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Chronic Illness Benefit medicine list (formulary)

2012



Discovery Health Chronic Illness Benefit 2012

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Important information you need to know

We may change the information contained in this document from time to time. We will communicate any changes to the way we pay medicines when we make these.

The Chronic Illness Benefit (CIB) is governed by the Discovery Health Medical Scheme Rules. The utilisation of the benefits and programmes associated with the CIB are subject to specific conditions and rules. Members must ensure that they are familiar with these rules and conditions.

Any instructions or advice on medicines and the management of the member's condition are intended as a supplement to, and not a substitute for, the knowledge, expertise, skill and judgement of the member's doctor, pharmacist or other healthcare professional.

Discovery Health reserves the right to change the benefit at any time.

Explanation of terms

Benefit year

A benefit year refers to the benefits a member is entitled to during a calendar year, ie from 1 January to 31 December. This medicine list (formulary) and Chronic Drug Amounts are applicable for 2012 only.

Chronic Drug Amount (CDA)

The CDA is a monthly amount we pay up to for a medicine class. This applies to medicine that is not listed on the medicine list (formulary). The CDA includes VAT and the dispensing fee.

Prescribed Minimum Benefit conditions (PMB conditions)

These are conditions that the Council for Medical Schemes has determined for coverage by all medical schemes, in any setting, as per clinical guidelines.

Chronic Disease List (CDL)

A specified list of chronic conditions we cover according to the Prescribed Minimum Benefits.

Medicine class

This describes medicines that have similar chemical structures or similar therapeutic effects.

Active ingredient

This is the main substance in a medicine that is responsible for the clinical action on a human body.

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The Prescribed Minimum Benefits (PMB) medicine list (for all plan types)

The PMB medicine list applies to all Discovery Health Plans for the 2012 benefit year. The CDA (Chronic Drug Amount) does not apply to KeyCare Plans.

Prescribed Minimum Benefit condition	Chronic Drug Amount Priority, Core and Saver Plans	Chronic Drug Amount Executive and Comprehensive Plans	Medicine class	Active ingredient	Medicine name and strength
Addison's disease	R150	R150	Systemic corticosteroids: Hydrocortisone	Hydrocortisone	Covocort 10mg
	R105	R105	Systemic corticosteroids: Mineralocorticoids	Fludrocortisone	Florinef acetate 0.1mg
Asthma	R135	R135	Adrenergics: Long acting - Formoterol	Formoterol	Foratec dp-caps 12mcg
					Foratec hfa 120dose 12mcg/1dose
	R265	R355	Adrenergics: Long acting - Salmeterol	Salmeterol	Serevent accuhaler 60 dose 50mcg
					Serevent CFC-free 120 dose 25mcg
	R315	R315	Adrenergics: Salmeterol combinations	Fluticasone/ Salmeterol	Foxair 25/50; 25/125; 25/250 120 dose
					Foxair accuhaler 50/100; 50/250; 50/500 60 dose
					Sereflo hfa 25/50; 25/125; 25/250 120 dose
	R30	R30	Adrenergics: Short acting - Salbutamol	Salbutamol	Asthavent 200 dose 100mcg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Venteze cfc free 200 dose 100mcg
	R80	R115	Anti-asthmatics: Systemic xanthines	Theophylline	Sandoz Theophylline anhydrous 200mg; 300mg
	R180	R180	Inhaled anticholinergics: Ipratropium bromide	Ipratropium bromide	Atrovent HFA 200dose 20mcg
					Ipvent HFA 200 dose 40mcg/1dose
	R260	R310	Inhaled Glucocorticoids	Beclometasone Budesonide	Beclate 200 dose 100mcg; 200mcg
					Budeflam dp-caps 200mcg
					Budeflam hfa 300dose 100mcg; 200mcg
					Inflammide novolizer complete 200 dose 200mcg
					Inflammide novolizer complete 100 dose 400mcg
Inflammide novolizer refill 200 dose 200mcg					
Inflammide novolizer refill 100 dose 400mcg					
Pulmicort turbuhaler 200dose 100mcg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)					
Pulmicort turbuhaler 200dose 200mcg					
Pulmicort turbuhaler 100dose 400mcg					
R350	R350	Surgical item	Inhaler device	Dp haler device	
R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg	
				Panafcort 5mg	
				Trolic 5mg	

Prescribed Minimum Benefit condition	Chronic Drug Amount Priority, Core and Saver Plans	Chronic Drug Amount Executive and Comprehensive Plans	Medicine class	Active ingredient	Medicine name and strength
Bipolar mood disorder	R115	R310	Antidepressants: SSRIs	Citalopram	Arrow Citalopram 20mg; 40mg
					Auro-Citalopram 20mg
					Citalohexal 20mg
					Citalopram-Winthrop 20mg
				Depramil 40mg	
				Escitalopram	Aspen Escitalopram 10mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Citraz 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zytomil 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Fluoxetine
				A-Lennon Fluoxetine 20mg	Ranflocs 20mg
					Rezak 20mg
					Zydus Fluoxetine 20mg
					Paroxetine
				Serrapress 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)	
				Sertraline	Apex-Sertraline 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	Austell-Sertraline 50mg; 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)				
	Serdep 50mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)				
	Zylin 50mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)				
	R260	R325	Antiepileptics: Carboxamide derivatives	Carbamazepine	Sandoz Carbamazepine 200mg
	Sandoz Carbamazepine CR 400mg				
	R460	R485	Antiepileptics: Fatty acid derivatives	Valproic acid	Convulex 150mg; 300mg; 500mg
					Convulex syrup 250mg/5ml
					Epilim CR 200mg; 300mg; 500mg
					Epilim crushable 100mg
					Epilim sugar-free syrup 200mg/5ml
	R315	R450	Antiepileptics: Other agents	Lamotrigine	Arrow Lamotrigine 50mg; 100mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Dyna-Lamotrigine 25mg; 50mg; 100mg; 200mg
					Lamidus 50mg; 100mg; 200mg
					Lamitor 50mg; 100mg; 200mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
	R90	R90	Antipsychotics: Butyrophenone derivatives	Haloperidol	Sandoz Haloperidol 1.5mg; 5mg
	R690	R980	Antipsychotics: Clozapine	Clozapine	Cloment 25mg; 100mg
	R315	R315	Antipsychotics: Lithium	Lithium	Camcolit 250mg; 400mg
					Quilonum retard 450mg
R630	R630	Antipsychotics: Olanzapine	Olanzapine	Olexar 5mg; 10mg	
				Redilanz 5mg; 10mg	
R455	R455	Antipsychotics: Phenothiazines with aliphatic side-chain	Chlorpromazine	Largactil 25mg; 50mg; 100mg	
R630	R630	Antipsychotics: Quetiapine	Quetiapine	Dopaquel 25mg; 100mg; 200mg; 300mg	
				Serez 25mg; 100mg; 200mg; 300mg	
R450	R610	Antipsychotics: Thioxanthene derivatives	Flupenthixol	Fluanxol 0.5mg; 1mg	
				Fluanxol depot 1ml 20mg	
				Fluanxol depot 2ml 40mg	

