

# List of covered drugs as of August 1, 2020\*

\* This list is for all Non-Retired members and all Retired members.

This list is for reference purposes only. To find out if a specific drug is covered under the CPC drug plan, please consult the drug search lookup tool on **GroupNet** for Plan Members. If you need assistance with this, please contact Canada Life at 1-866-716-1313.

The Employer reserves the right to change the content of the drug plan list without notice.

(Note: not all strengths and formulations of the drugs listed below are covered.)

## Acne

aklief, benzadlin, benzamycin, benzoyl peroxide >5%, clindamycin (dalacin t), clindasol, clindets, clindoxyl, differin, eysol, retin-a, stieva, stievamycin, vitamin a acid

## ADHD/Narcolepsy

amphetamine (adderall xr), dexedrine, methylphenidate (ritalin, concerta), **modafinil (alertec), xyrem**

## Allergy conditions

alleject, alomide, avams, beclomethasone nasal spray, budenoside ac nasal spray, epipen/inject, flonase, flunisolide (rhinalar) spray, hydroxyzine, ipratropium (atrovent) nasal spray, livostin, nasacort, nasonex, omalizumab, patanol, pollinex r

## Alzheimer's Disease

aricept, exelon, reminyl

## Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis: *radicava*

## Angina

diltiazem (cardizem/tiazac), felodipine (plendil/rendimil), isosorbide, nifedipine (adalat) pa/xl, nitroglycerin patches(nitrodur), nitroglycerin spray, nitroglycerin tablets, nitrd ointment, novasvc, verapamil

## Anti Inflammatory/Analgesics

arthrotec, diclofenac, diclofenac sr, floctafenine, flurbiprofen, ibuprofen (advil/motrin), indometacin, ketoprofen, ketorolac (toradol), naproxen (naprosyn)/naproxen sodium (anaprox), piroxicam, sulindac, tiaprofenic acid, tolmetin

## Antibiotics/Anti-infectives

acyclovir (zovirax), amikacin, amoxicillin, amoxicillin/potassium clavulanate (clavulin), ampicillin, azithromycin (zithromax), cefaclor (ceclor), cefadroxil (duricef), cefazolin, cefzil, cephalixin (keflex), ciprofloxacin (cipro), clarithromycin (biaxin), clindamycin (dalacin c), cloxacillin, doxycycline (vibramycin), erythromycin (erybid/eryc), etibi, famciclovir (famvir), fucidin, isoniazid, metronidazole (flagyl), nitrofurantoin (macrobid), pedialose, penicillin g, penicillin v, pondocillin prevymis, pyrazinamide, relenza, rifampin, rifater, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxazole/trimethoprim (septa), sulfasalazine (salazopyrin), tamiflu, tetracycline, tobi, tobramycin, valtrex

## Antifungals

ketoconazole, nystatin, sporanox, terbinafine (lamisil)

## Asthma

advair, aemonry respiclick, alvesco, aminophylline, arbesda amity ellipta, asmanex, aurovent, baca respiclick, berotec, breo ellipta, brincaly, **cinqair**, combivent, duovent, **fasenra**, flownt, foradil, incuse ellipta, **nucala**, oricniprenaline, oxeze, oxtriphylline, pulmicort, qvar, salbutamol (ventolin), serevent, symbicort, theophylline, trelegy ellipta, **xolair**, **zenhale**

## Birth control

alesse, brevicon 0.5/35, brevicon 1/35, cyclen, demulen 30, depo-provera, jaydess, kyleena, linessa, loestrin 1.5/30, loette, marvelon, micronor, minestrin 1/20, min-oral, neplanon, norlevo, ortho g 0.5/35, ortho 1/35, ortho 7/7/7, ortho-cept, oval, plan b, select 1/35, synphasic, tri-cyclen/tri-cyclen lo, triquilar, yasmin, yaz, mirena 52mg

## Blood formation

dexiron, folic acid, infufer, lapelga, **revolade**, vitamin b12 injection, **neulasta**

