

Dear Providers:

The following changes to the **MPC Approved Drug List (ADL)** were approved by the Maryland Physicians Care Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee. Please carefully review these changes.

Key		
UPPER CASE = Brand Name Drugs	Lower case italics = Generic Drugs	QL = Quantity Limit
PA = Prior Authorization	ST = Step Therapy	AL = Age Limit
ADL = Approved Drug List	YOA = Years of Age	DD = Discontinued Drug

Drug Name	Therapeutic Class	Change	Effective Date	ADL Alternative (if applicable)
January 2019				
No formulary Changes				
February 2019				
No formulary Changes				
March 2019				
No formulary Changes				
April 2019				
VICTOZA (liraglutide)	<i>GLP1'S</i>	Remove	April 2019	OZEMPIC, TRULICITY
TRULICITY (dulaglutide)	<i>GLP1'S</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
APRISO (mesalamine)	<i>INFLAMMATORY BOWEL</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
BEVESPI (glycopyrrolate/formoterol fumarate)	<i>STEROID INHALANTS</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
CEQUA (cyclosporine ophthalmic solution)	<i>OPHTHALMIC</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A

CIPRODEX (ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone)	<i>OTIC QUINOLONE ANTIBIOTIC</i>	Add	April 2019	Generic only, No brands on Formulary
DULERA (mometasone furoate and formoterol)	<i>PULMONARY ANTI-INFLAMMATORY/BETA AGONIST COMBO</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
SYMBICORT (budesonide and formoterol fumarate dihydrate)	<i>PULMONARY ANTI-INFLAMMATORY/BETA AGONIST COMBO</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
BREO ELLIPTA (fluticasone furoate and vilanterol)	<i>PULMONARY ANTI-INFLAMMATORY/BETA AGONIST COMBO</i>	Remove	April 2019	DULERA, SYMBICORT, fluticasone & salmeterol
ADVAIR (fluticasone & salmeterol)	<i>PULMONARY ANTI-INFLAMMATORY/BETA AGONIST COMBO</i>	Remove	April 2019	DULERA, SYMBICORT, fluticasone & salmeterol
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DICLEGIS (doxylamine succinate and pyridoxine hydrochloride)	<i>ANTI-HISTAMINE</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
VIBERZI (eluxadoline)	<i>MU-OPIOID RECEPTOR AGONIST</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
EUCRISA (crisaborole)	<i>NONSTEROIDAL TOPICAL</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
RANEXA (ranolazine)	<i>ANTIANGINAL</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
TRELEGY (fluticasone furoate, umeclidinium and vilanterol inhalation powder)	<i>LONG-ACTING BETA2-ADRENERGIC AGONIST</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
OXERVATE (cenegermin-bkbj)	<i>RECOMBINANT NERVE GROWTH FACTOR</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
XOFLUZA (baloxavir marboxil)	<i>ANTIVIRAL</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
(mycophenolic acid)	<i>IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE DRUG</i>	Remove PA	April 2019	N/A
(azathioprine)	<i>IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE DRUG</i>	Remove PA	April 2019	N/A
(hydroxyurea)	<i>ANTINEOPLASTIC</i>	Remove PA	April 2019	N/A
(mercaptopurine)	<i>ANTINEOPLASTIC</i>	Remove PA	April 2019	N/A
(tacrolimus)	<i>IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE DRUG</i>	Remove PA	April 2019	N/A
LETAIRIS (ambrisentan)	<i>VASODILATOR</i>	Add (PA)	April 2019	N/A
PROAIR AG (albuterol)	<i>BRONCHODILATOR</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A

VENTOLIN AG (albuterol)	<i>BRONCHODILATOR</i>	Add	April 2019	N/A
VENTOLIN HFA (albuterol)	<i>BRONCHODILATOR</i>	Remove	April 2019	VENTOLIN AG; PROAIR AG
FLOVENT HFA (fluticasone propionate)	<i>STEROID</i>	AL: Age 1-6	April 2019	N/A
(budesonide)	<i>STEROID</i>	PA for Age >8 years of age	April 2019	N/A
DELZICOL (Mesalamine)	<i>NSAID</i>	Remove	April 2019	Apriso

If you have questions, Maryland Physicians Care Pharmacy Help Desk is available to assist providers at **1-800-953-8854 opt 4**.

Thank you for your care of Maryland Physician Care Medicaid members.

Sincerely,
Maryland Physicians Care