

# January 2023 Student Formulary – Preventive Care Medications with \$0 Copay Updates Effective 1/1/2023

# U.S. Preventive Services Task Force A & B Recommendations

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) requires that certain health plans cover essential health benefits (EHB) without charging a copayment, coinsurance, or deductible. EHBs include a variety of preventative services and medications and are outlined by US Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF) recommendations with an A or B rating. Based on the recommendations of USPSTF and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Wellfleet Rx has identified preventative medications to be covered under the pharmacy benefit and updates this list of medications and coverage criteria as needed.

USPSTF and CDC recommendation updates can occur at any time, and health plans have specified timelines to implement these recommendations in compliance with federal law. Plans that meet the definition of a "grandfathered" plan are not subject to EHB requirements. State specific requirements may vary. Wellfleet Rx will monitor for ACA-related guidance and updates to ensure compliance with all regulations.

### Standard EHB Zero Copay Table

All medications, including specified OTC items (e.g., aspirin, contraceptives, folic acid), included on the Wellfleet Rx EHB Zero Copay table are covered at zero copay if the member has a valid prescription; however, some medications are only covered at a zero copay for the population specified (e.g., specified age range). The table below contains the specific drug list contained in the EHB Zero Copay Table.

## Changes Effective 1/1/2023

#### Contraceptives

• Addition of Nextstellis

#### **Vaccines**

Addition of Priorix



Drug or Vaccine	Edit	Comments			
EHB Aspirin Drug List					
Aspirin	N/A	Generics only			
EHB Fluoride Drug List					
Fluoride	Age 6 months to 6 years	Generics only			
EHB Folic Acid Drug List					
Folic acid 0.4 mg, 0.8 mg, 1mg	N/A	Generics only			
EHB Contraceptives Drug List					
Oral and ring hormonal contraceptives	Step therapy (if applicable)	Generics and single-source brands (SSB)			
Transdermal contraceptives	N/A	Generics only (Xulane by Mylan)			
Other contraceptive forms	<ul> <li>Nexplanon: Limited to 1 per year</li> <li>Depo-Provera: Limited to 1 per 90 days</li> </ul>	Covered products include the following:  Depo-Provera  Liletta  Mirena  Nexplanon  ParaGard  Skyla  Phexxi			
EHB Barrier Contraceptives Drug List	EHB Barrier Contraceptives Drug List				
Barrier contraceptives	• Female condoms: 30 per 30 days	<ul> <li>Cervical cap</li> <li>Diaphragms</li> <li>Nonoxynol 9</li> <li>Female condoms</li> </ul>			

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EHB Breast Cancer Prevention Drug List			
<ul> <li>Raloxifene</li> <li>Tamoxifen</li> <li>Soltamox</li> <li>Anastrazole</li> <li>Exemestane</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Anastrazole: Age ≥ 35 years; limited to 1 per day</li> <li>Exemestane: Age ≥ 35 years; limited to 1 per day</li> <li>Raloxifene: Limited to 1 per day</li> </ul>	Brands and generics	
EHB Bowel Preparation Drug List			
FDA-approved bowel preparations, including but not limited to the following:  Bisacodyl Clenpiq PEG 3350 plus electrolytes (e.g., Colyte, Golytely, MoviPrep, Nulytely) Magnesium citrate Magnesium hydroxide OsmoPrep Plenvu Prepopik Sodium phosphate Suclear Suprep Sutab	<ul> <li>Age 45-75 years</li> <li>Quantity limit of 2 per year</li> </ul>	Brands and generics	
EHB HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrE			
<ul> <li>Truvada (emtricitabine, FTC/ tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, TDF)</li> <li>Apretude (cabotegravir) extended- release injectable suspension</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Generic Truvada: Quantity limit of 1 tablet per day</li> <li>Apretude: Quantity limit of 1 injection every 8 weeks</li> <li>No concurrent use of HIV medications for the treatment of HIV</li> </ul>		