## Blood Pressure

acecupril, accutrec, acebutolol, altace hct, altace plus felodipine, amiloride (midamor), atacand/atacan plus, atenolol (tenormin), atenolol/chlorthalidone, avadile, avapro, benazepril (lotensin), bisoprolol (moncor), captopril, carvediol (coreg), chlorthalidone, cilazapril (inhibace), cilazapril/hctz (inhibace plus), clonidine, coversyl, coversyl plus cozaar,

diovan/diovan hct, doxazosin (cardura), fosinopril (monopril) hct/spironolactone (aldactazide), hct/triamterene, hydralazine, hydrochlorothiazide, hct, hydralazine, hydrochlorothiazide/amlodipine, hyzaar, labetalol, lisinopril (prinivil/zestri), lisinopril/hct, mavik, methyldopa, methyldopa/ hydrochlorothiazide, metoprolol, micardis/micardis plus, nadolol, olmetec/olmetec plus, pindolol, prazosin, propranolol, ramipril (altace), ramipril/hct, rasilez, rasilez hct, reserpine, sotalol, spironolactone, tarka, terazosin (hytrin), teveten/teveten plus, timolol, trasicor, twynsta, vascer, vasotec, viskaotide, zoxorlyn

## Blood thinners

ariastra, brilinta, **cabilivi**, fragmin, fraxiparine, innohep, lovenox, plavix, sintrom, warfarin (coumadin)

## Bone metabolism

alcrista, actonel/actonel plus calcium, alendronate (fosamax), aredia, bonefos, calcitonin, calcium/calcium with vitamin d, clasteon, **forleo**, fosavance, **osnuvo**, ostac, **xospata**

## Botulinum Toxin Type A *botox, dysport, xeomin*

## Botulinum Toxin Type B: *myobloc*

## Bursitis: celestone soluspan

## Cancer

**abraxane, adetris, afinkor, decansaro**, alkeran, **alunbrig**, androcur-depot, arimidex, avastin, **balversa**, **baencio**, **beponsa**, bleomycin, bosulf, **cabometyx**, **calquence**, **camptosar**, casodex, ceenu, **cotellic**, cyclophosphamide, cyproterone, cytarabine, **darzalex**, **daurism**, efudex, eligard, **eloxatin erbitux**, erlada, etoposide, fermara, firmagon, fludar, fluorouracil, flutamide, **giotrif**, gleevec, **halaven**, **herceptin**, hydroxyurea, **ibrance**, iclusig, **idhifa**, **imbruvica**, **infuzi**, intron a, **iresa**, **irinotecan**, **jakavi**, **jevtana**, **keytruda**, kdrilate, **kisqali**, **kyprolis**, lanis, **lartruvo**, ledifer leucovorin, leukean, leustatin **lonsurf**, **lorbrena**, lupron depot, **lympoz**, lysodren, **mabcampath**, matulane, megestrol, **mekinist**, mesna, methotrexate, myleran **netrynx**, **rinular nubeca**, **odomzo**, **opdivo**, **pejjeta**, **pigray**, **polamist**, purinethol, **qinlock**, **revlimid**, rituxan, **riximyo**, **rolytrek**, **ruxience**, **rydapt**, **sardalis**, sprycel, stivarga, suprefact, sutent, **tafnar**, **tagrisso**, tamoxifen, **tarceva**, tasigna, **taxotere**, **tecentriq**, tomdex, **treanda**, treistar, **tyklos**, **vectibix**, **velcade**, **venextela**, **verzenio**, **vitrakvi**, **viziapro**, **xeloda**, **yervoy**, **zejula**, **zelboraf**, zevalin depot, **zirabev**, zoladex depot, **zydelig**, **zykadia**,

## Cardiac disease

amiodarone (cordarone), burinex, digoxin (lanoxin), edecrin, furosemide (lasix), mexiletine, procainamide, propafenone, quinidine, rythmodan, **vyndagel**

