



2013 Preferred Drug List

An evidence-based pharmacy program that works for you



What is the Moda Health Preferred Drug Program?

The Moda Health Preferred Drug Program is a pharmacy program that is designed to offer a choice of drugs that are safe, effective treatments; and to provide value to Moda Health members by saving them money on the cost of prescription drugs.

How does the program work?

This program uses a tiered copay system. Members and their doctors can choose between value tier, select generic (tier 1), preferred (tier 2) or brand (tier 3) drugs. Each tier has a different copay amount and will depend on your benefit. Refer to your member handbook for specific tier and coverage information.

Who makes decisions about drugs on the preferred drug list?

The list is developed and maintained by a committee comprised of doctors and pharmacists called the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee. The committee makes decisions based on information about the drug's safety, effectiveness and associated clinical outcomes.

Value tier	Tier 1 select generic	Tier 2 preferred	Tier 3 brand
<p>Value drugs include select commonly prescribed products used to treat chronic medical conditions and preserve health.</p> <p>Plans that do not include a Value tier benefit will have drugs categorized under this tier paid at the tier 1 or tier 2 copay/coinsurance levels.</p>	<p>Tier 1, generic drugs must contain the same active ingredients as their brand name counterpart and be identical in strength, dosage form and route of administration.</p> <p>This benefit level may also include select brand medications that have been identified as favorable from a clinical and cost effective perspective.</p>	<p>Tier 2, preferred drugs are those that represent a unique treatment option and do not have comparable alternatives. Other drugs included in this tier are those that represent the most favorable cost option when comparable alternatives are available.</p> <p>Generic medications that have been identified as having no more favorable outcomes, from a clinical perspective, than other more cost effective generics may be included in this tier.</p>	<p>Tier 3 brand drugs have been reviewed by Moda Health and found to have no significant treatment or cost advantage over preferred tier 2 drugs.</p> <p>The copay/coinsurance for drugs in this tier will be at the tier 3 copayment amount.</p> <p>If you request a brand name drug or your physician prescribes a brand name drug when a generic equivalent is available, you may be responsible for the brand copayment plus the difference in cost between the generic and the brand name drug. Please refer to your pharmacy benefits outlined in your member handbook.</p>

How to read your preferred drug list

Refer to your Member Handbook to find specific copay amounts and covered drugs. Drugs that are new to the market are not included within your drug benefit until reviewed by the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee. Please contact Moda Health Customer Service if you are taking a drug that is new to the market.

Additional information about the Preferred Drug Program and other drugs that require clinical review can be found on the Moda Health website at modahealth.com/aet or by calling Customer Service at 855-294-1669.

Key

V – Value copay

SG – Generic copay

P – Preferred copay

B – Brand copay

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
ABILIFY			✓	
ACANYA				✓
ACETAMINOPHEN-CODEINE		✓		
ACIPHEX				✓
ACTIVELLA				✓
ACTONEL				✓
ACTOPLUS MET				✓
ACTOS				✓
ACYCLOVIR		✓		
ACZONE				✓
ADVAIR DISKUS			✓	
ADVAIR HFA			✓	
AGGRENOX				✓
ALLOPURINOL		✓		
ALREX			✓	
AMITIZA			✓	
AMITRIPTYLINE HCL	✓			
AMLODIPINE BESYLATE		✓		
AMOX TR-POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE		✓		
AMOXICILLIN		✓		
AMPHETAMINE SALT COMBO		✓		
ANDROGEL				✓
ARMOUR THYROID			✓	
ASACOL			✓	
ASMANEX				✓

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
ASTEPRO				✓
ATACAND				✓
ATACAND HCT				✓
ATENOLOL	✓			
ATRIPLA			✓	
ATROVENT HFA			✓	
AVALIDE				✓
AVAPRO				✓
AVELOX				✓
AVODART				✓
AZASITE				✓
AZITHROMYCIN		✓		
BACTROBAN				✓
BENICAR				✓
BENICAR HCT				✓
BEYAZ				✓
BONIVA				✓
BYETTA				✓
BYSTOLIC				✓
CADUET				✓
CANASA			✓	
CEFDINIR		✓		
CELEBREX				✓
CENESTIN				✓
CEPHALEXIN		✓		
CIPRODEX			✓	
CIPROFLOXACIN HCL		✓		

