

2025 Script Care Premier Plus Formulary Exclusion List Changes

This is not an all-inclusive list of exclusions for the SCL Premier Plus Formulary.

The excluded medications shown below are not covered on the SCL Premier Plus Formulary beginning **January 1, 2025** unless otherwise noted. If there is a clinical reason, identified by your doctor, that requires you to continue taking your current medication, your doctor can request a coverage review by contacting Script Care, Ltd. Member Services at 1-800-880-9988.

KEY: Brand-name drugs are listed in CAPITAL letters. Generic drugs are listed in lower case letters.

Single-Source Brand Exclusions

The following drug classes have new exclusions for January 1, 2025.

Drug class	Noncovered	Generics and preferred brand alternatives	Nonpreferred brand alternatives
Acne agents: retinoids & retinoid like agents	ALTRENO, RETIN-A GEL*, tretinoin microsphere gel 0.08%, TWYNEO CREAM	ABSORICA LD, adapalene/benzoyl peroxide gel 0.1-2.5%, isotretinoin products (including: accutane capsule, amnesteem capsule, claravis capsule, isotretinoin capsule, myorisan capsule, zenatane capsule), tretinoin cream, tretinoin gel 0.01%	AKLIEF
Acne and rosacea agents	clindamycin gel (generic CLINDAGEL), EPSOLAY*, FINACEA FOAM, ivermectin cream (generic SOOLANTRA), NORITATE CREAM*, RHOFADÉ*	azelaic acid gel, brimonidine gel, clindamycin gel (generic CLEOCIN-T), clindamycin lotion, clindamycin solution, clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide gel (refrigerated), erythromycin gel, erythromycin solution, metronidazole cream, metronidazole gel, neuac, rosadan, SOOLANTRA, ZILXI FOAM	AMZEEQ, WINLEVI
Allergic reaction (anaphylaxis) therapy	SYMJEPI*, EPIPEN, EPIPEN JR	AUVI-Q, epinephrine solution (generic EPIPEN)	
Antibiotics: tetracyclines	DORYX MPC*, MINOCYCLINE ER CAPSULE*, MINOLIRA*, SEYSARA, XIMINO*	doxycycline hyclate, doxycycline monohydrate, ORACEA	
Antidepressants: other	APLENZIN*, AUVELITY, BUPROPION ER (authorized generic of FORFIVO XL) *, DRIZALMA SPRINKLE*, FORFIVO XL*, VENLAFAXINE ER 112.5mg*	bupropion SR, bupropion XL, desvenlafaxine ER, duloxetine, venlafaxine, venlafaxine ER capsule	FETZIMA, TRINTELLIX
Antirheumatics	RASUVO	methotrexate injection, methotrexate tablet, OTREXUP, REDITREX	

