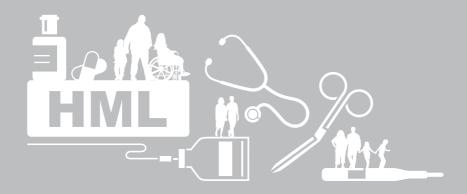
The Hospital Medicines List (HML)

# Section H for Hospital Pharmaceuticals

**Update effective 1 October 2015** 

**Cumulative for August, September, and October 2015** 





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# Summary of decisions EFFECTIVE 1 OCTOBER 2015

- Aluminium chloride (e.g. Driclor) topical soln 20% w/v new listing
- Aripiprazole (Abilify) tab 5 mg new listing
- Bisacodyl (Dulcolax) suppos 5 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Bupivacaine hydrochloride (Marcain) inj 5 mg per ml, 10 ml ampoule sterile pack – Pharmacode change
- Calamine (Pharmacy Health) crm, aqueous, BP 100 g price decrease and addition of HSS
- Calamine (PSM) lotn, BP 2,000 ml price decrease and addition of HSS
- Dexamfetamine sulfate (PSM) tab 5 mg price increase and addition of HSS
- Diclofenac sodium (Diclofenac Sandoz) tab EC 25 mg and 50 mg new listing and addition of HSS
- Diclofenac sodium (Apo-Diclo) tab EC 25 mg and 50 mg to be delisted
   December 2015
- Diclofenac sodium (Apo-Diclo SR) tab long-acting 75 mg and 100 mg new listing and addition of HSS
- Diclofenac sodium (Diclax SR) tab long-acting 75 mg and 100 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Dobutamine hydrochloride (Dobutamine-Claris) inj 12.5 mg per ml, 20 ml ampoule – amended presentation description, new listing and addition of HSS
- Domperidone (Prokinex) tab 10 mg price decrease and addition of HSS
- Dorzolamide with timolol (Arrow-Dortim) eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5%,
   5 ml new listing and addition of HSS
- Dorzolamide with timolol (Cosopt) eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5%, 5 ml
   to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Etanercept (Enbrel) inj 25 mg vial, and inj 50 mg autoinjector and syringe
   price decrease
- Factor eight inhibitors bypassing fraction (FEIBA) inj 2,500 U new listing
- Flecainide acetate (Tambocor) tab 100 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Fluticasone (Floair) aerosol inhaler 50 mcg per dose, 125 mcg per dose, and 250 mcg per dose – new listing
- Fluticasone with salmeterol (RexAir) aerosol inhaler 50 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg, and 125 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg new listing
- Gabapentin tab 600 mg to be delisted 1 November 2015
- Isotretinion (Oratane) cap 10 mg and 20 mg price decrease and to be delisted 1 November 2015

# Summary of decisions – effective 1 October 2015 (continued)

- Lamotrigine (Mogine) tab dispersible 25 mg, 50 mg and 100 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Metformin hydrochloride (Metformin Mylan) tab immediate-release 850 mg
   amended chemical name, new listing and addition of HSS
- Metformin hydrochloride (Apotex) tab immediate-release 850 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Multivitamin and mineral supplement (Clinicians Multivit & Mineral Boost) cap new listing and amended restriction
- Multivitamin renal (Clinicians Renal Vit) cap new listing
- Oral feed (Sustagen Hospital Formula (chocolate and vanilla)) powder 23 g protein, 65 g carbohydrate and 2.5 g fat per 100 g, can, 840 g – new listing
- Oral feed (Sustagen Hospital Formula (chocolate and vanilla)) powder 23 g protein, 65 g carbohydrate and 2.5 g fat per 100 g, can, 900 g – to be delisted 1 April 2016
- Oxandrolone tab 2.5 mg amended chemical name
- Oxycodone hydrochloride (OxyNorm) inj 50 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule price decrease and addition of HSS
- Paracetamol (Gacet) suppos 125 mg and 250 mg new listing and addition of HSS
- Paracetamol (Panadol) suppos 125 mg and 250 mg to be delisted
   December 2015
- Phenobarbitone (PSM) tab 15 mg and 30 mg price increase and addition of HSS
- Pioglitazone (Vexazone) tab 15 mg, 30 mg and 45 mg new listing and addition of HSS
- Pioglitazone (Pizaccord) tab 15 mg, 30 mg and 45 mg price decrease and to be delisted 1 December 2015
- Prednisolone sodium phosphate (Minims Prednisolone) eye drops 0.5%, single dose (preservative free), 20 dose – new listing
- Salbutamol (SalAir) aerosol inhaler, 100 mcg per dose CFC free new listing
- Salmeterol (Meterol) aerosol inhaler 25 mcg per dose new listing
- Zopiclone (Zopiclone Actavis) tab 7.5 mg, 30 and 500 tab packs new listing and addition of HSS
- Zopiclone (Apo-Zopiclone) tab 7.5 mg to be delisted 1 December 2015

