

Reimbursement for Non-Returnable High-Cost Injectable Drugs: Eligible Products

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LATEST ADDITIONS

DIN/PIN	Chemical Description	Product Name	Effective Date
02424770	Tocilizumab 162mg/0.9mL pre-filled syringe	Actemra®	July 1, 2016

CURRENT LIST

DIN/PIN	Chemical Description	Product Name	Effective date
02282097	Abatacept 250 mg vial	Orencia®	April 1, 2011
02402475	Abatacept subcutaneous 125 mg/mL pre-filled syringe	Orencia®	April 1, 2014
02258595	Adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL kit	Humira®	April 1, 2011
02204606	Alpha 1-Proteinase inhibitor 1000 mg vial	Prolastin-C®	April 1, 2011
02245913	Anakinra 100 mg/0.67 mL syringe	Kineret®	April 1, 2011
02131064	Baclofen 2 mg/mL ampul	Lioresal®	April 1, 2011
01981501	Botulinum toxin 100 unit vial	Botox®	April 1, 2011
02324032	Botulinum toxin 100 unit vial	Xeomin®	April 1, 2011
02331675	Certolizumab Pegol 400 mg/2 mL syringe kit	Cimzia®	April 1, 2011
02244849	Colistimethate sodium 150 mg vial	Colistimethate®	April 1, 2011
00476420	Colistimethate sodium 150 mg vial	Coly-Mycin®	April 1, 2015

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02230848	Epoprostenol sodium 1.5 mg vial	Flolan®	April 1, 2011
02397447	Epoprostenol sodium (arginine) 0.5 mg vial	Caripul	Dec 22, 2014
02397455	Epoprostenol sodium (arginine) 1.5 mg vial	Caripul	Dec 22, 2014
02242903	Etanercept 25 mg kit	Enbrel®	April 1, 2011
02274728	Etanercept 50 mg/mL syringe	Enbrel®	April 1, 2011
01968017	Filgrastim 300 mcg/mL vial	Neupogen®	April 1, 2011
02245619	Glatiramer acetate 20 mg kit	Copaxone®	April 1, 2011
02324776	Golimumab 50 mg/0.5 mL pre-filled syringe	Simponi®	April 1, 2011
02324784	Golimumab 50 mg/0.5 mL auto-injector	Simponi®	April 1, 2011
02146118	Hydromorphone 20 mg/mL vial	Dilaudid-HP-Plus®	April 1, 2011
02145936	Hydromorphone 20 mg/mL vial	Hydromorphone HP 20®	April 2, 2012
02145863	Hydromorphone 50 mg/mL vial	Dilaudid-XP®	April 2, 2012
02146126	Hydromorphone 50 mg/mL vial	Hydromorphone HP 50®	April 1, 2011
02230694	Imiglucerase 200 unit vial	Cerezyme®	April 1, 2011
02241751	Imiglucerase 400 unit vial	Cerezyme®	April 1, 2011
02371081	IncobotulinumtoxinA (also known as clostridium botulinum toxin Type A) 50 unit vial	Xeomin®	April 1, 2014
02419475	Infliximab 100 mg vial	Inflectra™	April 1, 2016
02244016	Infliximab 100 mg vial	Remicade®	April 1, 2011
02240694	Interferon alfa-2b 30 million IU recombinant pen injection kit	Intron A®	April 2, 2012
02240695	Interferon alfa-2b 60 million IU recombinant pen injection kit	Intron A®	April 30, 2012
02237770	Interferon beta-1a 30 mcg/mL kit	Avonex®	April 2, 2012
02269201	Interferon beta-1a 30 mcg/0.5 mL kit	Avonex® PS	April 1, 2011
02281708	Interferon beta-1a 8.8 mcg/0.2 mL - 22 mcg/0.5 mL syringe initiation pack	Rebif®	April 2, 2012
02237319	Interferon beta-1a 22 mcg/0.5 mL syringe	Rebif®	April 1, 2011
02237320	Interferon beta-1a 44 mcg/0.5 mL syringe	Rebif®	April 1, 2011