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Asthma/COPD: combination agents	AIRDUO*, AIRDUO DIGIHALER*, AIRSUPRA, BEVESPI*, DUAKLIR*, FLUTICASON E FUROATE/VILANTEROL*, FLUTICASON E PROPIONATE/SALMETEROL HFA*	ADVAIR HFA, ANORO ELLIPTA, BREO ELLIPTA, breyna (generic SYMBICORT), BREZTRI, budesonide/formoterol (generic SYMBICORT), COMBIVENT, DULERA, FLUTICASON E PROPIONATE/SALMETEROL AEROSOL (authorized generic of AIRDUO), fluticasone propionate/salmeterol diskus (generic ADVAIR DISKUS), STIOLTO, TRELEGY, wixela	
Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) and narcolepsy	ADZENYS XR-ODT*, amphetamine/dextroamphetamine ER capsule (generic MYDAYIS) *, COTEMPLA XR-ODT*, DYANA VEL XR SUSP/TABLET, EVEKEO ODT, lisdexamfetamine, METHYLPHENIDATE ER TABLET (authorized generic of RELEXXII) *, methylphenidate ER capsule (generic APTENSIO XR) *, methylphenidate patch*, QELBREE, RELEXXII, SODIUM OXYBATE (authorized generic of XYREM by Amneal), WAKIX TABLET, XELSTRYM, XYREM	amphetamine/dextroamphetamine, amphetamine/dextroamphetamine XR, armodafinil, atomoxetine, AZSTARYS, dexmethylphenidate ER, dextroamphetamine solution, dextroamphetamine, JORNAY PM, methylphenidate, methylphenidate ER (generic CONCERTA), modafinil, QUILLICHEW ER, QUILLIVANT XR SUSPENSION, SUNOSI	LUMRYZ, SODIUM OXYBATE (authorized generic of XYREM by Hikma), XYWAV
Biologic agents: plaque psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis	ADALIMUMAB biosimilars (except ADALIMUMAB-AATY, ADALIMUMAB-ADAZ, HADLIMA, SIMLANDI) *, BIMZELX*, SILIQ*, SIMPONI 50mg*, TALTZ	ADALIMUMAB-AATY, ADALIMUMAB-ADAZ, COSENTYX, ENBREL, HADLIMA, HUMIRA, RINVOQ, RINVOQ LQ, SIMLANDI, SKYRIZI, SOTYKTU, STELARA, TREMFYA, XELJANZ/XR	CIMZIA, ORENCIA
Bladder incontinence	darifenacin ER, fesoterodine ER, GELNIQUE*, VESICARE LS SUSPENSION*	mirabegron, MYRBETRIQ GRANULES, MYRBETRIQ TABLET, oxybutynin, oxybutynin ER, oxybutynin syrup, solifenacin tablet, tolterodine, tolterodine ER, trospium, trospium ER	GEMTESA
Contraceptives: Oral	joyeaux, levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol/ferrous bisglycinate	generic oral contraceptives	
Contraceptives: Ring	eluryng, enilloring, etonogestrel/ethinly estradiol, haloette	NUVARING	
COPD: inhaled anticholinergics	LONHALA*, tiotropium (generic SPIRIVA HANDIHALER), TUDORZA*, YUPELRI	INCRUSE ELLIPTA, SPIRIVA HANDIHALER, SPIRIVA RESPIMAT	ATROVENT
Diabetes: combination agents	ALOGLIPTIN/METFORMIN*, ALOGLIPTIN/PIOGLITAZONE*, DAPAGLIFLOZIN/METFORMIN*, INVOKAMET*, INVOKAMET XR*, JENTADUETO*, JENTADUETO XR*, KAZANO*, OSENI*, QTERN*, saxagliptin/metformin XR*, SITAGLIPTIN/METFORMIN*, SEGLUROMET, STEGLUJAN*	glipizide/metformin, glyburide/metformin, GLYXAMBI, JANUMET, JANUMET XR, pioglitazone/metformin, SYNJARDY, SYNJARDY XR, TRIJARDY XR, XIGDUO XR	

