



ODG Drug Formulary Complimentary Stakeholder Access

Introduction: What is the ODG Drug Formulary?

The ODG Drug Formulary, developed by ODG by MCG, is a reference tool designed to guide appropriate medication use for work-related illnesses and injuries. It is grounded in evidence-based medical treatment and includes commonly used FDA-approved drugs relevant to workers' compensation.

This complimentary version offers view-only access for stakeholders considering state adoption. It does not include other ODG subscription features like treatment guidelines or predictive modeling.

Website: www.odgbymcg.com/state-formulary.

Getting Started at odgbymcg.com/state-formulary

On the landing page, users can:

- Browse and search for drugs using class, name, or status filters
- View preference categories (Preferred = "Y" / Non-Preferred = "N")
- Identify drugs with generic equivalents or over-the-counter options (GE = "Yes" or "Y-OTC")
- Sort the list by column headers (e.g., Drug Class, Generic Name, Cost)

The screenshot displays the web interface for the ODG Drug Formulary (Appendix A). At the top left is the 'odg by mcg' logo. Below it is a search bar containing the text 'This feature is available in the subscription site' and a magnifying glass icon. A horizontal navigation bar contains tabs for 'Home', 'Duration', 'Treatment', 'TAO Index', 'Formulary', and 'Costs'. Below the navigation bar, there are radio buttons for 'Formulary' (which is selected), 'Opioid MED Calculator', and 'Drug Formulary - Appendix A', followed by a 'Print' icon. The main content area is titled 'Drug Formulary (Appendix A) Complimentary State Formulary Access'. It features a 'Show 100 entries' dropdown menu, a 'Any Drug Class' dropdown menu, and a 'Filter' input field.

Clicking on a drug name reveals detailed information.

Navigating the ODG Drug Formulary Table

Each row in the formulary provides:

- **Drug Class:** ODG-assigned therapeutic category (e.g., NSAIDs, Opioids)
- **Generic Name:** FDA-approved chemical name
- **Innovator Name:** Common brand name for reference
- **Notes:** Clarifies usage conditions (e.g., "Y" for one indication but "N" for another)
- **GE (Generic Equivalency):** Indicates generic or over-the-counter availability
- **Status:**
 - "Y" = Preferred drug
 - "N" = Non-preferred drug (preauthorization recommended)
- **Cost:** Based on publicly available average sales prices for standard therapy courses

Drug Formulary (Appendix A)
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Show entries Filter

Drug Class	Generic Name	Innovator brand	Notes	Generic (GE)	Status
Anthelmintics	Ivermectin	Stromectol	Oral	Yes	N

Use the Any Drug Class drop down to filter to a specific drug class.

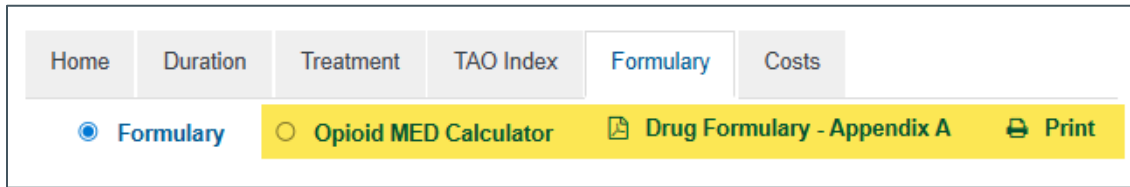
Use the filter tool to search by drug class, generic name, or innovator name. Current drug classes include antidepressants, muscle relaxants, NSAIDs, opioids, and many others.

Viewing Drug-Specific Details

Clicking on a drug row opens a National Drug Code (NDC) Table, showing:

- Available strengths and trade names
- Links to MedlinePlus, which provides patient-friendly drug information (usage, side effects, precautions, etc.)

Helpful Tools



Opioid MED Calculator

The Opioid MED Calculator allows users to calculate the Morphine Equivalent Dose (MED) for a patient taking one or more opioids and it provides a visual representation of the corresponding risks associated with the total daily MEDs used.

There is an ability to add the daily dose for several of the most used opioids, or search for an opioid by name, with the calculator providing a total daily MED by each opioid and for all opioids combined.

Drug Formulary – Appendix A

The Drug Formulary – Appendix A document provides additional details related to the various components of the formulary and allows users to gain insight into the background of the formulary, such as scope and cost of therapy calculations.

Print Function

The Print function allows users to print the entire formulary (or save as a PDF), which can be posted/used as a reference, so when the prescriber is selecting a drug, they will have the list of first-line options available, and/or will know when to provide additional information to support a second-line agent. This ensures the patient receives the best suited medications quickly, with either a first-line drug or a rationale for the use of a second-line drug, to expedite the review process.

Questions or Support

For questions about the ODG Drug Formulary, or to request training:

- Email: odghelp@mcg.com
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