayment. The second tier includes PREFERRED BRANDS that are on the Formulary. The copayment for these medications usually falls in the middle range. The third tier includes non-preferred brands. When a generic version of a brand-name medication becomes available, most brands move to the highest tier. Likewise, if only one generic product is available for a medication, it may be placed on a higher tier. These medications are rarely listed on this Guide since they do not minimize costs as effectively as other medications that are listed.

Copayments and coverage of medications and medication categories can vary by plan. This Guide is meant to be a source of general information about the Formulary.

THREE-TIER COPAY LEVEL	TYPE OF MEDICATION
Lowest Copayment	Most generic medications
Middle Copayment	PREFERRED BRAND medications on the formulary with no generic available
Highest Copayment	Non-preferred brands or brands with a generic available

What if my medication is not listed on this Guide?

Due to space limitations, not all medications on the Formulary can be listed on this Guide. If you are unable to locate your medication on the list, please keep the following in mind:

- Most generic medications are preferred by your plan, usually at the lowest copayment.
- When a medication can be used to treat more than one condition, you will find it listed under only one category when possible for ease of reference. Check different categories for your medication or consult the alphabetical guide.
- Your medication may have been added to the list after it was printed.

Where can I get more information about this Guide?

This Guide may change to reflect current medication availability and tier placement. You can find the most recent update at www.whphi.com.

Our online Formulary Guide is updated regularly every calendar quarter or more often if needed to reflect important changes. It also is listed in alphabetical order. This Guide is subject to change without notice. For assistance, please contact Member Services at 1-800-207-2568.

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Under each therapeutic class category heading, generic medications are listed in lower case (small) letters and preferred brand medications are listed in UPPERCASE (CAPITAL) letters.

<p>ANTINEOPLASTICS/ IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS</p> <p>All oral antineoplastic and immunosuppressant agents under this class are on the Formulary, if FDA approved.</p> <p>BLOOD MODIFIERS</p> <p>ANTICOAGULANTS warfarin COUMADIN</p> <p>BLOOD FORMATION NEUPOGEN PROCRIT</p> <p>LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT HEPARINS LOVENOX</p>	<p>PLATELET AGGREGATION INHIBITORS ticlopidine PLAVIX</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS pentoxifylline ext-rel AGRYLIN MEPHYTON</p> <p>CARDIOVASCULAR</p> <p>ALPHA BLOCKERS doxazosin prazosin terazosin</p> <p>ANGIOTENSIN II RECEPTOR BLOCKERS COZAAR DIOVAN</p>	<p>ANTIARRHYTHMICS/ CARDIAC GLYCOSIDES amiodarone digoxin disopyramide disopyramide ext-rel mexiletine procainamide procainamide ext-rel propafenone quinidine sulfate quinidine sulfate ext-rel sotalol LANOXIN</p> <p>BETA BLOCKERS</p> <p>CARDIOSELECTIVE acebutolol atenolol metoprolol TOPROL XL</p>	<p>NONCARDIOSELECTIVE labetalol nadolol pindolol propranolol INDERAL LA</p> <p>BLOOD PRESSURE-LOWERING ACE INHIBITORS captopril enalapril ACCUPRIL ALTACE ZESTRIL</p> <p>CALCIUM CHANNEL BLOCKERS DIHYDROPYRIDINE nifedipine ext-rel NORVASC</p> <p>NONDIHYDROPYRIDINE diltiazem diltiazem ext-rel</p>
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verapamil
verapamil ext-rel

CHOLESTEROL-LOWERING

cholestyramine
gemfibrozil
fenofibrate
lovastatin
LESCOL
LESCOL XL
LIPITOR

**DIURETICS/
COMBINATION PRODUCTS**

atenolol/chlorthalidone
bisoprolol/hctz
bumetanide
captopril/hctz
chlorthalidone
enalapril/hctz
furosemide
hydrochlorothiazide
spironolactone
triamterene/hctz
ACCURETIC
DIOVAN HCT
HYZAAR
TARKA
ZAROXOLYN
ZESTORETIC

NITRATES

isosorbide dinitrate ext-rel
isosorbide mononitrate ext-rel
nitroglycerin ointment
nitroglycerin oral ext-rel
nitroglycerin patch
nitroglycerin sublingual

