



AHCCCS Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee Recommendations

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Committee Recommendations

PDL Recommendation Key:

- Products currently preferred and remaining preferred are listed in **Black**
- Products currently new, not previously reviewed or non-preferred and recommended to be **preferred** are listed in **Blue**
- Products currently new, not previously reviewed or preferred and recommended to be **non-preferred** are listed in **Red**
- Products currently included on the AHCCCS approved drug list are noted with an **asterisk (*)**
- Classes where grandfathering is recommended will have a notation on the preferred recommendations page

P&T Public Class Vote:
Antimigraine Agents, Triptans

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PDL Recommendations

(preferred products):

- NARATRIPTAN (ORAL)*
- RIZATRIPTAN ODT (ORAL)*
- RIZATRIPTAN TABLET (ORAL)*
- SUMATRIPTAN KIT (SUBCUTANE.)*
- SUMATRIPTAN KIT (SUN)
(SUBCUTANE.)*

- SUMATRIPTAN (ORAL)*
- SUMATRIPTAN VIAL (SUBCUTANE.)*
- ZOLMITRIPTAN ODT (ORAL)*
- ZOLMITRIPTAN TABLET (ORAL)*

Products Moving to Nonpreferred

ZOLMITRIPTAN ODT (AG) (ORAL)*

ZOLMITRIPTAN TABLET (AG) (ORAL)*

No grandfathering

P&T Public Class Vote:
Leukotriene Modifiers

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PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- MONTELUKAST TABLET (ORAL)
- MONTELUKAST CHEWABLE TABLET (ORAL)
- MONTELUKAST GRANULES (ORAL) - No PA required for children less than 4 years old

Non preferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote:
Sedative Hypnotics

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PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- ESZOPICLONE (ORAL)*
- ROZEREM (ORAL)*
- TEMAZEPAM (ORAL) – 15 mg and 30 mg capsules*
- ZOLPIDEM (ORAL)*

Non preferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote:
Steroids, Topical

Steroids, Topical

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- **Low Potency Topical Steroid Agents**
 - DERMA-SMOOTH-FS (TOPICAL)
 - HYDROCORTISONE ACETATE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE ACETATE OINTMENT OTC (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE-ALOE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)
 - HYDROCORTISONE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE LOTION OTC (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE OINTMENT OTC (TOPICAL)*
 - HYDROCORTISONE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*

Grandfathering - No

Steroids, Topical

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- **Medium Potency Topical Steroid Agents**
 - FLUTICASONE PROPIONATE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
 - FLUTICASONE PROPIONATE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*
 - MOMETASONE FUROATE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
 - MOMETASONE FUROATE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*
 - MOMETASONE FUROATE SOLUTION (TOPICAL)*

Grandfathering - No

Steroids, Topical

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

High Potency Topical Steroid Agents

- BETAMETHASONE DIPROPIONATE CREAM (TOPICAL)
- BETAMETHASONE DIPROPIONATE LOTION (TOPICAL)
- BETAMET DIPROP / PROP GLY CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- BETAMETHASONE VALERATE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- BETAMETHASONE VALERATE LOTION (TOPICAL)*
- BETAMETHASONE VALERATE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*
- FLUOCINONIDE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- FLUOCINONIDE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*
- FLUOCINONIDE SOLUTION (TOPICAL)*
- TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE LOTION (TOPICAL)*
- TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*

Grandfathering – No

Steroids, Topical

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- **Very High Potency Topical Steroid Agents**
 - CLOBETASOL EMOLLIENT (TOPICAL)
 - CLOBETASOL PROPIONATE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
 - CLOBETASOL PROPIONATE GEL (TOPICAL)*
 - CLOBETASOL PROPIONATE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)*
 - CLOBETASOL PROPIONATE SOLUTION (TOPICAL)*
 - **CLOBETASOL SHAMPOO (TOPICAL)**
 - HALOBETASOL PROPIONATE CREAM (TOPICAL)
 - HALOBETASOL PROPIONATE OINTMENT (TOPICAL)

Grandfathering - No

P&T Public Class Vote:
Antifungals, Oral

Antifungals, Oral

Current PDL (preferred products):