Prescribed Minimum Benefit condition	Chronic Drug Amount Priority, Core and Saver Plans	Chronic Drug Amount Executive and Comprehensive Plans	Medicine class	Active ingredient	Medicine name and strength			
Bipolar mood disorder	R445	R950	Other antipsychotics	Risperidone	Aspen Risperidone 4mg			
					Auropidone 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg; 4mg			
					DRL-Risperidone 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg			
					Perizal 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg			
					Rispacor 3mg; 4mg			
					Risperidone Hexal 3mg			
					Schizorol 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg			
Zoxadon 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg								
Bronchiectasis	R30	R30	Adrenergics: Short acting - Salbutamol	Salbutamol	Asthavent 200 dose 100mcg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Venteze cfc free 200 dose 100mcg			
	R180	R180	Inhaled anticholinergics: Ipratropium bromide	Ipratropium bromide	Atrovent HFA 200dose 20mcg			
					Ipvent HFA 200 dose 40mcg/1dose			
	R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg			
					Panafcort 5mg			
Trolic 5mg								
Cardiac failure	R110	R110	ACE inhibitors and diuretics	Enalapril and diuretics	Enap co 20/12.5mg			
					Pharmapress co 20/12.5mg			
				Lisinopril and diuretics	Adco-Zetomax co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Auro-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Diace co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisinozide 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisoretic 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisozide 20/12.5mg			
					Zestozide 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					R70	R100	ACE inhibitors, plain	Captopril
				Bio-Captopril 25mg				
	Mylan Captopril 25mg; 50mg							
	Enalapril	Alapren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
		Ciplatec 5mg; 20mg						
		Enap 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
		Envas 5mg; 10mg						
		Hr-Enalapril 10mg; 20mg						
		Pharmapess 5mg						
	Lisinopril	Austell-Lisinopril 10mg; 20mg						
		Sinopren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
	Perindopril	Acti-Prex 4mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Cipla-Perindopril 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Ciplasyl 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Pearinda 4mg; 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Ran-Perindopril 4mg						
	Quinapril	Accumax 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Quinagen 40mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						

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Cardiac failure	R190	R220	Alpha and Beta blocking agents	Carvedilol	Aspen Carvedilol 6.25mg
					Carvedilol-Hexal 6.25mg
					Carvetrend 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg
					Vediblok 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg
	R110	R120	Angiotensin II antagonists, Combinations: Losartan and diuretics	Losartan and diuretics	Lohype Forte Plus 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lohype Plus 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Losaar Plus 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lozaan Co 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Netrasol Co 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Sartoc 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					R70
					Spec-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R80	R80	Arteriolar smooth muscle agents: Hydrazino-phthalazine derivatives	Hydralazine	Hyperphen 10mg; 50mg
					Sandoz Hydralazine 25mg
	R60	R110	Beta blocking agents: selective	Bisoprolol	Adco-Bisocor 5mg; 10mg
					Bilocor 5mg; 10mg
					Bisohexal 5mg; 10mg
					Bisoprolol hexal 5mg
					Bisoprolol Unicorn 5mg; 10mg
	R15	R15	Cardiac glycosides: Digoxin	Digoxin	Lanoxin 0.0625mg; 0.25mg
					Lanoxin paed syrup 0.05mg/1ml
	R20	R40	High-ceiling diuretics	Furosemide	Beurises 40mg
					Dino-Retic 40mg
					Mylan Furosemide 40mg
	R25	R25	Low-ceiling diuretics: Thiazides, plain	Hydrochloro-thiazide	Hexazide 25mg
					Ridaq 12.5mg
R20	R20	Low-ceiling diuretics: excluding Thiazides	Indapamide	Cipla-Indapamide 2.5mg	
				Daptril 2.5mg	
				Merck-Indapamide 2.5mg	
R85	R85	Potassium sparing agents	Spironolactone	Aldactone 25mg	
				Sandoz Spironolactone 25mg	
				Spiractin 25mg	
R80	R80	Potassium supplements	Potassium chloride	Plenish K 600mg	
				Sandoz K-600 600mg	

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Cardiac failure	R160	R175	Vasodilators in cardiac disease: Organic nitrates	Glyceryl trinitrate	Angised 0.5mg			
				Isosorbide dinitrate	Sandoz Isosorbide dinitrate 5mg; 10mg; 30mg			
				Isosorbide mononitrate	Elantan 20mg			
					Elantan LA 50mg			
	R65	R65	Influenza vaccines	Influenza, inactivated, whole virus	Fluarix prefilled syringe 0.5ml			
					X-flu prefilled 0,5ml syringe			
	R130	R130	Pneumococcus vaccines	Pneumococcus, purified polysaccharides antigen conjugated	Imovax pneumo 23			
Cardiomyopathy	R110	R110	ACE inhibitors and diuretics	Enalapril and diuretics	Enap co 20/12.5mg			
					Pharmapress co 20/12.5mg			
				Lisinopril and diuretics	Adco-Zetomax co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Auro-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Diace co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisinozide 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisoretic 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisozide 20/12.5mg			
					Zestozide 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					R70	R100	ACE inhibitors: plain	Captopril
				Bio-Captopril 25mg				
				Mylan Captopril 25mg; 50mg				
	Enalapril	Alapren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
		Ciplatec 5mg; 20mg						
		Enap 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
		Envas 5mg; 10mg						
		Hr-Enalapril 10mg; 20mg						
		Pharmapress 5mg						
	Lisinopril	Austell-Lisinopril 10mg; 20mg						
		Sinopren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg						
	Perindopril	Acti-Prex 4mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Cipla-Perindopril 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Ciplasyl 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Pearinda 4mg; 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
		Ran-Perindopril 4mg						
Quinapril		Accumax 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)						
	Quinagen 40mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)							

