

# 2017 Preferred Drug List Exclusions

The excluded medications shown below are not covered on the Express Scripts drug list. In most cases, if you fill a prescription for one of these drugs, you will pay the full retail price.

**Take action to avoid paying full price.** If you're currently using one of the excluded medications, please ask your doctor to consider writing you a new prescription for one of the following preferred alternatives.

Drug Class	Excluded Medications	Preferred Alternatives
<b>AUTONOMIC &amp; CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM</b> Narcotic Antagonists	Evzio	naloxone syringe, Narcan Nasal Spray
Transmucosal Fentanyl Analgesics	Abstral, Fentora, Subsys	fentanyl citrate lozenges, Lazanda
<b>DERMATOLOGICAL</b> Oral Agents For Rosacea	Doxycycline 40 MG Capsules	Oracea
Topical Acne/Antibiotic Combinations	Veltin	clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide, clindamycin/tretinoin, Acanya, Onexton
Topical Agents for Actinic Keratosis	Fluorouracil 0.5% Cream, Zyclara	diclofenac gel, fluorouracil 5% cream, fluorouracil 2% solution, imiquimod 5% cream, Carac, Picato
<b>DIABETES</b> Biguanides	Glumetza	metformin extended-release
Blood Glucose Meters & Test Strips	Abbott (FreeStyle, Precision), Bayer (Breeze, Contour), National Medical (Advocate), Omnis Health (Embrace, Victory), Roche (Accu-Chek), Trividia (TRUEtest, TRUEtrack), UniStrip	LifeScan (OneTouch)
Dipeptidyl Peptidase-4 Inhibitors & Combinations	Alogliptin, Nesina, Onglyza	Januvia, Tradjenta
	Alogliptin/Metformin, Kazano, Kombiglyze XR	Janumet, Janumet XR, Jentadueto, Jentadueto XR
Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 Agonists	Tanzeum, Victoza	Bydureon, Byetta, Trulicity
Insulins	Novolin	Humulin
	Apidra, NovoLog	Humalog
<b>EAR/NOSE</b> Nasal Steroids	Beconase AQ, Omnaris, Veramyst, Zetonna	budesonide, flunisolide, fluticasone, mometasone, Qnasl
Otic Fluoroquinolone Antibiotics	Cetraxal	ciprofloxacin ear solution, ofloxacin ear solution, Ciprodex
<b>ENDOCRINE (OTHER)</b> Growth Hormones	Nutropin AQ, Omnitrope, Saizen, Zomacton	Genotropin, Humatrope, Norditropin
Topical Estrogen Gels	Estrogel	Divigel
Topical Testosterone Products	Fortesta, Natesto, Testim, Testosterone Gel, Vogelxo	AndroGel 1.62%, Axiron
<b>GASTROINTESTINAL</b> Anti-Inflammatory/Anti-Ulcer Agents	Duexis	ibuprofen PLUS famotidine
	Vimovo	omeprazole delayed-release PLUS naproxen sodium
Inflammatory Bowel Agents	Asacol HD, Delzicol, Dipentum, Mesalamine 800 MG Delayed-Release	balsalazide disodium, sulfasalazine, Apriso, Lialda, Pentasa
Pancreatic Enzymes	Pancreaze, Pertzye, Ultresa	Creon, Zenpep
<b>HEMATOLOGICAL</b> Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents	Aranesp, Epogen, Mircera	Procrit