((	Price ex man. Excl. G	ST)	Brand or Generic
,	\$	Per	Manufacturer

# **Section H changes to Part II**

Effective 1 October 2015

### ALIMENTARY TRACT AND METABOLISM

18	METFORMIN <b>HYDROCHLORIDE</b> (amended chemical name, new listing a Tab immediate-release 850 mg – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b>	500	Metformin Mylan
18	PIOGLITAZONE         Tab 15 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018       3.47         Tab 30 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018       5.06         Tab 45 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018       7.10	90	Vexazone Vexazone Vexazone
18	PIOGLITAZONE (↓ price and delisting)  Tab 15 mg	28 28	Pizaccord Pizaccord Pizaccord 15.
20	BISACODYL (delisting) Suppos 5 mg	6	Dulcolax
23	MULTIVITAMIN AND MINERAL SUPPLEMENT (new listing and amended ⇒ Cap23.35		Clinicians Multivit & Mineral Boost e.g.Clinicians Multivit & Mineral Boost

#### Restricted

Limited to 3 months' treatment

Both:

- 1 Patient was admitted to hospital with burns; and
- 2 Any of the following:
  - 2.1 Burn size is greater than 15% of total body surface area (BSA) for all types of burns; or
  - 2.2 Burn size is greater than 10% of BSA for mid-dermal or deep dermal burns; or
  - 2.3 Nutritional status prior to admission or dietary intake is poor.

Note: Multivitamin and mineral supplement capsule composition includes vitamin A 250 IU, thiamine 2.5 mg, riboflavin 2.5 mg, nicotinamide 12.5 mg, vitamin B5 10 mg, pyridoxine 5 mg, vitamin B12 6.2 meg, vitamin C 125 mg, cholecalciferol 2.5 meg, vitamin E 25 mg, betaine 12.5 mg, biotin 12.5 meg, boron 250 meg, calcium 25 mg, choline 6.2 mg, chromium 25 meg, citric acid 50mg, citrus bioflavonoid complex 50mg, co-enzyme Q10 1.2 mg, copper 125 meg, folic acid 37.5 meg, inositol 6.2 mg, iodine 25 meg, iron 250 meg, L-Glutamine 6.2 mg, magnesium 12.5 mg, molybdenum 12.5 meg, manganese 0.5 mg, potassium 5 mg, selenium 18.7 meg, zinc 1.9 mg.

# 24 MULTIVITAMIN RENAL

→ Cap 8.39 30 Clinicians Renal Vit

Fither:

- 1 The patient has chronic kidney disease and is receiving either peritoneal dialysis or haemodialysis; or
- 2 The patient has chronic kidney disease grade 5, defined as patient with an estimated glomerular filtration rate of <15 ml/min/1.73 m² body surface area (BSA).</p>

	Price		Brand or
(ex n	nan. Excl. (	GST)	Generic
	\$	Per	Manufacturer

# **BLOOD AND BLOOD FORMING ORGANS**

28	ALUMINIUM CHLORIDE  → Topical soln 20% w/v Restricted For use as a haemostasis agent.		e.g. Driclor
29	FACTOR EIGHT INHIBITORS BYPASSING FRACTION  → Inj 2,500 U	1	FEIBA
CAR	DIOVASCULAR SYSTEM		
39	FLECAINIDE ACETATE (delisting) Tab 100 mg68.78 Note – Tambocor tab 100 mg to be delisted from 1 December 2015.	60	Tambocor
45	DOBUTAMINE HYDROCHLORIDE (amended presentation description and r Inj 12.5 mg per ml, 20 ml <b>ampoule <del>vial</del></b> - <b>1% DV Jan-16 to 2018</b> 24.45	,	Dobutamine-Claris
DERI	MATOLOGICALS		
50	CALAMINE (‡ price and addition of HSS)  Crm, aqueous, BP – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b>	100 g 2,000 ml	Pharmacy Health PSM
50	ISOTRETINOIN (↓ price and delisting)		

# **HORMONE PREPARATIONS**

59 **OXANDROLONE** OXANDROLINE (chemical name change)

Cap 20 mg ......23.12

Note - Oratane cap 10 mg and 20 mg to be delisted from 1 November 2015.

→ Tab 2.5 mg

# **MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM**

100 DICLOFENAC SODIUM

Tab EC 25 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	1.30	50	Diclofenac Sandoz
Tab EC 50 mg - 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	1.00	50	Diclofenac Sandoz
Tab long-acting 75 mg - 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	15.20	500	Apo-Diclo SR
Tab long-acting 100 mg - 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	26.20	500	Apo-Diclo SR
Note - Apo-Diclo tab EC 25 mg and 50 mg, and Diclax	SR tab long-acting	75 mg a	and 100 mg to be delisted
from 1 December 2015.		_	-

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Oratane

Oratane

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(e.	x man. Excl. G	ST)	Generic
	\$	Per	Manufacturer

