



CITY OF BRYAN
The Good Life, Texas Style.™

\$0 Copayment

Great “Over-the-Counter” Savings Opportunities

The City of Bryan wants to help you whenever possible to lower your prescription drug costs. That is why the City of Bryan covers select over-the-counter medications (OTC's) for a \$0 co-payment using your Prescription Drug Card and presenting a prescription from your doctor.

Over-the-counter 'Proton Pump Inhibitors' (PPI's) are available for \$0 copayment!

Proton Pump Inhibitors (PPIs) are a class of medications used to treat ulcers, heartburn and gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD) and they work by blocking acid production in the stomach. Over-the-counter PPI's covered for a \$0 copayment by your plan includes:

Prilosec OTC®

Zegerid™ OTC

Prevacid 24HR®

Omeprazole OTC -- sold under various store brands

Using one of the over-the-counter (OTCs) for treatment of frequent heartburn, ulcers or GERD as opposed to brand prescription alternatives can satisfy the same clinical needs and result in significant savings. Scientific studies have shown that **all** PPIs are equally effective and have the same medical benefit in the body. Prilosec OTC, Omeprazole OTC, Prevacid 24HR and Zegerid OTC contain the same ingredients as their prescription-strength versions.

Over-the-counter 'Non-Sedating Antihistamines' (NSA's) are available for \$0 copayment!

Non-sedating Antihistamines (NSAs) are medications used to relieve allergy symptoms including sneezing, runny nose, and itchy eyes without causing drowsiness. Over-the-counter NSA's covered for a \$0 copayment by your plan, to include all forms, includes:

Allegra / Allegra-D

Generic fexofenadine

Alavert

Claritin / Claritin-D

Generic loratadine

Zyrtec / Zyrtec-D

Generic cetirizine

Non-sedating antihistamines are often preferred because they are “non-drowsy,” offer prescription strength relief and result in savings for you.

Present this letter to your pharmacy as it contains important information in order to process your OTC prescription:

Dear Pharmacist: The City of Bryan covers OTC PPI's and NSA's when accompanied by a prescription. The prescription must state OTC for any of the OTC products listed above. Please process as you would any other prescription using the NDC located on the box. If you cannot process one of the above listed OTC products, please contact CVS/Caremark immediately for assistance at 1-866-260-4646.