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Cardiomyopathy	R190	R220	Alpha and Beta blocking agents	Carvedilol	Aspen Carvedilol 6.25mg
					Carvedilol-Hexal 6.25mg
					Carvetrend 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg
					Vediblok 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg
	R110	R120	Angiotensin II antagonists, Combinations: Losartan and diuretics	Losartan and diuretics	Lohype Forte Plus 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lohype Plus 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Losaar Plus 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lozaan co 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Netrasol co 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Sartoc 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R70	R100	Angiotensin II antagonists: plain	Losartan	Cipla-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Spec-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R70	R70	Antithrombotic agents: Vitamin K antagonists	Warfarin	Cipla-Warfarin 5mg
	R80	R80	Arteriolar smooth muscle agents: Hydrazino-phthalazine derivatives	Hydralazine	Hyperphen 10mg; 50mg
					Sandoz Hydralazine 25mg
	R10	R20	Aspirin	Acetylsalicylic acid	Aspirin 300mg
	R60	R110	Beta blocking agents: selective	Bisoprolol	Be-Tabs Aspirin (white) 300mg
					Gulf Aspirin 300mg
					Adco-Bisocor 5mg; 10mg
					Bilocor 5mg; 10mg
					Bisohehexal 5mg; 10mg
	R15	R15	Cardiac glycosides: Digoxin	Digoxin	Bisoprolol Hexal 5mg
					Bisoprolol Unicorn 5mg; 10mg
	R20	R40	High-ceiling diuretics	Furosemide	Lanoxin 0.0625mg; 0.25mg
					Lanoxin paed syrup 0.05mg/1ml
					Beurises 40mg
	R25	R25	Low-ceiling diuretics: Thiazides, plain	Hydrochloro-thiazide	Dino-Retic 40mg
					Mylan Furosemide 40mg
	R20	R20	Low-ceiling diuretics: excluding Thiazides	Indapamide	Hexazide 25mg
Ridaq 12.5mg					
Cipla-Indapamide 2.5mg					
R85	R85	Potassium sparing agents	Spironolactone	Daptril 2.5mg	
				Merck-Indapamide 2.5mg	
				Aldactone 25mg	
R80	R80	Potassium supplements	Potassium chloride	Sandoz Spironolactone 25mg	
				Spiractin 25mg	
R80	R80	Potassium supplements	Potassium chloride	Plenish K 600mg	
				Sandoz K-600 600mg	

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Cardiomyopathy	R160	R175	Vasodilators in cardiac disease: Organic Nitrates	Glyceryl trinitrate	Angised 0.5mg				
				Isosorbide dinitrate	Sandoz Isosorbide dinitrate 5mg; 10mg; 30mg				
				Isosorbide mononitrate	Elantan 20mg				
					Elantan LA 50mg				
	R65	R65	Influenza vaccines	Influenza, inactivated, whole virus	Fluarix prefilled syringe 0.5ml				
					X-flu prefilled 0,5ml syringe				
	R130	R130	Pneumococcus vaccines	Pneumococcus, purified polysaccharides antigen conjugated	Imovax pneumo 23				
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	R30	R30	Adrenergics: Short acting - Salbutamol	Salbutamol	Asthavent 200 dose 100mcg (Not available on KeyCare Plans) Venteze cfc free 200 dose 100mcg				
	R80	R115	Anti-asthmatics: Systemic xanthines	Theophylline	Sandoz Theophylline anhydrous 200mg; 300mg				
	R180	R180	Inhaled anticholinergics: Ipratropium bromide	Ipratropium bromide	Atrovent HFA 200dose 20mcg				
					Ipvent HFA 200 dose 40mcg/1dose				
	R800	R800	Surgical item: Oxygen concentrator	Oxygen	Oxygen concentrator				
	R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg				
					Panafcort 5mg				
Trolic 5mg									
R65	R65	Influenza vaccines	Influenza, inactivated, whole virus	Fluarix prefilled syringe 0.5ml					
				X-flu prefilled 0,5ml syringe					
Chronic renal disease	R110	R110	ACE inhibitors and diuretics	Enalapril and diuretics Lisinopril and diuretics	Enap co 20/12.5mg				
					Pharmapress co 20/12.5mg				
					Adco-Zetomax co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Auro-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Diace co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg				
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Lisinozide 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Lisoretic 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					Lisozide 20/12.5mg				
					Zestozide 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)				
					R70	R100	ACE inhibitors: plain	Captopril	Adco-Captomax 25mg; 50mg
									Bio-Captopril 25mg
	Mylan Captopril 25mg; 50mg								

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Chronic renal disease	R70	R100	ACE inhibitors: plain	Enalapril	Alapren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg
					Ciplatec 5mg; 20mg
					Enap 5mg; 10mg; 20mg
					Envas 5mg; 10mg
					Hr-Enalapril 10mg; 20mg
					Pharmapress 5mg
				Lisinopril	Austell-Lisinopril 10mg; 20mg
					Sinopren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg
				Perindopril	Acti-Prex 4mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Cipla-Perindopril 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Ciplasyl 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Pearinda 4mg; 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Ran-Perindopril 4mg
				Quinapril	Accumax 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Quinagen 40mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R110	R120	Angiotensin II antagonists, Combinations: Losartan and diuretics	Losartan and diuretics	Lohype Forte Plus 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lohype Plus 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Losaar Plus 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lozaan co 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Netrasol co 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Sartoc 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Cipla-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R70	R100	Angiotensin II antagonists: plain	Losartan	Spec-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R230	R230	Calcium supplements	Calcium carbonate	Titralac
	R5	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	Folic acid	Aha Folic acid 5mg
Be-Tabs Folic acid 5mg					
Folic acid 0.5mg					
R65	R65	Iron in combination with folic acid	Ferrous fumarate	Pregamal	
R4 000	R4000	Other antianaemic preparations	Darbepoetin Alfa	Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.4ml 10mcg/0.4ml	
				Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.5ml 20mcg/0.5ml	
				Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.3ml 30mcg/0.3ml	
				Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.4ml 40mcg/0.4ml	
				Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.5ml 50mcg/0.5ml	
				Aranesp prefilled syringe 0.3ml 60mcg/0.3ml	

