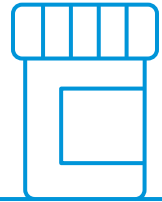


Plus Drug Formulary

Specialty Drug List



This list reflects medications designated as specialty drugs under the pharmacy benefit. Most specialty drugs require prior authorization for medical necessity. If covered, specialty drugs cannot be obtained from a network retail pharmacy and must be obtained from a Blue Shield Network Specialty Pharmacy. Some drugs may not be available for distribution through the Network Specialty Pharmacy in which case it may be obtained through a non-network specialty pharmacy that carries it.

A Blue Shield Network Specialty Pharmacy may be located at <https://www.blueshieldca.com/wellness/drugs/specialty-pharmacy>.

To see if this specialty drug designation applies to your coverage, please check your *Evidence of Coverage* or *Certificate of Insurance/Policy*. You may also call the customer service phone number listed on your Blue Shield ID card.

NOTE: Drugs administered by a healthcare professional (not self-administered) or provided as part of a home health or home infusion service are not listed in this document. Coverage may be provided as part of a medical service, subject to applicable deductibles and copays.

Abilify MyCite	Alunbrig	Avonex (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya preferred</i>)
abiraterone acetate (Zytiga)*	ambrisentan (Letairis)	Ayvakit
Actemra syringe, Actemra ACTpen (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Rinvoq ER, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred</i>)	apomorphine (Apokyn)	Bafiertam (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, Gilenya, glatiramer, glatopa preferred</i>)
Acthar HP	Aranesp (<i>Retacrit preferred</i>)	Balversa
Actimmune	Arcalyst	Benlysta
Adbry	Arikayce	Besremi
Adempas (<i>Opsumit preferred</i>)	Aubagio (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya preferred</i>)	betaine powder for oral solution
Alecensa	Austedo	Betaseron (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, Gilenya, glatiramer, glatopa preferred</i>)

bexarotene cap (Targretin) [§]	Cometriq	Egrifta
bexarotene gel (Targretin)	Copaxone [^] (<i>glatiramer, glatopa preferred</i>)	Egrifta SV
bosentan (Tracleer)	Copiktra	Emflaza
Bosulif [§] (<i>imatinib preferred</i>)	Cortrophin	Empaveli
Braftovi	Cosentyx (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Skyrizi, Stelara, Taltz, Tremfya preferred</i>)	Enbrel
Bronchitol	Cotellic	Enbrel mini (<i>Enbrel syringe, autoinjector preferred</i>)
Brukinsa	Cystadrops	Enspryng
Bylvay	Cystagon	Epclusa
Bynfezia	Cystaran	Epidiolex
Cablivi	dalfampridine (Ampyra)	Erivedge [§]
Cabometyx [§]	Daurismo	Erleada
Calquence	deferasirox (Exjade) ^{^§}	erlotinib (Tarceva) [§]
Camzyos	deferasirox (Jadenu) ^{^§}	Esbriet capsule
capecitabine (Xeloda) [^]	deferasirox granules (Jadenu Sprinkle) [§]	everolimus (Afinitor) [§]
carglumic acid (Carbaglu)	deferiprone tablet (Ferriprox)	everolimus tablet for oral suspension (Afinitor disperz) [§]
Cayston	Diacomit	Evryski
Cerdelga	dimethyl fumarate (Tecfidera) [^]	Exkivity
Chenodal	Dojolvi	Exservan
Cholbam	Doptelet	Extavia [^]
Cibinqo	droxidopa (Northera)	Farydak
Cimzia syringe (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Rinvoq ER, Skyrizi, Stelara, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR, preferred</i>)	Dupixent	Fasenra Pen

Ferriprox 100mg/ml oral solution	Hyftor	Kesimpta (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, Gilenya, glatiramer, glatopa preferred</i>)
Fintepla	Ibrance	Keveyis
Firdapse	icatibant (Firazyr)	Kevzara (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Rinvoq ER, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred</i>)
Forteo (<i>Tymlos preferred</i>)	Iclusig	Kineret (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Rinvoq ER, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred</i>)
Fotivda	Idhifa	Kisqali (<i>Ibrance, Verzenio preferred</i>)
Fulphila	imatinib (Gleevec)	Kisqali Femara Co-Pack (<i>Ibrance, Verzenio preferred</i>)
Fuzeon [^]	Imbruvica [§]	Korlym
Fylnetra (<i>Fulphila, Neulasta, Ziextenzo preferred</i>)	Imcivree	Koselugo
Galafold	Impavido	lapatinib (Tykerb)
Gavreto	Inbrija	ledipasvir/sofosbuvir (<i>Brand Harvoni preferred</i>)
Genotropin/Genotropin Miniquick (<i>Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred</i>)	Increlex	Lenvima
Gilenya [^]	Ingrezza	Leukine
Gilotrif	Inlyta [§]	leuprolide 1mg kit
glatiramer (Copaxone) [^]	Inqovi	Livmarli
glatopa (Copaxone) [^]	Inrebic	Livtensity
Granix (<i>Zarxio preferred</i>)	Intron A	Lokelma
Haegarda	Iressa [§]	Lonsurf
Harvoni	Isturisa	Lorbrena [§]
Hetlioz, Hetlioz LQ	Jakafi [§]	Lumakras
Humatrope (<i>Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred</i>)	javygtor (Kuvan)	Lupkynis
Humira	Juxtapid	Lynparza [§]
Hycamtin	Jynarque	Makena auto-injector
hydroxyprogesterone caproate vial (Makena)	Kalydeco	Matulane