# **NERVOUS SYSTEM**

104	BUPIVACAINE HYDROCHLORIDE (Pharmacode change) Inj 5 mg per ml, 10 ml ampoule sterile pack  – 1% DV Sep-15 to 2018  Note – Pharmacode change from 201359 to 728098. Pharma 2015.		5 to be delist	<b>Marcain</b> ed from 1 October
107	PARACETAMOL Suppos 125 mg – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b> Suppos 250 mg – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b> Note – Panadol suppos 125 mg and 250 mg to be delisted fro	3.79	10 10 er 2015.	Gacet Gacet
110	OXYCODONE HYDROCHLORIDE (4 price and addition of HSS) Inj 50 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	51.00	5	OxyNorm
113	GABAPENTIN  → Tab 600 mg  Note – Gabapentin tab 600 mg to be delisted 1 November 2015.			
115	LAMOTRIGINE (delisting)  Tab dispersible 25 mg  Tab dispersible 50 mg  Tab dispersible 100 mg  Note – Mogine tab dispersible 25 mg, 50 mg and 100 mg to b	34.70 59.90	56 56 56 m 1 Decem	Mogine Mogine Mogine ber 2015.
115	PHENOBARBITONE († price and addition of HSS)  Tab 15 mg – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b> Tab 30 mg – <b>1% DV Dec-15 to 2018</b>		500 500	PSM PSM
117	DOMPERIDONE (‡ price and addition of HSS) Tab 10 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	3.20	100	Prokinex
118	ARIPIPRAZOLE  → Tab 5 mg	123.54	30	Abilify
124	ZOPICLONE Tab 7.5 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018  Note – Apo-Zopiclone tab 7.5 mg to be delisted from 1 Decem	8.99	30 500	Zopiclone Actavis Zopiclone Actavis
125	DEXAMFETAMINE SULFATE (↑ price and addition of HSS)  → Tab 5 mg – 1% DV Dec-15 to 2018	17.00	100	PSM
ONCO	LOGY AGENTS AND IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS			
141	ETANERCEPT (↓ price)  → Inj 25 mg vial	,599.96	4 4 4	Enbrel Enbrel Enbrel

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(ex man.	Excl. GST)		Generic
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# **RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND ALLERGIES**

173	SALBUTAMOL Aerosol inhaler, 100 mcg per dose CFC free	200 dose	SalAir
174	FLUTICASONE Aerosol inhaler 50 mcg per dose	120 dose 120 dose 120 dose	Floair Floair Floair
174	SALMETEROL Aerosol inhaler 25 mcg per dose	120 dose	Meterol
175	FLUTICASONE WITH SALMETEROL  Aerosol inhaler 50 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg	120 dose 120 dose	RexAir RexAir
SENS	ORY ORGANS		
178	PREDNISOLONE SODIUM PHOSPHATE (new listing) Eye drops 0.5%, single dose (preservative free)	20 dose	Minims Prednisolone
180	DORZOLAMIDE WITH TIMOLOL Eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5% – 1% DV Dec-15 to 20183.45 Note – Cosopt eye drops to be delisted from 1 December 2015.	5 ml	Arrow-Dortim

### **SPECIAL FOODS**

207 ORAL FEED

Sustagen Hospital Formula (Vanilla)

Note: Community subsidy of Sustagen Hospital Formula is subject to both Special Authority criteria and a manufacturer's surcharge. Higher subsidy by endorsement is available for patients meeting the following endorsement criteria; fat malabsorption, fat intolerance or chyle leak.

Note - Sustagen Hospital Formual (chocolate and vanilla) powder 900 g can to be delisted from 1 April 2016.

# **Effective 1 September 2015**

### ALIMENTARY TRACT AND METABOLISM

18 METFORMIN

Tab immediate-release 500 mg – **1% DV Nov-15 to 2018**........9.59 1,000 **Metchel** Note – Apotex metformin tab immediate-release 500 mg to be delisted from 1 November 2015.

Price (ex man. Excl. G	ST)	Brand or Generic
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# **BLOOD AND BLOOD FORMING ORGANS**

<b>D</b>	D AND DECOD I CHIMING CHAANC			
29	EPTACOG ALFA [RECOMBINANT FACTOR VIIA] (amen  → Inj 1 mg syringe  → Inj 2 mg syringe  → Inj 5 mg syringe  → Inj 8 mg syringe  Restricted  When used in the treatment of haemophilia, access to group in conjunction with the National Haemophilia Ma	1,163.75 2,327.50 5,818.75 9,310.00 <b>funded</b> treatment is m	1 1 1 1	NovoSeven RT NovoSeven RT NovoSeven RT NovoSeven RT the Haemophilia Treaters
29	FACTOR EIGHT INHIBITORS BYPASSING FRACTION At price)  → Inj 500 U  → Inj 1,000 U		1	FEIBA FEIBA
29	MOROCTOCOG ALFA [RECOMBINANT FACTOR VIII] (a  → Inj 250 iu prefilled syringe vial  → Inj 500 iu prefilled syringe vial  → Inj 1,000 iu prefilled syringe vial  → Inj 2,000 iu prefilled syringe vial  → Inj 3,000 iu prefilled syringe vial	210.00 420.00 840.00 1,680.00	descriptior 1 1 1 1 1	and ↓ price) Xyntha Xyntha Xyntha Xyntha Xyntha Xyntha
29	NONACOG ALFA [RECOMBINANT FACTOR IX] (amender → Inj 250 iu vial → Inj 500 iu vial → Inj 1,000 iu vial → Inj 2,000 iu vial ← I		1 1 1 1	BeneFIX BeneFIX BeneFIX BeneFIX the Haemophilia Treaters
29	OCTOCOG ALFA [RECOMBINANT FACTOR VIII] (↓ price  → Inj 250 iu vial  → Inj 500 iu vial  → Inj 1,000 iu vial  → Inj 2,000 iu vial  → Inj 3,000 iu vial	237.50 475.00 950.00 1,900.00	1 1 1 1	Kogenate FS Kogenate FS Kogenate FS Kogenate FS Kogenate FS
29	OCTOCOG ALFA [RECOMBINANT FACTOR VIII] († price  → Inj 250 iu vial  → Inj 500 iu vial  → Inj 1,000 iu vial  → Inj 1,500 iu vial  → Inj 2,000 iu vial  → Inj 3,000 iu vial		1 1 1 1 1	Advate Advate Advate Advate Advate Advate

