

Prescriber FAQ on generic Forteo

1. Q: Is generic Forteo (teriparatide) being covered at the pharmacy?

A: For Humana's Medicare Advantage prescription drug and Medicare Part D plans, brand-name Forteo is covered and can be filled for your patients. Generic Forteo (teriparatide) is not covered.

2. Q: Why isn't teriparatide covered?

A: Humana decided not to cover teriparatide at this time; brand-name Forteo is on the formulary.

3. Q: Can I request an exception for teriparatide?

A: Yes, but the cost share for teriparatide may be the same as or higher than brand-name Forteo.

4. Q: Will teriparatide be covered in the future?

A: Humana may cover teriparatide at some point in the future.

5. Q: Whom do I call if I have additional questions about generic Forteo?

A: Prescribers with questions can call 800-555-CLIN (2546), Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m., Eastern time. Prescribers in Puerto Rico should call 866-488-5991.