

Pharmacy Formulary Updates for January 2018

To offer a pharmacy benefit that is clinically appropriate and cost effective, we constantly review how we cover prescription medications. Periodic adjustments are made to meet these goals. With the exception of new-to-market medications, the changes below are reflected in our online Preferred Drug List.

The following is a list of drugs that changed formulary status in January 2018:

Drug Name	Tufts Health Public Plan Formulary
	3-Tier QHP Formulary
carvedilol phosphate ER capsules	T2
chorionic gonadotropin	T3;SP
chorionic gonadotropin (Novarel)	T2;PA;SP
chorionic gonadotropin (Pregnyl)	T2;PA;SP
Zenpep capsules	T3
Benzoyl Peroxide 6.5% gel	NC
Retin-A Micro 0.06% gel	NC
Urea AER 35% foam	NC
Istalol 0.5%	NC
Timolol maleate 0.5%	T2
Xhance	NC
Carospir	NC
Calcipotriene 0.005% cream/ointment/solution	T1;QL
Harvoni	T2;PA;SP
Epclusa	T2;PA;SP
Vosevi	T2;PA;SP
Viekira XR/Pak	NC;SP
Sovaldi	NC;SP
Mavyret	NC;SP
Valtrex	NC
Androderm	NC
Androgel	NC
Testim	NC
Vogelxo	NC
Striant	NC
Avonex	T3

Plegridy	T3
Granix inj	T2;PA;SP;QL
Neupogen vials	T2;PA;SP;QL
Neupogen inj	T3;PA;SP;QL
Freestyle and Precision Test strips	NC
One Touch Test strips	T2
Doryx 200 and 50 mg tabs	NC
Lidocaine 5% patches	T3;PA;QL
Lidoderm 5% patches	NC;QL
Migergot suspension	T3
Minocycline ER tabs	T3
Salicycline Acid solution / foam	T3
Tetracycline caps	T3
Tretinoin cream	T2;PA
Tretinoin gel (generic for Retin-A Micro)	T3;PA
Tretinoin microspheres	T3;PA
Adapalene 0.1%, 0.3% gel, cream, lotion	T3;PA
Benzepro 5.3%, 6%	T3
Benzepro 9.8%	T3
BP Wash 2.5%	T3
Chlordiazepoxide-clidnum bromide caps	T3
Clindamycin 1% foam	T3
Clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide 1.2-5% gel	T3
Clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide 1-5% gel	T3
Clindamycin/tretinoin gel	T3
Mitigare 0.6mg caps	NC;QL
Diclofenac 1% gel	T1;QL
Diclofenac 3% gel	T3;QL
Doxycycline hyclate tablets	T3
Butalbital/apap/caffeine caps	T3
Fodaparinux inj	T2
Griseofulvin sus/tabs	T2
Itraconazole caps	T2;PA
Lidocaine 5% ointment	T2;QL

Metaxalone tabs	T2
Metronidazole vag gel/gel/lotion	T2
Minocycline tabs	T2
Mycophenolate suspension	T2
Naftifine HCL cream	T2
Neo/Poly/HC eye drops	T2
Oxiconazole cream	T2
Pacerone tablets	T2
Potassium Chloride solution/powder	T2
Potassium Citrate tablets	T2
Propafenone ER caps	T2
Quinidine tabs	T2
Rivastigmine patches	T2
Tobramycin/Dexa suspension	T2
Trifluridine solution	T2
Tropium Chloride ER caps	T2
Vancomycin caps	T2
Voriconazole 200mg tabs	T2;QL
Atovaquone suspension	T2
BP Wash 7%	T2
Brimonidine 0.15% solution	T2
Bromfenac 0.09% solution	T2
Calcipotriene 0.005% cream	T2
Cefixime suspension	T2
Cefpodoxime suspension/tabs	T2
Cevimeline capsules	T2
Clindamycin 1% gel	T2
Clindamycin 1% lotion	T2
Colchicine 0.6mg tablets	T2;QL
Colchicine 0.6mg caps	T2;QL
Dantrolene caps	T2
Dronabinol capsules	T2

Key:

MB: Medical Benefit
NC: Not covered
NTM: New-to-market
QL: Quantity Limitation
SP: Specialty Pharmacy - provided through CVS/specialty

PA: Prior Authorization **ST:** Step Therapy