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(1	(ex man. Excl. GST)		Generic
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# Changes to Section H Part II - effective 1 September 2015 (continued)

31 HEPARIN SODIUM (amended presentation description) Inj 1,000 iu per ml, 35 ml vial ampoule

TICAGRELOR (amended restriction) 32

> → Tab 90 mg ......90.00 56 Brilinta

Restricted

Restricted to treatment of acute coronary syndromes specifically for patients who have recently (within the last 60 days) been diagnosed with an ST-elevation or a non-ST-elevation acute coronary syndrome, and in whom fibrinolytic therapy has not been given in the last 24 hours and is not planned.

### CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM

48 EPOPROSTENOL (new listing)

→ Inj 0.5 mg vial	1	Veletri
→ Inj 1.5 mg vial	1	Veletri
Destricted		

For use as a bridge to transplant for patients with Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension who are on the active waiting list for lung transplantation.

### **DERMATOLOGICALS**

49	HYDROGEN PEROXIDE	
49	HYDROGEN PEROXIDE	

Soln 3% (10 vol) – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b>	1.40	100 ml	Pharmacy Health
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50 DIMETHICONE

> healthE Dimethicone 500 ml 10%

50 **ISOTRETINOIN** 

Cap 10 mg – 1% DV Nov-15 to 2018	12.47	100	Isotane 10
Cap 20 mg – 1% DV Nov-15 to 2018	19.27	100	Isotane 20

Note – Oratane cap 10 mg and 20 mg to be delisted from 1 November 2015.

51 CETOMACROGOL

> 500 g healthE Note – Pharmacy Health cetomacrogol crm BP, 500 g to be delisted from 1 November 2015.

52 MOMETASONE FUROATE

Crm 0.1% – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b> 1.51	15 g	Elocon Alcohol Free
2.90	50 g	Elocon Alcohol Free
Oint 0.1% – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b>	15 g	Elocon
2.90	50 g	Elocon

Note – m-Mometasone crm 0.1% and oint 0.1%, 15 g and 45 g, to be delisted from 1 November 2015.

### **GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM**

FINASTERIDE (nack size change) 57

7	Tab 5 mg − 1% DV Dec-14 to 2017	2.08	30	Finpro
	Note – The pack size has changed from 28 to 30 tab.	The 28 tab pack w	ill be delisted	from 1 November
	2015.			

Brand or Generic Manufacturer  Oxytocin BNM Oxytocin BNM BNN
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Nevirapine Alphapharm
Dantrium IV
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Diprivan
Paracare
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PSM
PSM
Apo-Mirtazapine
Apo-Mirtazapine

Price	
(ex man. Excl. GST)	
\$	Per

Brand or Generic Manufacturer

Changes to Section H Part II – effective 1 September 2015 (continued)

ZUCLOPENTHIXOL DECANOATE (new listing) Inj 500 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule

e.g. Clopixol Conc

# **ONCOLOGY AGENTS AND IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS**

128 THIOTEPA (new listing) Ini 100 mg vial

#### 129 EPIRUBICIN HYDROCHLORIDE

Inj 2 mg per ml, 25 ml vial – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b> 30.00	1	Epirubicin Ebewe
Inj 2 mg per ml, 50 ml vial – 1% DV Nov-15 to 201832.50	1	Epirubicin Ebewe
Inj 2 mg per ml, 100 ml vial – 1% DV Nov-15 to 2018	1	Epirubicin Ebewe
Note - DBL Epirubicin Hydrochloride inj 2 mg per ml, 25 ml, 50 ml and	l 100 ml vials t	o be delisted from 1
November 2015.		

#### 129 IDARUBICIN HYDROCHLORIDE († price and addition of HSS)

Inj 5 mg vial – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b>	125.00	1	Zavedos
Inj 10 mg vial – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b>	250.00	1	Zavedos

#### 133 **CISPLATIN**

Inj 1 mg per ml, 50 ml vial – <b>1% DV Nov-15 to 2018</b> 12.29	1	DBL Cisplatin
Inj 1 mg per ml, 100 ml vial – 1% DV Nov-15 to 201822.46	1	DBL Cisplatin
Note - Cisplatin Ebewe ini 1 mg per ml. 50 ml and 100 ml vials to be delisi	ted from	1 November 2015.

#### 138 CALCIUM FOLINATE († price)

Tab 15 mg	104.26	10	DBL Leucovorin
			Calcium

# Effective 1 August 2015

### **ALIMENTARY TRACT AND METABOLISM**

14	HYDROCORTISONE ACETATE (ame	ended presentation, † price and additi	on of HSS)
	Rectal foam 10%, CFC free (14 a	applications)	
	- 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	26.55	21.1 g

Note – Accarb tab 50 mg and 100 mg to be from delisted 1 October 2015.

