



Missouri Pharmacy Program – Preferred Drug List



Beta Adrenergic Blockers and Diuretic Combinations

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Preferred Agents

- Acebutolol HCl
- Atenolol
- Atenolol / Chlorthalidone
- Bisoprolol
- Bisoprolol / HCTZ
- Carvedilol
- **Hemangeol® Solution**
- Labetalol HCl
- Metoprolol Tartrate
- Metoprolol Succinate (XL)
- Metoprolol / HCTZ
- **Nadolol**
- Propranolol
- Propranolol / HCTZ
- Propranolol Solution
- Sorine®
- Sotalol / Sotalol AF

Non-Preferred Agents

- Betapace / Betapace AF®
- Betaxolol HCl
- Bystolic®
- Byvalson®
- Carvedilol ER
- Coreg®
- Coreg CR®
- Corgard®
- Corzide®
- Dutoprol®
- Inderal LA® / XL®
- Innopran XL®
- Levatol®
- **Kaspargo Sprinkle**
- Lopressor®
- Lopressor HCT®
- Nadolol/Bendroflumethiazide
- Pindolol
- Propranolol ER / LA
- Sotylize®
- Tenoretic®
- Tenormin®
- Timolol Maleate
- Toprol XL®
- Ziac®

Approval Criteria

- Failure to achieve desired therapeutic outcomes with trial on 3 or more preferred agents
 - Documented trial period for preferred agents
 - Documented ADE/ADR to preferred agents

Approval Criteria Continued

- Documented compliance on current therapy regimen
- Diagnosis of Heart Failure
 - Trial and Failure on carvedilol BID for 30 days then access to Coreg CR
- Bystolic – available after trial on one vasodilating alpha/beta-adrenergic blocking agents
 - labetalol
 - carvedilol

Denial Criteria

- Lack of adequate trial on required preferred agents
- Therapy will be denied if no approval criteria are met
- Drug Prior Authorization Hotline: (800) 392-8030