

Specialty pharmacy drug list

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BriovaRx[®], the OptumRx[®] specialty pharmacy, provides comprehensive support services, including access to pharmacists around the clock, for high-cost oral and injectable medications used to treat rare and complex conditions. In addition, your medications will be shipped to you at no extra cost.

Characteristics of specialty medications

“Specialty” medications are defined as high-cost oral or injectable medications used to treat rare and complex conditions. These are highly complex medications, typically biology-based, that structurally mimic compounds found within the body. Medications must have at least one of the following characteristics in order to be classified as a specialty medication by BrioRx.

High cost

- Typically priced at more than \$1,000 per 30-day supply.

High complexity

- Biotechnology products[†]
- Medications that treat ultra rare conditions
- Medications that are included in a specialty therapeutic drug class strategy

High-touch medications that require:




- Temperature control or other special handling and shipping requirements (e.g., refrigerated or frozen shipping)
- Ongoing management by a pharmacist and/or physician specializing in treating the condition
- Focused, in-depth education including how to administer injections, adhere to the treatment protocol, and manage side effects

[†] Protein or protein-based molecular entities

What are tiers?

Tiers are the different cost levels you pay for a medication. Each tier is assigned a cost, which is determined by your employer or plan sponsor. This is how much you will pay when you fill a prescription. Tier 1 medications are your lowest-cost options. If your medication is placed in Tier 2 or 3, look to see if there is a Tier 1 option available. Discuss these options with your doctor.

Check your benefit plan documents to find out your specific pharmacy plan costs.

\$	Drug Tier	Includes	Helpful Tips
	Tier 1 Lowest Cost	Lower-cost, commonly used generic drugs. Some low-cost brands may be included.	Use Tier 1 drugs for the lowest out-of-pocket costs.
	Tier 2 Mid-range Cost	Many common brand-name drugs, called preferred brands.	Use Tier 2 drugs, instead of Tier 3, to help reduce your out-of-pocket costs.
	Tier 3 Highest Cost	Mostly higher-cost brand drugs, also known as non-preferred brands.	Many Tier 3 drugs have lower-cost options in Tier 1 or 2. Ask your doctor if they could work for you.

Please note: Some plans may have two or four tiers, while others may not have any. If you have a high deductible plan, the tier cost levels will apply once you hit your deductible. Refer to your enrollment and plan materials on [optumrx.com](https://www.optumrx.com), or call the toll-free member phone number of the back of your ID card for more information about your benefit plan.

