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Re: Summary of PDL Changes Effective October 1, 2021

Dear CareSource Member:

Your health care is our priority. That is why we are writing to tell you that on October 1, 2021, 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, 2021.

Brand Name	Generic Name	Dose(s)	Notes
Lubiprostone	lubiprostone	8 mcg, 12	Requires Prior Authorization
		mcg	
Semglee	insulin glargine	100	
_		units/mL	

THE FOLLOWING MEDICINES WILL BE NON-PREFERRED ON THE PDL EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2021.

Brand Name	Generic Name	Dose(s)	Notes
Basaglar	insulin glargine	100 units/mL (U-100)	Preferred product: Semglee
Kitabis	tobramycin	300 mg/5 mL	Preferred product: tobramycin
Trulance	plecanatide	3 mg	Preferred product: lubiprostone
Azasan	azathioprine	75 mg, 100 mg	Generic azathioprine 50 mg tablets are preferred
llaris	canakinumab	150 mg/mL	Members currently on Ilaris will not be required to change therapy
Cosentyx	secukinumab	75 mg/0.5 mL, 150 mg/mL	Members currently on Cosentyx will not be required to change therapy
Siliq	brodalumab	210 mg/1.5 mL	Members currently on Siliq will not be required to change therapy
Actemra	tocilizumab	80 mg/4 mL, 200 mg/10 mL	Members currently on Actemra will not be required to change therapy
Kevzara	sarilumab	150 mg/1.14 mL, 200 mg/1.14 mL	Members currently on Actemra will not be required to change therapy
Olumiant	baricitinib	1 mg, 2 mg	Members currently on Olumiant will not be required to change therapy

Cimzia	certolizumab	200 mg/mL	Members currently on Cimzia will not be required to change therapy
Otezla	apremilast	10 mg, 20 mg, 30 mg	Members currently on Otezla will not be required to change therapy
ProAir HFA, ProAir RespiClick, ProAir Digihaler, Ventolin HFA, Proventil HFA	albuterol sulfate	90 mcg	Temporary coverage of non- preferred albuterol inhalers was allowed due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This temporary coverage ends 10/1/21, and the preferred alternative is generic albuterol HFA 90 mcg inhaler

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**. On the Members page, go to Tools & Resources and click on "Find My Prescriptions."
- Or, 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,

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