

Optum Rx[®] Vigilant Drug Program

Non-essential patches and creams strategy

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The Vigilant Drug Program helps you manage your pharmacy benefits with greater precision by giving you the flexibility to choose whether to limit access to certain categories of drugs, including new ones whose clinical and financial value are not yet fully established.

This approach takes medication quality and affordability to the next level.

Non-essential patches and creams strategy* – Excludes select products from coverage that are available in the market but may not be approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). These expensive topical preparations and kits are made up of ingredients that are inexpensive when sold individually and offer little clinical value versus other well-tested, FDA-approved agents. In this document, brand-name medications are shown in UPPERCASE (for example, CLOBEX). Generic medications are shown in lowercase (for example, clobetasol).

*Programs are also available for clients who prefer prior authorization rather than an exclusion strategy.

Drug Name
ACTICOAT 7 EXTERNAL PAD 4"X5"
ACTICOAT 7 EXTERNAL SHEET
ACTICOAT ANTIMICROBIAL EXTERNAL PAD 4"X4"
ACTICOAT EXTERNAL SHEET 16"X16" , 4"X48" , 4"X8" , 8"X16"
ACTICOAT FLEX 3
ACTICOAT FLEX 3 4"X4"
ACTICOAT FLEX 7
ACUICYN
ADAPALENE-BENZOYL PEROXIDE EXTERNAL PAD
AGONEAZE
ALADERM PLUS
ALEVAMAX
ALPAWASH
ALTADERM
AMELUZ
AMNIOCORE AMNIOTIC MEMBRANE
ANALPRAM HC EXTERNAL CREAM
ANODYNE LPT
APLIGRAF
APORIX EXTERNAL LOTION
ARIDA
ASTERO
ATOPAVO
AUXIPRO VANISHING
AVAR CLEANSER
AVAR LS CLEANSER
AVAR-E EMOLLIENT
AVENOVA
BARRIGEL
BASADROX
BASE W301
BENZEPRO EXTERNAL
BENZEPRO EXTERNAL FOAM 5.2 % , 9.7 %
BENZEPRO EXTERNAL LIQUID
BENZEPRO FOAMING CLOTHS
BILAYER MATRIX WOUND DRESSING
BIONECT EXTERNAL CREAM

Drug Name
BIONECT EXTERNAL GEL
bp 10-1
BRUSELIX EXTERNAL
CADIRAMD
CAPSINAC
CELACYN
CEM-UREA
CERACADE
CETACAINE EXTERNAL AEROSOL
CHRYSADERM DAY
CHRYSADERM NIGHT
CICASIL
CICLOPIROX TREATMENT
CLENIA PLUS
CLINDACIN ETZ EXTERNAL KIT
CLOBEZIN
COATAMAX PATCH
CONVENIENCE PAK
COPASIL EXTERNAL
CREAM BASE
CREAM BASE NIOSOMES
CREAM CONCENTRATE
CREAM-HEAVY BASE NIOSOMES
CUTIS PLUS
CYGNUS DUAL
DERMACINRX CLORHEXACIN
DERMACINRX LIDOGEL
DERMACINRX PHN
DERMACINRX SURGICAL COMBOPAK
DERMACINRX THERAZOLE PAK
DERMACINRX UREA
DERMACINRX ZRM
DERMASO PLUS
DERMELLE
DERPIXA
DEXERYL
DIABECIN HR
DIADIMAXIA EXTERNAL CREAM
DIASAXIATAR EXTERNAL CREAM

Drug Name
DIASDIMAXIA EXTERNAL CREAM
DIASOXIA EXTERNAL CREAM
diclofenac sodium external gel 3 %
DICLOGEN
DICLONA
DICLONA+
DICLOPR
DICLOSAICIN
DICLOSTREAM
DICLOVIX M
DIMENTHO
DULOXICAINE
EHA
ELEMAR PATCH
EMOLIVAN
EMOLLIENT BASE
EPICERAM
EPICORD EXTERNAL SHEET 1 CM X 2 CM
EPICYN
FAGRON LS PLUS
FAGRON NATURAL
FAGRON SUPREME
FENOVAR
FITALITE
FLUOPAR
FREEDOM ADAPTADERM EXTERNAL
FREEDOM DERMA SERUM
FREEDOM DERMA-D
FREEDOM DERMA-N
FUNGIMEZ
FUNGIZYL AL
GELCLAIR
GENADUR EXTERNAL
HALUCORT
HAPRODERM
HEPMED
HORMONE CR HEAVY BASE NIOSOMES
HORMONE CREAM BASE NIOSOMES
HPR PLUS EXTERNAL CREAM