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Alpha-1

Tier 3

Glassia ^{PA}

Ammonia Detoxicants

Tier 3

Ravicti ^{PA}

Anti Gout

Tier 3

Krystexxa ^{PA}

Anti seizure

Tier 3

Sabril ^{PA}

Antilipemic agents

Tier 3

Juxtapid ^{PA}

Kynamro ^{PA}

Repatha ^{PA}

Antiviral

Tier 1

Adefov Dipiv

Ribatab ^{PA}

Ribavirin ^{PA}

Tier 2

Actimmune

Alferon N

Daklinza ^{PA}

Epivir HBV SOL

Harvoni ^{PA}

Pegasys ^{PA}

Sovaldi ^{PA}

Synagis ^{PA}

Tier 3

Baraclude

Copegus ^{PA}

Epclusa ^{PA}

Epivir HBV TAB

Intron-A ^{PA}

Hepsera

Olysio ^{PA}

Peg-Intron ^{PA}

Rebetol ^{PA}

Ribapak ^{PA}

Ribasphere ^{PA}

Tyzeka

Victrelis ^{PA}

Viekira XR ^{PA}

Zepatier ^{PA}

Asthma

Tier 2

Xolair ^{PA}

Birth control

Tier 3

Nexplanon

Cancer

Tier 1

Adriamyc

Adrucil

Amifostine

Azacitidine

Bleomycin

Capecitabine

Carboplatin

Cisplatin

Cladribine

Cytarabine

Dacarbazine

Daunorubicin

Decitabine ^{PA}

Dexrazoxane

Docetaxel

Doxorubicin

Epirubicin

Etoposide INJ

Floxuridine

Fludarabine

Fluorouracil

Fluorouracil INJ

Gemcitabine

Idarubicin

Ifosfamide

Irinotecan

Leuprolide ^{PA}

Leuprolide INJ ^{PA}

Lipodox

Melphalan

Mesna

Mitomycin

Mitomycin INJ

Mitoxantron ^{PA}

Oxaliplatin

Paclitaxel

Pamidronate

Pentostatin

Temozolomide ^{PA}

Teniposide

Toposar

Topotecan

Tretinoin

Vinblastine

Vincasar PFS

Vincristine

Vinorelbine

Tier 2

Abraxane

Adcetris ^{PA}

Afinitor Dis ^{PA}

Afinitor ^{PA}

Alimta

Arranon

Arzerra ^{PA}

Avastin

Bicnu

Busulfex

Caprelsa ^{PA}

Clolar

Daunoxome

Erbitux ^{PA}

Erivedge ^{PA}

Erwinaze

Faslodex

Folotylin ^{PA}

Gleevec ^{PA}

Halaven ^{PA}

Herceptin ^{PA}

Istodax ^{PA}

Ixempra

Jakafi ^{PA}

Jevtana ^{PA}

Kepivance

Kyprolis ^{PA}

Leuprolide POW ^{PA}

Lupr Dep-Ped ^{PA}

Lupron Depot 7.5 mg ^{PA}

Mekinist ^{PA}

Mustargen

Nexavar ^{PA}

Oncaspar

Perjeta ^{PA}

Proleukin

Rituxan ^{PA}

Sprycel ^{PA}

Supprelin LA

Temodar ^{PA}

Thalomid ^{PA}

Theracys

Tice BCG

Torisel

Trisenox
Tykerb^{PA}
Velcade^{PA}
Xalkori^{PA}
Xgeva^{PA}
Yervoy^{PA}
Zaltrap^{PA}
Zanosar
Zolinza^{PA}

Tier 3
Alecensa^{PA}
Alkeran
Bendeka
Bosulif^{PA}
Cabometyx^{PA}
Camptosar
Cometriq^{PA}
Cosmegen
Dacogen^{PA}
Docefrez
Doxil
Eligard^{PA}
Ellence
Eloxatin
Ethyol
Etopophos
Etoposide POW
Evomela
Firmagon^{PA}
Fludara
Fluorouracil POW
Fusilev
Gemzar
Gilotrif^{PA}
Hycamtin
Hycamtin CAP^{PA}
Hycamtin INJ
Iclusig^{PA}
Idamycin PFS
Ifex
Inlyta^{PA}

Kadcyla^{PA}
Lenvima^{PA}
Lupaneta^{PA}
Lupron Depot 3.75 mg^{PA}
Marqibo
Mercaptopuri
Mesnex
Mitomycin C
Mitomycin POW
Navelbine
Nipent
Photofrin
Pomalyst^{PA}
Portrazza^{PA}
Revlimid^{PA}
Stivarga^{PA}
Sutent^{PA}
Sylatron^{PA}
Synribo^{PA}
Tafinlar^{PA}
Tarceva^{PA}
Targretin^{PA}
Tasigna^{PA}
Taxotere
Tecentriq^{PA}
Temodar CAP^{PA}
Totect
Trelstar Dep
Trelstar LA
Trelstar Mix
Vantas
Vectibix
Venclexta^{PA}
Vidaza
Votrient^{PA}
Xeloda
Xtandi^{PA}
Zelboraf^{PA}
Zevalin
Zinecard
Zoladex
Zytiga^{PA}

Chemotherapy Protectant-

Tier 3

Xuriden^{PA}

Enzyme replacement/ modifiers

Tier 3

Carbaglu
Kanuma^{PA}
Orfadin

Enzyme therapy

Tier 2

Adagen
Aldurazyme^{PA}
Cerezyme^{PA}
Elaprase^{PA}
Fabrazyme^{PA}
Kuvan
Kuvan Powder^{PA}
Lumizyme^{PA}
Myozyme^{PA}
Naglazyme^{PA}

