



Tobacco cessation drugs covered at no cost to members

Good news for those looking to kick the habit. UnitedHealthcare members will have certain tobacco cessation drugs covered at no cost. These drugs may help people quit smoking or stop using tobacco.

What tobacco cessation drugs are covered at no cost?

Here are the prescription drugs and over-the-counter (OTC) drugs covered at no cost.

Over-the-counter Medications	• Nicotine Replacement Gum
	• Nicotine Replacement Lozenge
	• Nicotine Replacement Patch
Prescriptions	• Bupropion sustained-release (generic Zyban) Tablet
	• Nicotrol Inhaler
	• Nicotrol Nasal Spray
	• Chantix Tablet

Up to two 90-day treatment courses are covered at no cost each year.

Who can get the tobacco cessation drugs?

These drugs are covered for those who:

- Are 18 years of age or older
- Get a prescription for these products, even if they are sold over-the-counter
- Fill the prescription at a network pharmacy



What else do members need to know?

- Screening for tobacco use is covered at no cost during a standard wellness exam.
- These drugs do not count toward a member's pharmacy plan deductible.
- Members are encouraged to call the number on their health plan ID card to confirm when the tobacco cessation benefit is available to them.

For more information

Visit the member website myuhc.com[®] to find resources and information to help manage your health and save money.

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