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Follow the links below to access the complete formularies for Ohio Medicaid Plans:

[Buckeye Health Plan](#) | [CareSource Look Up Tool*](#) | [Molina](#) | [Paramount](#) | [UHC Community Look Up Tool*](#) | [Ohio Medicaid Look Up Tool*](#)

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ACNE								
Topical Anti-bacterials								
Benzoyl Peroxide (BPO [®])	2.5%, 5%, 10% Gel or Liquid	\$21	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clindamycin Phosphate (Cleocin-T [®])	1% Gel, 1% Lotion	\$106	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	1% Solution	\$171	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Erythromycin	2% Gel	\$239	✓	✓	PA	PA	✓	✓
	2% Solution	\$64	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Topical Retinoids								
Adapalene (Differin [®])	0.3% Gel, 0.1% Cream, 0.1% Lotion (Rx)	\$285	PA	PA	PA	✓	PA	✓ brand only
	0.1% Gel (OTC) 15g	\$14	PA	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Tretinoin (Retin-A [®])	0.025%, 0.05% 0.1% Cream; 0.01%, 0.025% Gel	\$240	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Topical Combinations								
Benzoyl Peroxide/ Erythromycin (Benzamycin [®])	5-3% Gel	\$227	PA	PA	PA	✓	✓	✓
Clindamycin/ Benzoyl Peroxide	1-5% Gel (Benzacilin [®]) 1.2-5% Gel (Duac [®])	\$240 \$123	PA PA	PA PA	✓ PA	PA PA	PA PA	✓ ✓

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ACNE (CONTINUED)								
Oral Antibiotics								
Doxycycline monohydrate	50 mg, 100 mg (capsule preferred)	\$21	PA	✓	PA	PA	✓	✓
Minocycline	50 mg, 75 mg, 100 mg (capsule preferred)	\$29	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Oral Retinoids								
Isotretinoin (Claravis [®] , Myorisan [®] , Zenatane [®])	10mg-40mg	\$702	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA

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ALLERGIC ANAPHYLACTIC REACTION								
Epinephrine Auto-injector								
Adrenaclick®	0.3mg/0.3mL, 0.15mg/0.15mL	\$340	✓ 0.3mg/ 0.3mL	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA
Auvi-Q®	0.3mg/0.3mL, 0.15mg/0.15mL	\$2,940	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA
EpiPen®	0.3mg/0.3mL, 0.15mg/0.15mL	\$365	PA	✓	✓	✓	PA	PA
EpiPen Jr.®	0.15mg/0.3mL		PA	✓	✓	✓	PA	PA
Epinephrine Auto-injector (Mylan brand generic)	0.3mg/0.3mL, 0.15mg/0.3mL	\$247	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ALLERGIC CONJUNCTIVITIS								
Ophthalmic Antihistamines								
Azelastine	0.05%	\$22	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	PA
Cromolyn	4%	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ketotifen (Alaway®, Zatidor®)	0.025%	\$24	✓	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓

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ALLERGIC RHINITIS								
Oral Antihistamines								
Cetirizine (Zyrtec®)	5, 10 mg	\$52	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	1 mg/mL	\$50	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ < 6 yo
Fexofenadine (Allegra®)	30 mg/5 mL	\$36	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	PA
	60 mg, 180 mg	\$46	✓	✓	✓ 180 mg	✓	PA	PA
Loratadine (Claritin®)	10 mg	\$15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	1 mg/mL	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	5 mg Chew	\$36	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓	✓
Nasal Antihistamines								
Azelastine	0.15%, 0.1%	\$30	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nasal Steroids								
Budesonide (Rhinocort® Allergy)	32 mcg/act	\$21	PA	✓	PA	✓	PA	PA
Flunisolide	25 mcg/act	\$75	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA	✓
Fluticasone (Flonase®)	50 mcg/act	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Triamcinolone (Nasacort®)	55 mcg/act	\$18	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓	PA

