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Medicare Part D Formulary Change

The product changes noted below will be implemented on the Medicare Part D Plan for the following Express Scripts Medicare Part D clients:

Client Name	Rx Group Number
Commonwealth Care Alliance	CW2A

New Added Products: Effective 06/01/2010

Drug	Reason	Cost sharing**	Restrictions
AMANTADINE 50 MG/5 ML SYRUP	New Drug	Generic Tier	
AMPYRA ER 10 MG TABLET	New Drug	Specialty Tier	PA, LA
COARTEM TABLETS	New Drug	Preferred Brand Tier	
IMIQUIMOD 5% CREAM	New Drug	Generic Tier	
MINOCYCLINE ER 135 MG TABLET	New Drug	Generic Tier	
MINOCYCLINE ER 45 MG TABLET	New Drug	Generic Tier	
MINOCYCLINE ER 90 MG TABLET	New Drug	Generic Tier	
REVATIO 10 MG/12.5 ML VIAL	New Add	Specialty Tier	
TAMSULOSIN HCL 0.4 MG CAPSULE	New Drug	Generic Tier	
ZYPREXA RELPREVV 405 MG VIAL	New Drug	Specialty Tier	LA

Removed Products: Effective 06/01/2010

Drug	Reason	Alternative*
ACULAR 0.5% EYE DROPS	Generic Added	KETOROLAC
ACULAR LS 0.4% OPHTH SOL	Generic Added	KETOROLAC
ACULAR PF 0.5% EYE DROPS	Generic Added	KETOROLAC
PROGRAF 0.5 MG CAPSULE	Generic Added	TACROLIMUS
PROGRAF 1 MG CAPSULE	Generic Added	TACROLIMUS
PROGRAF 5 MG CAPSULE	Generic Added	TACROLIMUS
SUBUTEX 2 MG TABLET SL	Generic Added	BUPRENORPHINE
SUBUTEX 8 MG TABLET SL	Generic Added	BUPRENORPHINE
TRILEPTAL 300 MG/5 ML SUSP	Generic Added	OXCARBAZEPINE

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Cost Sharing Tier Updates: **There are no Cost Sharing Tier**

Updates this month.

Drug	New Tier	Previous Tier	Restrictions
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Future Removed Products:

Eff Date	Drug	Reason	Alternative*
07/01/2010	MIRAPEX 0.125 MG TABLET	Generic Added	PRAMIPEXOLE DI-HCL 0.125 MG TB
07/01/2010	MIRAPEX 0.25 MG TABLET	Generic Added	PRAMIPEXOLE DI-HCL 0.25 MG TAB
07/01/2010	MIRAPEX 0.5 MG TABLET	Generic Added	PRAMIPEXOLE DI-HCL 0.5 MG TAB
07/01/2010	MIRAPEX 1 MG TABLET	Generic Added	PRAMIPEXOLE DI-HCL 1 MG TABLET
07/01/2010	MIRAPEX 1.5 MG TABLET	Generic Added	PRAMIPEXOLE DI-HCL 1.5 MG TAB
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHEN-APAP 100-325 MG TB	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHEN-APAP 100-500 MG TB	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHEN-APAP 100-650 MG TB	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHENE HCL 65 MG CAP	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHENE-APAP 50-325 MG TB	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	PROPOXYPHENE-APAP 65-650 MG TB	FDA Action/Clinical Review	CODEINE, HYDROCODONE, TRAMADOL
07/01/2010	RISPERDAL M-TAB 1 MG ODT	Generic Added	RISPERIDONE 1 MG ODT

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