## Cholesterol disorders

advicor, bezafibrate (bezalip), cholestryamine (questran), colestid, crestor, fenofibrate (lipidil), gemfibrozil, **juxtapid**, lescol, lipitor, lorclico, lovastatin (mevacor), **prudent**, pravastatin (pravachol), **repatha**, simvastatin (zocor)

## Cholesterol/Cardiac

caduet, **combinent**, duaklit genuair, insiplo respiratory seebri, spiriva, tudora

## Circulatory disease:

pentoxifylline

## Corticosteroid

cortef, cortisone, dexamethasone, depomedrol, depo-medrol with lidocaine, hydrocortisone, medrol, methylprednisolone, prednisolone (pediapred), prednisone, triamcinolone hexacetonide

## Cystic Fibrosis - *kalydeco*, *orkambi*, *pulmozyme*, *symdeko*

## Dental:

triamcinolone paste (oracort)

## Depression

amitriptyline, bupropion (wellbutrin), cipralex, citalopram (celexa), clomipramine, desipramine, doxepin, fluoxetine (prozac), fluvoxamine, imipramine, maprotiline, mirtazapine (remeron), moclobemide, nortriptyline, paroxetine (paxil) 10mg/20mg/30mg, sertraline (zoloft), **spravato**, trazodone, trimipramine, venlafaxine (effexor)

## Diabetes

admelog, apidra, basagli, chlorpropamide, entuzi, fiasp, glucagen, glucagon, glucobay, glyburide, humalog, humulin, hypurin, lantus, levemir, metformin, novolin ge, novomix, novorapid, tolbutamide, tresiba

## Disease prevention vaccines

dt hub, adacel, avaxim bg, boostrix, dt ipo-polio absorbed, dukoral oral enterix b ped, enterix- b, gardasil, haxiv, aimovax polio, imovax rabies, influenza, ixiaro, menactra, menomune, m-m-r ii, moru-viraten bema, mutacol bema, neisvac-c, pedvahib, pentacel, pneumococcal 23-valent, prevnar, priorix, quadracel, rabavert, recombivax, rotatet qd pdio adsorbed adult, tet and diph toxoid adult, tetanus toxoid adsorbed, tripacel, twinnix, typherix, typhim vi, va qtq, varilrix, varivaxii, vivaxim, vivotif bema, yellow fever, zostavax/zostavax ll

## Electrolyte replacement

apo-k, k-dur, k-lyte/k-lyte cl, k-med, micro-k, **samsca**, slow-k

## Epilepsy

carbamazepine ( tegretol), celontin, clonazepam ( rivotril), dilantin, divalproex (epival), gabapentin (neurontin), lamotrigine (lamictal), levetiracetam (keppra), primidone, sabril, topiramate (topamax), valproic acid (depakene), zonisartan

## Eye-ear-nose medications

beclu, dexamethasone eye/ear, atropine eye, chloramphenicol, ciprodesotic, cortimyxin cortisporin, cyclopentolate, **cystadrops**, diophenyl- t dipivafen, epifrin, erythromycin eylea, fluoromethalone, homatropine, iluven i, ketorolac, lacocarten visform, **lacentis**, macugen, maxitol, oculen, opicin, optiv, orbital, **oxervative**, phenylephrine, prednisolone, sofracort, sulfacetamide, sulfacetamide/mide/ prednisolone, tobramycin, tobramycin/dexamethasone, tropicamide, viroptic, voltaren ophtha, vosol-hc otic

## Fabry's Disease

## *fabrazyme/replagal, galafold*

## Fertility disorders

clomid, menopur, ovirel, repronex, serophene Plus for CUPW & RSMC only: bravelle, cetrodote, choriionic gonadotropin, crinone, decapeptyl, endometrin, gonaf-f, lutrepulse, luteveris, orgalutran, pergoveris, pregnyl, puregon, rekavelle, utrogestan