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ASTHMA								
Inhaled Corticosteroids								
Beclomethasone dipropionate (Qvar [®] RediHaler [™]) Contains dose counter	40 mcg, 80 mcg DPI	\$237	PA	PA	✓	✓	✓	PA
Budesonide (Pulmicort Flexhaler [®]) Contains dose counter	90 mcg, 180 mcg DPI	\$240	PA	PA	PA	✓	PA	✓
Budesonide (Pulmicort [®] Respules [®])	0.25 mg/2 mL, 0.5 mg/2mL, 1 mg/2mL	\$245	✓ ≤ 8 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓ ≤ 4 yo	✓ ≤ 6 yo
Fluticasone furoate (Arnuity [™] Ellipta [®]) Contains dose counter	100 mcg DPI, 200 mcg DPI	\$225	PA	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA
Fluticasone propionate (Flovent [®] Diskus [®]) Contains dose counter	50 mcg DPI, 100 mcg DPI, 250 mcg DPI	\$281	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Fluticasone propionate (Flovent [®] HFA) Contains dose counter	44 mcg/act, 110 mcg/act, 220 mcg/act	\$331	✓	✓	✓ 4-11 yo	✓	PA	✓
Mometasone furoate (Asmanex [®] HFA) Contains dose counter	100 mcg/act, 200 mcg/act	\$250	PA	PA	✓	PA	✓ <8 yo	PA
Mometasone furoate (Asmanex [®] Twisthaler [®]) Contains dose counter	110 mcg, 220 mcg DPI	\$270	PA	PA	✓	PA	PA	PA

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ASTHMA (CONTINUED)								
Inhaled Beta-2 Adrenergic Agonist/Corticosteroid								
Budesonide/formoterol (Symbicort®) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	80-4.5 mcg/act, 160-4.5 mcg/act	\$270	✓	PA	PA	✓	PA	✓
Fluticasone/salmeterol (Advair Diskus®) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	100-50 mcg, 250-50 mcg, 500-50 mcg DPI	\$472	PA	✓ 100-50 only	PA	✓	PA	✓
Fluticasone/salmeterol (Advair HFA®) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	115-21 mcg/act, 230-21 mcg/act, 45-21mcg/act	\$295	PA	PA	PA	✓	PA	✓
Fluticasone/salmeterol (AirDuo RespiClick®) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	55-14 mcg, 113-14 mcg, 232-14 mcg	\$119	PA	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA
Mometasone/formoterol (Dulera® HFA) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	100-5 mcg/act, 200-5 mcg/act	\$252	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Beta-2 Adrenergic Agonists								
Albuterol Solution	2.5 mg/3 mL	\$28	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Albuterol (Preferred: Ventolin® HFA) <small>Contains dose counter</small>	90 mcg/act	\$58	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Leukotriene Receptor Antagonists								
Montelukast (Singulair®)	4 mg (Oral packet), 4, 5 mg (Chewable), 10 mg (Tablet)	\$44	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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ANXIETY DISORDERS/DEPRESSION								
Selective Serotonin Reuptake Inhibitors								
Escitalopram (Lexapro®)	5, 10, 20 mg	\$141	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fluoxetine (Prozac®)	10, 20, 40, 60 mg (capsules preferred)	\$78	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sertraline (Zoloft®)	25, 50, 100 mg	\$85	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Serotonin-Norepinephrine Reuptake Inhibitors								
Duloxetine (Cymbalta®)	20, 30, 60 mg (capsules preferred)	\$235	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓	✓

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ATTENTION DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)								
Stimulants								
Methylphenidate Immediate Release (Ritalin®)	5, 10, 20 mg	\$45	✓ ≥ 3 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Methylphenidate Long-Acting (Metadate CD®)	10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60 mg	\$174	✓ ≥ 6 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Methylphenidate Long-Acting (Ritalin LA®)	10, 60 mg 20, 30, 40 mg	\$346 \$174	PA	PA	PA	✓	PA	PA
Methylphenidate Long-Acting (Concerta®)	18, 27, 36, 54 mg	\$296	✓ ≥ 6 yo	✓	✓	PA	PA	✓ Brand Prefd
Dextroamphetamine-Amphetamine Immediate Release (Adderall®)	5, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 15, 20, 30 mg	\$51	✓ ≥ 3 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dextroamphetamine-Amphetamine Long-Acting (Adderall XR®)	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 mg	\$184	✓ ≥ 6 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓ Brand Prefd	✓
Dexmethylphenidate Immediate Release (Focalin®)	2.5, 5, 10 mg	\$29	✓ ≥ 6 yo	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dexmethylphenidate Long-Acting (Focalin XR®)	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 mg	\$282	PA	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓ Brand Prefd
Lisdexamfetamine (Vyvanse®)	10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70 mg	\$354	PA	✓	PA	PA	✓	✓

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Non-Stimulants								
Atomoxetine (Strattera [®])	10, 18, 25, 40, 60, 80, 100 mg	\$463	PA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clonidine (Catapres [®])	0.1 mg, 0.2 mg, 0.3 mg	\$15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clonidine ER (Kapvay [®])	0.1 mg	\$265	PA	✓	PA	PA	PA	PA
Guanfacine (Tenex [®])	1, 2 mg	\$34	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Guanfacine ER (Intuniv [®])	1, 2, 3, 4 mg	\$314	PA	✓	PA	✓	✓	✓