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Diabetes: continuous glucose monitors	FREESTYLE LIBRE	DEXCOM	
Diabetes: glucose test strips	Abbott (FreeStyle, Precision), Roche (Accu-Chek), Nipro (TRUEtest, TRUEtrack)	Ascensia (Contour), Lifescan (OneTouch)	
Diabetes: intermediate and long-acting insulins	BASAGLAR, INSULIN DEGLUDEC (biologic by Novo Nordisk)*, INSULIN GLARGINE (biologic by Winthrop)*, INSULIN GLARGINE-YFGN*, LANTUS*, REZVOGLAR*	HUMULIN N, HUMULIN R U-500, LEVEMIR, NOVOLIN N, SEMGLEE-YFGN, TOUJEO, TRESIBA	
Diabetes: mixed insulins	INSULIN ASPART 70/30, INSULIN ASPART MIX, INSULIN LISPRO MIX*	HUMALOG MIX, HUMULIN 70/30, NOVOLIN 70/30, NOVOLOG MIX	
Diabetes: short-acting insulins	ADMELOG*, AFREZZA*, APIDRA*, INSULIN ASPART, INSULIN LISPRO*	FIASP, HUMALOG, HUMULIN R, NOVOLIN R, NOVOLOG, LYUMJEV	
Diabetes: sodium-glucose co-transporter 2 (SGLT2) inhibitors	BEXAGLIFLOZIN*, BRENZAVVY*, DAPAGLIFLOZIN (authorized generic of FARXIGA)*, INVOKANA*, STEGLATRO	FARXIGA, JARDIANCE	
Dry eyes	CEQUA, cyclosporine (generic RESTASIS), LACRISERT*, MIEBO, VEVYE, XIIDRA	EYSUVIS, RESTASIS SINGLE DOSE VIALS	TYRVAYA
Fish oil	icosapent ethyl (generic VASCEPA), omega-3-acid ethyl esters capsule	VASCEPA	
Glaucoma: ophthalmic alpha 2 agonists and combinations	brimonidine solution 0.1%, IOPIDINE SOLUTION*	apraclonidine solution, brimonidine solution 0.2%, SIMBRINZA	
Glaucoma: ophthalmic prostaglandins	bimatoprost, IYUZEH*, tafluprost, XELPROS*	latanoprost solution, LUMIGAN	VYZULTA
Hypnotics: non-benzodiazepines	DAYVIGO, doxepin (generic SILENOR), QUUVIVIQ, ramelteon	BELSOMRA, eszopiclone, tasimelteon, zaleplon, zolpidem, zolpidem ER	HETLIOZ LQ
Laxatives: bowel prep	CLENPIQ*, OSMOPREP TABLET*, peg 3350/kcl/nacl/na sulfate/na ascorbate-c (generic MOVIPREP), PLENVU*, SUFLAVE*	gavilyte-g solution, gavilyte-n solution, peg 3350/electrolytes solution, peg-3350/nacl/nabibcarbonate/kcl solution, sodium sulfate/potassium sulfate/magnesium sulfate (generic SUPREP)	SUTAB
Laxatives: CIC, IBS-C, OIC	IBSRELA*, lubiprostone (generic AMITIZA), MOTEGRITY*, RELISTOR	LINZESS, MOVANTIK, SYMPROIC, TRULANCE	
Menopausal Symptoms: Non-hormonal	VEOZAH	citalopram, desvenlafaxine ER, duloxetine, escitalopram, paroxetine, gabapentin, oxybutynin, venlafaxine	
Ophthalmic: anti-infectives	AZASITE*, CILOXAN OINTMENT*, MITOSOL*, TOBEX OINTMENT, ZIRGAN	BACITRACIN OINTMENT, BESIVANCE, ciprofloxacin solution, erythromycin ointment, gentamicin solution, moxifloxacin solution, NATACYN, ofloxacin solution, tobramycin solution, TRIFLURIDINE SOLUTION	

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Ophthalmic: nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory agents (NSAIDs)	ACUVAIL*, bromfenac 0.07%, NEVANAC*	diclofenac solution, ketorolac solution	ILEVRO
Ophthalmic: steroid combinations	TOBRADEX OINTMENT	neomycin/polymyxin/bacitracin/hydrocortisone ointment, neomycin/polymyxin/dexamethasone ointment, neomycin/polymyxin/dexamethasone suspension, tobramycin/dexamethasone suspension	ZYLET
Ophthalmic: steroids	difluprednate, FML FORTE*, FML OINTMENT*, INVELTYS, PRED FORTE*, PRED MILD*	DEXAMETHASONE SOLUTION, fluorometholone suspension, LOTEMAX OINTMENT, LOTEMAX SM GEL, loteprednol gel, loteprednol suspension, PREDNISOLONE SUSPENSION	FLAREX
Osteoporosis agents	TERIPARATIDE PEN-INJECTION 620 mcg/2.48ml	teriparatide pen-injection 600mcg/2.4ml, TYMLOS	
Pain: narcotic analgesics	buprenorphine patch, OXYCONTIN	BELBUCA, fentanyl patch, hydromorphone tablet, morphine ER, oxycodone, XTAMPZA ER	
Pancreatic enzymes	PANCREAZE, PERTZYE*, VIOKACE*	CREON, ZENPEP	
Testosterone products	ANDRODERM*, JATENZO, KYZATREX*, NATESTO NASAL*, TLANDO*, VOGELXO*	testosterone gel (generic ANDROGEL), testosterone gel 1.62% pump (generic ANDROGEL), testosterone solution, testosterone cypionate solution, testosterone enanthate solution, testosterone topical solution (generic AXIRON)	XYOSTED
Topical: retinoids	ARAZLO LOTION, FABIOR FOAM*, TAZAROTENE FOAM*	tazarotene cream 0.1%, tazarotene gel, TAZORAC CREAM 0.05%	
Topical: Plaque Psoriasis products	calcipotriene/betamethasone ointment, calcipotriene/betamethasone suspension*, WYNZORA, ZORYVE CREAM 0.3%	calcipotriene cream, calcipotriene solution, clobetasol cream, clobetasol ointment, clobetasol solution, ENSTILAR, halobetasol cream, tazarotene cream 0.1%, tazarotene gel, TAZORAC CREAM 0.05%	DUOBRII, VTAMA
Ulcer therapy: combinations packs	bismuth subcitrate/metronidazole/tetracycline, HELIDAC THERAPY*, OMECLAMOX-PAK*, VOQUEZNA DUAL PAK*, VOQUENZA TRIPLE PAK*	amoxicillin, clarithromycin, metronidazole, omeprazole, pantoprazole, TALICIA, tetracycline	VOQUEZNA TABLET
Weight Loss	CONTRAVE	phentermine	IMCIVREE, QSYMIA, SAXENDA, WEGOVY, ZEPBOUND