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Chronic renal disease	R4 000	R4 000	Other antianaemic preparations	Erythropoietin	Eprex prefill 2000U/0.5ml
					Eprex prefill 4000U/0.4ml
					Mircera prefilled syringe 0.3ml 50mcg/0.3ml
					Mircera prefilled syringe 0.3ml 75mcg/0.3ml
					Mircera prefilled syringe 0.3ml 100mcg/0.3ml
					Mircera prefilled syringe 0.3ml 150mcg/0.3ml
					Recormon 500U/0.3ml
					Recormon 2000U pre-filled syringe
					Recormon 4000U/0.3ml
					Repotin 1ml 2000IU
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R495	R495	Vitamin D and analogues	Alfacalcidol	One alpha 0.25mcg; 1mcg	
Coronary artery disease	R10	R20	Aspirin	Acetylsalicylic acid	Aspirin 300mg
					Be-Tabs Aspirin (white) 300mg
					Gulf Aspirin 300mg
	R60	R170	Beta blocking agents: non-selective	Propranolol	Indoblok 10mg; 40mg
					Prodorol 10mg; 40mg
					Purbloka 10mg; 40mg
	R60	R110	Beta blocking agents: selective	Atenolol	B-Block 50mg; 100mg
					Bio-Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
					Sandoz Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
					Tenopress 100mg
	R170	R260	Selective calcium channel blockers with direct cardiac effects	Diltiazem	Adco-Zildem 60mg
					Adco-Zildem SR 180mg; 240mg
				Verapamil	Vasomil 40mg; 80mg
					Verahexal SR 240mg
	R125	R165	Selective calcium channel blockers with mainly vascular effects	Amlodipine	Almadin 5mg; 10mg
					Auro-Amlodipine 5mg; 10mg
					Corvadil 5mg; 10mg
					Gulf Amlodipine 5mg; 10mg
					Indo Amlodipine 5mg
					Keysal 5mg; 10mg
					Klodip 5mg
					Lomanor 5mg; 10mg
					Pharma Dynamics Amlodipine besylate 5mg; 10mg
					Felodipine
	Nifedipine	Adco-Vascard SR 20mg			
		Cipalat Retard 20mg			
		Nifedalat SR 20mg			
R160	R175	Vasodilators in cardiac disease: Organic nitrates	Glyceryl trinitrate	Angised 0.5mg	
				Isosorbide dinitrate	Sandoz Isosorbide dinitrate 5mg; 10mg; 30mg
					Isosorbide mononitrate
				Elantan LA 50mg	
Monicor SR 60mg					

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Crohn's disease	R5	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	Folic acid	Aha Folic acid 5mg
					Be-Tabs Folic acid 5mg
					Folic acid 0.5mg
	R635	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatory: Aminosalicilic acid and similar agents	Mesalazine	Asacol 400mg; 800mg
					Pentasa 500mg
					Olsalazine Dipentum 250mg
					Sulfasalazine Salazopyrin 500mg
					Salazopyrin EN 500mg
	R2 120	R2 120	Intestinal anti-inflammatory: Corticosteroids	Budesonide	Entocord enema
	R565	R565	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Azathioprine	Azathioprine	Azamun 50mg
					Azathioprine pch 50mg
	R45	R45	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Methotrexate	Methotrexate	Abitrexate (was Emthexate) 2.5mg
					Methotrexate 2.5mg
R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg	
				Panafcort 5mg	
				Trolic 5mg	
Diabetes insipidus	R1 300	R1 500	Posterior pituitary hormones: Vasopressin and analogues	Desmopressin	Ddavp 0.1mg; 0.2mg
					Ddavp nasal spray 5ml 0.1mg/1ml
Diabetes mellitus Type 1	R680	R720	Anti-diabetic agents: Insulins and analogues	Insulin	Actraphane hm(ge) - vial 10ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Apidra - cartridges 3ml; solostar disposable pens 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Biosulin 30-70 cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin I cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin n cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin r cartridge 3ml
					Humalog cartridge 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Humalog kwikpen (was mirio pen) - penset 3ml
					Humalog mix 25 kwikpen (was mirio pen) - penset 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Humalog mix 25 - cartridge 3ml; vial 10ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Humalog mix 50 - cartridge 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Humulin 30/70 - cartridge 3ml; disposable pens 3ml; vial 10ml
					Humulin n - disposable pen 3ml; vial 10ml
					Humulin r - vial 10ml
					Insuman comb 30/70 - cartridge 3ml
					Novomix 30 - flexpen 3ml; penfill 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Novorapid - penfill 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)

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Diabetes mellitus Type 1	R200	R280	Blood glucose monitoring agents	Glucose strips	Accu-chek active strips (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Caresens ii/pop test strip 29g
					Caresens n test strips 29g (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Caresens pop test strip 29g
					Glucocheck strips 50s (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Glucoplus (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Glucoplus provider strips (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Glucose test strips onetouch select (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
	R350	R350	Surgical item	Lancets	Lancets glucoplus 66 x 44 x 78mm
				Needles	Needle novofine Needle pen bd microfine 30g 8mm
Diabetes mellitus Type 2	R55	R60	Anti-diabetic agents: Biguanides	Metformin	Accord Metformin 500mg; 850mg
					Auro-Metformin 500mg; 850mg; 1000mg
					Austell-Metformin 500mg; 850mg
					Bigsens 1000mg
					Diamin 500mg; 850mg
					Gluconorm 500mg
					Metforal 500mg; 850mg
					Metored 500mg; 850mg; 1000mg
					Mylan Metformin 500mg; 850mg
					Sandoz Metformin 500mg
					Sandoz Metformin FCT 500mg
	R680	R720	Anti-diabetic agents: Insulins and analogues	Insulin	Actraphane hm(ge) - vial 10ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Apidra - cartridges 3ml; solostar disposable pens 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Biosulin 30-70 cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin I cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin n cartridge 3ml
					Biosulin r cartridge 3ml
					Humalog cartridge 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Humalog kwikpen (was mirio pen) - penset 3ml Humalog mix 25 kwikpen (was mirio pen) - penset 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
Humalog mix 25 - cartridge 3ml; vial 10ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)					
Humalog mix 50 - cartridge 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)					
Humulin 30/70 - cartridge 3ml; disposable pens 3ml; vial 10ml					
Humulin n - disposable pen 3ml; vial 10ml					
Humulin r - vial 10ml					
Insuman comb 30/70 - cartridge 3ml					
Novomix 30 - flexpen 3ml; penfill 3ml (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)					
Novorapid - penfill 3ml (Not available on KeyCare Plans)					

