

Drug Formulary Changes for 2008

Effective January 1, 2008, if you are taking one of the drugs listed below, the quantity will be limited to **30 tablets/capsules per 60 days**. Additional quantities (for example 30 tablets/capsules every 30 days) will require prior authorization through Preferred Care.

Ambien (zolpidem)
Ambien CR (zolpidem extended release tablets)
Lunesta (eszopiclone)
Rozerem (ramelteon)
Sonata (zapelon)
Tovalt ODT (zolpidem orally disintegrating tablets)

Drug Formulary Changes for Enhanced Part D members

Effective January 1, 2008, if you are taking one of the drugs listed below, the quantity will be limited to **30 tablets/capsules per 60 days**. Quantities greater than 30 tablets/capsules per 60 days will require prior authorization. These medications will be covered for members with an **Enhanced Part D plan only**. For members with a non-enhanced Part D plan, these medications are excluded from coverage.

Dalmane® (flurazepam)
Doral® (quazepam)
Halcion® (triazolam)
Prosom® (estazolam)
Restoril® (temazepam)

Drugs that will require Prior Authorization in 2008

Effective January 1, 2008, Actiq, Fentora, and fentanyl citrate will require prior authorization and will be changing to the Specialty Tier (Tier 3). Your doctor will need to get approval from Preferred Care before you fill your prescription. If you don't get approval, Preferred Care will not cover the drug. If you are currently taking Actiq, your expected cost may increase in 2008. Refer to your prescription drug rider to determine your copayment.

The following drugs will require prior authorization and will be in the Specialty Tier (Tier 3) starting on 1/1/2008:	Alternative drugs you may want to consider:	Tier

Actiq Fentora fentanyl citrate	fentanyl patch	1
	morphine	1
	oxycodone	1

Hepsera (adofevir) will also require prior authorization beginning January 1, 2008.

Formulary Tier Changes

In 2008, Specialty Drugs are medications that cost more than \$600 per month based on average use. You may be responsible for all or part of this cost depending on your coverage. If you have Part D coverage and qualify for low-income subsidy, this change may not affect you.

The following medications will also be changing the the Specialty tier (tier 3) on January 1, 2008.

The following drugs will be in the Specialty Tier (Tier 3) starting on 1/1/2008:
Neutrexin (trimetrexate glucuronate) Sandostatin (octreotide acetate) Tobi (tobramycin for inhalation) Xyrem (sodium oxybate)

Bulk Compounding Agents

Starting January 1, 2008, bulk compounding agents will no longer be covered under Medicare Part D. A covered compounding agent must be a legend (prescription) drug with a valid National Drug Code (NDC), and also meet the definition of a Part D drug.