

## CARDIOVASCULAR AGENTS

Generic Name	Brand Name	Strength	Usual Dosing	90 Day Cost	Per Unit Cost	Coverage	
						Pharmacare	NIHB
<b>Lipid Lowering Agents</b>							
Atorvastatin	Lipitor	10mg	Daily	\$16	\$0.18	Y	Y
Atorvastatin	Lipitor	20mg	Daily	\$21	\$0.23	Y	Y
Atorvastatin	Lipitor	40mg, 80mg	Daily	\$22	\$0.25	Y	Y
Ezetimibe	Ezetrol	10mg	Daily	\$17	\$0.19	Y	Y
Pravastatin	Pravachol	20mg	Daily	\$33	\$0.36	Y	Y
Rosuvastatin	Crestor	10mg	Daily	\$13	\$0.14	Y	Y
Rosuvastatin	Crestor	20mg	Daily	\$16	\$0.18	Y	Y
Rosuvastatin	Crestor	40mg	Daily	\$19	\$0.21	Y	Y
Simvastatin	Zocor	20mg, 40mg	Daily	\$24	\$0.26	Y	Y
<b>β-Blockers</b>							
Atenolol	Tenormin	50mg	Daily	\$9	\$0.10	Y	Y
Atenolol	Tenormin	100mg	Daily	\$17	\$0.19	Y	Y
Bisoprolol	Monacor	5mg	Daily	\$6	\$0.06	Y	Y
Bisoprolol	Monacor	10mg	Daily	\$8	\$0.09	Y	Y
Carvedilol	Coreg	3.125mg, 6.25mg, 12.5mg, 25mg	BID	\$39	\$0.22	Y	Y
Metoprolol	Lopresor	25mg	BID	\$12	\$0.07	Y	Y
Metoprolol	Lopresor	50mg	BID	\$12	\$0.07	Y	Y
Metoprolol	Lopresor	100mg	BID	\$26	\$0.15	Y	Y
Metoprolol SR	Lopresor SR	100mg	Daily	\$19	\$0.21	Y	Y
Metoprolol SR	Lopresor SR	200mg	Daily	\$35	\$0.39	Y	Y
<b>Calcium Channel Blockers (mainly vascular effects)</b>							
Amlodipine	Norvasc	5mg	Daily	\$13	\$0.14	Y	Y
Amlodipine	Norvasc	10mg	Daily	\$19	\$0.21	Y	Y
Nifedipine XL	Adalat XL	30mg	Daily	\$58	\$0.65	Y	Y
Nifedipine XL	Adalat XL	60mg	Daily	\$89	\$0.98	Y	Y
<b>Calcium Channel Blockers (mainly cardiac effects)</b>							
Diltiazem CD	Cardizem CD	120mg	Daily	\$38	\$0.43	Y	Y
Diltiazem CD	Cardizem CD	180mg	Daily	\$51	\$0.57	Y	Y
Diltiazem CD	Cardizem CD	240mg	Daily	\$68	\$0.75	Y	Y
Diltiazem ER	Tiazac ER	120mg	Daily	\$22	\$0.25	Y	Y
Diltiazem ER	Tiazac ER	180mg	Daily	\$30	\$0.33	Y	Y
Diltiazem ER	Tiazac ER	240mg	Daily	\$40	\$0.44	Y	Y
Verapamil	Isoptin	80mg	TID	\$78	\$0.29	Y	Y
Verapamil	Isoptin	120mg	TID	\$121	\$0.45	Y	Y
Verapamil	Isoptin SR	120mg	Daily	\$65	\$0.72	Y	Y
Verapamil	Isoptin SR	240mg	Daily	\$54	\$0.60	Y	Y

