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**WEST VIRGINIA MEDICAID PHARMACY DEPARTMENT**

<https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/BMS%20Pharmacy>

**PROVIDER SERVICES**

888-483-0793  
 888-483-0801 (Pharmacy)  
 304-348-3360  
 Monday – Friday  
 8:00 am until 5:00 pm

**PHARMACY HELP DESK & PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION (RATIONAL DRUG THERAPY PROGRAM)**

800-847-3859 (Phone)  
 800-531-7787 (Fax)  
 Monday – Saturday  
 8:30 am until 9:00 pm  
 Sunday 12:00 pm until 6:00 pm

**MEMBER SERVICES**

888-483-0797  
 304-348-3365  
 Monday – Friday  
 8:00 am until 5:00 pm

**PREFERRED DRUG LIST**

For a copy of the most recent preferred drug list, visit:

<https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/BMS%20Pharmacy/Pages/Preferred-Drug-List.aspx>

**STATE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE COST (SMAC)**

SMAC Review Form:

<https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/BMS%20Pharmacy/SMAC/Pages/default.aspx>

Please refer questions to Change Healthcare at 1-855-389-9504 or e-mail to:

[PBA\\_WVSMAC@changehealthcare.com](mailto:PBA_WVSMAC@changehealthcare.com)

**WV Medicaid Seeking New P&T Committee Members**

**WV Medicaid is seeking volunteers for open positions on the West Virginia Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee.**

Member responsibilities include providing objective clinical and fiscal input on drugs recommended by the Medicaid PDL vendor (Change Healthcare) for inclusion on the WV Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL). The Committee exists to ensure that the PDL provides access to effective and cost-efficient therapeutic agents, while providing maximum safety and allowing healthcare providers to care for the majority of their patients without a prior authorization request.

Currently, all P&T meetings are held virtually.

For more information please contact Brian Thompson and/or Richard Sorvig at [Brian.M.Thompson@wv.gov](mailto:Brian.M.Thompson@wv.gov) and [Richard.D.Sorvig@wv.gov](mailto:Richard.D.Sorvig@wv.gov)

**WV Medicaid Covered COVID-19 At Home Tests**

Below is a list of the 11 currently covered COVID-19 home tests by Product Name and NDC. For further information please visit the West Virginia Bureau of Medical Services website <https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms>

Home Test	NDC
BINAXNOW COVID-19 AG SELF TEST	11877001140
INTELISWAB COVID-19 HOME TEST	08337000158
QUICKVUE AT-HOME COVID-19 TEST	14613033972
CLINITEST COVID-19 HOME TEST	16490002573
CLINITEST COVID-19 HOME TEST	16490002574
CLINITEST COVID-19 HOME TEST	16490002594
CLINITEST COVID-19 HOME TEST	16490002597
CARESTART COVID-19 AG HOME TST	50010022431
IHEALTH COVID-19 AG HOME TEST	56362000589
GENABIO COVID-19 RAPID AT-HOME	96852025431
GENABIO COVID-19 RAPID AT-HOME	96852095300

## Upcoming PDL Changes

The following changes will be made to the Preferred Drug List (PDL), effective January 1, 2023, pending recommendation and/or approval by the P&T Committee, BMS, and Secretary of DHHR.

For a comprehensive PDL, refer to <https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/BMS%20Pharmacy>

NEW PREFERRED DRUGS	
THERAPEUTIC CLASS	RECOMMENDED for PREFERRED STATUS
ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS	olmesartan/amlodipine/ HCTZ
ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS	telmisartan tablet
ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS	trandolapril tablet
ANTIBIOTICS, INHALED	tobramycin 300mg/5ml
ANTICONVULSANTS	lacosamide solution
ANTICONVULSANTS	lamotrigine ODT tablets
ANTICONVULSANTS	topiramate sprinkle capsules
ANTIFUNGALS, ORAL	griseofulvin suspension
CYTOKINE & CAM ANTAGONISTS	infliximab vial
HYPERPARATHYROID AGENTS	cinacalcet hcl tablets
HYPOGLYCEMICS, INSULIN AND RELATED AGENTS	insulin aspart flexpen, penfill cartridge, vials
HYPOGLYCEMICS, INSULIN AND RELATED AGENTS	insulin aspart prot mix 70-30 pens, vials
HYPOGLYCEMICS, INSULIN AND RELATED AGENTS	insulin lispro kwikpen U-100, vials
IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME/SHORT BOWEL SYNDROME/SELECTED GI AGENTS	Trulance (plecanatide)
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	dimethyl fumarate capsules
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	Kesimpta (ofatumumab) pens
ORAL AND TOPICAL CONTRACEPTIVES	drospirenone-ethinyl estradiol tablets
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PAH AGENTS – PROSTACYCLINS	epoprostenol sodium
PITUITARY SUPPRESSIVE AGENTS, LHRH	Fensolvi (leuprolide acetate) syringe
SEDATIVE HYPNOTICS	Belsomra (suvorexant) tablets
STIMULANTS AND RELATED AGENTS	methylphenidate HCL ER CD 30-70 capsules

