

SUBJECT: Formulary Changes from 4th Quarter 2020 Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee

The following formulary changes were reviewed and approved by the 4th Quarter 2020 P&T Committee.

- The effective date for changes to the formulary is May 1, 2021.

I appreciate your assistance in communicating these formulary revisions to the appropriate state agencies and obtaining approval/disapproval. The changes are captured below:

EFFECTIVE FOR ALL PATIENTS ON MAY 1, 2021			
Therapeutic class	Manufacturer	Revised status	Potential alternatives
LANCETS/ LANCET DEVICES (MANUFACTURERS)	WALGREENS COVIDIEN MEDICAL SUPPLIES OWEN MUMFORD MEDICAL PLASTIC DEVICES ARKRAY USA HEALTH ALLIANCE HTL-STREFA MHC MEDICAL PRODUCTS FIFTY50 MEDICAL CARDIOCOM BIONIME USA CORPORATION NOVA BIOMEDICAL AGAMATRIX SHERWOOD MEDICAL I-SENS	PREFERRED	N/A
	ARISE MEDICAL ASCENSIA DIABETES CARE BECTON DICKINSON BIOSENSE MEDICAL DEVICES BOCA MEDICAL PRODUCTS DIABETIC SUPPLY OF SUNCOA FUTURE DIAGNOSTICS GLOBAL MEDICAL PRODUCTS GOJJI HOME AIDE DIAGNOSTICS HOME DIAGNOSTICS INFOPIA USA LIFESCAN INC MCKES MED MEDI SENSE MEDLINE INDUSTRIES OMNIS HEALTH ONE PHARMA & MEDICAL SUPP PHOENIX HEALTHCARE SOLUTI POLYMER TECHNOLOGY SYSTEM PRODIGY DIABETES CARE PUBLIX SUPER MARKETS INC.	NON-PREFERRED	WALGREENS COVIDIEN MEDICAL SUPPLIES OWEN MUMFORD MEDICAL PLASTIC DEVICES ARKRAY USA HEALTH ALLIANCE HTL-STREFA MHC MEDICAL PRODUCTS FIFTY50 MEDICAL CARDIOCOM BIONIME USA CORPORATION NOVA BIOMEDICAL AGAMATRIX SHERWOOD MEDICAL I-SENS

	RELIAMED ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS SIMPLE DIAGNOSTICS SPECIALTY MEDICAL SUPPLIE TELCARE THERASENSE INC. US DIAGNOSTICS VERTEX DIAGNOSTICS XPRESS MEDICAL SUPPLY		
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The P&T Committee has reviewed and approved these changes to the Amerigroup National Formulary as described below. The P&T Committee is responsible for reviewing the entire formulary at least annually and making formulary addition/deletion recommendations.

As requests for conversion from a non-formulary to a formulary medication will be made directly to the prescriber and will only occur when the prescriber approves of such conversion. The prescriber and/or pharmacist will also involve the member in the decision making process. Additionally, pharmacies can dispense up to a 72-hour supply of any medication without the need for prior authorization. If you need additional information, please feel free to contact me at 301-390-0563.

Thank you
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