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<b>Angiotensin Converting Enzyme Inhibitors (ACEIs)</b>							
Cilazapril	Inhibace	5mg	Daily	\$47	\$0.52	Y	Y
Enalapril	Vasotec	10mg	Daily	\$31	\$0.34	Y	Y
Fosinopril	Monopril	20mg	Daily	\$50	\$0.55	Y	Y
Lisinopril	Zestril	20mg	Daily	\$66	\$0.74	Y	Y
Perindopril	Coversyl	4mg	Daily	\$19	\$0.21	Y	Y
Perindopril	Coversyl	8mg	Daily	\$27	\$0.30	Y	Y
Ramipril	Altace	2.5mg, 5mg	Daily	\$8	\$0.09	Y	Y
Ramipril	Altace	10mg	Daily	\$10	\$0.11	Y	Y
<b>Combination ACEI + Diuretic</b>							
Enalapril/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Vaseretic	10mg/25mg	Daily	\$102	\$1.13	Y	Y
Lisinopril/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Prinzide	20mg/12.5mg, 20mg/25mg	Daily	\$66	\$0.74	Y	Y
Perindopril/Indapamide	Coversyl Plus	4mg/1.25mg	Daily	\$24	\$0.27	Y	Y
Perindopril/Indapamide	Coversyl Plus HD	8mg/2.5mg	Daily	\$27	\$0.30	Y	Y
<b>Angiotensin II Receptor Blockers (ARBs)</b>							
Candesartan	Atacand	8mg, 16mg, 32mg	Daily	\$22	\$0.24	Y	Y
Irbesartan	Avapro	75mg, 150mg, 300mg	Daily	\$22	\$0.24	Y	Y
Losartan	Cozaar	25mg, 50mg, 100mg	Daily	\$30	\$0.33	Y	Y
Telmisartan	Micardis	40mg, 80mg	Daily	\$20	\$0.23	Y	Y
Valsartan	Diovan	80mg, 160mg	Daily	\$20	\$0.23	Y	Y
<b>Combination ARB + Diuretic</b>							
Candesartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Atacand Plus	16mg/12.5 mg	Daily	\$20	\$0.23	Y	Y
Irbesartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Avalide	300mg/25mg	Daily	\$21	\$0.23	Y	Y
Irbesartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Avalide	150mg/12.5mg, 300mg/12.5mg	Daily	\$22	\$0.24	Y	Y
Losartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Hyzaar	50mg/12.5mg, 100mg/25 mg	Daily	\$30	\$0.33	Y	Y
Losartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Hyzaar	100mg/12.5mg	Daily	\$29	\$0.32	Y	Y
Telmisartan/ Hydrochlorothiazide	Micardis Plus	80mg/12.5mg, 80mg/25mg	Daily	\$20	\$0.22	Y	Y

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<b>Diuretics</b>							
Chlorthalidone	Hygroton	50mg	1/4 Daily	\$3	\$0.14	Y	Y
Furosemide	Lasix	20mg	Daily	\$2	\$0.02	Y	Y
Furosemide	Lasix	40mg	Daily	\$3	\$0.03	Y	Y
Hydrochlorothiazide	Hydrodiuril	12.5mg	Daily	\$3	\$0.03	Y	Y
Hydrochlorothiazide	Hydrodiuril	25mg	Daily	\$1	\$0.02	Y	Y
Indapamide	Lozide	1.25mg	Daily	\$7	\$0.08	Y	Y
Indapamide	Lozide	2.5mg	Daily	\$11	\$0.12	Y	Y
Spirolactone	Aldactone	25mg	Daily	\$8	\$0.09	Y	Y
Spirolactone	Aldactone	100mg	Daily	\$18	\$0.20	Y	Y
<b>Antiplatelet Agents</b>							
ASA-EC	Aspirin	81mg	Daily	\$5	\$0.06	N	Y
ASA-EC	Aspirin	325mg	Daily	\$3	\$0.03	N	Y
Clopidogrel	Plavix	75mg	Daily	\$25	\$0.28	Y	Y
Ticagrelor	Brilinta	90mg	BID	\$292	\$1.62	Y- Part 2	Y <sup>1</sup>
<b>Anticoagulants</b>							
Apixaban	Eliquis	2.5mg, 5mg	BID	\$309	\$1.72	Y-EDS	Y-PA <sup>2</sup>
Dabigatran	Pradaxa	110mg, 150mg	BID	\$237	\$1.32	Y-EDS	Y-PA <sup>2</sup>
Edoxaban	Lixiana	30mg, 60mg	Daily	\$268	\$2.98	Y-EDS	Y-PA <sup>2</sup>
Rivaroxaban	Xarelto	15mg, 20mg	Daily	\$268	\$2.98	Y-EDS	Y-PA <sup>2</sup>
Warfarin	Coumadin	5mg <sup>dose variable</sup>	Daily	\$14	\$0.16	Y	Y

<sup>1</sup> NIHB coverage limited to 12 months. Continued coverage beyond one year upon receipt of rationale for continuation of therapy from the prescriber.

<sup>2</sup> For patients with non-valvular atrial fibrillation (AF) for the prevention of stroke and systemic embolism AND in whom: (a) Anticoagulation is inadequate following a reasonable trial on warfarin; OR (b) Anticoagulation with warfarin is contraindicated or not possible due to inability to regularly monitor via International Normalized Ratio (INR) testing (i.e. no access to INR testing services at a laboratory, clinic, pharmacy, and at home)

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