

Dual Special Needs Plans (DSNP) Medicare Part D Formulary Changes

The formulary is a complete list of drugs covered by your Part D plan. We make changes to the formulary or Drug List at the beginning of the year (January 1) and occasionally, the plan will need to make changes to the formulary during the year. Some changes that may affect you:

New generic or biosimilar drug - a brand name drug or an original biologic product may be removed from the formulary if we replace it with a newly approved generic version of the brand name drug or a new biosimilar of the original biological product. The new generic drug or biosimilar will be on the same or lower cost sharing tier and have the same or fewer restrictions as the brand name drug or original biological product. We may decide to keep the brand name drug or original biological product on our formulary, but immediately move it to a higher cost-sharing tier or add new restrictions.

Drugs removed from the market - if the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) deems a drug on our formulary to be unsafe or the drug's manufacturer removes the drug from the market, we will immediately remove the drug from our formulary.

Drugs with new restrictions - if the FDA or manufacturer releases FDA boxed warnings or new clinical guidelines that are recognized by Medicare, we will make the changes to the drug on our formulary.

Listed below are the upcoming formulary changes of commonly used drugs for a 5 tier plan.

| Effective date | Drug Name | Formulary change | Alternative Drug(s)* |
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| 1/1/2026 | abiraterone acetate 500 mg tablet | Removed from the formulary. Lower strength of the drug is preferred. | abiraterone acetate 250 mg tablet |
| 1/1/2026 | Ajovy | Removed from the formulary. A similar drug is preferred. | Aimovig |
| 1/1/2026 | Ala-cort 1% cream | Removed from the formulary. Similar drugs are preferred. | generic topical steroids |



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| 1/1/2026 | Brilinta | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | ticagrelor (generic for Brilinta) |
| 1/1/2026 | Camzyos | Removed from the formulary. | Talk with your doctor about alternatives. |
| 1/1/2026 | colchicine 0.6mg CAPS | Removed from the formulary. Different dosage form is preferred. | colchicine 0.6mg TABS |
| 1/1/2026 | Corlanor | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | ivabradine (generic for Corlanor) |
| 1/1/2026 | Dexabliss 11-day pk 1.5 mg tablet | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | dexamethasone |
| 1/1/2026 | Emtriva 200 mg capsule | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | emtricitabine (generic for Emtriva) |
| 1/1/2026 | Fasenra | Removed from the formulary. A similar drug is preferred. | Dupixent (for shared indications) |
| 1/1/2026 | fenofibrate 120 mg tablet | Removed from the formulary. Different strengths of the drug are preferred. | fenofibrate 134 mg, 145 mg |
| 1/1/2026 | fentanyl buccal effervescent tabs, lozenge on a stick | Removed from the formulary. Drug has been discontinued. | Talk with your doctor about alternatives. |
| 1/1/2026 | Humira | Removed from the formulary. Biosimilars of Humira are available. | Hadlima, Simlandi (biosimilars of Humira) |
| 1/1/2026 | hydroxyzine pamoate 100 mg CAPS | Removed from the formulary. Lower strength and tablet form of the drug is preferred. | hydroxyzine pamoate 50mg TABS |
| 1/1/2026 | isosorbide dinitrate 40 mg tablet | Removed from the formulary. Lower strength of the drug is preferred | isosorbide dinitrate 20 mg tablet |
| 1/1/2026 | Lanoxin | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available | digoxin |
| 1/1/2026 | levalbuterol HFA 45 mcg inhaler | Removed from the formulary. A similar drug is preferred. | albuterol HFA (8.5 gm, 6.7 gm), Ventolin HFA |



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| 1/1/2026 | Medrol 2mg tablet | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available | methylprednisolone |
| 1/1/2026 | Namzaric | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available | memantine-donepezil (generic for Namzaric) |
| 1/1/2026 | Nucala | Removed from the formulary. Similar drug is preferred | Dupixent (for shared indications) |
| 1/1/2026 | Oxbryta 300mg | Removed from the formulary. Drug has been discontinued. | Talk with your doctor about alternatives. |
| 1/1/2026 | pirfenidone TABS | Removed from formulary. Different dosage form is preferred. | pirfenidone CAPS |
| 1/1/2026 | Purixan 20 mg/ml oral susp | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | mercaptopurine tablets |
| 1/1/2026 | Risperdal Consta | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | risperidone IM susp ER (generic for Risperdal Consta) |
| 1/1/2026 | Savella | Removed from formulary. Similar drugs are preferred. | duloxetine, pregabalin. Talk with your doctor about alternatives. |
| 1/1/2026 | Sorine | Removed from the formulary. Brand drug is discontinued. | sotalol capsules |
| 1/1/2026 | Sprycel | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | dasatinib (generic for Sprycel) |
| 1/1/2026 | Stelara | Non-Preferred. Biosimilars of Stelara are available. | Selarsdi, Yesintek (biosimilars of Stelara) |
| 1/1/2026 | Vascepa | Removed from the formulary. The generic is available. | icosapent ethyl (generic for Vascepa) |
| 1/1/2026 | Xolair | Non-Preferred. Similar drug is preferred. | Dupixent (for shared indications) |

^{*} Please refer to your specific plan's <u>formulary list</u> for drug coverage and tier placement. **Note:** Given the individualized nature of drug therapy, please talk to your provider to determine if the alternative drug(s) listed are appropriate for you.

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