Mavenclad (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya preferred</i>)	Nityr	Orenitram ER
Mavyret	Nivestym (<i>Zarxio preferred</i>)	Orgovyx
Mayzent (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya, preferred</i>)	Norditropin Flexpro (<i>Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred</i>)	Orkambi
Mekinist	Nouriaz	Orladeyo
Mektovi	Nubeqa [§]	Otezla
miglustat (<i>Zavesca</i>)	Nucala	Otrexup (<i>methotrexate injection preferred</i>)
Mircera (<i>Retacrit preferred</i>)	Nuplazid [§]	Oxbryta
moderiba 200mg (Copegus) [^]	Nutropin AQ Nuspin	Oxervate
Moderiba Packs	Nyvepria (<i>Fulphila, Neulasta, Ziextenzo preferred</i>)	Palforzia
Mozobil	Ocaliva [§]	Palynziq
Mulpleta	octreotide (Sandostatin) for SQ	Pegasys
Myalept	Odomzo	Peg-Intron
Mycapssa	Ofev	Pemazyre
Natpara	Olumiant (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Rinvoq ER, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred</i>)	Pheburane
Nerlynx [§]	Omnitrope (<i>Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred</i>)	pirfenidone tablet (Esbriet)
Neulasta	Onureg	Piqray
Neupogen (<i>Zarxio preferred</i>)	Opsumit	Plegridy (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya, preferred</i>)
Ninlaro	Oralair	Pomalyst
nitisone (Orfadin)	Orencia syringe, autoinjector (<i>Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Rinvoq ER, Stelara, Taltz, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred</i>)	Ponvory (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya, preferred</i>)

Procrit/Epogen (Retacrit preferred)	Rezurock	sodium phenylbutyrate (Buphenyl)
Procysbi	Ribasphere/Ribapak	sofosbuvir-velpatasvir (Brand Epclusa preferred)
Promacta	ribasphere/ribavirin (Copegus)^	Somavert
Pulmozyme^	ribasphere/ribavirin (Rebetol)^	sorafenib tosylate (Nexavar)
Purixan	Rinvoq ER	Sotyktu
pyrimethamine (Daraprim)	Rozlytrek [§]	Sovaldi (Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Vosevi preferred depending on HCV genotype)
Pyrukynd	Rubraca [§]	Sprycel [§]
Qinlock	Ruzurgi	Stelara
Radicava ORS	Rydapt	Stimate
Rasuvo (methotrexate injection preferred)	Saizen (Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred)	Stivarga
Ravicti	sapropterin (Kuvan)	Strensiq
Rebif, Rebif Rebidose (dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya preferred)	Scemblix	Sucraid
Recorlev	Serostim	sunitinib (Sutent) [§] (imatinib preferred for GIST)
Reditrex (methotrexate injection preferred)	Signifor	Sylatron, Sylatron 4-pack
Releuko (Zarxio preferred)	sildenafil (Revatio)	Symdeko
Relyvrio	Siliq (Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Skyrizi, Stelara, Taltz, Tremfya preferred)	Tabrecta
Retacrit	Simponi (Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Rinvoq ER, Stelara, Taltz, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred)	tadalafil (Adcirca)
Retevmo	Skyrizi	Tadliq
Revlimid	Skytrofa	Tafinlar

Tagrisso [§]	tobramycin (Kitabis Pak)	Vijoice
Takhzyro	tobramycin (Tobi)	Vistogard [^]
Taltz	tolvaptan (Samsca)	Vitrakvi [§]
Talzenna [§]	Tremfya	Vizimpro [§]
Tarpeyo	Trikafta	Vonjo
Tasigna [§]	Truseltiq	Vosevi
Tavalisse	Tukysa	Votrient [§]
Tavneos	Turalio	Voxzogo
Tazverik	Tymlos	Vumerity (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, glatiramer, glatopa, Gilenya, preferred</i>)
Tegsedi	Tyvaso DPI	Vyndagel
temozolomide capsule (Temodar) [^]	Udenyca (<i>Fulphila, Neulasta, Ziextenzo preferred</i>)	Vyndamax
Tepmetko	Ukoniq	Wakix
Teriparatide (<i>Tymlos preferred</i>)	Uptravi	Welireg
tetrabenazine (Xenazine)	Valchlor	Xalkori [§]
Thalomid	vandetanib (Caprelsa)	Xeljanz
Tibsovo	Veltassa	Xeljanz XR
Tiglutik	Venclexta	Xermelo
tiopronin (Thiolaq)	Verzenio	Xgeva
Tobi Podhaler	Viekira Pack (<i>Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Vosevi preferred depending on HCV genotype</i>)	Xolair syringe
tobramycin (Bethkis)	vigabatrin/vigadrone (Sabril)	Xospata

Xpovio	Zejula	Zomacton (Nutropin AQ Nuspin preferred)
Xtandi [§]	Zelboraf	Zorbtive
Xuriden	Zepatier (<i>Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Vosevi preferred depending on HCV genotype</i>)	Ztalmy
Xyrem	Zeposia (<i>dimethyl fumarate, Extavia, Gilenya, glatiramer, glatopa, Humira, Stelara, Xeljanz, Xeljanz XR preferred depending on diagnosis</i>)	Zydelig
Xywav	Ziextenzo	Zykadia [§]
Yonsa	Zokinvy	
Zarxio	Zolinza [§]	

^ Does not require prior authorization review.

§ Blue Shield's Short Cycle Specialty Drug Program allows initial prescriptions for select Specialty Drugs to be dispensed for a 15-day trial supply, as further described in the EOC. In such circumstances, the applicable Specialty Drug Copayment or Coinsurance will be pro-rated.

*Effective January 1, 2023, generic abiraterone 250mg is available at Lumicera Health Services or CVS Specialty®.

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