ACARBOSE			
Tab 50 mg – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	4.28	90	Glucobay
Tah 100 mg = 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	7 78	٩n	Glucobay

21.1 g

Colifoam

#### 18 PANCREATIC ENZYME

		000 BP u amylase and 210	Cap EC 10,000 BP u lipase, 9,000
Creon 10000	100	<b>15 to 2018</b> 34.93	BP u protease - 1% DV Oct-15
		,000 BP u amylase and	Cap EC 25,000 BP u lipase, 18,00
Creon 25000	100	V Oct-15 to 201894.38	1,000 BP u protease - 1% DV 0
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#### 20 BISACODYL († price and addition of HSS)

Tab 5 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	5.99	200	Lax-Tabs
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	Price		Brand or
(ex	man. Excl. G	ST)	Generic
	\$	Per	Manufacturer

# **BLOOD AND BLOOD FORMING ORGANS**

28	FOLIC ACID Tab 0.8 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	1,000 500	Apo-Folic Acid Apo-Folic Acid
35	POTASSIUM DIHYDROGEN PHOSPHATE Inj 1 mmol per ml, 10 ml ampoule - 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	10	Hospira
35	SODIUM DIHYDROGEN PHOSPHATE [SODIUM ACID PHOSPHATE] Inj 1 mmol per ml, 20 ml ampoule - 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	5	Biomed
CARI	DIOVASCULAR SYSTEM		
37	QUINAPRIL WITH HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE († price and addition of HSS)  Tab 10 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg  - 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	30	Accuretic 10
	Tab 20 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg - 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	30	Accuretic 20
39	MEXILETINE HYDROCHLORIDE († price) Cap 150 mg	100 100	Mexiletine Hydrochloride USP Mexiletine
			Hydrochloride USP
40	NADOLOL (1 price and addition of HSS)  Tab 40 mg – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	100 100	Apo-Nadolol Apo-Nadolol
43	BEZAFIBRATE (addition of HSS)  Tab 200 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> (‡ price)9.05  Tab long-acting 400 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> († price)6.78	90 30	Bezalip Bezalip Retard
46	ALPROSTADIL HYDROCHLORIDE († price and addition of HSS) Inj 500 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule - 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	5	Prostin VR
47	BOSENTAN  → Tab 62.5 mg – <b>1% DV Jan-16 to 2018</b>	56 56 ed from 1 Ja	Mylan-Bosentan Mylan-Bosentan ınuary 2016.

# **DERMATOLOGICALS**

49 LINDANE [GAMMA BENZENE HEXACHLORIDE]

Crm 1%

Note – Lindane [gamma benzene hexachloride cream 1% to be delisted from 1 January 2016.

Price	)		Brand or
(ex man. Exc	cl. GST)		Generic
\$		Per	Manufacturer

GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM
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Chan	ges to Section H Part II – effective 1 August 2015 (continued)		
GENIT	TO-URINARY SYSTEM		
56	NORETHISTERONE Tab 350 mcg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	84	Noriday 28
HORN	MONE PREPARATIONS		
59	CYPROTERONE ACETATE  Tab 50 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	50 50	Procur Procur
60	METHYLPREDNISOLONE (AS SODIUM SUCCINATE) († price and addition of F         Tab 4 mg – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	ISS) 100 20 1 1	Medrol Medrol Solu-Medrol Solu-Medrol
60	METHYLPREDNISOLONE (AS SODIUM SUCCINATE) (4 price and addition of Finj 500 mg vial – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	ISS) 1 1	Solu-Medrol Solu-Medrol
60	METHYLPREDNISOLONE ACETATE († price and addition of HSS) Inj 40 mg per ml, 1 ml vial – 1% DV Oct-15 to 201840.00	5	Depo-Medrol
60	METHYLPREDNISOLONE ACETATE WITH <b>LIDOCAINE</b> [LIGNOCAINE] (amended descriptions, † price and addition of HSS) Inj 40 mg with <b>lidocaine</b> [lignocaine] <del>10 mg per ml</del> , 1 ml vial – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 9.25	ed chemical	and presentation  Depo-Medrol with Lidocaine
INFE	CTIONS		
70	CEFEPIME  → Inj 1 g vial – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	1 1 15.	Cefepime-AFT Cefepime-AFT
71	AZITHROMYCIN (amended presentation description, ↑ price and addition of HS  → Grans for oral liq 200 mg per 5 ml Oral-liq (40 mg per ml)  - 1% DV Oct-15 to 201812.50	SS) 15 ml	Zithromax
75	TRIMETHOPRIM († price and addition of HSS) Tab 300 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 15.00	50	TMP

	Price		Brand or
(ex m	an. Excl. 6	GST)	Generic
	\$	Per	Manufacturer

### **MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM**

94 ZOLEDRONIC ACID (amended restriction)

Restricted

Inherited bone fragility disorders

Patient has been diagnosed with an inherited bone fragility disorder (e.g. osteogenesis imperfecta).