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ATOPIC DERMATITIS								
Class 7 Topical Corticosteroids-Least Potent								
Hydrocortisone External	0.5%, 0.1%, 2.5% Cream and Ointment; 1% Lotion	\$17	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Class 6 Topical Corticosteroids-Mild Potency								
Alclometasone diprionate (Acloivate®)	0.05% Cream, Ointment	\$30	PA	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Triamcinolone acetonide (Kenalog®)	0.025% Cream, Lotion	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Desonide (Desowen®)	0.05% Cream, Ointment, Lotion	\$85	PA	✓ Cream Oint	✓ Cream Oint	✓	PA	✓ Cream Oint
Fluocinolone acetonide (Derma-Smoothe/FS®)	0.01% Oil, Solution, 0.025% Cream	\$141	PA	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓

Classes 1-3 topical corticosteroids are not listed since most patients are treated with classes 4-7 topical corticosteroids.

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ATOPIC DERMATITIS								
Class 5 Topical Corticosteroids-Lower Mid Potency								
Triamcinolone acetonide (Kenalog®)	0.1% Cream	\$20	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fluticasone propionate (Cutivate®)	0.05% Cream	\$34	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Hydrocortisone valerate (Westcort®)	0.2% Cream	\$95	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Hydrocortisone butyrate (Locoid®)	0.1% Ointment	\$57	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Class 4 Topical Corticosteroids-Mid Potency								
Mometasone furoate (Elocon®)	0.1% Cream, Lotion	\$25	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Betamethasone valerate (Beta Val®)	0.1% Cream, Lotion	\$35	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fluocinolone acetonide (Synalar®)	0.025% Ointment	\$34	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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DIABETES								
Long Acting Insulin								
Insulin degludec (Tresiba®)	100, 200 units/mL Flextouch pen (3mL/pen)	\$872	PA	✓	PA	PA	PA	PA
Insulin detemir (Levemir®)	100 units/mL vial	\$352	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	✓
	100 units/mL Flextouch pen (3mL/pen)	\$529	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	✓
Insulin glargine (Basaglar®)	100 units/mL Kwikpen (3mL/pen)	\$391	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Insulin glargine (Lantus®)	100 units/mL vial	\$324	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	✓
	100 units/ml Solostar pen (3mL/pen)	\$485	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	✓

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DIABETES (CONTINUED)								
Intermediate Acting Insulin								
Insulin NPH (Humulin® N)	100 units/mL vial	\$178	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	100 units/mL KwikPen (3mL/pen)	\$566	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin NPH (Novolin® N)	100 units/mL vial	\$165	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Mixed Insulin								
Insulin aspart protamine/insulin aspart (Novolog 70-30®)	100 units/mL vial	\$348	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	100 units/mL Flexpen (3mL/pen)	\$645	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin lispro protamine/ insulin lispro (Humalog 50/50® and Humalog 75/25®)	100 units/mL vial	\$342	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	100 units/mL KwikPen (3mL/pen)	\$636	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin NPH/insulin regular (Humulin 70/30®)	100 units/mL vial	\$178	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	100 units/mL KwikPen (3mL/pen)	\$566	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin NPH/insulin regular (Novolin 70/30®)	100 units/mL vial	\$165	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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Short Acting Insulin								
Insulin aspart (Novolog®)	100 units/mL vials	\$348	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
	100 units/mL FlexTouch (3mL/pen)	\$645	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin aspart (Fiasp®)	100 units/mL vial	\$348	✓	✓	PA	PA	PA	PA
	100 units/ml FlexTouch pen (3mL/pen)	\$671	✓	✓	PA	PA	PA	PA
Insulin glulisine (Apidra®)	100 units/mL vial	\$324	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	PA
	100 units/ml SoloStar pen (3mL/pen)	\$626	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	PA
Insulin lispro (Humalog®)	100 units/mL vial	\$330	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
	100 units/mL KwikPen (3mL/pen)	\$637	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓
Insulin lispro (Admelog®)	100 units/mL vial	\$280	✓	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA
	100 units/mL SoloStar (3mL/pen)	\$541	✓	✓	✓ ≤ 18 yo	PA	PA	PA
Insulin regular (Humulin R®)	100 units/mL vial	\$178	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Insulin regular (Novolin R®)	100 units/mL vial	\$165	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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GASTROESOPHAGEAL REFLUX								
H2 Antihistamines								
Famotidine (Pepcid®)	10, 20, 40 mg 40 mg/5mL	\$15 \$58	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Ranitidine (Zantac®)	75, 150, 300 mg 15 mg/mL	\$35 \$28	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ 150 mg ✓	✓ ✓
Proton Pump Inhibitors								
Esomeprazole (Nexium®)	20 mg, 40 mg 20 mg OTC (Nexium® 24HR)	\$33 \$20	✓ ✓ 20 mg	PA ✓	PA ✓	PA ✓	PA PA	PA PA
Lansoprazole (Prevacid®)	15 mg, 30 mg Capsules 15 mg OTC (Prevacid® 24HR)	\$25 \$22	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ ✓	✓ PA	PA PA
	15, 30 mg Solutabs 3 mg/mL First® Lansoprazole	\$498 \$83	✓ PA	PA PA	PA ✓	PA ✓	PA PA	PA PA
Omeprazole (Prilosec®)	10, 20, 40 mg Capsules 2 mg/mL First® Omeprazole	\$19 \$72	✓ PA	✓ PA	✓ ✓	✓ PA	✓ PA	✓ PA

