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TRICARE  
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ACTIVITY

Dear TRICARE Beneficiary,

Our records indicate you may be taking Fenoglide<sup>®</sup>, a prescription drug that will no longer be available through the military health system and TRICARE. We want to let you know about this change and assist you to make the best decision regarding your medication.

Federal law requires that drug companies sign an agreement to receive payment for any drugs or biologicals from the DoD, VA, and other government agencies. Shore Therapeutics, which manufactures Fenoglide<sup>®</sup> 40mg and Fenoglide<sup>®</sup> 120 mg, has not signed the required agreement. Because of this, those medications are no longer covered by TRICARE and will not be available through military pharmacies or the TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery Mail Order Pharmacy.

You have options to discuss with your health care provider. Enclosed for your information is a "List of Formulary Alternatives for Fenoglide." We recommend you to talk to your health care provider about changing to one of the covered alternatives listed in the table.

All of the alternatives listed are available through TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery or at a TRICARE retail network pharmacy for usual TRICARE copays. They may also be available at military treatment facility pharmacies in your area. We encourage you to consider home delivery as a very convenient and cost-effective way to receive your prescriptions. You can learn more at [www.tricare.mil/homedelivery](http://www.tricare.mil/homedelivery). Should you choose to continue with Fenoglide<sup>®</sup>, please understand it can only be purchased for full price through a retail pharmacy.

For questions or additional information, you or your provider may contact the TRICARE Pharmacy Program at 1-877-363-1303. Our TRICARE team is committed to providing the best possible health care to you and your family. We appreciate the opportunity to continue serving your pharmacy needs.

Sincerely,

C. S. Hunter  
RADM, MC, USN  
Deputy Director

**List of Formulary Alternatives for Fenoglide®**

Not Covered Medication	Formulary Alternatives	
	Copay = \$3.00	Copay = \$9.00*
Fenofibrate Meltdose (Fenoglide®)	fenofibrate (generics); fenofibrate micronized (generics); gemfibrozil (generics)	Lipofen® (fenofibrate) Lofibra® (fenofibrate) Triglide® (fenofibrate) Lopid® (gemfibrozil)

\*TRICARE requires generic substitution when generics are available in same dosage form and strength as brand

Has your permanent address changed?

If so, please contact DEERS at 1-800-538-9552 or at [www.tricare.mil/deers](http://www.tricare.mil/deers)