

**Clinical Update for Medicare Part D**
**April 2014**
**Formulary Changes  
Ideal Formulary**

Ideal FORMULARY UPDATES								
TRADE NAME (generic name) or generic name	Brand/ Generic Product	Effective Date	Nature of Change	Description of Change				Drug Alternative
				Ideal 3 tier	Ideal 4 tier w/ Specialty	Ideal 4 tier w/o Specialty	Ideal 5 tier w/ Specialty	
griseofulvin microsize tabs, 500 mg	Generic	1/1/14	Addition	Tier 1.	Tier 1.	Tier 2.	Tier 2.	Not applicable
ERWINAZE (asparaginase Erwinia chrysanthemi) for inj, 10,000 units	Brand	3/1/14	Addition	Tier 3.	Tier 4.	Tier 4.	Tier 5.	Not applicable
APTIOM (eslicarbazepine) tabs, 200 mg, 400 mg, 600 mg, 800 mg	Brand	3/2/14	Addition	Tier 3.	Tier 3.	Tier 4.	Tier 4.	Not applicable
KUVAN (sapropterin) oral powder, 100 mg	Brand	3/9/14	Addition	Tier 3. Prior authorization applies.	Tier 4. Prior authorization applies.	Tier 4. Prior authorization applies.	Tier 5. Prior authorization applies.	Not applicable
telmisartan/ hydrochlorothiazide tabs, 40-12.5 mg, 80-12.5 mg, 80-25 mg	Generic	3/9/14	Addition	Tier 1. Quantity limits apply. First generic for Micardis HCT.	Tier 1. Quantity limits apply. First generic for Micardis HCT.	Tier 2. Quantity limits apply. First generic for Micardis HCT.	Tier 2. Quantity limits apply. First generic for Micardis HCT.	Not applicable
ibandronate inj, 3 mg/3 mL	Generic	3/16/14	Addition	Tier 1. First generic for Boniva inj.	Tier 1. First generic for Boniva inj.	Tier 2. First generic for Boniva inj.	Tier 2. First generic for Boniva inj.	Not applicable
naloxone inj, 0.4 mg/mL	Generic	3/16/14	Cost Share Reduction	Change to Tier 1 (was 3).	Change to Tier 1 (was 3).	Change to Tier 2 (was 4).	Change to Tier 2 (was 4).	Not applicable

atovaquone susp, 750 mg/5 mL	Generic	3/23/14	Addition	Tier 1. First generic for Mepron.	Tier 4. First generic for Mepron.	Tier 2. First generic for Mepron.	Tier 5. First generic for Mepron.	Not applicable
allopurinol for inj, 500 mg	Generic	6/23/14	Removal	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Consult Prescriber
AZATHIOPRINE for inj, 100 mg	Brand	6/23/14	Removal	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Manufacturer has discontinued marketing this drug.	Consult Prescriber

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