| NALOXONE PR | ICING IN THE C | OMMUNITY (As | of January 2019) | | |
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| | | naloxone injection (0.4mg/mL) | naloxone prefilled syringe (2 mg/2 mL) | Narcan [®] nasal spray (4 mg/0.1 mL) | Evzio [®] auto- injector (2 mg/0.4 mL) |
| Route of medication | | Intramuscular only | Intranasal with atomizer | Intranasal | Intramuscular |
| Cash Price based on goodrx.com ¹ | | \$12.80 to \$21.13* | \$20.99 to \$36.85 | \$129.99 to \$139.13 | >\$3,720 |
| CVS Pharmacy ² | | \$18.99 | \$38.99 | \$95 ³ | \$2,225.99 |
| Walgreens ^₄ | | NA | \$39.99 | \$135 | NA |
| MassHealth | | \$3.65† | \$3.65† | \$3.65† | NA |
| Fallon Community Health Plan | Commercial 3-Tier or 4- tier Formulary | Tier 1 or Tier 2 | Tier 1 or Tier 2 | Tier 3 or Tier 4 | Tier 3 or Tier 4; PA |
| | Hybrid | Tier 1 | Tier 1 | Tier 4 | Tier 3; PA |
| | Formulary | \$1 | \$1 | 50% coinsurance‡ | \$30 |
| | NaviCare (Medicare Part D) | Generic available through mail- order | Generic available through mail- order | Generic | NA |
| AllWays Health Partners § | 3 Tier, 4 Tier, 5 Tier, 6 Tier Formulary | Tier 1 or Tier 2 | \$0 | Tier 2 or Tier 3 | NA |
| Tufts | Health RITogether | Tier 1 | NA | Tier 2; QL: 2 kits/30 days, 1 kit/Rx | Tier 2; QL: 4 units/30 days, 2 units/Rx; PA |
| | Health Direct | \$0 | NA | \$0 | Tier 3; QL: 4 units/30 days, 2 units/Rx; PA |
| Blue Cross Blue Shield of MA Standard | Standard 3- Tier Pharmacy Program Formulary | Tier 1 | Tier 3 | Tier 3 | Tier 2 |
| Harvard Pilgrim Health Care | 3-Tier Prescription Drug Plan | \$0; QL: 2 ml/15 days | \$0; QL: 2 mL/15 days | \$0; QL: 2 bottles/15 days | Not covered |

IM=intramuscular, IN=intranasal, IV=intravenous, NA=not available, PA=prior authorization, QL=quantity limit, RX=prescription *Price per mL

†MassHealth copayment ‡\$400 maximum

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§ Formerly Neighborhood Health Plan 1. https://www.goodrx.com/

2. CVS Source: 1163 Providence Road, Whitinsville, MA

3. https://cvshealth.com/newsroom/press-releases/cvs-health-expands-efforts-educate-patients-about-naloxone

4. Walgreens Source: 99 Stafford Street, Worcester, MA

Naloxone Standing Order:

- Naloxone is available in Massachusetts without a prescription through a statewide standing order.
- <u>https://www.mass.gov/files/documents/2018/10/18/standing-order-dispensing-naloxone-rescue-kits.pdf</u>

| Intranasal administration | Intramuscular injection |
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| Naloxone 4 mg/0.1 mL nasal spray* | Naloxone 0.4 mg/mL in 1 mL single dose vials* |
| Directions for use: Administer a single spray of naloxone in one nostril. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response. | Directions for use: Inject 1 mL IM in shoulder or thigh. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response. |
| Naloxone 2 mg/2 mL single-dose Leur jet prefilled syringe*† | Naloxone 2 mg/0.4 mL auto-injector* |
| Directions for use: Spray 1 mL in each nostril. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response. | Directions for use: Follow audio instructions from device. Place on thigh and inject 0.4 mL. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response. |

*Dispense two doses

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† Atomizer dispensed separately

Other resources related to naloxone procurement:

- Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) Overdose Education and Naloxone Distribution (OEND) <u>https://www.mass.gov/service-details/information-for-community-members-about-how-to-get-naloxone</u>
- AIDS Project Worcester provides free Narcan and Narcan training on a scheduled or walk-in basis through the Joe McKee Care Center. <u>https://www.aidsprojectworcester.org/narcan/</u>
- Evzio Patient Assistance Program: <u>https://evzio.com/patient/in-chronic-pain/kaleo-cares/</u>
 - US citizens without insurance (commercial, state, or federal) and an annual household income <\$100,000