SYMPATHOLYTICS

clonidine
methyl dopa

MISCELLANEOUS

hydralazine
PROAMATINE

**CENTRAL NERVOUS
SYSTEM**

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

ARICEPT
EXELON
REMINYL

ANALGESICS

CONVENTIONAL NSAIDS

diclofenac sodium
diflunisal
etodolac
etodolac ext-rel
ibuprofen
indomethacin
ketorolac
naproxen
naproxen sodium
oxaprozin
piroxicam
salsalate
sulindac

MIGRAINE

Preventative Therapy

generic beta blockers
generic calcium channel blockers
DEPAKOTE ER

Treatment

isometheptene/dichloralphenazone/
acetaminophen
CAFERGOT
IMITREX
MAXALT
MAXALT MLT
ZOMIG
ZOMIG ZMT

NON-NARCOTIC COMBINATIONS

butalbital/acetaminophen
butalbital/caffeine/acetaminophen
butalbital/caffeine/aspirin

OPIOIDS

acetaminophen/codeine
hydrocodone/acetaminophen
hydromorphone
meperidine
morphine sulfate
oxycodone
oxycodone/acetaminophen
oxycodone/aspirin

PAIN—MODERATE TO SEVERE

morphine sulfate ext-rel
DURAGESIC
MS CONTIN (200 mg tablet)
MSIR (except oral liquids)
OXYCONTIN

ANTIANSXIETY MEDICATIONS

alprazolam
buspirone
diazepam
lorazepam
oxazepam

**ANTIVERTIGO/
MOTION SICKNESS AGENTS**

meclizine
promethazine

**ATTENTION DEFICIT/
HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER**

dextroamphetamine/amphetamine salts
methylphenidate
methylphenidate ext-rel
ADDERALL (7.5 mg, 12.5 mg, 15 mg
tablets)
ADDERALL XR
CONCERTA
METADATE CD
METADATE ER

BIPOLAR AGENTS

lithium carbonate
ESKALITH CR
LITHOBID

DEPRESSION

amitriptyline
bupropion
clomipramine
desipramine
doxepin
fluoxetine
imipramine hcl
nortriptyline
trazodone
CELEXA
NARDIL
PARNATE
PAXIL
REMERON
REMERON SOLTAB
WELLBUTRIN SR
ZOLOFT

INSOMNIA

chloral hydrate
temazepam
AMBIEN
SONATA

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS

AVONEX
BETASERON

MYASTHENIA GRAVIS AGENTS

MESTINON

PARKINSON'S DISEASE

amantadine
benztropine
carbidopa/levodopa
selegiline
trihexyphenidyl
COMTAN
DOSTINEX
MIRAPEX
PARLODEL (2.5 mg tablets)
PERMAX
REQUIP

PSYCHOSES

chlorpromazine
fluphenazine decanoate
fluphenazine injection
haloperidol
perphenazine
thioridazine
thiothixene
trifluoperazine
RISPERDAL
SEROQUEL
ZYPREXA

SEIZURES

carbamazepine
clonazepam
ethosuximide
phenobarbital
phenytoin ext-rel
primidone
valproic acid
DEPAKENE
DEPAKOTE
DILANTIN
KEPPRA
LAMICTAL
NEURONTIN
TEGRETOL
TRILEPTAL
TOPAMAX
ZONEGRAN

SMOKING DETERRENTS

nicotine products

DERMATOLOGY

ACNE

ACNE ROSACEA
NORITATE

ACNE VULGARIS ORAL

erythromycin oral
tetracycline oral
ACCUTANE

TOPICAL

azelaic acid
clindamycin topical
erythromycin topical
sulfacetamide/sulfur
tretinoin
RETIN-A
RETIN-A MICRO

BACTERIAL INFECTIONS

silver sulfadiazine

CORTICOSTEROIDS

Listed by potency: Group I is least
potent; Group V is most potent

GROUP I

hydrocortisone (2.5% cream)
hydrocortisone (2.5% lotion)
hydrocortisone (2.5% ointment)

GROUP II

fluocinolone acetonide (0.01% cream)
fluocinolone acetonide
(0.01% solution)
hydrocortisone valerate (0.2% cream)
hydrocortisone valerate
(0.1% ointment)
triamcinolone acetonide
(0.025% cream)
triamcinolone acetonide
(0.025% lotion)
triamcinolone acetonide
(0.025% ointment)

GROUP III

betamethasone valerate (0.1% cream)
betamethasone valerate (0.1% lotion)
betamethasone valerate
(0.1% ointment)
fluocinolone acetonide (0.025% cream)
fluocinolone acetonide
(0.025% ointment)
mometasone furoate (0.1% ointment)
triamcinolone acetonide (0.1% cream)
triamcinolone acetonide
(0.1% ointment)