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<b>HEPATITIS</b> Antivirals	ribasphere ribapak, RibaTab	moderiba, ribavirin capsules, ribavirin tablets
Hepatitis C* (genotypes 1 & 4) <i>* Excluded medications may be covered for selected genotypes with a coverage review.</i> <b>Note:</b> This category is being reviewed based upon recent product launches.	Daklinza, Olysio, Sovaldi, Zepatier	Viekira Pak (genotype 1), Technivie (genotype 4)
<b>INFLAMMATORY CONDITIONS</b> Tumor Necrosis Factor Antagonists and Other Drugs for Inflammatory Conditions <i>** This product may be reassessed later this year to reflect anticipated product launches.</i>	Cimzia, Kineret (Exclude for RA), Orencia, Simponi 50 MG, Taltz	Actemra**, Cosentyx, Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Remicade, Simponi 100 MG (for ulcerative colitis only), Stelara, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR
<b>MUSCULOSKELETAL &amp; RHEUMATOLOGY</b> Gout Therapy	Colchicine	Colcrys, Mitigare
<b>OBSTETRICAL &amp; GYNECOLOGICAL</b> Gonadotropin-Releasing Hormone (GnRH) Antagonists (for Infertility)	Ganirelix Acetate	Cetrotide
Ovulatory Stimulants (Follitropins)	Bravelle, Follistim AQ	Gonal-f, Gonal-f RFF, Gonal-f RFF Redi-ject
Vaginal Progestones	Endometrin	Crinone 8% Gel
<b>OPHTHALMIC</b> Antiglaucoma Drugs (Beta-Adrenergic Blockers)	Istalol	betaxolol drops, levobunolol drops, timolol drops, Alphagan P 0.1%, Combigan
Antiglaucoma Drugs (Ophthalmic Prostaglandins)	Zioptan	bimatoprost drops, latanoprost drops, travoprost drops, Lumigan, Travatan Z
Ophthalmic Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs)	Acuvail	bromfenac drops, diclofenac drops, ketorolac drops, Ilevro, Nevanac, Prolensa
<b>OSTEOARTHRITIS</b> Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives	Gel-One, Gelsyn-3, Genvisc 850, Hyalgan, Hymovis, Supartz, Supartz FX, Synvisc, Synvisc-One	Euflexxa, Monovisc, Orthovisc
<b>RESPIRATORY</b> Pulmonary Anti-Inflammatory Inhalers	Alvesco	Arnuity Ellipta, Asmanex HFA/Twisthaler, Flovent Diskus/HFA, Pulmicort Flexhaler, QVAR
Short-Acting Beta <sub>2</sub> -Agonist Inhalers	Proventil HFA, Xopenex HFA	ProAir HFA/RespiClick, Ventolin HFA
<b>UROLOGICAL</b> Erectile Dysfunction Oral Agents	Levitra, Staxyn, Stendra	Cialis, Viagra
<b>WEIGHT LOSS</b> Weight Loss Agents	Qsymia	benzphetamine, diethylpropion, phentermine

### Excluded Medications/Products at a Glance

Abbott (FreeStyle, Precision)	Doxycycline 40 MG Capsules	Kazano	Onglyza	Tanzeum
Abstral	Duexis	Kineret (Exclude for RA)	Orencia	Testim
Acuvail	Endometrin	Kombiglyze XR	Pancreaze	Testosterone Gel
Alogliptin	Epogen	Levitra	Pertzye	Trividia (TRUtest, TRUtrack)
Alogliptin/Metformin	Estrogel	Mesalamine 800 MG Delayed-Release	Proventil HFA	Ultresa
Alvesco	Evzio	Mircera	Qsymia	UniStrip
Apidra	Fentora	Natesto	ribasphere ribapak	Veltin
Aranesp	Fluorouracil 0.5% Cream	National Medical (Advocate)	RibaTab	Veramyst
Asacol HD	Follistim AQ	Nesina	Roche (Accu-Chek)	Victoza
Bayer (Breeze, Contour)	Fortesta	Novolin	Saizen	Vimovo
Beconase AQ	Ganirelix Acetate	NovoLog	Simponi 50 MG	Vogelxo
Bravelle	Gel-One	Nutropin AQ	Sovaldi	Xopenex HFA
Cetraxal	Gelsyn-3	Olysio	Staxyn	Zepatier
Cimzia	Genvisc 850	Omharis	Stendra	Zetonna
Colchicine	Glumetza	Omnis Health (Embrace, Victory)	Subsys	Zioptan
Daklinza	Hyalgan	Omnitrope	Supartz, Supartz FX	Zomacton
Delzicol	Hymovis		Synvisc, Synvisc-One	Zyclara
Dipentum	Istalol		Taltz	

Additional covered alternatives may be available. Costs for covered alternatives may vary. Not all the drugs listed are covered by all prescription plans; check your benefit materials for the specific drugs covered and the copayments for your plan. For specific questions about your coverage, please call the number on your member ID card.

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