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Re: Summary of PDL Changes Effective October 1, 2018

Dear CareSource Member:

Your health care is our priority. That is why we are writing to tell you that on October 1, 2018, CareSource will change its Preferred Drug List (PDL). A PDL is a list of preferred drugs.

THE FOLLOWING MEDICINES WILL BE PREFERRED ON THE PDL EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2018

Brand Name	Generic Name	Dose(s)	Notes
Firvanq	Vancomycin	25 mg/mL; 50 mg/mL	Prior Authorization Required
Ozempic	Semaglutide	2 mg/1.5 mL	Step through metformin
			required

THE FOLLOWING MEDICINES WILL BE NON-PREFERRED ON THE PDL EFFECTIVE OCTOER 1, 2018

Brand Name	Generic Name	Dose(s)	Notes
Vancocin	Vancomycin	125 mg; 250 mg	
Apidra	Insulin gluisine	100 units/mL	Preferred product is
Apidra Solostar			Admelog
Humalog	Insulin lispro	100 units/mL	Preferred product is
Humalog Kwikpen			Admelog
Novolog	Insulin aspart	100 units/mL	Preferred product is
Novolog Flexpen			Admelog
Fiasp	Insulin aspart	100 units/mL	Preferred product is
Fiasp Flextouch			Admelog
Invokana	Canagliflozin	100 mg, 300 mg	Preferred product is
			Steglatro
Invokamet	Canagliflozin/metformin	50-500 mg	Preferred product is
		50-1000 mg	Segluromet
		150-500 mg	
		150-1000 mg	

THE FOLLOWING MEDICINES HAVE A CHANGE IN STATUS EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2018

Brand Name	Generic Name	Dose(s)	Notes
Hepsera	Adefovir dipivoxil	10 mg	Now Requires Prior
			Authorization

Baraclude	Entecavir	0.5 mg	Now Requires Prior
		1 mg	Authorization
		0.05	
		mg/mL	
Epivir-HBV	Lamivudine	100 mg	Now Requires Prior
		5.0 mg/mL	Authorization
Spinosad	Natroba	0.9%	Now Requires Prior
			Authorization

What should you do?

First, talk to your prescriber. There may be other medicines on the CareSource PDL that you can take instead. There are a few ways you and your prescriber can find medicines:

- You can look on our website at CareSource.com. Go to the Pharmacy page and click on "Preferred **Drug List**".
- Or, you can call our Member Services Department at 1-844-607-2829 (TTY: 1-800-743-3333 or 711).

We are here to help you. The CareSource Member Services Department is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Sincerely,

CareSource Pharmacy Department

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