Tier 3

Aralast NP^{PA}
Elelyso^{PA}
Procysbi
Prolastin-C^{PA}
Vimizim^{PA}
Vpriv^{PA}
Zavesca^{PA}
Zemaira^{PA}

Gastrointestinal agents

Tier 2

Solesta

Tier 3

Gattex^{PA}
Ocaliva^{PA}
Sucraid

Growth hormone

Tier 2

Increlex^{PA}
Norditropin^{PA}
Nutropin AQ^{PA}
Nutropin^{PA}
Saizen^{PA}
Serostim^{PA}

Tier 3

Genotropin^{PA}
Humatrope^{PA}
Omnitrope^{PA}
Zorbtive^{PA}

Hematological agents

Tier 2

Advate
Alphanate
Alphanine SD
Aranesp^{PA}
Bebulin
Bebulin VH
Benefix
Berinert^{PA}
Cinryze^{PA}
Corifact
Feiba NF
Feiba VH
Firazyr^{PA}
Helixate FS
Hemofil M
Humate-P
Koate-DVI
Leukine^{PA}
Monoclate-P
Mononine
Mozobil^{PA}
Neumega^{PA}
Neupogen^{PA}
Novoseven RT
Nplate^{PA}

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Procrit ^{PA}
 Profilnine
 Rixubis
 Wilate

Tier 3

Epogen ^{PA}
 Idelvion
 Kalbitor ^{PA}
 Kogenate FS
 Neulasta ^{PA}
 Omontys ^{PA}
 Promacta ^{PA}
 Recombinate
 Tretten
 Xyntha
 Xyntha Solof

Hemophilia

Tier 3

Afstyla
 Vonvendi

HIV/AIDS

Tier 1

Abacavir
 Didanosine
 Lamivud/Zido
 Lamivudine
 Nevirapine
 Stavudine
 Zidovudine

Tier 2

Aptivus
 Atripla
 Complera
 Crixivan
 Descovy
 Edurant

Emtriva
 Epzicom
 Fuzeon
 Intelence
 Invirase
 Isentress
 Kaletra
 Lexiva
 Norvir
 Odefsey
 Prezista
 Rescriptor
 Retrovir SOL
 Reyataz
 Selzentry ^{PA}
 Stribild
 Sustiva
 Tivicay
 Truvada
 Videx SOL
 Viracept
 Viread
 Ziagen SOL

Tier 3

Combivir
 Egrifta ^{PA}
 Epivir
 Retrovir TAB
 Trizivir
 Videx EC Cpdr
 Viramune
 Viramune XR
 Zerit
 Ziagen TAB

Hormones and hormone modifiers

Tier 1

Octreotide ^{PA}

Tier 2

Acthar HP ^{PA}
 Samsca
 Thyrogen

Tier 3

Acthrel
 Sandostatin ^{PA}
 Signifor ^{PA}
 Somatuline ^{PA}
 Somavert ^{PA}

Huntington's disease

Tier 3

Xenazine ^{PA}

Immune globulin

Tier 2

Atgam
 Bivigam ^{PA}
 Carimune NF ^{PA}
 Cytogam
 Flebogamma ^{PA}
 Gamastan S/D ^{PA}
 Gammagard SD ^{PA}
 Gammagard ^{PA}
 Gammaked ^{PA}
 Gamunex-C ^{PA}
 Hizentra ^{PA}
 Hyperrab S/D
 Hyperrho S/D
 Imogam Rabie
 Micrhogam PL
 Octagam ^{PA}
 Privigen ^{PA}
 Soliris
 Winrho SDF

Immunomodulator

Tier 3

Benlysta ^{PA}

Infertility

Tier 1

Chor Gonadot ^{PA}
 Novarel ^{PA}
 Pregnyl ^{PA}

Tier 2

Cetrotide
 Gonalf ^{PA}
 Makena ^{PA}

Tier 3

Bravelle ^{PA}
 Delalutin ^{PA}
 Follistim AQ ^{PA}
 Ganirelix AC
 Menopur ^{PA}
 Ovidrel
 Repronex ^{PA}