* Current 2024 exclusion in this class

Other standard	Rationale
Noncovered drugs strategies	
Bulk Powders (e.g., testosterone powder)	Compound drugs are prepared by mixing ingredients together to create an individualized medication for a specific patient. A common ingredient in compounds are bulk powders. Bulk powders are not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Drugs marketed without required FDA approval may not meet standards for safety, effectiveness and quality. Therefore, bulk powders are not covered under your drug benefit. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about FDA-approved drugs available for your condition.
Drugs deemed not safe and/or effective (e.g., carisoprodol, meprobamate)	These medications have been determined not safe or not effective by Prime's Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medications available for your condition.
General Exclusions (e.g. GEL-ONE, SOLIRIS, SYNVISIC, VYEPTI)	These products are no longer covered under your drug benefit. These products may not be covered because they are not appropriate for retail use, used for cosmetic purposes, not available as a prescription, or require healthcare administration. However, these products may be available over-the-counter or through your medical benefit. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about other medications available for your condition.
Institutional packs	These medications are no longer covered through your drug benefit because it is packaged for use or redistribution by an institution (e.g. hospital). Institutional packs are not intended for use or sale outside of an institution. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about a version of your medication that is packaged for use outside of an institution.
Non-FDA approved medications	These medications are no longer covered under your drug benefit because they are not approved as a drug by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Medications marketed without required FDA approval may not meet standards for safety, effectiveness and quality. Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist about FDA-approved medications available for your condition.
Repackaged medications	Repackaged products are not covered. Please talk to your pharmacist about a version of your medication that is not repackaged.

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effer-k	hydrocortisone acetate/pramoxine	keralyt shampoo 6%
ENLYTE	hematinic/folic acid	methenamine/hyoscyamine/methylene blue/sod phosphate/phenyl salicylate
esterified estrogens/ methyltestosterone	hydrocortisone acetate suppository	phenazopyridine tablet
folbee tab	hydroquinone cream	RESTORA RX
FOLIVANE-F/PLUS	hyoscyamine tablet/sublingual tablet/drops	sodium chloride 0.9% irrigation solution
folplex	HYPERSAL NEBULIER SOLUTION 3.5%	sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur 10-5%, 9.8-4.8%, 8-4% cleanser
FUSION PLUS	INTEGRA F/PLUS	urea 40% cream/lotion

Multi-Source Brand Exclusions

The generic equivalents of the following brand-name medications are covered on the Premier Plus Formulary. FDA- approved generic medications meet strict standards and contain the same active ingredients as their corresponding brand-name medications, although they may have a different appearance.

