



Pharmacy

Pharmacy Choices

- Military Treatment Facility (MTF) (*free*)
- Mail Order (*free or cheap*)
- Retail Network (*sort of cheap*)
- Retail Non-Network (*not so cheap*)

TRICARE Formulary Drug Tiers

- Tier 1—Formulary Generic
- Tier 2—Formulary Brand Name
- Tier 3—Non-Formulary

TRICARE Mail Order Pharmacy (TMOP)

- TMOP saves time and money on prescriptions for chronic, long-term medical conditions
- Beneficiaries can set up their own account and pay by credit card, check or money order
- A military or retail pharmacy should be used for one-time prescriptions, or those that should start immediately, such as antibiotics or pain medications
- Patients with other health insurance (OHI) with a prescription benefit (including Medicare D), may not use TMOP unless the OHI does not cover the medication needed, or the drug coverage limit under the OHI has been exceeded

Generic Drug Policy

- Prescriptions will be filled with a generic version of a medication, when available
- Generic equivalents are chemically-equivalent to brand name drugs, and go through the same testing and FDA approval process to ensure they are as potent, pure, safe and reliable (www.fda.gov)
- With clinical justification, physicians may ask to dispense a brand name drug instead of generic

Pharmacy Information & Assistance

NMCP Main Pharmacy – (757) 953-0258

Building 2, 2nd Floor,

www.med.navy.mil/sites/nmcp/Patients/Pharmacy/Pages/

TMOP and Retail Network Pharmacy Programs

Express Scripts Customer Service

1-877-363-1303 (TDD/TTY—1-877-540-6261)

Fax (*providers only*): 1-877-895-1900

www.express-scripts.com/TRICARE

TRICARE Pharmacy Program

tricare.mil/mybenefit/home/Prescriptions/PharmacyProgram

TRICARE Formulary

www.tricareformularysearch.org

Prescription Costs

(There is no deductible or co-payment for active duty personnel; there is no deductible for all other eligible beneficiaries for prescriptions filled at an MTF pharmacy, through TMOP, or at a retail network pharmacy)

Pharmacy	Formulary		Tier 3—Non-formulary
	Tier 1—Generic	Tier 2—Brand Name	
MTF (up to 90 days)	\$0	\$0	N/A
TMOP (up to 90 days)	\$0	\$9	\$25
Retail Network (up to 30 days)	\$5	\$12	\$25
Retail Non-network (up to 30 days)	Non-Prime: \$12 or 20%, after deductible is met		Non-Prime: \$25 or 20%, after deductible is met
	Prime: 50%, after Point Of Service deductible is met		

NMCP Health Benefits

Building 3, 3rd Floor; Mon-Fri, 7 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
(757) 953-2610/2611

NMCP TRICARE Service Center

Health Net Federal Services
Building 249 (next to parking garage)
Mon—Fri, 7:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
1-(877) 874-2273



Appointments & Specialty Referral Status

Hampton Roads Appointment Center
Mon—Fri, 6 a.m.—8 p.m.
S, S & Holidays, 7 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
1-(866) 645-4584

To Schedule a Presentation

TRICARE Operations—Marketing
(757) 953-6153/6048