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
CITALOPRAM HBR	✓			
CLOBEX				✓
CLONAZEPAM		✓		
COLCRYS				✓
COMBIGAN				✓
COMBIPATCH			✓	
COMBIVENT			✓	
COREG CR			✓	
CRESTOR				✓
CYCLOBENZAPRINE		✓		
CYMBALTA				✓
DETROL LA				✓
DEXILANT				✓
DIAZEPAM		✓		
DIFFERIN				✓
DIOVAN				✓
DIOVAN HCT				✓
DUAC CS				✓
EFFIENT				✓
ELIDEL			✓	
ELMIRON			✓	
ENABLEX				✓
ENJUVA				✓
ENTOCORT EC			✓	
EPIDUO				✓
EPIPEN			✓	
EPIPEN JR			✓	

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
ESTRACE				✓
ESTRADIOL		✓		
ESTRING			✓	
EVISTA			✓	
EXFORGE				✓
FEMHRT				✓
FEMRING			✓	
FINACEA				✓
FLOVENT	✓			
FLUCONAZOLE		✓		
FLUOXETINE HCL	✓			
FLUTICASONE PROPIONATE		✓		
FOCALIN XR				✓
FUROSEMIDE		✓		
GABAPENTIN		✓		
GEODON			✓	
GLUCAGON EMERGENCY KIT			✓	
HUMALOG			✓	
HUMULIN N	✓			
HUMULIN R	✓			
IBUPROFEN	✓			
INTUNIV				✓
JANUMET				✓
JANUVIA				✓
KADIAN				✓
LAMOTRIGINE		✓		
LANTUS			✓	
LANTUS SOLOSTAR			✓	
LEVAQUIN				✓
LEVEMIR				✓
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM		✓		
LEXAPRO				✓
LIALDA				✓
LIDODERM				✓
LIPITOR				✓

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
LISINOPRIL	✓			
LISINOPRIL-HCTZ	✓			
LOESTRIN 24 FE				✓
LORAZEPAM		✓		
LOSARTAN POTASSIUM		✓		
LOTEMAX			✓	
LOVASTATIN	✓			
LUMIGAN				✓
LUNESTA				✓
LYBREL				✓
LYRICA				✓
MALARONE				✓
MAXALT				✓
MAXALT MLT				✓
MENEST			✓	
METADATE CD			✓	
METFORMIN HCL	✓			
METFORMIN HCL ER	✓			
METOPROLOL SUCCINATE	✓			
METOPROLOL TARTRATE	✓			
METROGEL				✓
METRONIDAZOLE		✓		
MICARDIS				✓
MICARDIS HCT				✓
MORPHINE SULFATE		✓		
MOVIPREP				✓
NAPROXEN		✓		
NASACORT AQ				✓
NASONEX			✓	
NEXIUM				✓
NIASPAN			✓	
NITROSTAT			✓	
NOVOLIN N			✓	
NOVOLOG			✓	

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
NUCYNTA				✓
NUVARING			✓	
NUVIGIL				✓
OMEPRAZOLE		✓		
OMNARIS				✓
ONGLYZA				✓
OPANA ER				✓
ORTHO EVRA				✓
ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN LO				✓
OXYCODONE HCL		✓		
OXYCODONE-ACETAMINOPHEN		✓		
OXYCONTIN			✓	
PANTOPRAZOLE SODIUM		✓		
PAROXETINE HCL		✓		
PATADAY				✓
PATANOL				✓
PENICILLIN V POTASSIUM		✓		
PENTASA			✓	
PLAVIX			✓	
POTASSIUM CHLORIDE		✓		
PRAVASTATIN SODIUM		✓		
PREDNISONE		✓		
PREMARIN TABLETS			✓	
PREMPRO			✓	
PREVIDENT				✓
PRISTIQ				✓
PROAIR HFA			✓	
PROMETHAZINE HCL		✓		
PROMETRIUM				✓
PROTOPIC			✓	
PROVENTIL HFA				✓
PROVIGIL				✓

