

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas National/Select Formulary Updates

January 2025

TRADE NAME (generic name)	Brand/Generic Product	Effective Date	Description of Change
ACTEMRA (tocilizumab subcutaneous soln prefilled syringe 162 mg/0.9ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Removal
ACTEMRA ACTPEN (tocilizumab subcutaneous soln auto-injector 162 mg/0.9ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Removal
ADALIMUMAB-AATY 1-PEN KIT (adalimumab-aaty auto-injector kit 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-AATY 1-PEN KIT (adalimumab-aaty auto-injector kit 80 mg/0.8ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-AATY 2-PEN KIT (adalimumab-aaty auto-injector kit 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-AATY 2-SYRINGE KIT (adalimumab-aaty prefilled syringe kit 20 mg/0.2ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-AATY 2-SYRINGE KIT (adalimumab-aaty prefilled syringe kit 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-ADAZ (adalimumab-adaz soln auto-injector 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ADALIMUMAB-ADAZ (adalimumab-adaz soln prefilled syringe 40 mg/0.4ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
CAPTAPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (captopril & hydrochlorothiazide tab 25-15 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Removal
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CAPTAPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (captopril & hydrochlorothiazide tab 50-15 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Removal
CAPTAPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE (captopril & hydrochlorothiazide tab 50-25 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Removal
COMIRNATY 2024-25 (covid-19 mrna vac tris-pfizer im susp pref syr 30 mcg/0.3ml)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
CONTOUR PLUS BLOOD GLUCOSE TEST STRIPS (glucose blood test strip)	Brand	7/28/24	Addition
CORLANOR (ivabradine hcl tab 5 mg (base equiv))	Brand	10/1/24	Removal, generics available
CORLANOR (ivabradine hcl tab 7.5 mg (base equiv))	Brand	10/1/24	Removal, generics available
ENTYVIO PEN (vedolizumab soln auto-injector 108 mg/0.68ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
ESTROGEL (estradiol gel 0.06% (0.75 mg/1.25 gm metered-dose pump))	Brand	10/1/24	Removal, generics available
FABHALTA (iptacopan hcl cap 200 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
FLUBLOK 2024-2025 (influenza virus vacc recombinant ha pf soln pref syr 0.5 ml)	Brand	7/21/24	Addition
FLUMIST NASAL VACCINE 2024-2025 (influenza virus vaccine live intranasal liquid)	Brand	8/11/24	Addition
FLUZONE 2024-2025 (influenza virus vaccine split im susp)	Brand	7/21/24	Addition
FLUZONE 2024-2025 (influenza virus vaccine split pf susp pref syringe 0.5 ml)	Brand	7/21/24	Addition
FLUZONE HIGH-DOSE 2024-2025 (influenza virus vac split high-dose pf susp pref syr 0.5ml)	Brand	7/21/24	Addition
FREESTYLE LIBRE 2 PLUS/SENOSR/FLASH GLUCOSE MONITOR SYSTEM (*continuous glucose system sensor***)	Brand	10/6/24	Addition
KERENDIA (finerenone tab 10 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
KERENDIA (finerenone tab 20 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
MODERNA COVID-19 VACCINE/6MO-11Y/2024-25 (covid-19 mrna vac 6mo-11yr-moderna im susp pfs 25 mcg/0.25ml)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
MYHIBBIN (mycophenolate mofetil oral susp 200 mg/ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
NOVAVAX COVID-19 VACCINE/2024-25 (covid-19 subunit vacc-novavax im susp pref syr 5 mcg/0.5ml)	Brand	9/5/24	Addition
OMNIPOD 5 LIBRE2 PLUS G6 (insulin infusion disposable pump kit)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
OMNIPOD 5 LIBRE2 PLUS G6 PODS (insulin infusion disposable pump reservoir)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz subcutaneous sol prefill syringe 100 mg/ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz subcutaneous soln auto-injector 100 mg/ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
OTEZLA (apremilast tab 20 mg)	Brand	8/4/24	Addition
OTEZLA (apremilast tab starter therapy pack 4 x 10 mg & 51 x 20 mg)	Brand	8/4/24	Addition
PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19VACCINE/5-11Y/2024-25 (covid-19 mrna vac tris-s 5-11y-pfizer im susp 10 mcg/0.3ml)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition

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PFIZER-BIONTECH COVID-19VACCINE/6MO-4Y/2024-25 (covid-19 mrna vac tris-s 6mo-4y-pfizer im susp 3 mcg/0.3ml)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
RETEVMO (selpercatinib tab 120 mg)	Brand	8/11/24	Addition
RETEVMO (selpercatinib tab 160 mg)	Brand	8/11/24	Addition
RETEVMO (selpercatinib tab 40 mg)	Brand	8/11/24	Addition
RETEVMO (selpercatinib tab 80 mg)	Brand	8/11/24	Addition
REXTOVY (naloxone hcl nasal spray 4 mg/0.25ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
SOTYKTU (deucravacitinib tab 6 mg)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
SPIKEVAX COVID-19 VACCINE/2024-25 (covid-19 mrna vaccine-moderna im susp pref syr 50 mcg/0.5ml)	Brand	8/25/24	Addition
TYENNE (tocilizumab-aazg subcutaneous soln auto-inj 162 mg/0.9ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
TYENNE (tocilizumab-aazg subcutaneous soln pref syr 162 mg/0.9ml)	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
VELTASSA (patiomer sorbitex calcium for susp packet 1 gm (base eq))	Brand	9/15/24	Addition
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 1.5 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 3 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 4.5 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	1/1/25	Addition
VRAYLAR (cariprazine hcl cap 6 mg (base equivalent))	Brand	1/1/25	Addition