



Presumptively Compensable Expenses

If your eligible condition falls within one of the categories in this table, the VCF will presume that any expense for the medications and procedures listed in the table is related to your eligible condition and you do not need to provide any further proof of the relationship when filing an amendment for medical expense reimbursement. You still must complete the Medical Expense Worksheet to list the specific expense.

Please note that this list is subject to change. Please be sure to refer to the most recent chart posted to the VCF website prior to filing your amendment for medical expenses.

Condition Category	Includes	Presumptively Compensable Medications (generic name is listed first, followed by brand name)	Presumptively Compensable Procedures
Obstructive Airway Disease	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asthma • Bronchiectasis • Chronic airway obstruction • Chronic bronchitis • Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) • Emphysema • Reactive airways disease • Reactive airways dysfunction • Respiratory conditions due to fumes and vapors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Albuterol (ProAir, Proventil, Ventolin) • Atrovent (ipratropium) • Beclomethasone (Qvar) • Benzonatate (Tessalon Perles) • Budesonide (Pulmicort, Symbicort) • Ciclesonide (Alvesco) • Fluticasone propionate (Advair, Flovent) • Formoterol (Dulera, Foradil, Symbicort) • Ipratropium (Atrovent) • Levalbuterol (Xopenex) • Metaproterenol (Alupent) • Mometasone (Asmanex, Dulera) • Montelukast (Singulair) • N-acetylcysteine (Mucomyst) • Oxygen • Pirbuterol (Maxair) • Salmeterol (Advair, Serevent) • Terbutaline (Brethine) • Tiotropium (Spiriva) • Zafirlukast (Accolate) • Zileuton (Zyflo) • Expectorants • All Bronchodilators • Antibiotics • Oral corticosteroids 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bronchoscopy • CAT Scan Chest/Thorax (CT)(CT Scan) • PET Scan Chest/Thorax • Chest X-ray (CXR) • MRI Chest • Pathology – lung specimens • Sputum Cultures • Thoracoscopy/Thoracotomy • Video-Assisted Thoracotomy (VAT) • Wedge resection of the lung • Lung transplantation



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Interstitial Lung Disease	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asbestosis • Granulomatosis • Interstitial pneumonia • Pneumonitis • Pulmonary fibrosis • Sarcoidosis • Pneumoconioses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Azathioprine (AZA, Imuran) • Cyclophosphamide (Cytosan) • Cyclosporine (Restasis, Sandimmune, Neoral, Gengraf, Apo-Cyclosporine) • Methotrexate (Trexall, Rheumatrex, Rasuvo, Otrexup) • N-acetylcysteine (Mucomyst) • Guaifenesin (Mucinex) • Oxygen • Oral corticosteroids • Antibiotics • Expectorants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bronchoscopy • CAT Scan Chest/Thorax (CT)(CT Scan) • Chest X-ray (CXR) • PET Scan Chest/Thorax • MRI Chest • Pathology – lung specimens • Sputum Cultures • Thoracoscopy/Thoracotomy • Video-Assisted Thoracotomy (VAT) • Wedge resection of the lung • Lung transplantation
Gastroesophageal Reflux		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Esomeprazole (Nexium) • Famotidine (Pepcid) • Lansoprazole (Prevacid) • Omeprazole (Prilosec) • Pantoprazole (Protonix) • Ranitidine (Zantac) • Proton pump inhibitors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barium Swallow • Esophagogastroduodenoscopy (EGD) • Laryngopharyngeal Endoscopy • Pathology – Esophagus, gastric, duodenum specimens • Upper GI Series
Upper Respiratory Disease	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rhinitis • Sinusitis • Rhinosinusitis • Tracheitis • Laryngotracheitis • Laryngitis • Nasopharyngitis • Pharyngitis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Azelastine (Astelin, Astepro) • Budesonide (Rhinocort) • Fluticasone propionate (Flonase) • Ipratropium bromide (Atrovent) • Mometasone (Nasonex, Asmanex) • Oxymetazoline (Afrin) • Oral corticosteroids • Antibiotics • Decongestants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAT Scan Head/Sinuses • PET Scan sinuses • Endoscopy of Nasal and Sinus Cavities • Laryngopharyngeal Endoscopy • Pathology – Nasal and Sinus specimens • Septoplasty • Cultures – Nasal, Mastoid, Sputum



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Prostate Cancer		<p>Erectile Dysfunction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sildenafil (Viagra) • Tadalafil (Cialis) <p>Urinary Incontinence:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tamsulosin (Flomax) • Oxybutynin (Ditropan XL) • Tolterodine (Detrol) • Darifenacin (Enablex) • Fesoterodine (Toviaz) • Solifenacin (Vesicare) • Trospium (Sanctura) • Mirabegron (Myrbetriq) <p>Chemotherapy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Docetaxel(Taxotere) • Cabazitaxel(Jevtana) • Mitoxantrone(Novantrone) • Estramustine (Emcyt) <p>Immunotherapy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pembrolizumab (Keytruda) • Provenge vaccine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRI Prostate • Prostate Biopsy • Radical Prostatectomy • Radiation Seed Implants • External beam radiation • Cryotherapy (also known as cryoablation, cryosurgery) • Orchiectomy (for hormone suppression) • PSA levels (for active surveillance)