

ACE Inhibitor Cost Comparison and Best Buy Indications

Updated November 2006 (Prices for September 2006)

	Generic Name And Dose Per Day	Brand Name ¹	Frequency of Use per Day	Average Monthly Cost ²	Best Buy Indication
	Benazepril 10mg	Lotensin	One	\$46	
CR BEST BUY	Benazepril 10mg	Generic	One	\$21	High Blood Pressure, Kidney Disease
	Benazepril 20mg	Lotensin	One	\$45	
CR BEST BUY	Benazepril 20mg	Generic	One	\$20	High Blood Pressure, Kidney Disease
	Benazepril 40mg	Lotensin	One	\$46	
CR BEST BUY	Benazepril 40mg	Generic	One	\$20	High Blood Pressure, Kidney Disease
	Captopril 12.5mg	Capoten	Three	\$147	
CR BEST BUY	Captopril 12.5mg	Generic	Three	\$31	Heart Failure
	Captopril 25mg	Capoten	Three	\$151	
CR BEST BUY	Captopril 25mg	Generic	Three	\$31	Heart Failure
	Captopril 50mg	Capoten	Three	\$260	
CR BEST BUY	Captopril 50mg	Generic	Three	\$46	Heart Failure
	Captopril 100mg	Capoten	Three	\$399	
CR BEST BUY	Captopril 100mg	Generic	Three	\$53	Heart Failure
	Enalapril 5mg	Vasotec	One	\$45	
CR BEST BUY	Enalapril 5mg	Generic	One	\$18	High Blood Pressure, Heart Failure
	Enalapril 10mg	Vasotec	One	\$46	
CR BEST BUY	Enalapril 10mg	Generic	One	\$19	High Blood Pressure, Heart Failure
	Enalapril 20mg	Vasotec	One	\$64	
CR BEST BUY	Enalapril 20mg	Generic	One	\$25	High Blood Pressure, Heart Failure
	Enalapril 20mg	Vasotec	Two	\$129	
CR BEST BUY	Enalapril 20mg	Generic	Two	\$49	High Blood Pressure, Heart Failure
	Fosinopril 10mg	Monopril	One	\$51	
	Fosinopril 10mg	Generic	One	\$33	
	Fosinopril 20mg	Monopril	One	\$52	
	Fosinopril 20mg	Generic	One	\$33	
	Fosinopril 40mg	Monopril	One	\$52	
	Fosinopril 40mg	Generic	One	\$33	
	Lisinopril 10mg	Prinivil	One	\$41	
	Lisinopril 10mg	Zestril	One	\$45	
CR BEST BUY	Lisinopril 10mg	Generic	One	\$17	After a Heart Attack
	Lisinopril 20mg	Prinivil	One	\$43	
	Lisinopril 20mg	Zestril	One	\$49	
CR BEST BUY	Lisinopril 20mg	Generic	One	\$19	After a Heart Attack

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	Lisinopril 30mg	Zestril	One	\$64	
CR BEST BUY	Lisinopril 30mg	Generic	One	\$26	After a Heart Attack
	Lisinopril 40mg	Prinivil	One	\$65	
	Lisinopril 40mg	Zestril	One	\$68	
CR BEST BUY	Lisinopril 40mg	Generic	One	\$25	After a Heart Attack
	Moexipril 7.5mg	Univasc	One	\$53	
	Moexipril 7.5mg	Generic	One	\$31	
	Moexipril 15mg	Univasc	One	\$53	
	Moexipril 15mg	Generic	One	\$28	
	Perindopril 2mg	Aceon	One	\$57	
	Perindopril 4mg	Aceon	One	\$61	
	Perindopril 8mg	Aceon	One	\$75	
	Quinapril 10 mg	Accupril	One	\$50	
	Quinapril 10 mg	Generic	One	\$38	
	Quinapril 20 mg	Accupril	One	\$52	
	Quinapril 20 mg	Generic	One	\$36	
	Quinapril 40 mg	Accupril	One	\$51	
	Quinapril 40mg	Generic	One	\$34	
CR BEST BUY	Ramipril 1.25mg	Altace	One	\$51	Diabetes, Kidney Disease
CR BEST BUY	Ramipril 2.5mg	Altace	One	\$56	Diabetes, Kidney Disease
CR BEST BUY	Ramipril 5mg	Altace	One	\$60	Diabetes, Kidney Disease
CR BEST BUY	Ramipril 10mg	Altace	One	\$70	Diabetes, Kidney Disease
	Trandolapril 1mg	Mavik	One	\$48	
	Trandolapril 2mg	Mavik	One	\$48	
	Trandolapril 4mg	Mavik	One	\$47	

1. "Generic" indicates that this drug is sold under its generic name. For example, in this table, the first drug listed is available as both generic benazepril and as brand-name Lotensin. Both have the same active ingredient. When column 2 says "generic," the price listed is for the generic version at the specified dose.
2. Prices reflect nationwide retail average for September 2006, rounded to the nearest dollar. Information derived by *Consumer Reports Best Buy Drugs* from data provided by Wolters Kluwer Health, Pharmaceutical Audit Suite.