

Fig 1. Opioid availability in non-FSU countries

|             | Codeine     | Propox      | HC/DHC      | BuprPO      | BuprTD      | MoIR        | MoCR        | MoInj       | OcIR        | OcCR        | Methad.     | FentTD      | FentTM      | HmIR        | HmCR        | PethInj     |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Finland     | 50-75% cost | free        | 100% cost   | free        | 50-75% cost | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   |
| France      | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Ireland     | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Norway      | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Austria     | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Portugal    | free        | 100% cost   | free        | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | free        |
| Italy       | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | 100% cost   |
| Denmark     | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Israel      | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        |
| Netherlands | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        |
| Cyprus      | free        | free        | free        | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        |
| Greece      | free        | free        | 100% cost   | free        | 100% cost   | free        | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        |
| Sweden      | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Germany     | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Luxemburg   | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Spain       | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 50-75% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 50-75% cost | 50-75% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 50-75% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Switzerland | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| UK          | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Belgium     | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 100% cost   | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost | 25-50% cost |
| Iceland     | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   |
| Turkey      | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | 100% cost   | 100% cost   | free        | free        |

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NC=hydrocodeine, DHC=dihydrocodeine, Bupr=buprenorphine,  
Mo=morphine, Oc=oxycodone, Methad=methadone,  
Fent=fentanyl, Hm=hydromorphone, Peth=pethidine.  
PO=oral, TD=transdermal, TM=transmucosal, Inj=injectable  
IR=immediate release, CR=Controlled release