

Information about the launch of generic Advair HFA

Effective March 4, 2023, generic Advair HFA (fluticasone propionate/salmeterol) is not covered or may require step therapy for CarePlus patients. Brand-name Advair HFA will continue to be covered and can be filled for your patients.

Prescribers with questions may call 1-866-315-7587, Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m., Eastern Time.

Prescriber frequently asked questions on generic Advair HFA

1. Q: Is generic Advair HFA (fluticasone propionate/salmeterol) being covered at the pharmacy?

A: For CarePlus plans, brand-name Advair HFA is covered and can be filled for your patients. Generic Advair HFA (fluticasone propionate/salmeterol) is not covered or may require step therapy.

2. Q: Why isn't fluticasone propionate/salmeterol covered?

A: CarePlus decided not to cover fluticasone propionate/salmeterol at this time; brand-name Advair HFA is on the formulary.

- 3. Q: Can I request an exception for fluticasone propionate/salmeterol?
 - **A:** Yes, but the cost share for fluticasone propionate/salmeterol may be the same as or higher than brand-name Advair HFA.
- 4. Q: Will fluticasone propionate/salmeterol be covered in the future?
 A: CarePlus may cover fluticasone propionate/salmeterol at some point in the future.
- 5. Q: Whom do I call if I have additional questions about generic Advair HFA?

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