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Commercial Pharmacy Benefit Exclusion for Fluticasone-Salmeterol

Effective March 23, 2023, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus (Blue Cross) does not cover these medications under the pharmacy benefit. Members must use a medication alternative that is covered under the pharmacy benefit plan or pay full price for use of the medication. A summary of the excluded medications and preferred formulary alternatives can be found below.

Excluded Medications	Preferred Formulary Alternatives
Fluticasone-Salmeterol Inhalation Aerosol - 45-21 mcg/actuation; 115-21 mcg/actuation; 230-21 mcg/actuation (authorized generic of Advair HFA)	Advair HFA Aerosol (fluticasone-salmeterol) - 45-21 mct/actuation; 115-21 mcg/actuation; 230-21 mcg/actuation

Products Impacted

These exclusions apply to the commercial lines of business.

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact provider services at (651) 662-5200 or 1-800-262-0820.

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