

List of Designated High-Cost Drugs

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For details on the High-Cost Drug policy, see [Section 5.8](#) of the PharmaCare Policy Manual.

Note: **Recent updates appear in red.** [Deletions](#) are listed at the end of this document.

Current list

DIN / PIN	Chemical Description	Product Name	Allowable Markup	Effective Date
02402475	Abatacept subcutaneous 125 mg/mL pre-filled syringe	Orencia®	5%	Apr 1, 2014
02282097	Abatacept 250 mg vial	Orencia®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02258595	Adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL kit	Humira®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02418320	Alemtuzumab 10 mg/ml (1.2 ml) concentrated solution for IV infusion	Lemtrada®	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02204606	Alpha 1-Proteinase inhibitor 1000 mg vial	Prolastin-C®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02307065	Ambrisentan 5 mg tablet	Volibris®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02307073	Ambrisentan 10 mg tablet	Volibris®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02245913	Anakinra 100 mg/0.67 mL syringe	Kineret®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02452294	Asunaprevir	Sunprevia™	2%	Mar 21, 2017
02329840	Aztreonam 75 mg/vial powder for solution	Cayston™	5%	Sep 13, 2012
02131064	Baclofen 2 mg/mL ampul	Lioresal®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02244981	Bosentan 62.5 mg tablet	Tracleer®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02244982	Bosentan 125 mg tablet	Tracleer®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
01981501	Botulinum toxin 100 unit vial	Botox®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02324032	Botulinum toxin 100 unit vial	Xeomin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02266121	Cannabidiol/Tetrahydrocannabinol 2.5 mg/2.7 mg per mL spray	Sativex®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02465574	Certolizumab Pegol 200 mg/ mL auto-injector pre-filled pen	Cimzia®	5%	Feb 1, 2018
02331675	Certolizumab Pegol 400 mg/2 mL syringe kit	Cimzia®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02244849	Colistimethate sodium 150 mg vial	Colistimethate®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
0476420	Colistimethate sodium 150 mg vial	Coly-Mycin®	5%	Apr 1, 2015
02444747	Daclatasvir 30 mg tablet	Daklinza™	2%	Mar 21, 2017

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02444755	Daclatasvir 60 mg tablet	Daklinza™	2%	Mar 21, 2017
02452219	deferasirox 90 mg tablet	Jadenu®	5%	Oct 26, 2017
02452227	deferasirox 180 mg tablet	Jadenu®	5%	Oct 26, 2017
02452235	deferasirox 360 mg tablet	Jadenu®	5%	Oct 26, 2017
02287447	deferasirox 500 mg tablet for suspension	Exjade®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02436558	deferiprone 1000 mg tablet	Ferriprox®	5%	Jan 18, 2017
02436523	deferiprone 100 mg/ml oral solution	Ferriprox®	5%	Jan 18, 2017
02404508	dimethyl fumarate 120 mg capsule	Tecfidera®	5%	Dec 15, 2014
02420201	dimethyl fumarate 240 mg capsule	Tecfidera®	5%	Dec 15, 2014
02451131	Elbasvir-grazoprevir	Zepatier™	2%	Mar 21, 2017
02397447	Epoprostenol sodium (arginine) 0.5 mg vial	Caripul	5%	Dec 22, 2014
02397455	Epoprostenol sodium (arginine) 1.5 mg vial	Caripul	5%	Dec 22, 2014
02230848	Epoprostenol sodium 1.5 mg vial	Flolan®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02242903	Etanercept 25 mg kit	Enbrel®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02274728	Etanercept 50 mg/mL syringe	Enbrel®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02455323	Etanercept 50 mg/mL syringe	Brenzys®	5%	Jul 18, 2017
02455331	Etanercept 50 mg/mL pen injector	Brenzys®	5%	Jul 18, 2017
01968017	Filgrastim 300 mcg/mL vial	Neupogen®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02365480	Fingolimod 0.5 mg capsule	Gilenya®	5%	Jun 13, 2013
02245619	Glatiramer acetate 20 mg kit	Copaxone®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02453304	Glycerol Phenylbutyrate 1.1 g/mL oral liquid	Ravicti™	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02324776	Golimumab 50 mg/0.5 mL pre-filled syringe	Simponi®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02324784	Golimumab 50 mg/0.5 mL auto-injector	Simponi®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02146118	Hydromorphone 20 mg/mL vial	Dilaudid-HP-Plus®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02145936	Hydromorphone 20 mg/mL vial	Hydromorphone HP 20®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02145863	Hydromorphone 50 mg/mL vial	Dilaudid-XP®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02146126	Hydromorphone 50 mg/mL vial	Hydromorphone HP 50®	5%	Apr 1, 2011