Inflammatory conditions

Tier 2

Cimzia ^{PA}
 Cimzia Prefl ^{PA}
 Humira ^{PA}
 Humira Pen Kit ^{PA}
 Humira Pen Kit CROHNS ^{PA}
 Humira Pen Kit PSORIASIS ^{PA}
 Ilaris ^{PA}
 Remicade ^{PA}
 Simponi Aria ^{PA}
 Simponi ^{PA}
 Stelara ^{PA}

Tier 3

Arcalyst ^{PA}
 Actemra ^{PA}
 Enbrel ^{PA}
 Enbrel Srelk ^{PA}

Kineret ^{PA}
Orencia ^{PA}
Taltz ^{PA}
Xeljanz ^{PA}
Xeljanz XR ^{PA}

Iron overload

Tier 3
Exjade
Ferroprox ^{PA}

Multiple sclerosis

Tier 2
Ampyra ^{PA}
Avonex ^{PA}
Avonex Pen ^{PA}
Avonex Prefl ^{PA}
Betaseron ^{PA}
Copaxone ^{PA}
Tecfidera ^{PA}

Tier 3
Aubagio ^{PA}
Extavia ^{PA}
Gilenya* ^{PA}
Rebif Rebido ^{PA}
Rebif ^{PA}
Rebif Titrtm ^{PA}
Tysabri ^{PA}
* T3 Preferred

Musculoskeletal agents

Tier 1
Zoledronic

Tier 2
Botox ^{PA}
Xiaflex

Tier 3
Dysport ^{PA}
Myobloc ^{PA}

Xeomin ^{PA}
Zometa

Narcolepsy

Tier 3
Xyrem ^{PA}

Ophthalmic agents

Tier 2
Lucentis

Tier 3
Cystaran ^{PA}
Eylea
Jetrea
Macugen
Visudyne

Osteoarthritis

Tier 2
Euflexxa ^{PA}
Synvisc ^{PA}
Synvisc One ^{PA}

Tier 3
Gel-One ^{PA}
Gelsyn-3 ^{PA}
Hyalgan ^{PA}
Hymovis ^{PA}
Orthovisc ^{PA}
Supartz ^{PA}
* T3 Preferred

Osteoporosis

Tier 2
Forteo ^{PA}
Prolia ^{PA}

Tier 3
Reclast

Pain management

Tier 2
Prialt

Parkinson's disease

Tier 2
Apokyn ^{PA}

Pulmonary hypertension

Tier 1
Epoprostenol ^{PA}
Sildenafil ^{PA}

Tier 2
Letairis ^{PA}
Opsumit ^{PA}
Remodulin ^{PA}
Veletri ^{PA}

Tier 3
Adcirca ^{PA}
Flolan ^{PA}
Revatio ^{PA}
Tyvaso Refil ^{PA}
Tyvaso ^{PA}
Tyvaso Start ^{PA}
Uptravi ^{PA}
Ventavis ^{PA}

Recombinant Human Leptin Analog

Tier 3
Alprolix

Respiratory Agents

Tier 2
Bethkis Neb
Pulmozyme

Tier 3

Cayston ^{PA}
Cinqair ^{PA}
Kalydeco ^{PA}
Tobi ST
Tobi Podhaler ST
Tobramycin Neb ST

Substance abuse treatment agents

Tier 3
Vivitrol ^{PA}

Transplant

Tier 1
Cyclosporine
Gengraf
Hecoria
Mycophenolate
Sirolimus TAB
Tacrolimus

Tier 2
Cellcept IV

Tier 3
Astagraf XL
Cellcept
Myfortic
Neoral
Nulojix ^{PA}
Prograf
Rapamune
Sandimmune CAP
Sirolimus Powder
Zortress ^{PA}

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This specialty pharmacy drug list may not be a complete representation of all available specialty medications; this list is subject to change at any time without prior notice.

Non-specialty alternatives may be a recommended first-line therapy to treat your condition. Please consult your physician.



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