GROUP IV

betamethasone dipropionate
(0.05% cream)
betamethasone dipropionate
(0.05% lotion)
betamethasone dipropionate
(0.05% ointment)
fluocinonide (0.05% cream)
fluocinonide (0.05% lotion)
fluocinonide (0.05% ointment)
triamcinolone acetonide (0.5% cream)
triamcinolone acetonide
(0.5% ointment)

GROUP V

augmented betamethasone dipropionate
ointment
clobetasol propionate
BACTROBAN
DIPROLENE GEL
DIPROLENE LOTION

FUNGAL INFECTIONS

butenafine
clotrimazole/betamethasone
ketoconazole topical
nystatin powder
nystatin/triamcinolone
LOPROX

PSORIASIS

methotrexate (2.5 mg tablet only)
DOVONEX
TAZORAC

SCABIES AND PEDICULOSIS

lindane
permethrin (5% cream)
OVIDE

VIRAL INFECTIONS

CONDYLOX GEL

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<p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>selenium sulfide EFUDEX EMLA FLUOROPLEX PROTOPIC REGRANEX</p> <p>ENDOCRINOLOGY</p> <p>ADRENAL CORTICOSTEROIDS</p> <p>dexamethasone hydrocortisone methylprednisolone prednisolone sodium phosphate prednisone FLORINEF</p> <p>ANDROGENS</p> <p>fluoxymesterone methyltestosterone DEPO-TESTOSTERONE</p> <p>DIABETES MELLITUS</p> <p>INSULIN</p> <p>HUMALOG HUMALOG 75/25 HUMULIN 50/50 HUMULIN 70/30 HUMULIN L HUMULIN N HUMULIN R HUMULIN U LANTUS NOVOLIN 70/30 NOVOLIN L NOVOLIN N NOVOLIN R NOVOLOG</p> <p>ORAL AGENTS</p> <p>glipizide glyburide glyburide micronized metformin ACTOS AMARYL AVANDIA GLUCOTROL XL PRANDIN PRECOSE</p> <p>DIABETES MONITORING</p> <p>ACCU-CHEK Meters/Test Strips CHEMSTRIP BG Test Strips LANCETS ONE TOUCH Meters/Test Strips</p> <p>GLUCOSE ELEVATING AGENTS</p> <p>GLUCAGON</p> <p>GROWTH HORMONE</p> <p>NUTROPIN NUTROPIN AQ NUTROPIN DEPOT SAIZEN</p> <p>OSTEOPOROSIS AGENTS</p> <p>EVISTA FOSAMAX</p> <p>THYROID MODIFIERS</p> <p>levothyroxine methimazole propylthiouracil LEVOXYL SYNTHROID</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>desmopressin acetate</p>	<p>GASTROINTESTINAL</p> <p>ANTIEMETICS</p> <p>prochlorperazine promethazine ZOFRAN ZOFRAN ODT</p> <p>DIARRHEA</p> <p>diphenoxylate/atropine</p> <p>INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE</p> <p>hydrocortisone/pramoxine ASACOL CANASA CORTIFOAM</p> <p>PANCREATIC ENZYMES</p> <p>pancrelipase CREON ULTRASE VIOKASE</p> <p>PROMOTILITY AGENTS</p> <p>metoclopramide</p> <p>SPASM</p> <p>l-hyoscyamine</p> <p>ULCERS AND REFLUX (GERD)</p> <p>cimetidine ranitidine tablets sucralfate ACIPHEX CYTOTEK HELIDAC NEXIUM PRILOSEC</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>sulfasalazine ursodiol NULYTELY URSO VISICOL</p> <p>INFECTION</p> <p>ANTIBACTERIAL DRUGS</p> <p>CEPHALOSPORINS</p> <p><u>First Generation</u> cefadroxil cephalexin</p> <p><u>Second Generation</u> cefaclor cefuroxime</p> <p><u>Third Generation</u> CEDAX OMNICEF</p> <p>FLUOROQUINOLONES</p> <p>AVELOX CIPRO LEVAQUIN</p> <p>MACROLIDES</p> <p>erythromycin oral BIAXIN BIAXIN XL ZITHROMAX</p> <p>PENICILLINS</p> <p>amoxicillin ampicillin dicloxacillin penicillin VK</p> <p>SULFONAMIDES</p> <p>sulfisoxazole</p>	<p>TETRACYCLINES</p> <p>doxycycline hyclate minocycline tetracycline</p> <p>URINARY ANTI-INFECTIVES</p> <p>nitrofurantoin macrocrystals trimethoprim tablets</p> <p>COMBINATION ANTIBIOTICS</p> <p>sulfamethoxazole/trimethoprim