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02230694	Imiglucerase 200 unit vial	Cerezyme®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02241751	Imiglucerase 400 unit vial	Cerezyme®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02371081	IncobotulinumtoxinA (also known as clostridium botulinum toxin Type A) 50 unit vial	Xeomin®	5%	Apr 1, 2014
2419475	Infliximab 100 mg vial	Inflectra™	5%	Apr 1, 2016
02244016	Infliximab 100 mg vial	Remicade®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02240694	Interferon alfa-2b 30 million IU recombinant pen injection kit	Intron A®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02240695	Interferon alfa-2b 60 million IU recombinant pen injection kit	Intron A®	5%	Apr 30, 2012
02237770	Interferon beta-1a 30 mcg /mL kit	Avonex®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02269201	Interferon beta-1a 30 mcg /0.5 mL kit	Avonex® PS	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02281708	Interferon beta-1a 8.8 mcg/0.2 mL - 22 mcg/0.5 mL syringe initiation pack	Rebif®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02237319	Interferon beta-1a 22 mcg /0.5 mL syringe	Rebif®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02237320	Interferon beta-1a 44 mcg /0.5 mL syringe	Rebif®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02318253	Interferon beta-1a 66 mcg /1.5 mL cartridge	Rebif®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02318261	Interferon beta-1a 132 mcg /1.5 mL cartridge	Rebif®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02169649	Interferon beta-1b 0.3 mg vial	Betaseron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02337819	Interferon beta-1b 0.3 mg vial	Extavia®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02455102	Ixekizumab 80 mg/ml autoinjector	Taltz™	5%	Mar 6, 2018
02455110	Ixekizumab 80 mg/ml pre-filled syringe	Taltz™	5%	Mar 6, 2018
02432226	Ledipasvir/Sofosbuvir 90 mg– 400 mg tablet	Harvoni®	2%	Mar 1, 2017
02292165	Levodopa/carbidopa intestinal gel 20 mg/mL – 5 mg/mL	Duodopa®	5%	Aug 24, 2017
02286386	Natalizumab 300 mg/15 mL vial	Tysabri®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02325926	Nimodipine 30 mg tablet	Nimotop®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02443066	Nintedanib 100 mg tablet	Ofev™	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02443074	Nintedanib 150 mg tablet	Ofev™	5%	Apr 12, 2018

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00839205	Octreotide acetate 100 mcg/mL ampul	Sandostatin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02260565	Omalizumab 150 mg vial	Xolair®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02393751	Pirfenidone 267 mg capsule	Esbriet®	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02464500	Pirfenidone 801 mg tablet	Esbriet®	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02464489	Pirfenidone 267 mg tablet	Esbriet®	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02253410	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2a, 200 mg tablet and 180 mcg/mL combination pkg	Pegasys® RBV	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02253429	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2a, 200 mg tablet/180 mcg /0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegasys® RBV	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02246026	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/50 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 30, 2012
02246027	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/80 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 30, 2012
02246028	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/100 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 30, 2012
02246029	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/120 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 30, 2012
02246030	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/150 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02254581	Ribavirin / PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap / 80 mcg / 0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02254603	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/100 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02254638	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/120 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02254646	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap/150 mcg /0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02241927	Rituximab 10 mg/mL vial	Rituxan®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02322854	Romiplostim 250 mcg/0.5 mL powder	Nplate®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02322862	Romiplostim 500 mcg/mL powder	Nplate®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02350580	Sapropterin <i>For tetrahydrobiopterin (BH4) deficiency only</i>	Kuvan®	5%	Oct 16, 2012