Osteoporosis

Both:

- 1 Any of the following:
  - 1.1 History of one significant osteoporotic fracture demonstrated radiologically and documented bone mineral density (BMD) ≥ 2.5 standard deviations below the mean normal value in young adults (i.e. T-Score ≤ -2.5) (see Note); or
  - 1.2 History of one significant osteoporotic fracture demonstrated radiologically, and either the patient is elderly, or densitometry scanning cannot be performed because of major logistical, technical or pathophysiological reasons.

It is unlikely that this provision would apply to many patients under 75 years of age; or

- 1.3 History of two significant osteoporotic fractures demonstrated radiologically; or
- 1.4 Documented T-Score ≥ -3.0 (see Note); or
- 1.5 A 10-year risk of hip fracture ≥ 3%, calculated using a published risk assessment algorithm (e.g. FRAX or Garvan) which incorporates BMD measurements (see Note); or
- 1.6 Patient has had a Special Authority approval for alendronate (Underlying cause Osteoporosis) or raloxifene; and
- 2 The patient will not be prescribed more than 5 mg of zoledronic acid one infusion in a 12-month period.

Initiation - glucocorticosteroid therapy

Re-assessment required after 12 months

All of the following:

- 1 The patient is receiving systemic glucocorticosteroid therapy (≥ 5 mg per day prednisone equivalents) and has already received or is expected to receive therapy for at least three months; and
- 2 Any of the following:
  - 2.1 The patient has documented BMD ≥ 1.5 standard deviations below the mean normal value in young adults (i.e. T-Score ≤ -1.5) (see Note); or
  - 2.2 The patient has a history of one significant osteoporotic fracture demonstrated radiologically; or
  - 2.3 The patient has had a Special Authority approval for alendronate (Underlying cause glucocorticosteroid therapy) or raloxifene; and
- 3 The patient will not be prescribed more than 5 mg of zoledronic acid one infusion in the 12-month approval period.

Continuation - glucocorticosteroid therapy

Re-assessment required after 12 months

Both:

- 1 The patient is continuing systemic glucocorticosteriod therapy (≥ 5 mg per day prednisone equivalents); and
- 2 The patient will not be prescribed more than 5 mg of zoledronic acid one infusion in the 12-month approval period.

Initiation - Paget's disease

Re-assessment required after 12 months

All of the following:

- 1 Paget's disease; and
- 2 Any of the following:
  - 2.1 Bone or articular pain; or
  - 2.2 Bone deformity; or

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- 2.3 Bone, articular or neurological complications; or
- 2.4 Asymptomatic disease, but risk of complications; or
- 2.5 Preparation for orthopaedic surgery: and
- 3 The patient will not be prescribed more than 5 mg of zoledronic acid one infusion in the 12-month approval period.

Continuation - Paget's disease

Re-assessment required after 12 months

#### Both:

- 1 Any of the following:
  - 1.1 The patient has relapsed (based on increases in serum alkaline phosphatase); or
  - 1.2 The patient's serum alkaline phosphatase has not normalised following previous treatment with zoledronic acid: or
  - 1.3 Symptomatic disease (prescriber determined); and
- 2 The patient will not be prescribed more than 5 mg of zoledronic acid one infusion in the 12-month approval period.

#### Notes:

- 1 BMD (including BMD used to derive T-Score) must be measured using dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry (DXA). Quantitative ultrasound and quantitative computed tomography (QCT) are not acceptable.
- 2 Evidence suggests that patients aged 75 years and over who have a history of significant osteoporotic fracture demonstrated radiologically are very likely to have a T-Score ≤ -2.5 and, therefore, do not require BMD measurement for treatment with bisphosphonates.
- 3 Osteoporotic fractures are the incident events for severe (established) osteoporosis and can be defined using the WHO definitions of osteoporosis and fragility fracture. The WHO defines severe (established) osteoporosis as a T-score below -2.5 with one or more associated fragility fractures. Fragility fractures are fractures that occur as a result of mechanical forces that would not ordinarily cause fracture (minimal trauma). The WHO has quantified this as forces equivalent to a fall from a standing height or less.
- 4 A vertebral fracture is defined as a 20% or greater reduction in height of the anterior or mid portion of a vertebral body relative to the posterior height of that body, or a 20% or greater reduction in any of these heights compared to the vertebral body above or below the affected vertebral body.

# 97 BENZBROMARONE (amended restriction)

#### Restricted

#### All of the following Both:

- 1 Patient has been diagnosed with gout; and
- 2 Any of the following:
  - 24.1 The patient has a serum urate level greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite treatment with allopurinol at doses of at least 600 mg/day and appropriate doses of addition of probenecid at doses of up to 2 g per day or maximum tolerated dose; or
  - 24.2 The patient has experienced intolerable side effects from allopurinol such that treatment discontinuation is required and serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite appropriate doses of use of probenecid at doses of up to 2 g per day or maximum tolerated dose; or
  - 21.3 Both:
    - 24.3.1 The patient has renal impairment such that probenecid is contraindicated or likely to be ineffective and serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite optimal treatment with allopurinol (see Notes); and
    - 24.3.2 The patient has a rate of creatinine clearance greater than or equal to 20 ml/min; or
  - 21.4 All of the following:
    - 24.4.1 The patient is taking azathioprine and requires urate-lowering therapy; and
    - 21.4.2 Allopurinol is contraindicated; and

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**2**+.4.3 Appropriate doses of probenecid are ineffective or probenecid cannot be used due to reduced renal function; and

32 The patient is receiving monthly liver function tests.

Notes: Benzbromarone has been associated with potentially fatal hepatotoxicity. In chronic renal insufficiency, particularly when the glomerular filtration rate is 30 ml/minute or less, probenecid may not be effective.

