

Table 5 Number of day wages needed to pay for medicines, Ankara, 2021

Medicine name	Treatment schedule	Number of day wages	
		Original	Lowest-price generic
Bisoprolol 5 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.24	0.22
İsosorbide dinitrate 5 mg tablet	1 tabx3x30=90 days	0.16	-
Verapamil 40 mg tablet	1 tabx3x30=90 days	0.62	-
Digoxin 0.25 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30 =30 days	-	0.08
Amlodipine 5 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.24	0.12
Enalapril 5 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.30
Losartan 50 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	0.63	0.63
Methyldopa 250 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.37
Furosemide 40 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.18	0.14
Spirolactone 25 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.20	0.20
Acetylsalicylic acid 100 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.05	0.05
Clopidogrel 75 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.70	0.53
Atenolol 50 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	-	0.26
Propranolol 40 mg tablet	1 tabx4x30=120 days	-	0.31
Captopril 25 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.21
Lisinopril 10 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.30
Budesonide 200 mcg/dose inhaler	1 inhaler per month	0.52	-
Salbutamol 100 mcg/dose inhaler	1 inhaler per month	0.16	0.16
Gliclazide 80 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.47
Metformin 500 mg tablet	1 tabx3x30=90 days	0.32	0.21
Glibenclamide 5 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.08
Ibuprofen 400 mg tablet	1 tabx3x30=90 days	0.76	0.76
Paracetamol 500 mg tablet	1 tabx1x30=30 days	0.09	0.09
Diazepam 5 mg tablet	1 tabx2x30=60 days	-	0.09