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
PULMICORT FLEXHALER				✓
QVAR	✓			
RANITIDINE HCL		✓		
RELPAK				✓
RETIN-A MICRO				✓
RHINOCORT AQUA				✓
RITALIN LA				✓
SAVELLA			✓	
SEASONIQUE				✓
SEROQUEL			✓	
SEROQUEL XR			✓	
SERTRALINE HCL	✓			
SIMCOR				✓
SIMVASTATIN	✓			
SINGULAIR				✓
SPIRIVA			✓	
SPIRONOLACTONE		✓		
STRATTERA				✓
SUBOXONE FILM			✓	

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
SULFAMETHOXAZOLE-TRIMETHOPRIM		✓		
SUPREP				✓
SYMBICORT			✓	
SYNTHROID				✓
TAMIFLU			✓	
TAZORAC			✓	
TRAMADOL HCL		✓		
TRANSDERM-SCOP				✓
TRAVATAN Z				✓
TRAZODONE HCL		✓		
TREXIMET				✓
TRIAMCINOLONE		✓		
TRIAMTERENE-HCTZ		✓		
TRICOR				✓
TRILIPIX				✓
TRUVADA			✓	
UROXATRAL				✓
VAGIFEM			✓	
VALACYCLOVIR		✓		

Drug name	V	SG	P	B
VENTOLIN HFA				✓
VERAMYST				✓
VESICARE				✓
VICTOZA 3-PAK				✓
VIGAMOX			✓	
VIVELLE-DOT			✓	
VOLTAREN TOPICAL			✓	
VYTORIN				✓
VYVANSE				✓
WARFARIN SODIUM		✓		
XOPENEX HFA				✓
ZANAFLEX				✓
ZETIA				✓
ZOMIG				✓
ZOMIG ZMT				✓
ZOVIRAX				✓
ZYLET			✓	
ZYPREXA			✓	

Common questions and answers

What makes the Moda Health Preferred Drug Program different?

The Moda Health Preferred Drug Program works differently than a typical drug formulary. Many formularies require you to use the generic or low-cost brand drugs listed on their formulary and will not pay for any high-cost drugs not on that list. Moda Health offers more flexibility; members can choose high-cost drugs if they want to and still have a portion of the costs paid by Moda Health.

Does the tiered drug program limit which drugs my doctor can prescribe for me?

This list is not meant to replace a doctor's judgment for prescribing decisions. The Moda Health Preferred Drug Program is designed to offer cost-effective choices that will save members money on prescription drugs. Moda Health does not take responsibility for any drug decisions made by the prescriber or dispensing pharmacist.

What if my prescribed drug is not listed on the chart?

The Moda Health preferred drug list is not an all-inclusive list. To check your copayment on a drug not on this list, please use the online price check tool available through your myModa account under the Pharmacy tab. If you are taking a medication that is new to the market, please contact Moda Health Customer Service for coverage and its tiering.

How are diabetic supplies covered?

Please check your Member Handbook for specific coverage of diabetic supplies. Abbott and Bayer diabetic supplies are the Moda Health preferred (tier 2) products. In addition, a free blood glucose meter is available for the preferred meters (Abbott or Bayer). For more information about this program please call Moda Health Pharmacy Customer Service.

How can I find out how much my drug will cost?

Moda Health provides an online drug price check tool for members. You can access this resource by logging into your myModa account at modahealth.com/aet. The price check tool is located under the Pharmacy tab.

How do I use my mail-order benefits?

Members have the option of obtaining a 90-day supply per prescription through our mail-order pharmacy. Links to our mail order pharmacy and order forms are available on our website at modahealth.com/aet.

Please refer to your Member Handbook for copayment information.

When is the preferred drug list updated and how are members notified?

Modifications to the list reflecting new drugs or changes in treatment patterns will be made throughout the year. Members are notified by letter if the change will have a negative impact (higher copayment, etc.). The current list is available on the Moda Health website at modahealth.com/aet.

When a generic becomes available for a brand name medication, the brand name drug will be moved to the brand tier (3). If you receive a brand name drug when a generic is available, you may pay the difference between the brand name and generic drug in addition to your copayment. Please refer to your Member Handbook available on your MyModa Health account for more information.