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02438070	Secukinumab 150 mg/1.0ml solution for injection	Cosentyx®	5%	Nov 10, 2016
02416441	Simeprevir sodium 150 mg capsule	Galexos™	2%	Mar 1, 2017
02436663	Sodium Phenylbutyrate 483 mg/g oral granules	Pheburane®	5%	Apr 12, 2018
02418355	Sofosbuvir 400 mg tablet	Sovaldi®	2%	Mar 1, 2017
02456370	Sofosbuvir-velpatasvir	Epclusa™	2%	Mar 21, 2017
02399091	Somatropin 5 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin AQ Nuspin 5	5%	Dec 22, 2014
02243078	Somatropin 12 mg cartridge	Humatrope®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02243079	Somatropin 24 mg cartridge	Humatrope®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02334852	Somatropin 5 mg/1.5ml pen	Norditropin Nordiflex®	5%	Nov 10, 2016
02334860	Somatropin 10 mg/1.5ml pen	Norditropin Nordiflex®	5%	Nov 10, 2016
02334879	Somatropin 15 mg/1.5ml pen	Norditropin Nordiflex®	5%	Nov 10, 2016
02216191	Somatropin, kit: 10 mg vial (powder) + 10 mL vial (liquid)	Nutropin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02376393	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin® AQ NuSpin	5%	Dec 18, 2012
02249002	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02229722	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL vial	Nutropin® AQ	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02350149	Somatropin 20 mg/2 mL cartridge	Saizen®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02399083	Somatropin 20 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin® AQ Nuspin 20	5%	Dec 22, 2014
02237971	Somatropin 5 mg vial	Saizen®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02272083	Somatropin 8.8 mg vial	Saizen®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02416328	Teriflunomide 14 mg tablet	Aubagio®	5%	Mar 2, 2015
02365154	Tobramycin 28 mg capsule	Tobi® Podhaler®	5%	Sep 13, 2012
02239630	Tobramycin sulphate 300 mg/5 ml solution for inhalation	Tobi®	5%	Sep 13, 2012
02424770	Tocilizumab 162mg/0.9mL pre-filled syringe	Actemra®	5%	July 1, 2016

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02350092	Tocilizumab 80 mg/4 mL vial	Actemra®	5%	Aug 9, 2011
02350106	Tocilizumab 200 mg/10 mL vial	Actemra®	5%	Aug 9, 2011
02350114	Tocilizumab 400 mg/20 mL vial	Actemra®	5%	Aug 9, 2011
02423898	Tofacitinib 5 mg tablet	Xeljanz®	5%	Apr 2, 2017
02246552	Treprostinil sodium 1 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02246553	Treprostinil sodium 2.5 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	5%	Apr 2, 2012
02246554	Treprostinil sodium 5 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02246555	Treprostinil sodium 10 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02320673	Ustekinumab 45 mg/0.5 mL vial	Stelara®	5%	Apr 1, 2011
02320681	Ustekinumab 90 mg/1 mL vial	Stelara®	5%	Jun 20, 2013
02436841	Vedolizumab 300 mg vial	Entyvio®	5%	Aug 24, 2017
66123781	Sodium phenyl butyrate powder Note: unclassified therapeutic non-benefits (SAP)	Buphenyl®	5%	Apr 1, 2011

Deletions

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02370816	Boceprevir 200 mg capsule	Victrelis™	Apr 6, 2016
02371448	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/80 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	Apr 6, 2016
02371456	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/100 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	Apr 6, 2016
02371464	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/120 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	Apr 6, 2016
02371472	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/150 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	Apr 6, 2016
02386194	Bosentan 62.5 mg tablet	Co Bosentan	Apr 1, 2015
02436027	Ombitasvir-Paritaprevir-Ritonavir and Dasabuvir 12.5mg/75 mg/50 mg and 250 mg tablet	HOLKIRA™ PAK	Mar 21, 2017