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Diabetes mellitus Type 2	R100	R100	Anti-diabetic agents: Sulfonamides, urea derivatives	Glibenclamide	Bio-Glibenclamide	5mg
					Diacare	5mg
					Glycomin	5mg
					Sandoz Glibenclamide	5mg
				Gliclazide	Adco-Glucomed	80mg
					Arrow Gliclazide	80mg
					Austell-Gliclazide	80mg
					Diagluclide	80mg
					Diagluclide mr	30mg
					(Not available on KeyCare Plans)	
	Glygard	80mg				
	Sandoz Gliclazide	80mg				
	R145	R170	Anti-diabetic agents: Thiazolidinediones	Pioglitazone	Cipla-Pioglitazone	15mg; 30mg
	R200	R280	Blood glucose monitoring agents	Glucose strips	Accu-check active strips	(Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Caresens ii/pop test strip 29g	
					Caresens n test strips 29g	(Not available on KeyCare Plans)
Caresens pop test strip 29g						
Glucocheck strips 50s					(Not available on KeyCare Plans)	
Glucoplus					(Not available on KeyCare Plans)	
Glucoplus provider strips					(Not available on KeyCare Plans)	
Glucose test strips onetouch select					(Not available on KeyCare Plans)	
R350	R350	Surgical item	Lancets	Lancets glucoplus 66 x 44 x 78mm		
			Needles	Needle novofine		
				Needle pen bd microfine 30g 8mm		
Dysrhythmias	R500	R600	Anti-arrhythmics: class Ic	Flecainide	Tambacor	100mg
				Propafenone	Rythmol	150mg; 300mg
	R360	R360	Anti-arrhythmics: class III - Amiodarone	Amiodarone	Arycor	100mg; 200mg
					Bio-Amiodarone	200mg
					Hexarone	100mg; 200mg
	R70	R70	Antithrombotic agents: Vitamin K antagonists	Warfarin	Cipla-Warfarin	5mg
	R10	R20	Aspirin	Acetylsalicylic acid	Aspirin	300mg
					Be-Tabs Aspirin (white)	300mg
Gulf Aspirin					300mg	

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Dysrhythmias	R60	R170	Beta blocking agents: non-selective	Propranolol	Indoblok 10mg; 40mg
					Prodorol 10mg; 40mg
					Purbloka 10mg; 40mg
				Sotalol	Sotahexal 80mg; 160mg
	R60	R110	Beta blocking agents: selective	Atenolol	B-Block 50mg; 100mg
					Bio-Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
					Sandoz Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
	Tenopress 100mg				
	R15	R15	Cardiac glycosides: Digoxin	Digoxin	Lanoxin 0.0625mg; 0.25mg
					Lanoxin paed syrup 0.05mg/1ml
R170	R260	Selective calcium channel blockers with direct cardiac effects	Verapamil	Vasomil 40mg; 80mg	
				Verahexal SR 240mg	
Epilepsy	R165	R250	Antiepileptics: Benzodiazepine derivatives	Clonazepam	Rivotril 0.5mg; 2mg
	R260	R325	Antiepileptics: Carboxamide derivatives	Carbamazepine	Sandoz Carbamazepine 200mg
					Sandoz Carbamazepine CR 400mg
	R460	R485	Antiepileptics: Fatty acid derivatives	Valproic acid	Convulex 150mg; 300mg; 500mg
					Convulex syrup 250mg/5ml
					Epilim CR 200mg; 300mg; 500mg
					Epilim crushable 100mg
	R60	R60	Antiepileptics: Hydantoin derivatives	Phenytoin	Epilim sugar-free syrup 200mg/5ml
					Phenytoin sod 100mg
	R315	R450	Antiepileptics: Other agents	Lamotrigine	Arrow Lamotrigine 50mg; 100mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Dyna-Lamotrigine 25mg; 50mg; 100mg; 200mg
					Lamidus 50mg; 100mg; 200mg
Lamitor 50mg; 100mg; 200mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)					
R25	R25	Antiepileptics: Barbiturates and derivatives	Phenobarbital	Lethyl 30mg	
				Sedabarb 30mg	
Glaucoma	R160	R160	Antiglaucoma agents: Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors	Dorzolamide	Trusopt - 5ml owi 2%
	R210	R210	Antiglaucoma agents: Prostaglandin analogues	Bimatoprost	Lumigan 3ml 0,03%
				Latanoprost	Ocuprost 3ml 50mcg/1ml
	R235	R235	Antiglaucoma agents: Sympathomimetics	Brimonidine	Alphagan purite - 5ml 1.5mg/1ml
R75	R75	Antiglaucoma Beta blocking agents: Timolol	Timolol	Glaucosan - 5ml 0.5%	

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Glaucoma	R225	R235	Antiglaucoma Beta blocking agents: Timolol, combinations	Timolol, combinations	Combigan - 5ml 2mg/5mg
					Cosopt - 5ml 0.5%
					Ganfort 3ml
Haemophilia	R5	R5	Analgesics: Paracetamol	Paracetamol	Adco-Napamol 500mg
	R515	R515	Antifibrinolytics : Amino acids	Tranexamic acid	Tranexamic acid medwich 500mg
	R32 900	R32 900	Blood coagulation factors	Coagulation factor IX, II, VII and X in combination	Haemosolvex IX 500U
				Coagulation factor VIII	Haemosolvate VIII 300U; 500U; 1000U
	R1 300	R1 500	Posterior pituitary hormones: Vasopressin and analogues	Desmopressin	Ddavn 0.1mg; 0.2mg
					Ddavn nasal spray 5ml 0.1mg/1ml
Hyperlipidaemia	R235	R235	Lipid modifying agents: Fibrates	Bezafibrate	Dyna-Bezafibrate SR 400mg
					Sandoz Bezafibrate 400mg
	R45	R110	Lipid modifying agents: Statins	Atorvastatin	Atorvastatin Unicorn 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Lipogen 10mg; 20mg; 40mg; 80mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
				Simvastatin	Adco-Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Aspen Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Austell-Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg
					Biovac Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Choleste 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Cipla-Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg; 80mg
					Cipla-Simvastatin 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Michol 80mg
					Redicor 10mg; 20mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Redicor 40mg
					Simayla Simvastatin 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
					Simvacor 10mg; 20mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)
Simvacor 40mg					
Simvotin 10mg; 20mg; 40mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)					
Simzor 10mg; 20mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)					
Simzor 40mg					
Zysim 10mg; 20mg; 40mg; 80mg					

