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SUBJECT: **Commonly Rejected Non-Formulary Drug Products
for My Health LA Patients**

We wanted to share with you a list of medications that are commonly rejected because they are not on the My Health LA formulary, along with an abridged list of formulary alternatives. We hope you will use this to optimize treatment decisions for My Health LA participants. Please consult the [MHLA formulary](#) for a complete list of formulary products and coverage criteria.

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Non-formulary Drugs	Formulary Alternative	Additional Notes
Albuterol AER HFA	ProAir HFA	
Omeprazole 20MG / 40MG Capsules (Rx-only)	Omeprazole 20MG Cap (OTC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTC formulation(s) covered • Limited to 340B pharmacies only
Hydrochlorothiazide 12.5MG Tablets / Capsules	Hydrochlorothiazide 25MG / 50MG Tablets	
Ibuprofen 800MG tablets	Ibuprofen 400MG tablets Ibuprofen 600MG tablets	<u>Other NSAIDs on formulary:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Naproxen 375MG tablets • Naproxen 500MG tablets • Diclofenac EC 50MG tablets • Diclofenac EC 75MG tablets
Famotidine 40MG Tablets	Famotidine 20MG Tablets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTC formulation(s) covered • Limited to 340B pharmacies only
Pantoprazole 40MG Tablets	Omeprazole 20MG Cap (OTC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTC formulation(s) covered • Limited to 340B pharmacies only
Vitamin D3 5000 IU	Vitamin D 1000IU / 2000IU Capsules	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTC formulation(s) covered • Limited to 340B pharmacies only