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Approved HBV Antiviral and Interferon Therapy Cost Comparison 2011*

Drug Name	Average Monthly Cost	Annual Cost
Lamivudine 100 mg (Epivir-HBV)	\$422.01	\$5,064.12
Adefovir 10 mg (Hepsera)	\$1,076.32	\$12,915.80
Entecavir 0.5 mg (Baraclude)	\$998.31	\$11,979.68
Tenofovir 300 mg (Viread)	\$859.35	\$10,312.20
Telbivudine 600 mg (Tyzeka)	\$876.00	\$10,512.04
Interferon (Intron-A)		
5 mil. IU Kit	\$670.49	\$8,045.88
10 mil. IU Kit	\$1,126.49	\$13,517.88
Pegylated Interferon (Pegasys)		
180 mcg/0.5 ml Kit	\$2,939.64	\$35,275.68

*Averages based on 2011 midyear wholesale costs obtained from Drugstore.com, CVS Pharmacy, and Walgreen's Pharmacy