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Your prescription drug benefit design places certain drugs in certain categories to encourage the use of generics and provide low-cost options to you. The following information is applicable only to members with a 20% up to \$100 copay for Category 4.

**If the drug you are searching for is not listed below, you can search for it on the “Category 1-4 Drug Search” page on [www.bcbsms.com](http://www.bcbsms.com).** Remember, many drugs listed in category 4 have low-cost generic alternatives that are medically effective and can save you money.

## GERD - Stomach Acid-Ulcer

Proton Pump Inhibitors			
Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4
Omeprazole 10mg Omeprazole 20mg Omeprazole 40mg		Aciphex Nexium Nexium I.V. Pantoprazole Sodium Prevacid Prevacid Solutab Prilosec Protonix	
Proton Pump Inhibitor - Antacid Combinations			
Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4
		Zegerid	
H-2 Antagonists			
Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4
Cimetidine Famotidine Nizatidine Ranitidine	Cimetidine NaCl Famotidine Famotidine Premixed Ranitidine Taladine Zantac	Axid Pepcid Pepcid I.V. Pepcid Premixed Pepcid RPD	

<b>Miscellaneous Anti-Ulcer</b>			
<b>Category I</b>	<b>Category 2</b>	<b>Category 3</b>	<b>Category 4</b>
Sucralfate	Carafate		
<b>Ulcer Anti-Infective with Bismuth Combinations</b>			
<b>Category I</b>	<b>Category 2</b>	<b>Category 3</b>	<b>Category 4</b>
	Helidac		
<b>Ulcer Anti-Infective with Proton Pump Inhibitors</b>			
<b>Category I</b>	<b>Category 2</b>	<b>Category 3</b>	<b>Category 4</b>
	Prevpac		
<b>Ulcer Drugs - Prostaglandins</b>			
<b>Category I</b>	<b>Category 2</b>	<b>Category 3</b>	<b>Category 4</b>
Misoprostol	Cytotec		