



**Washington State Health Care Authority
Prescription Drug Program**

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Dear Interested Party,

Based on recommendations by the Washington State Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, the Health Care Authority, Uniform Medical Plan (UMP), and the Department of Labor & Industries (L&I) have named the following drugs as preferred in their respective therapeutic classes on the Washington State Preferred Drug List (PDL), effective immediately:

Estrogen – Oral reviewed 12/19/2018		Agency Coverage	
Ingredient Name	Label Name of Preferred Product	L&I	UMP
estradiol	estradiol tablet	No	Yes
estropipate	estropipate tablet	No	Yes
The effect of this recommendation is no change to the WA PDL.			
Estrogen – Oral Combination		Agency Coverage	
Ingredient Name	Label Name of Preferred Product	L&I	UMP
estradiol/ norethindrone acetate	Amabelz [®] tablet	No	Yes
	estradiol/ norethindrone acetate tablet	No	Yes
	Mimvey [®] tablet	No	Yes
	Mimvey Lo [®] tablet	No	Yes
norethindrone acetate/ethinyl estradiol	Jevantique Lo [®] tablet	No	Yes
	Jinteli [®] tablet	No	Yes
	norethindrone acetate/ethinyl estradiol	No	Yes
The effect of this recommendation is no change to the WA PDL.			
Estrogen – Transdermal		Agency Coverage	
Ingredient Name	Label Name of Preferred Product	L&I	UMP
The effect of this recommendation is no change to the PDL.			
Estrogen –Transdermal Combination		Agency Coverage	
Ingredient Name	Label Name of Preferred Product	L&I	UMP
The effect of this recommendation is no change to the PDL.			
Estrogen – Vaginal reviewed 4/19/2017		Agency Coverage	
Ingredient Name	Label Name of Preferred Product	L&I	UMP

estradiol	Estring® ring	No	Yes
The effect of this recommendation is no change to the PDL.			

Each agency will use the common PDL according to its benefit structure. You may view the current PDL on our [website](#).

If you have other questions or comments regarding this announcement, please contact Leta Evaskus at (206) 521-2029 or by email at leta.evaskus@hca.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



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