Drug Name
HYCLODEX
hydrocortisone ace-pramoxine external cream 2.5-1 %
HYDROCORTISONE COMPLETE KIT
hydrocort-pramoxine (perianal)
HYDROFERA BLUE READY FOAM
HYDROXYM
HYGEL
IBUPAK
ICLOFENAC CP
ILIDERM
INFLAMMACIN
INFLATHERM
INNOVAMATRIX AC
IDOQUIMEZ-HC
iodoquinol-hc-aloe polysacch
iodoquinol-hydrocortisone-aloe
KAMDOY
KERAGEL
KERAGELT
KERAMATRIX REPLICINE 10CMX10CM
KERAMATRIX REPLICINE 2CMX3CM
KERAMATRIX REPLICINE 5CMX5CM
KERASTAT
KETORUB
KIVIK
LDO PLUS
LEFLUNICLO
LEVATIO
LEVICYN
LEVICYN DERMAL SPRAY
LEXTOL
LIDO BDK
lidocaine external ointment 5 %
lidocaine hcl external cream 3 %
LIDOCAINE HCL EXTERNAL CREAM 4.12 %
lidocaine hcl external lotion
lidocaine-hydrocort (perianal)

Drug Name
LIDOCAINE-HYDROCORTISONE ACE EXTERNAL
lidocaine-hydrocortisone ace rectal kit 3-0.5 %, 3-2.5 %
LIDOCAINE-PHENYLEPHRINE
lidocaine-prilocaine external kit
LIDOCORT
LIDOPIN
LIDOPURE PATCH
LIDOREX
LIDORUB
LIDORX
LIDO-SORB
LIDOSTREAM
LIDOTHOL
LIDOTRAL + HYDROCORTISONE
LIDOTRAL EXTERNAL CREAM
LIDOTRAL EXTERNAL GEL
LIDOTRAL EXTERNAL SOLUTION
LIDOTRAL ROLL-ON
LIDOTRAL-MENTHOL
LIDOTRAN
LIDOVIX L
LIDTOPIC
LIOPEN ABSORPTION ENHANCING
LIPO CREAM BASE
LIOPEN ULTRA BASE
LIVIXIL PAK
LIXOFEN
LM PLUS RELIEF
LMR PLUS
LOYON
LYDEXA
MEDIDERM
MICROMATRIX WOUND POWDER
MIGRANOW
MIMYX
MIRO3D FIBERS
MIRO3D WOUND MATRIX

Drug Name
MIRODRY WOUND MATRIX
MISICARUB
MORCIN
MULTI-PEPTIDE SERUM
MUSCUSOLICE
MYCOZYL HC EXTERNAL GEL
NAPROTIN
NEOSALUS
NEURORUB
NEUROZYL
NEXOBRID
NOURILITE
NOURIVAN ANTIOX BASE
NUDERMRXPAK 120
NUDERMRXPAK 60
NUSURGEPAK SURGICAL PREP/CARE
NUTRASEB
NUTRIARX CREAMPAK
NUVA III
NUVAGEL
NUVAIL
NUVAZIL II
OASIS ULTRA MATRIX FENESTRATED
OASIS ULTRA TRI-LAYER MATRIX
OASIS WOUND MATRIX FENESTRATED
OCM WOUND CARE MATRIX
ORAPEUTIC
OVACE PLUS
OVACE PLUS EXTERNAL CREAM 10 %
OVACE PLUS EXTERNAL LOTION 9.8 %
OVACE PLUS WASH
OVACE WASH
PAINGO KFT
PCCA ALADERM BASE
PCCA ANHYDROUS LIPODERM BASE
PCCA BIOPEPTIDE BASE
PCCA LIPODERM BASE
PCCA MVC BASE
PCCA NATACREAM