- CLOTRIMAZOLE (MUCOUS MEM)
- FLUCONAZOLE SUSPENSION (ORAL)*
- FLUCONAZOLE TABLET (ORAL)*
- GRISEOFULVIN SUSPENSION (ORAL)*
- GRISEOFULVIN TABLETS (ORAL)*
- NYSTATIN SUSPENSION (ORAL)*
- NYSTATIN TABLET (ORAL)*
- TERBINAFINE (ORAL)*

No grandfathering on the nonpreferred agents in this class

P&T Public Class Vote:
Antifungals, Topical

Antifungals, Topical

Current PDL (preferred products):

- CICLOPIROX CREAM (TOPICAL)
- CICLOPIROX SOLUTION (TOPICAL)
- CLOTRIMAZOLE-BETAMETHASONE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- CLOTRIMAZOLE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)*
- CLOTRIMAZOLE CREAM RX (TOPICAL)*
- CLOTRIMAZOLE SOLUTION OTC (TOPICAL)*
- KETOCONAZOLE CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- KETOCONAZOLE SHAMPOO (TOPICAL)*
- LOTRIMIN ULTRA OTC (TOPICAL)

No grandfathering on nonpreferred products

- MICONAZOLE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)*
- MICONAZOLE POWDER OTC (TOPICAL)*
- NYSTATIN CREAM (TOPICAL)*
- NYSTATIN OINT (TOPICAL)*
- NYSTATIN POWDER (TOPICAL)*
- TERBINAFINE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)
- TOLNAFTATE CREAM OTC (TOPICAL)
- TOLNAFTATE POWDER OTC (TOPICAL)
- TOLNAFTATE AERO POWDER OTC (TOPICAL)

P&T Public Class Vote: *Beta Blockers*

Beta Blockers

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- ATENOLOL (ORAL)*
- ATENOLOL / CHLORTHALIDONE (ORAL)*
- BISOPROLOL HCTZ (ORAL)
- BISOPROLOL (ORAL)
- CARVEDILOL (ORAL)*
- LABETALOL (ORAL)*
- METOPROLOL / HCTZ (ORAL)
- METOPROLOL (ORAL)*
- METOPROLOL XL (ORAL)*
- NADOLOL (ORAL)*
- PROPRANOLOL ER (ORAL)*
- PROPRANOLOL ER (AG) (ORAL)
- PROPRANOLOL / HCTZ (ORAL)
- PROPRANOLOL SOLUTION (ORAL)*
- PROPRANOLOL TABLET (ORAL)*
- SOTALOL (ORAL)*

Nonpreferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote: *BPH Treatments*

BPH Treatments

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- ALFUZOSIN (ORAL)*
- DOXAZOSIN (ORAL)*
- DUTASTERIDE (ORAL)*
- FINASTERIDE (ORAL)*
- TAMSULOSIN (ORAL)*
- TERAZOSIN (ORAL)*

Nonpreferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote:
Calcium Channel Blockers

Calcium Channel Blockers

PDL Recommendations (preferred products):

- AMLODIPINE (ORAL)*
- DILTIAZEM CAPSULE ER (ORAL)*
- DILTIAZEM TABLET (ORAL)*
- FELODIPINE ER (ORAL)*
- NIFEDIPINE IR (ORAL)*
- NIFEDIPINE ER (ORAL)*
- VERAPAMIL CAPSULE ER (ORAL)*
- VERAPAMIL TABLET ER (ORAL)*
- VERAPAMIL TABLET (ORAL)*

Nonpreferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote:
HIV-AIDS

HIV - AIDS

PDL Recommendations

- ABACAVIR/LAMIVUDINE (ORAL)*
- ABACAVIR/LAMIVUDINE/ZIDOVUDINE (ORAL)*
- ABACAVIR SOLUTION (ORAL)*
- ABACAVIR TABLET (ORAL)*
- APTIVUS CAPSULE (ORAL)*
- ATAZANAVIR (ORAL)*
- ATRIPLA (ORAL)*
- BIKTARVY (ORAL)*
- COMPLERA (ORAL)*
- CRIXIVAN (ORAL)*
- **DELSTRIGO (ORAL)**
- DESCOVY (ORAL)*
- DIDANOSINE CAPSULE DR (ORAL)*
- **DOVATO (ORAL)**
- EFAVIRENZ CAPSULE (ORAL)*
- **EFAVIRENZ/EMTRICITABINE/TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL FUMARATE (ORAL)**
- EFAVIRENZ TABLET (ORAL)*
- EMTRICITABINE CAPSULE (ORAL)*