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Optimal treatment with allopurinol in patients with renal impairment is defined as treatment to the creatinine clearance-adjusted dose of allopurinol then, if serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l, a gradual increase of the dose of allopurinol to 600 mg or the maximum tolerated dose.

The New Zealand Rheumatology Association has developed information for prescribers which can be accessed from its website at

http://www.rheumatology.org.nz/benzbromarone\_prescriber\_information.cfm www.rheumatology.org.nz/downloads/Benzbromarone-prescriber-information-NZRA-V2.pdf

98 FEBUXOSTAT (amended restriction)

→ Tab 80 mg	39.50	28	Adenuric
→ Tab 120 mg		28	Adenuric
Restricted			

#### Both:

- 1 Patient has been diagnosed with gout; and
- **2** Any of the following:
  - 2.1 The patient has a serum urate level greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite treatment with allopurinol at doses of at least 600 mg/day and appropriate doses of addition of probenecid at doses of up to 2 g per day or maximum tolerated dose: or
  - 2.2 The patient has experienced intolerable side effects from allopurinol such that treatment discontinuation is required and serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite appropriate doses of use of probenecid at doses of up to 2 g per day or maximum tolerated dose; or
  - 2.3 Both:
    - 3.1 The patient has renal impairment such that probenecid is contraindicated or likely to be ineffective and serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l despite optimal treatment with allopurinol (see Note); and
    - 3.2 The patient has a rate of creatinine clearance greater than or equal to 30 ml/min.

Note: In chronic renal insufficiency, particularly when the glomerular filtration rate is 30 ml/minute or less, probenecid may not be effective. The efficacy and safety of febuxostat have not been fully evaluated in patients with severe renal impairment (creatinine clearance less than 30 ml/minute). No dosage adjustment of febuxostat is necessary in patients with mild or moderate renal impairment. Optimal treatment with allopurinol in patients with renal impairment is defined as treatment to the creatinine clearance adjusted dose of allopurinol then, if serum urate remains greater than 0.36 mmol/l, a gradual increase of the dose of allopurinol to 600 mg or the maximum tolerated dose.

#### **NERVOUS SYSTEM**

105	LIDOCAINE [LIGNOCAINE]		
	Crm 4%27.00	30 g	LMX4
	Crm 4% (5 g tubes)27.00	5	LMX4
107	PARACETAMOL		
	Tab soluble 500 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2017</b>	20	Paragesic Soluble
108	MORPHINE HYDROCHLORIDE (addition of HSS)		
	Oral liq 1 mg per ml – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 8.84	200 ml	RA-Morph

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108	MORPHINE HYDROCHLORIDE († price and addition of HSS)         Oral liq 2 mg per ml – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	200 ml 200 ml 200 ml	RA-Morph RA-Morph RA-Morph
110	OXYCODONE HYDROCHLORIDE (‡ price and addition of HSS) Cap immediate-release 5 mg – 1% DV Oct-15 to 2018	20 20 20	OxyNorm OxyNorm OxyNorm
111	MOCLOBEMIDE († price and addition of HSS)  Tab 150 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	500 100	Apo-Moclobemide Apo-Moclobemide
113	PHENYTOIN SODIUM Inj 50 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 88.63 Inj 50 mg per ml, 5 ml ampoule – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 133.92	5 5	Hospira Hospira
118	ARIPIPRAZOLE (amended restriction)  → Tab 10 mg	30 30 30 30	Abilify Abilify Abilify Abilify

# Initiation - schizophrenia or related psychoses

Both

- 1 Patient is suffering from schizophrenia or related psychoses; and
- 2 Either:
  - 2.1 An effective dose of risperidone or quetiapine has been trialled and has been discontinued, or is in the process of being discontinued, because of unacceptable side effects; or
  - 2.2 An effective dose of risperidone or quetiapine has been trialled and has been discontinued, or is in the process of being discontinued, because of inadequate clinical response.

### Initiation - Autism spectrum disorder\*

### Psychiatrist or paediatrician

All of the following:

- 1 The patient has been diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder\* and has symptoms of severe irritability; and
- 2 An effective dose of risperidone has been trialled and has been discontinued because of unacceptable side effects or inadequate response; and
- 3 The patient is aged less than 18 years.

Note: Indications marked with \* are Unapproved Indications

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Note – These are listing for new Pharmacodes, 2476266 and 2476274. The old Pharmacodes will be delisted from 1 February 2016.

### 127 NICOTINE (new listing)

→ Oral spray 1 mg per dose

e.g. Nicorette QuickMist Mouth Sprav

#### Restricted

Any of the following:

- 1 For perioperative use in patients who have a 'nil by mouth' instruction; or
- 2 For use within mental health inpatient units; or
- 3 For acute use in agitated patients who are unable to leave the hospital facilities.

