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## Custom Select Drug List option:

### A PRESCRIPTION FOR SAVINGS FOR LARGE GROUPS

Prescription drug coverage is an important component of your health care benefits. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan's Custom Select Drug List offers you a lower cost option for providing this coverage to your employees, while giving them the right access to improved care.

The Custom Select Drug List option covers most generic drugs and a selection of brand-name drugs chosen based on their clinically proven effectiveness, safety and value. The Custom Select Drug List is designed to include most therapeutic categories and provide doctors with ample prescribing options. In addition, Blue Cross pharmacists review and update the drug list regularly to keep pace with the ever-changing prescription drug market.

#### Features of the Custom Select Drug List program:

- Groups achieve average annual prescription drug spend savings of 5% over similar benefit designs administered without the Custom Select Drug List.
- Members have the convenience of one identification card for both pharmacy and medical coverage.
- Member coinsurance at participating pharmacies is based on discounted prices Blue Cross negotiates, which are typically well below average retail prices.
- Certain medications that aren't medically necessary or have more cost-effective generic equivalents or alternatives available are excluded. Some examples include:
  - Brand-name drugs with available generic equivalents
  - Erectile dysfunction and weight loss drugs
  - Most over-the-counter drugs, except preventive drugs mandated by the Affordable Care Act
  - Brand-name acid-reflux drugs

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## With Blue Cross pharmacy benefits, your employees will have access to:

- **Affordable prescription drug coverage** — Employees get coverage for drugs like antibiotics, contraceptives, asthma inhalers, self-administered injections and much more.
- **Extensive retail pharmacy network** — Employees can choose from a network of more than 65,000 participating pharmacies, including retail chains, nationwide.
- **Preventive drugs for adults and children** — All Blue Cross prescription drug programs include coverage for select preventive drugs with no cost-sharing at participating pharmacies. Your employees won't pay copayments, coinsurance or deductibles for these medications, subject to plan requirements.
- **Convenient mail-order and 90-day retail service** — Employees save \$10 on each fill of a three-month supply of their medications from Optum Home Delivery or any retail pharmacy participating in our 90-day retail network.
- **Specialty pharmacy program** — Employees have easy and convenient access to specialty drugs through Walgreens Specialty Pharmacy or participating retail pharmacies. As most specialty drugs require special handling, administration and monitoring, these costly medications may not be readily available at the local drug store. Blue Cross' preferred specialty mail-order provider, Walgreens Specialty Pharmacy, offers delivery of the specialty drug and all necessary supplies to your employee's home, office or workplace at no additional cost.



## Easy and convenient online services:

Employees can log into their member accounts through our mobile app or at [bcbsm.com](https://bcbsm.com) to take advantage of features like:

- Participating pharmacy and drug coverage search
- Claims history and profile view
- Optum Home Delivery refill requests

If you have any questions about the Custom Select Drug List option, please call your Blue Cross sales representative.

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