

# LEARN MORE ABOUT NAVITUS PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFITS

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# How do I fill my prescription?

#### At a Network Pharmacy

- You can find a list of network pharmacies at <u>www.navitus.com/members</u>. Register using your Anthem ID card.
- Your network includes most independent and all major chain pharmacies except Walgreens.

#### With Costco Mail Order

- To obtain a 90-day supply of maintenance drugs, register at <a href="www.costco.com/pharmacy">www.costco.com/pharmacy</a>. You can also call 1.800.607.6861, available Monday Friday from 5:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- Costco ships within five business days.
- You do not need to be a Costco member to use Costco pharmacies.

#### > Specialty Pharmacy

Specialty drugs are high-cost prescription medications used to treat complex, chronic conditions like cancer, rheumatoid arthritis, and multiple sclerosis. Specialty drugs sometimes require special handling and administration (typically injection or infusion). You can contact Navitus at 1.866.333.2757 to confirm whether you need to use a specialty pharmacy. Navitus is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (closed Thanksgiving and Christmas Day).



### **How Much Will It Cost?**

Type of Medication / Supply	Copay
Generic / 30-day supply (applies to most generic drugs)	\$0 at Costco \$5 at Other Network
Brand / 30-day supply	\$20
Specialty / 30-day supply	\$20
Mail Order / 90-day supply	\$0 Generic \$50 Brand

#### **EXCEPTIONS:**

- If the price of the medication is less than the copay amount, you will pay the lesser amount.
- For specialty drugs, initial fills are for 15 days.
- For mail order, initial fills are for 30 days.



## What drugs are covered?

- > You can find a list of drugs that are covered by your plan at <a href="https://www.navitus.com/member">www.navitus.com/member</a>. You can register using your Anthem ID card.
- > Some drugs require prior authorization. Your doctor can call Navitus at 1.866.333.2757 to obtain approval. Navitus reviews requests within two business days. If your doctor does not provide the information required by Navitus within the two days, the process may take longer.
  - If your medication requires an authorization from Navitus, and the medication is urgently needed, you can pay out-of-pocket and request reimbursement from Navitus once the authorization is provided. You will be reimbursed the Navitus-contracted rate, which may be less than you paid out-of-pocket. Paying for only the amount of days supply needed will ensure that you don't pay more than necessary. Please note that Walgreens is not a contracting pharmacy.
- > Authorization of some drugs requires trying alternative medication first. When filling a drug that requires "step therapy", your pharmacist will be prompted to call your doctor about the alternative drug. If you have completed step therapy previously, you should ask your doctor to contact Navitus to request an exception to coverage and provide history details of medications already tried that did not work.
- Exceptions to coverage may be granted for drugs that are not otherwise covered. Medications may also be entirely be excluded from coverage based on Navitus' review of the safety, effectiveness, and cost of the medication. Certain weight loss medications are not required to be covered and Wegovy is not currently covered.



# What conditions / drugs commonly required prior authorization or step therapy?

#### **Prior Authorization**

- Acne Treatment
- Chronic Inflammatory Disease
- Non-Preferred Blood Glucose Test Strips
- Non-Preferred Insulins
- Testosterone
- Oral Cancer Therapy
- Topical Steroids
- Dermatologic Specialty

#### **Step Therapy**

- Anti-Diabetics
- Asthma Rescue Inhalers
- Migraine
- Glaucoma
- Tetracyclines

Call Navitus at 1.866.333.2757 for all questions about your prescription drug benefit questions including prior authorization, step therapy, or to seek an exception to coverage.

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