

# NYRx Preferred Diabetic Agents

## What Prescribers Need to Know

Our records indicate you are prescribing non-preferred diabetic agents in one of the following diabetic drug classes. To reduce the need for prior authorization, please consider switching your NYRx (Medicaid) patients to preferred agents.

## What Pharmacies Need to Know

To reduce the need for prior authorizations, please consider discussing the preferred alternatives with the provider’s office before sending a request for prior authorization.

## NYRx Preferred Agents

The following table displays a quick list of preferred agents. Drugs in this program may be subject to prior authorization requirements of other pharmacy programs, notated by red superscript: **BLTG** – Brand Less Than Generic Program; **CC** – Clinical Criteria; **DO** – Dose Optimization; **F/Q/D** – Frequency Quantity Duration; **ST** – Step Therapy; **CDRP** – Clinical Drug Review Program.

This list is subject to change. For the most recent updates and specific criteria rules, see the [NYRx Preferred Drug List](#).

NYRx Preferred Diabetic Agents	
<b>Biguanides</b>	
Glumetza <sup>BLTG</sup>	
metformin ER (generic Glucophage XR®)	
metformin HCl	
<b>Dipeptidyl Peptidase-4 (DPP-4) Inhibitors<sup>ST</sup></b>	
Glyxambi®	
Janumet®	
Janumet® XR	
Januvia® <sup>DO</sup>	
Jentadueto®	
Jentadueto® XR	
Kazano® <sup>BLTG</sup>	
Kombiglyze® XR <sup>BLTG</sup>	

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<b>Dipeptidyl Peptidase-4 (DPP-4) Inhibitors <sup>ST</sup> (Continued)</b>
Nesina® <sup>BLTG</sup>
Onglyza <sup>BLTG, DO</sup>
Oseni® <sup>BLTG</sup>
Tradjenta®
<b>Glucagon Agents</b>
Baqsimi
glucagon HCl emergency kit (Fresenius)
glucagon (vial)
Gvoke® (pen, syringe, vial)
Zegalogue® (pen, syringe)
<b>Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 (GLP-1) Agonists <sup>CC, ST</sup></b>
Byetta®
Ozempic®
Trulicity®
Victoza®
<b>Insulin – Long-Acting</b>
insulin glargine solostar, vial (generic Lantus® Solostar®, vial)
Lantus® Solostar®, vial
Levemir®
<b>Insulin – Mixes</b>
Humalog® 50/50 Mix: pen and vial
Humalog® 75/25 Mix: vial
insulin aspart prot/insulin aspart: vial, pen (generic Novolog®)
insulin lispro 75/25 mix: pen (generic Humalog® Mix)
<b>Insulin – Rapid-Acting</b>
Apidra®
Humalog® Jr. 100 U/mL Kwikpen
Humalog® 100 U/mL (cartridge, pen, vial, Tempo™)
insulin aspart (generic Novolog®) cartridge, vial, pen
insulin lispro (generic Humalog® U100) vial, pen
insulin lispro junior (generic Humalog® Jr.)
Novolog® (cartridge, vial, FlexPen)
<b>Sodium Glucose Co-Transporter 2 (SGLT2) Inhibitors <sup>ST</sup></b>
Farxiga®

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Sodium Glucose Co-Transporter 2 (SGLT2) Inhibitors <sup>ST</sup> (Continued)
Invokamet® <sup>1</sup>
Invokamet® XR <sup>1</sup>
Invokana®
Jardiance®
Synjardy® <sup>1</sup>
Synjardy® XR <sup>1</sup>
Trijardy® XR <sup>1</sup>
Xigduo® XR <sup>1</sup>
Thiazolidinediones (TZDs) <sup>ST</sup>
pioglitazone

## Resources

- [NYRx Education & Outreach Website](#)
- [NYRx Preferred Drug List](#)

## Contact Information

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