Generic One-alpha



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Active ingredient: Alfacalcidol

Brand(s):Alfacal

Manufacturer: Macleods

Disease(s):Osteoporosis / Hypocalcemia / Hypophosphatemia / Osteodystrophy / Rickets / Prophylaxis / Secondary Hyperparathyroidism / Tetany / Vitamin D Deficiency /

Generic One-alpha 0.25mcg

	Per capsule	Per Pack	Order
30 capsules	\$ 1.00	\$ 29.95	Add to cart
60 capsules	\$ 0.83	\$ 49.95 \$59.90	Add to cart
90 capsules	\$ 0.72	\$ 64.95 \$89.85	Add to cart
120 capsules	\$ 0.67	\$ 79.95 \$119.80	Add to cart
180 capsules	\$ 0.60	\$ 107.95 \$179.70	Add to cart

Generic One-alpha 0.5mcg

	Per capsule	Per Pack	Order
30 capsules	\$1.10	\$ 32.95	Add to cart
60 capsules	\$ 0.92	\$ 54.95 \$65.90	Add to cart
90 capsules	\$ 0.83	\$ 74.95 \$98.85	Add to cart
120 capsules	\$ 0.79	\$ 94.95 \$131.80	Add to cart
180 capsules	\$ 0.75	\$ 134.95 \$197.70	Add to cart

One-alpha capsules

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