



OHP FFS Average Cost PMPM Top 30 Drug Class – First Quarter 2009

previous year quarter is comparator (red = top 75th percentile of growth; yellow = top 50th percentile of growth)

Rank	Class Number	Class Description	Cost PMPM			Rx Dispensed PMPM (x100)			Cost/Claim		
			2009	2008	%	2009	2008	%	2009	2008	%
1	99	Miscellaneous	\$14.42	\$10.77	33.9%	2.0	2.4	-16.0%	\$723	\$443	63.2%
2	7	Ataractics, Tranquilizers	\$11.51	\$12.19	-5.6%	7.4	7.5	-1.3%	\$156	\$163	-4.4%
3	48	Anticonvulsants	\$5.68	\$7.07	-19.7%	5.7	6.1	-7.3%	\$124	\$156	-20.4%
4	40	Narcotic Analgesics	\$5.02	\$6.08	-17.5%	10.2	11.0	-7.5%	\$49	\$55	-10.7%
5	11	Psychostimulants, Antidepressants	\$4.83	\$5.33	-9.4%	9.1	9.1	-0.7%	\$53	\$58	-8.8%
6	15	Bronchial Dilators	\$4.05	\$4.38	-7.5%	4.8	5.3	-10.4%	\$85	\$82	3.2%
7	33	Antivirals	\$3.71	\$3.30	12.4%	0.6	0.6	-3.2%	\$605	\$509	18.9%
8	58	Diabetic Therapy	\$2.43	\$2.60	-6.4%	2.8	3.2	-12.7%	\$86	\$81	7.0%
9	1	Antacids	\$2.15	\$2.20	-2.0%	4.5	4.9	-8.0%	\$48	\$45	6.4%
10	10	CNS Stimulants	\$2.00	\$2.29	-12.5%	2.0	2.2	-11.1%	\$101	\$103	-1.6%
11	30	Antineoplastic	\$1.65	\$1.26	31.2%	0.3	0.3	-3.7%	\$485	\$374	29.7%
12	71	Other Hypotensives	\$1.39	\$1.08	28.6%	3.4	3.6	-4.2%	\$40	\$30	33.6%
13	65	Lipotropics	\$1.24	\$1.54	-19.2%	2.2	2.3	-1.0%	\$56	\$68	-18.3%
14	12	Amphetamine Preps	\$1.23	\$0.99	24.5%	0.9	1.0	-7.9%	\$131	\$97	35.2%
15	51	Glucocorticoids	\$1.16	\$1.29	-10.0%	2.5	2.7	-7.6%	\$47	\$48	-2.9%
16	42	Antiarthritics	\$1.14	\$1.16	-2.0%	2.7	2.9	-6.8%	\$42	\$40	4.6%
17	77	Anticoagulants	\$1.01	\$1.05	-4.2%	0.7	0.8	-10.3%	\$145	\$133	8.7%
18	63	Oral Contraceptives	\$0.97	\$1.08	-10.3%	2.1	2.4	-11.8%	\$47	\$46	2.0%
19	41	Non-narcotic Analgesics	\$0.83	\$0.86	-2.6%	4.3	5.2	-18.5%	\$20	\$16	19.9%
20	64	Other Hormones	\$0.76	\$1.01	-24.6%	0.2	0.2	-19.1%	\$378	\$390	-3.2%
21	27	Other Antibiotics	\$0.57	\$0.72	-20.6%	0.9	1.1	-10.5%	\$57	\$59	-3.3%
22	87	Electrolytes and Misc Nutr	\$0.53	\$0.61	-12.6%	2.7	3.2	-16.5%	\$19	\$18	3.9%
23	76	Other Cardiovascular Preps	\$0.43	\$0.56	-23.1%	2.5	2.8	-9.7%	\$17	\$20	-16.3%
24	22	Penicillin	\$0.41	\$0.60	-31.3%	2.7	3.2	-17.8%	\$15	\$18	-17.5%
25	8	Muscle Relaxants	\$0.41	\$0.56	-26.6%	1.9	2.0	-3.4%	\$21	\$28	-26.8%
26	25	Macrolides	\$0.33	\$0.57	-41.1%	1.4	1.8	-22.8%	\$24	\$31	-23.8%
27	4	Antispasmo-Anticholinergics	\$0.33	\$0.39	-14.2%	0.5	0.6	-12.6%	\$62	\$64	-3.5%
28	69	Enzymes	\$0.32	\$0.27	18.6%	0.1	0.1	8.7%	\$560	\$484	15.8%
29	6	Laxatives	\$0.31	\$0.41	-25.2%	4.5	5.5	-18.4%	\$7	\$7	-8.3%
30	82	Multivitamins	\$0.27	\$0.29	-6.7%	3.6	4.4	-16.3%	\$7	\$7	10.9%
Aggregate			\$75.47	\$78.31	-3.6%	110.74	122.87	-9.9%	\$80	\$80	0.1%
75th Percentile					-2.0%			-4.2%			8.7%
50th Percentile (Median)					-17.3%			-12.6%			-4.8%