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EHB Statin Drug List				
Low-moderate intensity statins  Altoprev (lovastatin ER) 20-60 mg  Crestor (rosuvastatin) 5-10 mg  Ezallor Sprinkle (rosuvastatin) 5- 10mg  Flolipid (simvastatin suspension) 20mg/5mL, 40mg/5mL  Lescol (fluvastatin) 20-40 mg, 40 mg twice daily  Lescol XL (fluvastatin) 80 mg  Lipitor (atorvastatin) 10-20 mg  Livalo (pitavastatin calcium) 1-4 mg  Mevacor (lovastatin) 20-40 mg  Pravachol (pravastatin) 10-80 mg  Zocor (simvastatin) 10-40 mg  Zypitamag (pitavastatin magnesium) 1-4 mg	<ul> <li>Age 40-75 years</li> <li>No concurrent use of secondary prevention medications*</li> <li>Quantity limited to statin dosages at low- to moderate-intensity</li> <li>Prior Authorization (Ezallor Sprinkle and Flolipid)</li> <li>Step Therapy (Altoprev, Ezallor Sprinkle, Lescol, Lescol XL, and Zypitamag)</li> <li>*Secondary prevention medications include:         <ul> <li>aspirin/dipyridamole (Aggrenox)</li> <li>clopidogrel (Plavix)</li> <li>dipyridamole</li> <li>nitroglycerin – oral, sublingual, transdermal, translingual</li> <li>prasugrel (Effient)</li> <li>Praluent</li> <li>Repatha</li> <li>ticagrelor (Brilinta)</li> <li>ticlopidine</li> <li>vorapaxar (Zontivity)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Generics and Livalo		
EHB Smoking Cessation Table				
bupropion (Zyban)	<ul><li>Age ≥ 18 years</li><li>Quantity limit</li></ul>	Generic only		
Varenicline (Chantix)	<ul><li>Age ≥ 18 years</li><li>Quantity limit</li></ul>	Brand and generic		
nicotine inhaler	<ul> <li>Age ≥ 18 years</li> <li>Quantity limit</li> <li>Step Therapy: trial of nicotine transdermal patch required</li> </ul>	ОТС		
nicotine spray	<ul> <li>Age ≥ 18 years</li> <li>Quantity limit</li> <li>Step Therapy: trial of nicotine transdermal patch required</li> </ul>	ОТС		

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nicotine gum or lozenge	<ul><li>Age ≥ 18 years</li><li>Quantity limit</li></ul>	ОТС
nicotine transdermal patches	<ul><li>Age ≥ 18 years</li><li>Quantity limit</li></ul>	ОТС
EHB Vaccines – Influenza Table		
Influenza vaccines	• 1 dose per 180 days	Flublok, Fluzone High Dose, Fluzone Intradermal, and Fluad will continue to have adult age edits
EHB Vaccines – Other Table		
COVID-19 (J&J/Janssen [Ad26]) (Moderna [mRNA]) (Pfizer [mRNA])	N/A	N/A
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis [DTaP] (Infanrix, Daptacel)	N/A	N/A
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis [DTaP]/Polio (Quadracel, Kinrix)	N/A	N/A
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis [DTaP]/Hepatitis B/Polio (Pediarix)	N/A	N/A
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis [DTaP]/ Polio/ Haemophilus influenzae type B/ Hepatitis B (Vaxelis)	N/A	N/A
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis [DTaP]/Polio/ <i>Haemophilus</i> <i>influenzae</i> type B (Pentacel)	N/A	N/A
Human papillomavirus (Gardasil, Gardasil 9)	<ul><li>Age 9-45 years</li><li>3 doses per 365 days</li></ul>	N/A
Hepatitis A (Vaqta, Havrix)	2 doses per 365 days	N/A
Hepatitis B (Engerix-B, Recombivax HB, Heplisav-B)	<ul> <li>3 doses per 365 days (Engerix-B Adult; Recombivax HB)</li> <li>2 doses per 365 days (Heplisav-B)</li> </ul>	N/A



Hepatitis B/Hepatitis A combo (TwinRix)	<ul><li>Age ≥18 years</li><li>4 doses per 365 days</li></ul>	N/A
Haemophilus influenzae type B (ActHIB, Hiberix, PedvaxHIB)	N/A	N/A
Measles, mumps, rubella (M-M-R II, Priorix)	2 doses per 365 days	N/A
Measles, mumps, rubella, varicella [MMRV](ProQuad)	N/A	N/A
Meningococcal serogroup B [MenB (Bexsero, Trumenba)]	<ul><li>Age 10-25 years</li><li>2 doses per 365 days (Bexsero)</li><li>3 doses per 365 days (Trumenba)</li></ul>	N/A
Meningococcal quadrivalent conjugate [MenACWY (Menactra, Menveo, MenQuadfi)]	<ul> <li>Age 11-23 years, unless required upon freshman admission</li> <li>1 dose per 365 days</li> </ul>	N/A
Pneumococcal polysaccharide (Pneumovax 23)	<ul> <li>1 dose per 365 days</li> <li>Age ≥ 19 years, if immunocompromised</li> </ul>	N/A
Pneumococcal conjugate (Prevnar 13, Prevnar 20, Vaxneuvance)	<ul> <li>Prevnar 20, Vaxneuvance:</li> <li>Age ≥ 65 years</li> <li>Age ≥ 19 years, if immunocompromised</li> </ul>	N/A
Poliovirus (Ipol)	N/A	N/A
Rotavirus (Rotarix, Rotateq)	N/A	N/A
Tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis [Tdap (Adacel, Boostrix)]	1 dose per 365 days	N/A
Tetanus, diphtheria [Td (Tenivac, Tdvax)]	• 1 dose per 365 days	N/A
Varicella (Varivax)	2 doses per 365 days	N/A
Zoster vaccine, recombinant (Shingrix)	<ul> <li>Age ≥ 50 years</li> <li>Age ≥ 19 years, if immunocompromised</li> <li>2 doses per 365 days</li> </ul>	N/A