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Hypertension	R110	R110	ACE inhibitors and diuretics	Enalapril and diuretics	Enap co 20/12.5mg			
					Pharmapress co 20/12.5mg			
				Lisinopril and diuretics	Adco-Zetomax co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Auro-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Diace co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 10/12.5mg			
					Hexal-Lisinopril co 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisinozide 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisoretic 10/12.5mg; 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)			
					Lisozide 20/12.5mg			
	Zestozide 20/12.5mg (Not available on KeyCare Plans)							
	R70	R100	ACE inhibitors: plain	Captopril	Adco-Captomax 25mg; 50mg			
					Bio-Captopril 25mg			
					Mylan Captopril 25mg; 50mg			
				Enalapril	Alapren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg			
					Ciplatec 5mg; 20mg			
					Enap 5mg; 10mg; 20mg			
					Envas 5mg; 10mg			
					Hr-Enalapril 10mg; 20mg			
					Pharmapress 5mg			
				Lisinopril	Austell-Lisinopril 10mg; 20mg			
					Sinopren 5mg; 10mg; 20mg			
				Perindopril	Acti-Prex 4mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Cipla-Perindopril 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Ciplasyl 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Pearinda 4mg; 8mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Ran-Perindopril 4mg			
				Quinapril	Accumax 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Quinagen 40mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
				R190	R220	Alpha and Beta blocking agents	Carvedilol	Aspen Carvedilol 6.25mg
								Carvedilol-Hexal 6.25mg
	Carvetrend 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg							
	Vediblok 6.25mg; 12.5mg; 25mg							
	R110	R120	Angiotensin II antagonists, Combinations: Losartan and diuretics	Losartan and diuretics	Lohype Forte Plus 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Lohype Plus 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Losaar Plus 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
					Lozaan co 50/12.5mg; 100/25mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)			
Netrasol co 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)								
Sartoc 50/12.5mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)								

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Hypertension	R70	R100	Angiotensin II antagonists: Plain	Losartan	Cipla-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Spec-Losartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zartan 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
	R125	R125	Antiadrenergic agents: Alpha-adrenoreceptor antagonists	Doxazosin	Adco-Doxazosin 4mg
					Cardugen 1mg; 4mg
	R120	R120	Antiadrenergic agents: Methyldopa	Methyldopa	Hypotone 250mg
					Mylan Methyldopa 250mg
					Sandoz Methyldopa 250mg
	R25	R25	Antiadrenergic agents: Rauwolfia alkaloids	Reserpine	Reserpine 0.25mg
	R80	R80	Arteriolar smooth muscle agents: Hydrazino-phthalazine derivatives	Hydralazine	Hyperphen 10mg; 50mg
					Sandoz Hydralazine 25mg
	R60	R170	Beta blocking agents: non-selective	Propranolol	Indoblok 10mg; 40mg
					Prodorol 10mg; 40mg
					Purbloka 10mg; 40mg
	R60	R110	Beta blocking agents: selective	Atenolol	B-Block 50mg; 100mg
					Bio-Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
					Sandoz Atenolol 50mg; 100mg
					Tenopress 100mg
	R20	R40	High-ceiling diuretics	Furosemide	Beurises 40mg
					Dino-Retic 40mg
					Mylan Furosemide 40mg
	R25	R25	Low-ceiling diuretics: Thiazides, plain	Hydrochloro-thiazide	Hexazide 25mg
					Ridaq 12.5mg
	R20	R20	Low-ceiling diuretics: excluding Thiazides	Indapamide	Cipla-Indapamide 2.5mg
					Daptril 2.5mg
					Merck-Indapamide 2.5mg
	R85	R85	Potassium sparing agents	Spironolactone	Aldactone 25mg
					Sandoz Spironolactone 25mg
					Spiractin 25mg
	R80	R80	Potassium supplements	Potassium chloride	Plenish K 600mg
					Sandoz K-600 600mg
	R170	R260	Selective calcium channel blockers with direct cardiac effects	Diltiazem	Adco-Zildem 60mg
Adco-Zildem SR 180mg; 240mg					
Verapamil				Vasomil 40mg; 80mg	
	Verahexal SR 240mg				
R125	R165	Selective calcium channel blockers with mainly vascular effects	Amlodipine	Almadin 5mg; 10mg	
				Auro-Amlodipine 5mg; 10mg	
				Corvadil 5mg; 10mg	
				Gulf Amlodipine 5mg; 10mg	
				Indo Amlodipine 5mg	
				Keysal 5mg; 10mg	
				Klodip 5mg	
				Lomanor 5mg; 10mg	
Pharma Dynamics Amlodipine besylate 5mg; 10mg					

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Hypertension	R125	R165	Selective calcium channel blockers with mainly vascular effects	Felodipine	Felodipine-Hexal 5mg; 10mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)				
				Nifedipine	Adco-Vascard SR 20mg				
					Cipalat Retard 20mg				
					Nifedalat SR 20mg				
Hypothyroidism	R50	R50	Thyroid hormones	Levothyroxine sodium	Eltroxin 0.05mg; 0.1mg Euthyrox 0.025mg; 0.05mg; 0.1mg				
				Multiple sclerosis	R65	R65	Antidepressants : Tricyclics	Amitriptyline	Sandoz Amitriptyline 25mg Trepiline 10mg
R9 800	R9 800	Interferons	Interferon beta-1a					Avonex pre-filled syringe 30mcg Rebif 22 pre-filled syringe 0.5ml 44mcg/1ml Rebif 44 pre-filled syringe 0.5ml 88mcg/1ml	
					Interferon beta-1b	Betaferon pre-filled syringe 1ml 960000u/1ml			
			R960		R960	Muscle relaxants: Other centrally acting agents	Baclofen	Bio-Baclofen 10mg Teva Baclofen 10mg	
R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone						Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg Panafcort 5mg Trolic 5mg
			R120		R160	Urinary antispasmodics	Oxybutynin		Lenditro 5mg Mylan Oxybutynin 5mg
									Parkinson's disease
R360	R635	Dopamine agonists	Ropinirole	Resure 0.25mg; 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 5mg					
				R570	R570	Dopaminergic agents: Monoamine oxidase B inhibitors: Selegiline	Selegiline	Parkilyne 5mg	
R605	R660	Levodopa and decarboxylase inhibitor	Levodopa and decarboxylase inhibitor					Carbilev 25/100mg; 25/250mg Sinemet 25/100mg; 25/250mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans) Teva Carbi-Levo 25/100mg; 25/250mg	
				Rheumatoid arthritis	R45	R50	Anti-inflammatory agents: Acetic acid derivatives and related substances	Diclofenac	Adco-Diclofenac 50mg A-Lennon Diclofenac 25mg; 50mg Mylan Diclofenac 25mg; 50mg Panamor AT 50mg
									Indomethacin
R50	R65	Anti-inflammatory agents: Oxicams	Meloxicam						
									Piroxicam