NEW NON-PREFERRED DRUGS	
THERAPEUTIC CLASS	RECOMMENDED for NON-PREFERRED STATUS
ALZHEIMER'S AGENTS	Adlarity Transdermal Patches (donepezil hcl)
ANALGESICS, NARCOTIC SHORT ACTING (Non-parental)	tramadol solution
ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS	Tribenzor (olmesartan/amlodipine/HCTZ) tablets
ANTIANGINAL & ANTI-ISCHEMIC	Aspruzyo Sprinkle Packet (ranolazine)
ANTIBIOTICS, INHALED	Bethkis (tobramycin) inhalation
ANTIBIOTICS, VAGINAL	Vandazole Gel (metronidazole)
ANTICOAGULANTS	dabigatran etexilate capsules

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ANTICONVULSANTS	Equetro (carbamazepine)
ANTICONVULSANTS	Lamictal ODT (lamotrigine)
ANTICONVULSANTS	Topamax Sprinkle (topiramate)
ANTICONVULSANTS	Vimpat (lacosamide) solution
ANTIDEPRESSANTS, OTHER	vilazodone hcl tablets
ANTIFUNGALS, ORAL	Vivjoa (oteseconazole) capsules
ANTIFUNGALS, TOPICAL	sulconazole nitrate cream
ANTIFUNGALS, TOPICAL	sulconazole nitrate solution
ANTIMIGRAINE AGENTS, ACUTE	sumatriptan succinate subcutaneous cartridge
ANTIMIGRAINE AGENTS, ACUTE	zolmitriptan nasal spray
ANTIPARKINSON'S AGENTS	apomorphine hcl cartridge
ANTIPSORIATICS, TOPICAL	Vtama cream
ANTIRETROVIRALS	maraviroc tablets
BLADDER RELAXANT PREPARATIONS	fesoterodine fumarate ER tablets
CALCIUM CHANNEL BLOCKERS	Dilt-XR (diltiazem hcl)
CEPHALOSPORINS AND RELATED AGENTS	cefadroxil tablets
GLUCOCORTICOIDS, INHALED	fluticasone propionate HFA
GLUCOCORTICOIDS, INHALED	fluticasone-vilanterol blister
IMMUNOMODULATORS, GENITAL WARTS & ACTINIC KERATOSIS AGENTS	Zyclara cream pump
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	Tascenso ODT (fingolimod lauryl sulfate)
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS	tecfidera capsules
NEUROPATHIC PAIN	Neurontin capsules, solution, tablets
NSAIDS	ibuprofen/famotidine
OPHTHALMICS FOR ALLERGIC CONJUNCTIVITIS	Alocril (nedocromil sodium) drops
PAH AGENTS – PROSTACYCLINS	Tyvaso DPI (treprostinil)
PHOSPHATE BINDERS	calcium acetate tablets
PHOSPHATE BINDERS	sevelamer hcl tablets
PITUITARY SUPPRESSIVE AGENTS, LHRH	Oriahnn (elagolix/estradiol/norethindrone) capsules
PITUITARY SUPPRESSIVE AGENTS, LHRH	Orilissa (elagolix sodium) tablets
PROTON PUMP INHIBITORS	pantoprazole sodium granule packets
SKELETAL MUSCLE RELAXANTS	Lyvispah granule packets (baclofen)
STIMULANTS AND RELATED AGENTS	Dyanavel XR tablets
TETRACYCLINES	doxycycline hyclate 50mg tablets