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HEAD LICE								
Topical Pediculocides								
Benzyl alcohol (Ulesfia [®])	5%	\$284	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA
Ivermectin lotion (Sklice [®])	0.5%	\$412	PA	PA	PA	PA	PA	✓
Malathion lotion (Ovide [®])	0.5%	\$266	✓	✓	✓	PA	✓	PA
Permethrin (Nix [®])	1%	\$15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pyrethrins/piperonyl butoxide (LiceMD [®] /RID [®])	0.33%-4%	\$10	✓	PA	✓	PA	✓	✓
Spinosad (Natroba [®])	0.9%	\$288	✓	PA	✓	✓	✓	✓

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ORAL ANTIBIOTICS								
Penicillins								
Amoxicillin	125, 250 mg chew	\$23	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250, 500 mg capsule	\$16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	125 mg/5mL, 250 mg/5 mL, 400 mg/5 mL	\$16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Amoxicillin/ Clavulanate (Augmentin™)	250 mg-62.5 mg/5mL, 400 mg-57 mg/5 mL	\$80	✓	✓	✓ 400-57mg/5mL	✓	✓	✓
	875 mg-125 mg	\$71	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Augmentin™ ES (Not interchangeable with other suspensions; Target clavulanic acid dose is 6.4mg/kg/day)	600 mg-42.9 mg/5mL (high dose amoxicillin only)	\$121	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Amoxicillin/ Clavulanate (Augmentin XR™) (Use for patients ≥ 40 kg)	1,000 mg-62.5 mg	\$112	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Penicillin V Potassium (Pen VK®)	125mg/5mL, 250 mg/5 mL	\$19	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250 mg, 500 mg	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cephalosporins								
Cephalexin (Keflex®)	250 mg, 500 mg (capsule preferred)	\$16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250 mg/5 mL	\$24	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cefdinir (Omnicef®)	300 mg	\$34	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250 mg/5 mL	\$38	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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Fluoroquinolones								
Ciprofloxacin (Cipro [®])	250 mg, 500 mg	\$18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250 mg/5 mL, 500 mg/5mL	\$174	PA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Levofloxacin (Levaquin [®])	250 mg, 500 mg	\$20	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	25mg/mL	\$105	PA	✓	✓	✓	PA	✓
Macrolides								
Azithromycin (Zithromax [®])	250 mg, 500 mg	\$20	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	100 mg/5mL, 200 mg/5 ml	\$35	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clarithromycin (Biaxin [®])	125 mg/5 mL, 250 mg/5mL	\$119	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	250 mg, 500 mg	\$35	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Erythromycin (E.E.S. [®] , Ery-Tab [®])	250 mg, 333 mg, 400 mg, 500 mg	\$303	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Erythromycin Ethylsuccinate (EryPed [®])	400 mg/5 mL	\$794	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	PA
Sulfonamides								
Sulfamethoxazole/ Trimethoprim (Bactrim [®])	400 mg-80 mg, 800 mg-160 mg	\$17	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	200 mg-40 mg/5 mL	\$30	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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Miscellaneous								
Clindamycin (Cleocin®)	75 mg, 150 mg	\$17	✓ 150 mg	✓	✓	✓	✓ 150 mg	✓
	75 mg/5 mL	\$41	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Metronidazole (Flagyl®)	250, 500 mg	\$16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nitrofurantoin monohydrate macrocrystal (MacroBid®)	100 mg	\$24	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nitrofurantoin (Furadantin®)	25 mg/5 mL	\$731	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
OTIC ANTIBIOTICS								
Otic Anti-infectives								
Ofloxacin	0.3% Floxin® Otic	\$308	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	0.3% Ocuflax® Opthl.	\$135	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone (Ciprodex®)	0.3/0.1% suspension	\$283	✓	✓	PA	✓	✓	✓
Ciprofloxacin (Cetraxal®)	0.2% solution	\$102	PA	✓	✓	PA	PA	PA

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