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Rheumatoid arthritis	R25	R25	Anti-inflammatory agents: Propionic acid derivatives	Ibuprofen	Betaprofen 200mg
					Ibunate 200mg
					Ranfen 400mg
	R80	R80	Anti-rheumatic agents: Chloroquine	Chloroquine	Plasmoquine 200mg
	R5	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	Folic acid	Aha Folic acid 5mg
					Be-Tabs Folic acid 5mg
					Folic acid 0.5mg
	R635	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatories: Aminosalicic acid and similar agents	Sulfasalazine	Salazopyrin 500mg
					Salazopyrin EN 500mg
	R565	R565	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Azathioprine	Azathioprine	Azamun 50mg
					Azathioprine pch 50mg
	R45	R45	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Methotrexate	Methotrexate	Abitrexate (was Emthexate) 2.5mg
					Methotrexate 2.5mg
	R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg
Panafcort 5mg					
Trolic 5mg					
Schizophrenia	R115	R310	Anti-depressants: SSRIs	Citalopram	Arrow Citalopram 20mg; 40mg
					Auro-Citalopram 20mg
					Citalohexal 20mg
					Citalopram-Winthrop 20mg
					Depramil 40mg
				Escitalopram	Aspen Escitalopram 10mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Citraz 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zytomil 10mg; 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
				Fluoxetine	A-Lennon Fluoxetine 20mg
					Ranflocs 20mg
					Rezак 20mg
					Zydus Fluoxetine 20mg
				Paroxetine	Serrapress 20mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
				Sertraline	Apex-Sertraline 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Austell Sertraline 50mg; 100mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Serdep 50mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)
					Zylin 50mg (Only Executive and Comprehensive Plans)

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Schizophrenia	R260	R325	Antiepileptics: Carboxamide derivatives	Carbamazepine	Sandoz Carbamazepine 200mg
					Sandoz Carbamazepine CR 400mg
	R90	R90	Antipsychotics: Butyrophenone derivatives	Haloperidol	Sandoz Haloperidol 1.5mg; 5mg
	R690	R980	Antipsychotics: Clozapine	Clozapine	Cloment 25mg; 100mg
	R630	R630	Antipsychotics: Olanzapine	Olanzapine	Olexar 5mg; 10mg
					Redilanz 5mg; 10mg
	R455	R455	Antipsychotics: Phenothiazines with aliphatic side-chain	Chlorpromazine	Largactil 25mg; 50mg; 100mg
	R630	R630	Antipsychotics: Quetiapine	Quetiapine	Dopaquel 25mg; 100mg; 200mg; 300mg Serez 25mg; 100mg; 200mg; 300mg
	R450	R610	Antipsychotics: Thioxanthene derivatives	Flupenthixol	Fluanxol 0.5mg; 1mg
					Fluanxol depot 1ml 20mg
					Fluanxol depot 2ml 40mg
	R445	R950	Other antipsychotics	Risperidone	Aspen Risperidone 4mg
					Auropidone 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg; 4mg
					DRL-Risperidone 0,5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg
Perizal 0,5mg; 1mg; 2mg; 3mg					
Rispacor 3mg; 4mg					
Risperidone Hexal 3mg					
Schizorol 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg					
Zoxadon 0.5mg; 1mg; 2mg					
Systemic lupus erythematosus	R45	R50	Anti-inflammatory agents: Acetic acid derivatives and related substances	Diclofenac	Adco-Diclofenac 50mg
					A-Lennon Diclofenac 25mg; 50mg
					Mylan Diclofenac 25mg; 50mg
				Indomethacin	Betacin 25mg
					Gulf Indomethacin 25mg
					Meloxicam
	Flexocam 7.5mg				
	Piroxicam	Pyrocaps 20mg			
		Roxifen 20mg			
	R25	R25	Anti-inflammatory agents: Propionic acid derivatives	Ibuprofen	Betaprofen 200mg
					Ibunate 200mg
					Ranfen 400mg
	R80	R80	Anti-rheumatic agents: Chloroquine	Chloroquine	Plasmoquine 200mg
	R70	R70	Antithrombotic agents: Vitamin K antagonists	Warfarin	Cipla-Warfarin 5mg
	R10	R20	Aspirin	Acetylsalicylic acid	Aspirin 300mg
					Be-Tabs Aspirin (white) 300mg
Gulf Aspirin 300mg					
R30	R30	Emollients and protectives: Zinc products	Zinc products	Zinc ointment bp	

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Systemic lupus erythematosus	R5	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	Folic acid	Aha Folic acid 5mg
					Be-Tabs Folic acid 5mg
					Folic acid 0.5mg
	R565	R565	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Azathioprine	Azathioprine	Azamun 50mg
					Azathioprine pch 50mg
	R45	R45	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Methotrexate	Methotrexate	Abitrexate (was Emthexate) 2.5mg
					Methotrexate 2.5mg
	R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg
					Panafcort 5mg
					Trolic 5mg
R25	R30	Topical corticosteroids: Group III	Betamethasone	Topivate 0.1% cream	
				Vari-Betamethasone 0.1% cream	
Ulcerative colitis	R5	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	Folic acid	Aha Folic acid 5mg
					Be-Tabs Folic acid 5mg
					Folic acid 0.5mg
	R635	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatories: Aminosalicic acid and similar agents	Mesalazine	Asacol 400mg; 800mg
					Pentasa 500mg
				Olsalazine	Dipentum 250mg
				Sulfasalazine	Salazopyrin 500mg
	R2 120	R2 120	Intestinal anti-inflammatories: Corticosteroids	Budesonide	Entocord enema
	R565	R565	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Azathioprine	Azathioprine	Azamun 50mg
					Azathioprine pch 50mg
	R45	R45	Other immuno-suppressive agents: Methotrexate	Methotrexate	Abitrexate (was Emthexate) 2.5mg
					Methotrexate 2.5mg
	R10	R10	Systemic corticosteroids: Prednisone	Prednisone	Be-Tabs Prednisone 5mg
Panafcort 5mg					
Trolic 5mg					

Chronic Drug Amounts for Executive and Comprehensive Plans

These Chronic Drug Amounts apply to the Executive and Comprehensive Plans for non-CDL conditions.