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02318253	Interferon beta-1a 66 mcg/1.5 mL cartridge	Rebif®	April 1, 2011
02318261	Interferon beta-1a 132 mcg/1.5 mL cartridge	Rebif®	April 1, 2011
02169649	Interferon beta-1b 0.3 mg vial	Betaseron®	April 1, 2011
02337819	Interferon beta-1b 0.3 mg vial	Extavia®	April 1, 2011
02286386	Natalizumab 300 mg/15 mL vial	Tysabri®	April 2, 2012
00839205	Octreotide acetate 100 mcg/mL ampul	Sandostatin®	April 1, 2011
02260565	Omalizumab 150 mg vial	Xolair®	April 1, 2011
02253410	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2a, 200 mg tablet and 180 mcg/mL combination pkg	Pegasys® RBV	April 2, 2012
02253429	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2a, 200 mg tablet and 180 mcg/mL combination pkg	Pegasys® RBV	April 1, 2011
02246026	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg tablet and 50 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	April 30, 2012
02246027	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg tablet and 80 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	April 30, 2012
02246028	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg tablet and 100 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	April 30, 2012
02246029	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg tablet and 120 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	April 30, 2012
02246030	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg tablet and 150 mcg/0.5 mL combination pkg	Pegetron®	April 1, 2011
02254581	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap and 80 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	April 1, 2011
02254603	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap and 100 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	April 1, 2011
02254638	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap and 120 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	April 1, 2011
02254646	Ribavirin/PegIFN-alpha-2b, 200 mg cap and 150 mcg/0.5 mL pen injection kit	Pegetron®	April 1, 2011
02241927	Rituximab 10 mg/mL vial	Rituxan®	April 1, 2011
02243078	Somatropin 12 mg cartridge	Humatrope®	April 1, 2011
02243079	Somatropin 24 mg cartridge	Humatrope®	April 1, 2011
02216191	Somatropin, kit: 10 mg vial (powder) + 10 mL vial (liquid)	Nutropin®	April 1, 2011

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02249002	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin®	April 1, 2011
02229722	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL vial	Nutropin® AQ	April 2, 2012
02399091	Somatropin 5 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin® AQ NuSpin 5	Dec 22, 2014
02376393	Somatropin 10 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin® AQ NuSpin	Dec 18, 2012
02399083	Somatropin 20 mg/2 mL cartridge	Nutropin AQ Nuspin 20	Dec 22, 2014
02350149	Somatropin 20 mg/2 mL cartridge	Saizen®	April 2, 2012
02237971	Somatropin 5 mg vial	Saizen®	April 1, 2011
02272083	Somatropin 8.8 mg vial	Saizen®	April 1, 2011
02424770	Tocilizumab 162mg/0.9mL pre-filled syringe	Actemra®	July 1, 2016
02350092	Tocilizumab 80 mg/4 mL vial	Actemra®	Aug 9, 2011
02350106	Tocilizumab 200 mg/10 mL vial	Actemra®	Aug 9, 2011
02350114	Tocilizumab 400 mg/20 mL vial	Actemra®	Aug 9, 2011
02246552	Treprostinil sodium 1 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	April 1, 2011
02246553	Treprostinil sodium 2.5 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	April 2, 2012
02246554	Treprostinil sodium 5 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	April 1, 2011
02246555	Treprostinil sodium 10 mg/mL vial	Remodulin®	April 1, 2011
02320673	Ustekinumab 45 mg/0.5 mL vial	Stelara®	April 1, 2011
02320681	Ustekinumab 90 mg/mL vial	Stelara®	June 20, 2013

DELETIONS

DIN/PIN	Chemical Description	Product Name	Effective Date of Deletion
02371448	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/80 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	April 6, 2016
02371456	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/100 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	April 6, 2016
02371464	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/120 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	April 6, 2016

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02371472	Boceprevir/Ribavirin/Peg-IFN-alfa-2b 200 mg/200 mg/150 mcg pen injection kit	Victrelis Triple™	April 6, 2016
00745626	Somatropin 5 mg/mL vial	Humatrope®	April 2, 2012
02254689	Teriparatide 20 mcg pen injector	Forteo®	April 2, 2012