HIV - AIDS

PDL Recommendations

- EMTRIVA SOLUTION (ORAL)*
- ETRAVIRINE (ORAL)*
- EVOTAZ (ORAL)*
- FOSAMPRENAVIR TABLET (ORAL)*
- FUZEON (SUB-Q)*
- GENVOYA (ORAL)*
- ISENTRESS (ORAL)*
- **ISENTRESS HD (ORAL)**
- ISENTRESS POWDER PACK (ORAL)*
- ISENTRESS TAB CHEW (ORAL)*
- INVIRASE TABLET (ORAL)*
- **JULUCA (ORAL)**
- LAMIVUDINE SOLUTION (ORAL)*
- LAMIVUDINE TABLET (ORAL)*
- LAMIVUDINE-ZIDOVUDINE (ORAL)*
- LEXIVA SUSPENSION (ORAL)*
- LOPINAVIR/RITONAVIR SOLUTION (ORAL)*
- LOPINAVIR/RITONAVIR TABLET (ORAL)*
- NEVIRAPINE ER (ORAL)*
- NEVIRAPINE ORAL SUSP (ORAL)*
- NEVIRAPINE TABLET (ORAL)*
- **NORVIR POWDER PACK (ORAL)**
- NORVIR SOLUTION (ORAL)*

HIV - AIDS

PDL Recommendations

- ODEFSEY (ORAL)*
- PIFELTRO (ORAL)*
- PREZCOBIX (ORAL)*
- PREZISTA (ORAL)*
- PREZISTA ORAL SUSP (ORAL)*
- REYATAZ POWDER PACK (ORAL)
- RITONAVIR TABLET (ORAL)*
- SELZENTRY TABLET (ORAL)*
- STAVUDINE CAPSULE (ORAL)*
- STRIBILD (ORAL)*
- SYMTUZA (ORAL)
- TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL FUMARATE (ORAL)*
- TIVICAY (ORAL)*
- TIVICAY PD SUSPENSION (ORAL)
- TRIUMEQ (ORAL)*
- TRUVADA (ORAL)*
- TYBOST (ORAL)*
- VIRACEPT (ORAL)*
- VIREAD POWDER (ORAL)*
- ZIDOVUDINE CAPSULE (ORAL)*
- ZIDOVUDINE SYRUP (ORAL)*
- ZIDOVUDINE TABLET (ORAL)*

HIV - AIDS

PDL Recommendations (Products Moving to Nonpreferred)

- EDURANT (ORAL)

Non preferred agents in this class are grandfathered

P&T Public Class Vote: *Movement Disorders*

Movement Disorders

PDL Recommendations for Preferred Products:

- AUSTEDO (ORAL)
- INGREZZA (ORAL)

The remaining products in this class are recommended nonpreferred

Grandfathering - Yes

P&T Public Class Vote:
Continuous Glucose Monitors (CGM)

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PDL Recommendations for Preferred Products:

Diabetes Meters, Continuous

- [DEXCOM G6 CGM System](#) - 2 to less than 4 year olds
- [FREESTYLE LIBRE SYSTEM](#) - 14 years and up
- [FREESTYLE LIBRE 2 SYSTEM](#) - 4 years and up

The remaining products in this class are recommended nonpreferred

Grandfathering for only Guardian Products

P&T Public Class Vote: *New Drugs*

New Drug Recommendations

- Brexafemme (ibrexafungerp) – Recommended Nonpreferred
- Kloxxado (naloxone 8mg/0.1ml) – Recommended Preferred
- Ponvory (ponesimod) – Recommended Nonpreferred
- Qelbree (viloxazine) – Recommended Nonpreferred

P&T Public Class Vote:

P&T Requests

P&T Requests

- Request by Dr. Kevin Chapman to allow Clonazepam ODT without PA for children < 6 years of age - yes
- Request by Denise Volkov to remove prior authorization requirements for Budesonide inhalation vials - yes

P&T Meeting Dates

- **Future Meeting Date:**
 - January 19, 2022