ALPHAGAN P	DYMISTA	PREVIDENT 5000 BOOSTER PLUS
APRISO	EPIPEN	PREZISTA
CAMBIA	GOLYTELY	PROMETRIUM
CIPRODEX	LASIX	RETIN -A
CLIMARA	LIVALO	SYMBICORT
COMBIGAN	MEDROL DOSEPAK	TAMIFLU
CYTOTEC	MYDAYIS	TRIMETHOPRIM
DAYTRANA	NORVIR	TROKENDI XR
DEPAKOTE	ONEXTON	VYVANSE
DERMA-SMOOTH/FS SCALP	PLEXION CLEANSER	YAZ

Tier 1 to Tier 3:

AMOXICILLIN/CLAVU CHEW TABLET	FLUOXETINE DR 90mg CAPSULE	PREDNISOLONE ODT TABLET
AMOXICILLIN CHEW 250mg TABLET	GAVILYTE-C SOLUTION	PRENATAL 27-1mg TABLET
AMOXICILLIN/CLAVULANATE ER	HC PRAMOXINE 1-1% CREAM	PROMETHEGAN 50MG SUPPOSITORY
CARBINOXAMINE SOLN 4mg/5ml	HYDROXYZINE PAM 100mg CAPSULE	SPINOSAD 0.9% SUSPENSION
CEPHALEXIN TABLET 500mg	M-NATAL PLUS TAB	TESTOSTERONE ENAN INJ
CIPROFLOXACIN 0.2% OPTH SOLN	MORPHINE SULF ER CAPSULES	TRANDOLAPRIL/VERAPAMIL HCL ER
CLEMASTINE 2.68mg TABLET	NITRO-BID 2% OINTMENT	VELIVET PAK
COMPLETE NAT PAK DHA	THYROID TABLET (NIVA,NP)	VERAPAMIL ER CAPSULE 100mg, 200mg, 300mg, 360mg
DEXAMETHASONE CON 1mg/ml, SOLUTION 0.5mg/5ml	OXYMORPHONE ER TABLET	ZOLPIDEM 3.5mg SUBLINGUAL TABLET
ERYTHROMYCIN EC 250mg CAPSULE	PENICILLN VK SOLUTION	

Tier 1 to Tier 2:

azithromycin powder 1gm pak

CLOMID

dexamethasone 0.1% ophthalmic solution

prednisolone 1% ophthalmic suspension

prednisone solution 5mg/5ml

sodium fluoride drops 0.5mg/ml

trifluridine 1% ophthalmic solution

Tier 2 to Tier 3:

ARMOUR THYROID

BENLYSTA

BYDUREON BCISE

COMBIPATCH

DEPO-ESTRADIOL

ELMIRON

EMVERM

FETZIMA

FLECTOR

FYCOMPA

LAGEVRIO

LICART

NAYZILAM

OCALIVA

PENTASA

PREVYMIS

PROMACTA

SANTYL

SAVELLA

SCEMBLIX

VALTOCO

VIVOTIF

SUCRAID

TAVALISSE

WEGOVY

XDEMZY

XHANCE

XYOSTED

XYWAV

ZEPBOUND

ZTLIDO

ZUBSOLV

Exclusions to Tier 2

CLIMARA PRO

CONTOUR NEXT

COSENTYX

ENTYVIO

ESTRING

FIASP

HADLIMA PUSHTOUCH

HUMALOG

LO LOESTRIN FE

NEXIUM

PREMARIN

PREMPRO

QUILLICHEW ER

QUILLIVANT XR

Excluded to Tier 3

ALKINDI SPRINKLE

INTRAROSA

RHOPRESSA

CABTREO

KEVZARA

ROCKLATAN

CIMZIA

ORENCIA

TIROSINT

ENVARUSUS XR

OSHENA

VUITY

GOCOVRI

PROCTOFOAM HC

XADAGO

Tier 3 to Tier 2

BELSOMRA

LOTEMAX SM

REYVOW

CLINPRO 5000

LUMIGAN

SIMBRINZA

DEPO-TESTOSTERONE

PHENYTEK

SYNTHROID

DIFICID

RESTASIS

VRAYLAR

JORNAY PM

REXULTI