sulfisoxazole/erythromycin AUGMENTIN</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS ANTIBIOTICS</p> <p>clindamycin oral metronidazole tablets</p> <p>ANTIFUNGALS</p> <p>griseofulvin microsize griseofulvin ultramicrosize ketoconazole nystatin DIFLUCAN LAMISIL</p> <p>ANTIVIRAL DRUGS</p> <p>acyclovir</p> <p>CYTOMEGALOVIRUS</p> <p>CYTOVENE VALCYTE</p> <p>HEPATITIS AGENTS</p> <p>INTRON A</p> <p>HEPATITIS B</p> <p>EPIVIR-HBV</p> <p>HEPATITIS C</p> <p>INFERGEN PEG-INTRON REBETOL REBETRON</p> <p>HERPES</p> <p>VALTREX</p> <p>HIV</p> <p>All oral medications used for the treatment of HIV are on the Formulary, if FDA approved.</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>AMEBICIDES</p> <p>mebendazole metronidazole</p> <p>ANTITUBERCULOSIS AGENTS</p> <p>ethambutol isoniazid pyrazinamide rifampin</p> <p>MALARIA AND OTHER PROTOZOAL INFECTIONS</p> <p>chloroquine phosphate hydroxychloroquine DAPSONE LARIAM MALARONE</p> <p>MUSCULOSKELETAL</p> <p>CYCLOOXYGENASE INHIBITORS</p> <p>CELEBREX VIOXX</p> <p>DMARDS</p> <p>CUPRIMINE RIDAURA</p>	<p>GOUT AGENTS</p> <p>allopurinol colchicine colchicine/probenecid probenecid</p> <p>RHEUMATOID/OSTEOARTHRITIS</p> <p>hydroxychloroquine methotrexate</p> <p>SPASTICITY</p> <p>baclofen cyclobenzaprine DANTRium</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC/OTIC</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—ALLERGY</p> <p>ZADITOR</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—ANTIBACTERIAL</p> <p>bacitracin erythromycin ophthalmic gentamicin neomycin/polymyxin B/bacitracin ointment neomycin/polymyxin B/gramicidin solution polymyxin B/bacitracin polymyxin B/trimethoprim sulfacetamide (10% drops) sulfacetamide (10% ointment) tobramycin OCUFLOX</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—ANTI-INFLAMMATORIES</p> <p>dexamethasone ophthalmic fluorometholone neomycin/polymyxin B/dexamethasone prednisolone acetate prednisolone phosphate prednisolone phosphate/sulfacetamide ACULAR LOTEMAX TOBRADEX</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—ANTIVIRAL</p> <p>VIROPTIC</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—GLAUCOMA</p> <p>acetazolamide dipivefrin levobunolol methazolamide pilocarpine timolol maleate ALPHAGAN ALPHAGAN P AZOPT BETIMOL LUMIGAN</p> <p>OPHTHALMIC—MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>atropine</p> <p>OTIC (EAR)</p> <p>acetic acid acetic acid/aluminum acetate benzocaine/antipyrine hydrocortisone/acetic acid hydrocortisone/neomycin/polymyxin B FLOXIN OTIC</p> <p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>lidocaine viscous</p>
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RESPIRATORY**ANTIHISTAMINE/DECONGESTANT COMBINATIONS**

promethazine/phenylephrine
pseudoephedrine/brompheniramine ext-rel
pseudoephedrine/carbinoxamine
pseudoephedrine/chlorpheniramine

**ANTIHISTAMINES—
SECOND GENERATION**

ALLEGRA
CLARINEX
CLARITIN

**ANTIHISTAMINE/DECONGESTANT
COMBINATIONS**

ALLEGRA-D
CLARITIN-D 12 HR
CLARITIN-D 24 HR

**ANTITUSSIVE COMBINATION
PRODUCTS**

guaifenesin/codeine
guaifenesin/dextromethorphan tablet
hydrocodone/guaifenesin
hydrocodone/homatropine
phenylephrine/chlorpheniramine/
hydrocodone
promethazine/codeine
pseudoephedrine/hydrocodone
bitartrate

