



New Drugs October 2012 (Original New Drug Applications: FDA)

Generic Name	Trade Name	Indication(s)	CPG Action/Date
May 2012			
Ivacaftor Formulary Pg. 10	Kalydeco	<i>Endocrine & Metabolic Agents: Ivacaftor.</i> Indicated for the treatment of cystic fibrosis in patients 6 years and older who have a G551D mutation in the cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator gene.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult
Zolpidem Tartrate Formulary Pg. 18	Intermezzo	<i>Central Nervous System Agents: Sedatives and Hypnotics, Nonbarbiturate.</i> Indicated for use as needed for the treatment of insomnia when middle of the night awakening is followed by difficulty returning to sleep.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Zolpidem Tartrate Formulary Pg. 18	Edluar	<i>Central Nervous System Agents: Sedatives and Hypnotics, Nonbarbiturate.</i> Indicated for the short-term treatment of insomnia characterized by difficulties in sleep initiation.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Tafuprost Ophthalmic Formulary Pg. 26	Zioptan	<i>Ophthalmic Agents: Agents for Glaucoma.</i> Indicated for reducing elevated intraocular pressure in patients with open-angle glaucoma or ocular hypertension.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult
June 2012			
Dehydrated Alcohol Injection	Dehydrated Alcohol	<i>Central Nervous System Agents: Dehydrated Alcohol.</i> Indicated for relief of intractable chronic pain	10/22/12 CTP holder May NOT prescribe.

Formulary Pg. 20		in such conditions as inoperable cancer and trigeminal neuralgia in patients for whom neurosurgical procedures are contraindicated.	
Darunavir Ethanolate	Prezista	<i>Anti-Infectives:</i> <i>Systemic: Antiretroviral Agents: Protease Inhibitors.</i> Indicated for the treatment of HIV-1 infection.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult
Formulary Pg. 23			
July 2012			
Peginesatide Acetate Injection	Omontys	<i>Hematological Agents:</i> <i>Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents.</i> Indicated for the treatment of anemia due to chronic kidney disease in adult patients on dialysis.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Formulary Pg. 6			
August 2012			
Taliglucerase Alfa	Elelyso	<i>Endocrine & Metabolic Agents: Taliglucerase Alfa.</i> Indicated for long-term enzyme replacement therapy for adults with a confirmed diagnosis of type 1 Gaucher disease.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult
Formulary Pg. 9			
Avanafil Oral	Strendra	<i>Renal & Genitourinary Agents: Impotence Agents.</i> Indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Formulary Pg. 14			
Rotigotine	Neupro	<i>Central Nervous System Agents: Antiparkinson Agents:</i> Indicated for the treatment of the signs and symptoms of idiopathic Parkinson disease and for the treatment of moderate to severe primary restless legs syndrome.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Formulary Pg. 20			

September 2012			
Lucinactant Intratracheal Formulary Pg. 14	Surfaxin	<i>Respiratory Agents: Lung Surfactants.</i> Indicated for the prevention of respiratory distress syndrome (RDS) in premature infants at high risk of RDS	Neonatal NP only may prescribe all others Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult.
Meningococcal Groups C and Y/ Haemophilus B Tetanus Toxoid Conjugate Injection Formulary Pg. 24	Menhibrix	<i>Biologic/ Immunologic Agents: Agents for Active Immunization.</i> Indicated for active immunization to prevent invasive disease caused by <i>Neisseria meningitidis</i> serogroups C and Y and <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b in children 6 weeks through 18 months of age.	10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe.
Pertuzumab Formulary Pg. 28	Perjeta	<i>Antineoplastic Agents: Monoclonal Antibodies.</i> Indicated for the treatment of metastatic breast cancer.	10/22/12 CTP holder May NOT prescribe.

New Drugs Indications/ Warnings October 2012

(New Drug Indications/ Black Box Warnings: FDA)

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May 2012			
None			
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Streptomycin Sulfate Formulary Pg. 22	Streptomycin Sulfate	<i>Anti-Infectives, Systemic: Aminoglycosides, Parenteral.</i> New black box warning for risk of severe neurotoxic reactions in patients with impaired renal function or prerenal azotemia.	Current: Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult 10/22/12 No Change.
Gentamicin Sulfate	Gentamicin Sulfate	<i>Anti-Infectives, Systemic: Aminoglycosides, Parenteral.</i>	Current: Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult

Formulary Pg. 22		New black box warning for risk of nephrotoxicity.	10/22/12 No Change.
Tobramycin Injection Formulary Pg. 22	Tobramycin Sulfate	<i>Anti-Infectives, Systemic: Aminoglycosides, Parenteral.</i> New black box warning for causing potential ototoxicity and nephrotoxicity.	Current: Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult 10/22/12 No Change.
Amikacin Formulary Pg. 22	Amikacin, Amikin	<i>Anti-Infectives, Systemic: Aminoglycosides, Parenteral.</i> New black box warning for potential ototoxicity and nephrotoxicity associated with use.	Current: Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult 10/22/12 No Change.
Brentuximab Vedotin Injection Formulary Pg. 28	Adcetris	<i>Antineoplastic Agents: Antibody-Drug Conjugates.</i> New black box warning for risk of JC virus infection resulting in progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy (PML) and death.	Current: CTP holder may NOT prescribe. 10/22/12 No Change.
July 2012			
Sodium Nitrite Formulary Pg. 10	Sodium Nitrite	<i>Endocrine & Metabolic Agents: Detoxification Agents: Antidotes.</i> New black box warning for serious adverse reactions and death in humans from life-threatening hypotension and methemoglobin formulation.	Current: CTP holder may prescribe. 10/22/12 No Change.
August 2012			
Levofloxacin Oral	Levaquin	<i>Anti-Infectives, Systemic: Fluoroquinolones.</i> New indication for the treatment of plague, including pneumonic and septicemic plague, due to <i>Yersinia pestis</i> and prophylaxis of plague in	Current: CTP holder may prescribe. 10/22/12 No Change.

Formulary Pg. 21		adults and pediatric patients 6 months and older.	
September 2012			
None			

Formulary Revision Request October 2012
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Formulary Review Revision Request from Michelle Bolles, ACNP			
Dexmedetomidine Formulary Pg. 19	Precedex	<i>Central Nervous System Agents: Sedatives and Hypnotics, Nonbarbiturate.</i> Indicated for sedation of initially intubated and mechanically ventilated patients during treatment in an intensive care unit. Requesting CTP holder may prescribe.	Current: CTP holder may NOT prescribe. 10/22/12 CTP holder may prescribe in institutional settings per institutional standards.

Review of Prescribing Designations of PI/PC and CTP Holder
May NOT Prescribe
Nutrients & Nutritional Agents
(October 2012)

Drug Category/ Drug Name	Indication(s): If reviewing a specific drug in a drug category	Current Prescribing Designation	CPG Action/Date
Vitamins, Minerals, Trace Elements			
Magnesium Sulfate IV	<i>Minerals.</i> Indicated for hypomagnesemia, prevention and control of convulsions of severe preeclampsia and eclampsia and for control of hypertension, encephalopathy and	Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral, but see Footnote 1 for NNP, ACNP, ACCNS CTP holders.

Formulary Pg, 5	convulsions associated with acute nephritis in children.		
Electrolytes Formulary Pg, 5	<i>Electrolytes.</i>	Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral, but see footnote 1 for NNP, ACNP, ACCNS CTP holders.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral, but see Footnote 1 for NNP, ACNP, ACCNS CTP holders.
Peritoneal Dialysis Solutions Formulary Pg, 5	<i>Electrolytes: Peritoneal Dialysis Solutions.</i> Indicated for acute or chronic renal failure, acute poisoning by dialyzable toxins, intractable edema, hyperkalemia, hypercalcemia, azotemia and uremia.	Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult	10/22/12 No Change.
Amino Acids Formulary Pg, 5	<i>Amino Acids.</i>	PI/PC for parenteral.	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral, but see Footnote 1 for NNP, ACNP, ACCNS CTP holders.
Enzymes Formulary Pg, 5	<i>Enzymes.</i>	Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral.	10/22/12 No parenteral enzymes. This prescribing designation will be removed.
Intravenous Nutritional Therapy: protein substrates, caloric intake, lipids, vitamins, minerals, electrolytes, trace metals TPN Formulary Pg, 5	<i>Intravenous Nutritional Therapy.</i>	* see footnote 1	10/22/12 Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult for parenteral, but see Footnote 1 for NNP, ACNP, ACCNS CTP holders.
Chelating Agents Formulary Pg. 6	<i>Chelating Agents.</i>	Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult	10/22/12 No Change.

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<p>Trientine HCL (Syprine)</p> <p>Formulary Pg. 6</p>	<p><i>Chelating Agents.</i> Indicated for the treatment of Wilson's disease in patients who are intolerant of penicillamine.</p>	<p>Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult</p>	<p>10/22/12 No Change.</p>
<p>Succimer (Chemet)</p> <p>Formulary Pg. 6</p>	<p><i>Chelating Agents.</i> Indicated for treatment of lead poisoning in children with blood levels > 45 mcg/dl.</p>	<p>Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult</p>	<p>10/22/12 No Change.</p>
<p>Dialysis Solutions (Hemodialysis)</p> <p>Formulary Pg. 6</p>	<p><i>Dialysis Solutions: Hemodialysis.</i></p>	<p>Physician Initiated/ Physician Consult</p>	<p>10/22/12 No Change.</p>