# **ONCOLOGY AGENTS AND IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS**

128	BLEOMYCIN SULPHATE Inj 15,000 iu (10 mg) vial – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 150.48	1	DBL Bleomycin Sulfate
128	CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE (addition of HSS) Inj 1 g vial – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	1	Endoxan Endoxan
128	DACTINOMYCIN [ACTINOMYCIN D] Inj 0.5 mg vial145.00	1	Cosmegen
130	FLUOROURACIL († price and addition of HSS) Inj 50 mg per ml, 20 ml vial – 1% DV Oct-15 to 201810.00	1	Fluorouracil Ebewe
130	FLUOROURACIL (\$\psi\$ price and addition of HSS) Inj 50 mg per ml, 50 ml vial — <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b>	1	Fluorouracil Ebewe Fluorouracil Ebewe
130	FLUOROURACIL (delist) Inj 25 mg per ml, 100 ml vial	1 5 mg per ml,	Hospira Fluorouracil Ebewe 10 ml vial to be delisted
139	MEGESTROL ACETATE († price and addition of HSS) Tab 160 mg – <b>1% DV Oct-15 to 2018</b> 54.30	30	Apo-Megestrol

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141 TACROLIMUS (amended restriction)

→ Cap 0.5 mg – 1% DV Nov-14 to 31 Oct 2018	100	Tacrolimus Sandoz
→ Cap 1 mg – 1% DV Nov-14 to 31 Oct 2018	100	Tacrolimus Sandoz
→ Cap 5 mg – 1% DV Nov-14 to 31 Oct 2018	50	Tacrolimus Sandoz

→ Inj 5 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule

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Initiation – organ transplant recipients

For use in organ transplant recipients

Initiation - Steroid-resistant nephrotic syndrome\*

Either

- 1 The patient is a child with steroid-resistant nephrotic syndrome\* (SRNS) where ciclosporin has been trialled in combination with prednisone and discontinued because of unacceptable side effects or inadequate clinical response; or
- 2 All of the following:
  - 2.1 The patient is an adult with SRNS; and
  - 2.2 Ciclosporin has been trialled in combination with prednisone and discontinued because of unacceptable side effects or inadequate clinical response; and
  - 2.3 Cyclophosphamide or mycophenolate have been trialled and discontinued because of unacceptable side effects or inadequate clinical response, or these treatments are contraindicated.

Note: Indications marked with \* are Unapproved Indications

#### RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND ALLERGIES

- 171 BEE VENOM
  - → Inj 120 mcg vial with diluent, 6 vial

Note – Bee venom inj 120 mcg vial with diluent, 6 vial to be delisted from 1 October 2015.

### **VACCINES**

209 DIPHTHERIA, TETANUS AND PERTUSSIS VACCINE (amended restriction)

1 Boostrix
10 Boostrix

#### Restricted

Funded for any of the following:

- 1 A single vaccine for pregnant woman between gestational weeks 28 and 38 during epidemics; or
- 2 A course of up to four vaccines is funded for children from age 7 up the age of 18 years inclusive to complete full primary immunisation; or
- 3 An additional four doses (as appropriate) are funded for (re-)immunisation for patients post haematopoietic stem cell transplantation or chemotherapy; pre or post splenectomy; pre- or post solid organ transplant, renal dialysis and other severely immunosuppressive regimens

Note: Tdap is not registered for patients aged less than 10 years. Please refer to the Immunisation Handbook for the appropriate schedule for catch up programmes.

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#### 212 INFLUENZA VACCINE

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Any of the following:

- 1 All people 65 years of age and over; or
- 2 People under 65 years of age who:
  - 2.1 Have any of the following cardiovascular diseases:
    - 2.1.1 Ischaemic heart disease: or
    - 2.1.2 Congestive heart failure: or
    - 2.1.3 Rheumatic heart disease; or
    - 2.1.4 Congenital heart disease: or
    - 2.1.5 Cerebro-vascular disease; or
  - 2.2 Have any of the following chronic respiratory diseases:
  - 2.2.1 Asthma, if on a regular preventative therapy; or
    - 2.2.2 Other chronic respiratory disease with impaired lung function; or
  - 2.3 Have diabetes; or
  - 2.4 Have chronic renal disease; or
  - 2.5 Have any cancer, excluding basal and squamous skin cancers if not invasive; or
  - 2.6 Have any of the following other conditions:
    - 2.6.1 Autoimmune disease; or
    - 2.6.2 Immune suppression or immune deficiency: or
    - 2.6.3 HIV; or
    - 2.6.4 Transplant recipients: or
    - 2.6.5 Neuromuscular and CNS diseases/ disorders; or
    - 2.6.6 Haemoglobinopathies: or
    - 2.6.7 Are children on long term aspirin: or
    - 2.6.8 Have a cochlear implant; or
    - 2.6.9 Errors of metabolism at risk of major metabolic **decompensation** decomposition: or
    - 2.6.10 Pre and post splenectomy: or
    - 2.6.11 Down syndrome; or
  - 2.7 Are pregnant, or
  - 2.8 Are children aged four and under who have been hospitalised for respiratory illness or have a history of significant respiratory illness: or
- 3 Patients who are compulsorily detained long-term in a forensic unit within a DHB hospital in the 2015 season. Note: The following conditions are excluded from funding:
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