**EXPECTORANTS AND
DECONGESTANT/EXPECTORANT
COMBINATIONS**

guaifenesin
guaifenesin/pseudoephedrine ext-rel

NOSE

ASTELIN

STEROIDS

ATROVENT NASAL
FLONASE
NASACORT
NASACORT AQ
NASONEX
RHINOCORT
RHINOCORT AQUA

ASTHMA/COPD**BETA-AGONIST INHALERS**

albuterol metered-dose inhaler
SEREVENT
SEREVENT DISKUS

**CORTICOSTEROID INHALED
MEDICATIONS****STEROIDS**

FLOVENT (44 mcg, 110 mcg,
220 mcg)
FLOVENT ROTADISK
PULMICORT TURBUHALER
VANCERIL

**INHALATIONS FOR
NEBULIZATION**

acetylcysteine
cromolyn sodium
ipratropium bromide
PULMICORT RESPULES

LEUKOTRIENE MODIFIERS

ACCOLATE
SINGULAIR

ORAL MEDICATIONS**BETA AGONISTS**

albuterol
metaproterenol
terbutaline
VOLMAX

ORAL STEROIDS

prednisolone sodium
prednisone

MISCELLANEOUS

cromolyn sodium metered-dose inhaler
ipratropium bromide metered-dose
inhaler
ADVAIR DISKUS
ATROVENT MDI
COMBIVENT

SUPPLEMENTS**HYPERPHOSPHATEMIA AGENTS**

PHOSLO
RENAGEL

POTASSIUM SUPPLEMENTS**TABLET**

potassium chloride ext-rel (8 mEq)
potassium chloride ext-rel (10 mEq)

LIQUID

potassium chloride (20 mEq/15 ml)

POWDER

potassium chloride (25 mEq)

VITAMIN PREPARATIONS

prenatal vitamins

UROLOGICAL**ANESTHETIC AGENTS**

phenazopyridine

**SYMPTOMATIC BENIGN
PROSTATIC HYPERPLASIA**

doxazosin
terazosin

URINARY INCONTINENCE

oxybutynin
DETROL
DETROL LA

MISCELLANEOUS

bethanechol
ELMIRON
UROCIT-K

WOMEN'S HEALTH**CONTRACEPTION, ORAL**

Generic oral contraceptives have been given special names for ease of reference. These are listed in brackets after the generic name.

MONOPHASIC

ethinyl estradiol/desogestrel [Apri]
ethinyl estradiol/ethynodiol [Zovia]
ethinyl estradiol/levonorgestrel
[Aviane, Levora]
ethinyl estradiol/norethindrone
[Genora, Genora 1/50, Necon,
Nelova, Norethin, Nortel]
ethinyl estradiol/norethindrone/iron
[Microgestin Fe]

ethinyl estradiol/norgestrel

[Low-Ogestrel, Ogestrel]

mestranol/norethindrone [Necon 1/50]

LOESTRIN

ORTHO-CYCLEN

YASMIN

BIPHASIC

ethinyl estradiol/desogestrel [Kariva]

ethinyl estradiol/norethindrone [Necon]

TRIPHASIC

ethinyl estradiol/levonorgestrel

[Trivora-28]

CYCLESSA

ESTROSTEP FE

ORTHO NOVUM 7/7/7

ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN

TRI-NORINYL

PROGESTIN

norethindrone [Nor-Q-D]

OTHER CONTRACEPTION

ORTHO EVRA

EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTION

PLAN B
PREVEN

ENDOMETRIOSIS

danazol
leuprolide acetate

FERTILITY

chorionic gonadotropin
clomiphene

**INJECTABLE ESTROGENS/
PROGESTINS**

DEPO-PROVERA
LUNELLE

**MENOPAUSE/
POSTMENOPAUSAL
OSTEOPOROSIS****ESTROGENS**

estradiol
estradiol transdermal
estrogens
estropipate
CENESTIN
CLIMARA
ESCLIM
ESTRADERM
ESTRATEST
ESTRATEST HS
FEMHRT
PREMARIN
PREMPHASE
PREMPRO
VIVELLE
VIVELLE-DOT

PROGESTINS

medroxyprogesterone acetate

VAGINAL

PREMARIN VAGINAL

VAGINAL INFECTIONS

nystatin vaginal
triple sulfa
DIFLUCAN (150 mg tablet)
METROGEL-VAGINAL

MISCELLANEOUS

METHERGINE
SARAFEM

MISCELLANEOUS AGENTS**ANTIALLERGIC/ANAPHYLAXIS**

EPIPEN
EPIPEN JR.
GASTROCROM

**DRY MOUTH—
SJOJGREN'S SYNDROME**
EVOXAC