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Drug Name	Generic Name	Drug Classification
Abstral	fentanyl citrate oral tablet	Controlled Dangerous substance
Actemra	tocilizumab	Monoclonal antibody
Acthar	corticotropin	Hormone
Actimmune	interferon gamma 1b	Interferon
Actiq	fentanyl citrate OTFC	Controlled Dangerous substance
Adcirca	tadalafil	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Advocate Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Amevive	alefacept	Anti Tumor Necrosis Factor Drug
Ampyra	dalfampridine	Multiple Sclerosis Agent
Aranesp	darbepoetin alfa	Red Blood Cell Progenitor
Atralin	tretinoin	Anti Acne
Avita	tretinoin	Anti Acne
Benlysta	Belimumab	Lupus
Berinert	C1 esterase inhibitor	Hereditary Angioedema
Boniva Syringe	ibandronate	Osteoporosis/Bones
Botox	onabotulinumtoxinA	Specialty Drug
Byetta	exenatide	Incretin Mimetic Agent
Carimune NF	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Cimzia	certolizumab pegol	Anti Tumor Necrosis Factor Drug
Cinryze	C1 esterase inhibitor	Hereditary Angioedema
Dysport	onabotulinumtoxinA	Specialty Drug
Enbrel	etanercept	Anti Tumor Necrosis Factor Drug
Euflexxa	sodium hyaluronate	Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives For Joint Injection
Epogen	epoetin alfa	Red Blood Cell Progenitor
Fentora	fentanyl buccal tablet	Controlled Dangerous Substances
Firazyr	icatibant	Hereditary Angioedema
Flolan	epoprostenol sodium	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Flebogamma	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Forteo	teriparatide	Osteoporosis/Bones
Fast Take Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
FreeStyle Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips



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Gamimune N	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gammagard S/D	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gammaked	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gammaplex	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gammar-P IV	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gamunex	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Gamunex-C	immune globulin-intravenous/subcutaneous	Intravenous/Subcutaneous Immune Globulin
Genotropin	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Gilenya	fingolimod	Multiple Sclerosis Agent
Glucose Test Strip	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Hizentra	immune globulin-subcutaneous	Subcutaneous Immune Globulin
Humatrope	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Humira	adalimumab	Monoclonal Antibody
Hyalgan	sodium hyaluronate	Hyaluronic Acid Derivative For Joint Injection
Incivek	Hep C Protease Inhibitors	Hepatitis C
Increlex	mecasermin	Growth Hormone
Infergen	interferon alfacon-1	Interferon
Intron A	interferon alfa-2b	Interferon
Iveegam EN	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
IVIG or IGIV	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Krystexxa	Pegloticase	Gout
Lazanda Nasal Spray	Fentanyl citrate	Controlled Dangerous substance
Letairis	ambrisentan	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Liberty Test Strip	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Lidoderm	lidocaine	Topical Anesthetic
Lumigan	bimatoprost	Anti Glaucoma



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Makena	hydroxyprogesterone	Hormone
Myobloc	rimabotulinumtoxinB	Specialty Drug
Norditropin	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Nutropin	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Nutropin AQ	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Nuvigil	armodafinil	CNS Stimulant
Octagam	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Omnitrope	somatropin	Growth Hormone
One Touch Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
One Touch Ultra Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Onsolis	fentanyl soluble film	Controlled Dangerous Substances
Orencia	abatacept	Selective Co-Stimulation Modulator For RA
Orthovisc	high molecular weight hyaluronan	Hyaluronic Acid Derivative For Joint Injection
Oxycontin- quantities greater than 90 per month	oxycodone extended release	Controlled Dangerous Substances
Panglobulin NF	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Pegasys	peginterferon alfa-2a	Interferon
Peg-Intron	peginterferon alfa-2b	Interferon
Precision SOF-TACT Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Precision Xtra Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Polygam S/D	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Privigen	immune globulin-intravenous	Intravenous Immune Globulin
Prestige Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Procrit	epoetin alfa	Red Blood Cell Progenitor
Prodigy Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Prolia	denosumab	Osteoporosis/Bones
Provenge	sipuleucel-T	Oncology
Provigil	modafinil	CNS Stimulant
Qutenza	capsaicin	Topical Anesthetic



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Reclast	zoledronic acid	Osteoporosis/Bones
Relion Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Remicade	infliximab	Monoclonal Antibody
Remodulin	treprostinil sodium	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Retin-A	tretinoin	Anti Acne
Retin-A Micro	tretinoin	Anti Acne
Revatio	sildenafil citrate	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Rituxan	rituximab	Monoclonal Antibody
Roferon-A	interferon alpha-2a	Interferon
Sabril	vigabatrin	Anticonvulsant
Saizen	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Seroquel	quetiapine	Anti Psychotic
Serostim	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Simponi	golimumab	Anti Tumor Necrosis Factor Drug
Stelara	ustekinumab	Anti Tumor Necrosis Factor Drug
Suboxone SL Film	buprenorphine and naloxone	Controlled Dangerous substance
Suboxone SL Tablets	buprenorphine and naloxone	Controlled Dangerous substance
Supartz	sodium hyaluronate	Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives For Joint Injection
SureStep Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Symlin	pramlintide	Amylin Analogue
Synagis	palivizumab	Monoclonal Antibody
Synvisc	hylan GF 20	Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives For Joint Injection
Synvisc-One	hylan GF 20	Hyaluronic Acid Derivatives For Joint Injection
Tev-Tropin	somatropin	Growth Hormone
Tracleer	bosentan	Pulmonary vasodilator
Travatan Z	travoprost	Anti Glaucoma
Tretin-X	tretinoin	Anti Acne
TrueTest Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
TrueTrack Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Tyvaso	treprostinil	Pulmonary Vasodilator
Tysabri	natalizumab	Monoclonal Antibody
Veltin	tretinoin/clindamycin	Anti Acne
Ventavis	iloprost	Pulmonary Vasodilator



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Victrelis	Hep C Protease Inhibitors	Hepatitis C
Vivaglobin	immune globulin-subcutaneous	Subcutaneous Immune Globulin
Xalatan	latanoprost	Anti Glaucoma
WaveSense Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips	Blood Glucose Test Strips
Xeomin	incobotulinumtoxinA	Specialty Drug
Xgeva	denosumab	Oncology/Bones
Xiaflex	collagenase clostridium	Cord Injection
Xolair	omalizumab	Monoclonal antibody
Ziana	tretinoin/clindamycin	Anti Acne
Zometa	zoledronic acid	Oncology/Bones
Zorbtive	somatropin	Growth Hormone