Drug Name
PCCA POLYPEG BASE
PCCA VANISHING CREAM BASE
PCCA VANISHING CREAM LIGHT
PCCA VANPEN BASE
PENDERM
PENLEN
PHARMABASE COSMETIC
PHARMABASE HEAVY
PHLAG SPRAY
PHYTOBASE
PLEXION
PLEXION CLEANSER
PLEXION CLEANSING CLOTH
PLEXION NS
PODIATROLE
PR BENZOYL PEROXIDE
PRAKETAMIDE
PRAMOSONE EXTERNAL OINTMENT
premium lidocaine
PREMIUM SCAR
PREVIDOLRX ANALGESIC
PREVIDOLRX PLUS ANALGESIC
PRILOVIX
PRILOVIX PLUS
PROCORT
PROFINAC
PROMISEB
PROSILK
PROXIVOL
PRUCLAIR
PRUMYX
P-SILOXAN DS
PURAPLY
PURAPLY 1.6CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICRO 3.76X3.76CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 2X2CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 2X4CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 3.02CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 3X4CM

Drug Name
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 4X4CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 5X5CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 6X9CM
PURAPLY ANTIMICROBIAL 8X16CM
PURAPLY XT ANTIMICROBIAL
PURAPLY XT ANTIMICROBIAL 5X5CM
PURAPLY XT ANTIMICROBIAL 6X9CM
QUTENZA
QUTENZA (2 PATCH)
QUTENZA (4 PATCH)
RADIAURA
RAYASAL
RELADOR PAK
RELADOR PAK PLUS
REMIGEN
RESORCINOL-SULFUR
REXASIL PATCH & VITAMIN E LIQ
SA3 DERM
SALICATE
salicylic acid er
salicylic acid external foam
salicylic acid external shampoo
salicylic acid external solution
salicylic acid-cleanser
SALT DURABLE CREAM
SALT STABLE LS ADVANCED
SALTSTABLE LO
SALYCIM
SANADERMRX SKIN REPAIR
SCARCARE GEL-PAD KIT/LARGE
SCARSILK EXTERNAL
SCARTRATE
SCARZEN SKIN REPAIR
SEBUDERM
selenium sulfide external shampoo 2.3 %
SILADERM
SILADONE SCAR PATCH
SILINOIN 8 DAY SUPPLY
SILPROTEX PLUS

Drug Name
SILTREX
silver nitrate external
SIMPLIGRAFT
sodium sulfacetamide
sodium sulfacetamide wash
SOLOX
SOOTHEE
SSS 10-5 EXTERNAL FOAM
STRATA CTX
STRATA GRT
STRATA MARK
STRATA TRIZ
STRATA XRT
sulfacetamide sodium (cleans)
sulfacetamide sodium-sulfur
sulfacetamide sod-sulfur wash
sulfacetamide-sulfur in urea
SULFACLEANSE 8/4
sulfamez wash
SUMADAN
SUMADAN WASH
SUMAXIN
SUMAXIN CP
SURE RESULT DSS PREMIUM PACK
SYNERDERM
SYNTERMA PLUS
SZOSIL 15 DAY SUPPLY
SZOSIL 8 DAY SUPPLY
TRANSCYTE
TRIASIL
TRIFENA PAIN RELIEF EXTERNAL PATCH 1.2-5-4 %
TRILOCAINE
TRIONEX
TRIVIX
TRUBREXA
ULTRASAL-ER
urea external cream 39 %, 40 %, 41 %, 45 %
UREA EXTERNAL CREAM 39.5 %

Drug Name
UREA EXTERNAL FOAM
urea external lotion
urea nail
UREA-SALICYLIC ACID
uredeb
URESOL
VANISHING
VANISHING CREAM BOTANICAL BASE
VANISH-PEN
VAROPHEN
VASHE CLEANSING
VASHE WOUND
VASHE WOUND THERAPY
VENNGEL ONE
VENNGEL TWO
VERSAJET II EXACT 14MM
VERSAJET II EXACT 8MM
VERSAJET II PLUS 14MM
VERSAJET II PLUS 8MM
VERSAPRO EXTERNAL CREAM
VIA MATRIX
VIRASAL
VISTASEAL
VP DERMABASE
VYTONE
WPR PLUS WOUND HEALING SYSTEM
XCELLISTEM WOUND POWDER
XEMATOP BASE
XICLO
XICLOFEN
xurea
XYLIDERM
ZERUVIA
ZICLOPRO
ZIONODIL
ZIONODIL 100
ZITHRANOL

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