

PEBTF Specialty Preferred Drug Step Therapy List

As part of the Specialty Guideline Management program, your doctor needs to request prior authorization for specialty drugs before they will be covered by your prescription benefits. The prior authorization process helps ensure that you are receiving the appropriate drugs for the treatment of specific conditions. Also, you need to try a preferred product before your prescription benefits will cover one of the targeted products listed below.

Please talk to your doctor about the covered medications that are right for you. Your doctor should call CVS Specialty® at **1-866-814-5506** to request prior authorization. The prior authorization line is for your doctor's use only.

The step therapy program encourages utilization of clinically appropriate and lowest net cost medications within the following therapeutic categories.

Drug Class	Targeted Product(s)	Preferred Product(s)
Autoimmune Physician-administered	Avsola, Cimzia IV, Inflectra, Renflexis Actemra IV, Orencia IV Ilumya Entyvio	Remicade, Simponi Aria, Stelara IV Remicade, Simponi Aria Remicade Remicade, Stelara IV
Autoimmune Self-administered Ankylosing spondylitis	Simponi, Taltz, Xeljanz/XR	Cosentyx, Enbrel, Humira, Rinvoq, Cimzia ¹
Crohn's	None	Humira, Stelara, Cimzia ¹
Psoriasis	Cosentyx, Enbrel, Siliq	Humira, Otezla, Skyrizi, Stelara, Taltz, Tremfya, Cimzia ¹
Psoriatic arthritis	Orencia SQ/Click, Simponi, Taltz, Xeljanz/XR	Cosentyx, Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi, Stelara SQ, Tremfya, Cimzia ¹
Rheumatoid arthritis	Actemra, Kineret, Olumiant, Simponi	Enbrel, Humira, Kevzara, Orencia SQ/Click, Rinvoq, Xeljanz/XR, Cimzia ¹
Ulcerative colitis	Simponi	Humira, Rinvoq ² , Stelara, Xeljanz/XR ² , Zeposia
Non-Radiographic Axial Spondyloarthritis (Nr-axSpA)	Taltz	Cimzia, Cosentyx
All other	Actemra, Kineret, Orencia SQ/Click	Enbrel, Humira

1. Available after failure of two other preferred products.

2. Available after failure of Humira.

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