



To: Kaiser Permanente Network Physicians
Kaiser Permanente Pharmacies

Date: January 10th, 2025

Subject: Notice Part D Negative Formulary Change-
Effective February 1st, 2025

As a part of our due diligence to inform all concerned of Medicare Part D Formulary Changes, CMS requests the following notification to be sent to all Providers.

Medicare Part D Benefit Coverage – Negative Formulary Change

During the year, Kaiser Permanente may update our Medicare Part D Formulary (Drug List). As a participating Provider in the Kaiser Permanente Part D program, the list below is intended to inform you of these changes.

Effective February 1st, 2025, the following changes will take place to KP Medicare Part D Formulary:

➤ **Formulary Product Removal**

- a. Brand-name drug **Sprycel** Tabs (20 mg, 50 mg, 70 mg, 80 mg, 100 mg and 140), Tier 5, is replaced with generic **dasatinib** Tabs (20 mg, 50 mg, 70 mg, 80 mg, 100mg and 140 mg), Tier 5.
- b. Brand-name drug **Lucemyra** (0.18 mg tablet), Tier 5, is replaced with generic **lofexidine** 0.18 mg Tabs, Tier 5.
- c. Original biological product **Humira (2 Syringe) Pskt 40 MG/0.4ML** , Tier 5, to be replaced with biosimilar Simlandi (2 Syringe) Pskt 40 MG/0.4ML, Tier 5.

Change applies to new starts only – Affected members will be grandfathered unless member was prescribed the new product before the effective date of the change.

Negative formulary changes from the Medicare Part D Formulary for 2025.

Reason for change	Drug Name/Description	Date and Type of Change:	Alternate Drug (Note: Medicare Part D benefit does not cover Over-the-counter (OTC) drugs)
Generic Available	Sprycel TABS (20 mg, 50 mg, 70 mg, 80 mg, 100mg and 140 mg)	February 1st, 2025 Brand drug to be replaced with generic	Dasatinib Tabs (20 mg, 50 mg, 70 mg, 80 mg, 100 mg and 140)
Generic Available	Lucemyra 0.18 mg	February 1st, 2025 Brand drug to be replaced with generic	Lofexidine 0.18 mg
Generic Available	Humira (2 syringes) PSKT 40 mg/0.4ml	February 1st, 2025 Brand drug to be replaced with generic	Simlandi (2) PSKT 40 MG/0.4ML