## Gastrointestinal

5-asa (asacol), bentylol, betesol retention enema, **carbagu**, colestid, cortifoam, dicetel, dicyclomine, dipentum, domperidone, entocot, **entyvio**, hydrocontisone enema, meclotropamide, mezea suppository, mezan, modulon, olesy, **phuberane, ravicti**, **revestive**, ursodiol, **xermelo**

## Genetic Enzyme Replacement

**cerdelga**, **cerezyme**, **eletyso**, **kanuma**, **nitmtsone**, **orfadin**, **prolastin**, **strensiq**, **virimiz**, **vpriv**, **zavesca**

## Glucoma

acetazolamide, azarga, betaxolol, carbachol, cosopt, duo trav, iodipidine, izba, levobunolol (betagan), lumigan RC, lumigan methazolamide, pilocarpine, probeta, timolol, travatan, trusopt, vyzulta, xalacom, xalatan

## Hypothyroidism

levothyroxine (synthroid/levothyroxine), liothyronine (cytomel), norelrox, propylthiouracil, tapazole, testim

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# Request for Drug Exception Form

(For list of drugs covered – Refer to page 1)

In order for your exception to be considered you must have previously tried a covered drug for your medical condition and either the drug was not effective, or you have a contraindication to the drug.



From anywhere...to anyone

Use this form to request coverage of a *drug that is not automatically covered* under your drug plan. **Provide the requested information to ensure timely assessment of your claim.**

Do not use this form for drugs that require PRIOR AUTHORIZATION. Please refer to page one (1) for the list of Prior Authorization drugs which are indicated in ***bold italics***. The Prior Authorization forms can be found at [canadalife.com](http://canadalife.com) or call Canada Life at 1-866-716-1313.

## PLAN MEMBER INFORMATION

Please select your plan number:

- 51391** or  
 **162954** (M GT/XMT who retired on or after January 2, 2011)

Employee/Retiree ID #:

Name:

Address:

## PATIENT INFORMATION

Name:

Relationship:

Date of Birth:

Drug Name:

Would you like Canada Life to contact you by telephone upon completion of the exception review? **Yes**  **No**

If yes, please indicate the phone number where they can reach you and leave a message should you be unable to answer: (\_\_\_\_)

At Canada Life, we recognize and respect the importance of privacy. Personal information that we collect is used for the purpose of assessing eligibility for this drug and for administering the group benefits plan. I authorize Canada Life, my physician or healthcare provider, and TELUS Health Solutions to exchange information when necessary for these purposes.

Patient/Guardian's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## TO BE COMPLETED BY ATTENDING PHYSICIAN

Attending Physician Name:

Registration Number:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Fax Number:

## Required Information

**To obtain coverage for the drug, one other covered pharmacotherapy must have been tried in the past, unless contraindication exists.**

What is the health condition being treated with this drug?

Is the drug prescribed to treat a health condition for which the specific drug use is approved by Health Canada? **Yes**  **No**

Did the patient previously try a medication (pharmacotherapy) to treat this health condition? **Yes**  **No**

If yes, list the **specific names** of other medications (pharmacotherapies) used to treat the health condition?

If no other medication (pharmacotherapy) was tried, please explain why this drug must be prescribed (for example a contraindication resulting from an allergy reaction):

## Information on requested drug

Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dose Prescribed: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Once completed, the Request for Drug Exception Form can be returned to Canada Life by mail, fax or email as noted below.

**Note:** As email is not a secure medium, any person with concerns about their form/medical information being intercepted by an unauthorized party is encouraged to submit their form by other means.

Mail to: The Canada Life Assurance Company      Fax to: The Canada Life Assurance Company      Email: [cldrug.services@canadalife.com](mailto:cldrug.services@canadalife.com)  
Drug Services P.O. Box 6000      Fax 1 866 239 7140      Attention: Drug Claims Management  
Winnipeg MB R3C 0E6      Attention: Drug Claims Management