* denotes medicine classes that have more than one CDA value.

Non-CDL condition	CDA Executive and Comp Plans	Medicine class	Multiple CDA Classes
Ankylosing Spondylitis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatories	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R4000	Other immunosuppressant agents	
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Behcet's Disease	R565	Azathioprine	
	R250	Cyclophosphamide	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R4000	Other immunosuppressant agents	
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Connective Tissue Disorder (Mixed)	R565	Azathioprine	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Cushings Syndrome	R105	Mineralocorticoids	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Cystic Fibrosis	R200	Antibacterials	
	R750	Antimycotics	
	R30	Beta-2 agonists	
	R5500	Digestive enzymes	
	R315	Laxatives	
	R355	Long acting beta-2 agonists	
	R350	Mucolytics	
	R650	Nutritional supplementation	
	R200	Calcium supplements	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
	R100	Saline for nebulisation	
	R110	Vitamins	
	R310	Inhaled Glucocorticoids	
	R200	Calcium supplements	
	R170	Proton pump inhibitors	
Delusional Disorder	R285	Anticholinergics	
	R1500	Antipsychotics	
	R740	MAOI	
	R720	Other antidepressants	
	R310	SSRI	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	

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Dermato-polymyositis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R4000	Other immunosuppressant agents	
	R80	Potassium supplements	
	Generalised Anxiety Disorder	R740	MAOI
R720		Other antidepressants	
R310		SSRI	
R65		Tricyclic antidepressants	
R150		Anxiolytics - Azaspirodecanedione derivatives	
Huntington's Disease	R1500	Antipsychotics	
	R325	Carboxamide derivatives	
	R485	Fatty acid derivatives	
	R60	Hydantoin derivatives	
	R315	Lithium	
	R740	MAOI	
	R720	Other antidepressants	
	R450	Other antiepileptics	
	R310	SSRI	
	R490	Succinimide derivatives	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
	R285	Anticholinergics	
	R25	Antiadrenergic agents - Rauwolfia alkaloids	
Hypoparathyroidism	R230	Calcium supplements	
	R495	Vitamin D supplements	
Major Depression	R325	Carboxamide derivatives	
	R485	Fatty acid derivatives	
	R60	Hydantoin derivatives	
	R315	Lithium	
	R740	MAOI	
	R720	Other antidepressants	
	R450	Other antiepileptics	
	R310	SSRI	
	R490	Succinimide derivatives	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
Motor neuron disease	R250	Benzodiazepine derivatives	
	R960	Centrally acting muscle relaxants	
	R4500	Riluzole	
Muscular Dystrophy and other inherited myopathies	R250	Benzodiazepine derivatives	
	R960	Centrally acting muscle relaxants	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	

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Myasthenia Gravis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R1300	Cholinergics	
	R250	Cyclophosphamide	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R4000	Other immunosuppressant agents	
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Obsessive compulsive Disorder	R60	Hydantoin derivatives	
	R315	Lithium	
	R740	MAOI	
	R720	Other antidepressants	
	R310	SSRI	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
Organ Transplantation		Per Approved Treatment Plan	
Osteoporosis	R280	Biphosphonates	
	R505	Calcitonin	
	R485	SERM's	
	R280	Strontium	
Paget's disease	R280	Biphosphonates	
Panic Disorder	R740	MAOI	
	R720	Other antidepressants	
	R310	SSRI	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
Paraplegia	R200	Antibacterials	
	R285	Anticholinergics	
	R20	Aspirin	
	R960	Centrally acting muscle relaxants	
	R80	H2 receptor antagonists	
	R315	Laxatives	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R170	Proton pump inhibitors	
	R1000	Stoma products	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
	R70	Warfarin	
Pemphigus	R565	Azathioprine	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
Peripheral Atherosclerotic Disease	R20	Aspirin	
	R260	Calcium channel blockers	
	R20	Dipyridamole	
	R70	Warfarin	
	R190	Antithrombotic Agents-Clopidogrel	
Pituitary Microadenomas	R1000	Dopamine agonists	
	R24000	Growth hormone release inhibitor	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	

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Polyarteritis Nodosa	R565	Azathioprine	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatories	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder	R740	MAOI
R720		Other antidepressants	
R310		SSRI	
R65		Tricyclic antidepressants	
R1500		Antipsychotics	
Psoriatic arthritis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R900	Intestinal anti-inflammatories	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
Pulmonary Interstitial Fibrosis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R30	Beta-2 agonists	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R250	Cyclophosphamide	
	R10	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R180	Inhaled anticholinergics	
	R310	Inhaled corticosteroids	
	R355	Long acting beta-2 agonists	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R80	Potassium supplements	
R200	Antibacterial Agents, systemic		
Quadriplegia	R200	Antibacterials	
	R285	Anticholinergics	
	R20	Aspirin	
	R960	Centrally acting muscle relaxants	
	R80	H2 receptor antagonists	
	R315	Laxatives	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R170	Proton pump inhibitors	
	R1000	Stoma products	
	R65	Tricyclic antidepressants	
Stroke	R20	Aspirin	
	R20	Dipyridamole	
	R70	Warfarin	
	R190	Antithrombotic Agents-Clopidogrel	

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Systemic Sclerosis	R565	Azathioprine	
	R260	Calcium channel blockers	
	R80	Chloroquine	
	R250	Cyclophosphamide	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R1685	Mercaptopurine	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R300	Non steroidal anti-inflammatories	*
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
	R1300	Penicillamine	
	R80	Potassium supplements	
R170	Proton pump inhibitors		
Thrombocytopaenia Purpura	R565	Azathioprine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
Valvular Heart Disease	R80	Potassium supplements	
	R600	Antiarrhythmics; class ic	
	R360	Antiarrhythmics; class iii	
	R20	Aspirin	
	R130	Beta blockers and combinations	
	R260	Calcium channel blockers	
	R15	Digoxin	
	R70	Warfarin	
Wegener's Granulomatosis	R200	Antibacterial Agents, systemic	
	R565	Azathioprine	
	R5	Folic acid and derivatives	
	R45	Methotrexate	
	R180	Oral corticosteroids	*
R80	Potassium supplements	*	