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Summary of PHARMAC decisions

EFFECTIVE 1 SEPTEMBER 2020

New listings (pages 22-23)

- Insulin pump (Tandem Basal IQ) min basal rate 0.1 U/h – Special Authority
– Retail pharmacy, maximum of 1 dev per prescription, only on a prescription and maximum of 1 insulin pump per patient each four year period
- Cetomacrogol with glycerol (Kenkay Sorbolene) crm 90% with glycerol 10%, 500 ml OP
- Ethinyloestradiol with norethisterone (Brevinor 28) tab 35 mcg with norethisterone 500 mcg and 7 inert tab – up to 84 tab available on a PSO
- Neostigmine metilsulfate (Juno) inj 2.5 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule – S29 and wastage claimable
- Paracetamol (Pharmacy Health) tab 500 mg - blister pack – subsidy by endorsement, maximum of 300 tab per prescription
- Hydroxyurea [hydroxycarbamide] (Devatis) cap 500 mg – PCT
– Retail pharmacy-Specialist
- Octreotide (Octreotide GH) inj 50 mcg and 500 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule
– S29 and wastage claimable
- Pharmacy services (BSF Imigran) brand switch fee – may be claimed once per patient
- Enteral liquid peptide formula liquid 1 kcal/ml, 500 ml OP (Nutrini Peptisorb) and liquid 1.5 kcal/ml, 500 ml OP (Nutrini Peptisorb Energy) – Special Authority
– Hospital pharmacy [HP3]
- Aminoacid formula without phenylalanine (PKU Lophlex Powder) powder (unflavoured) 28 g sachet – Special Authority – Hospital pharmacy [HP3]

Changes to restrictions (pages 25-27)

- Prasugrel (Effient) tab 5 mg and 10 mg – amended Special Authority criteria
- Ticagrelor (Brilinta) tab 90 mg – amended Special Authority criteria
- Doxazosin (Apo-Doxazosin) tab 2 mg and 4 mg – stat dispensing removed
- Hydroxychloroquine (Plaquenil) tab 200 mg – amended subsidy by endorsement
- Lidocaine [lignocaine] (Instillagel Lido) gel 2%, 11 ml urethral syringe
– amended subsidy by endorsement
- Maprotiline hydrochloride (Ludiomil) tab 25 mg and 75 mg – addition of subsidy by endorsement
- Sumatriptan (Imigran) inj 12 mg per ml 0.5 ml prefilled pen, 2 OP
– addition of brand switch fee
- Risperidone (Risperidone (Teva)) tab 0.5 mg, 1 mg, 2 mg, 3 mg and 4 mg
– amended brand name

Summary of PHARMAC decisions – effective 1 September 2020 (continued)

- Hydroxyurea [hydroxycarbamide] (Devatis and Hydrea) cap 500 mg
– amended chemical name
- Fulvestrant (Faslodex) inj 50 mg per ml, 5 ml prefilled syringe
– S29 and wastage claimable removed

Increased subsidy (pages 28-29)

- Doxazosin (Apo-Doxazosin) tab 2 mg and 4 mg
- Bendroflumethiazide [bendrofluazide] (Arrow-Bendrofluazide) tab 2.5 mg and 5 mg
- Betamethasone dipropionate (Diprosone) crm 0.05% and oint 0.05%, 50 g OP
- Levodopa with carbidopa (Sinemet) tab 100 mg with carbidopa 25 mg and 250 mg with carbidopa 25 mg
- Tramadol hydrochloride (Arrow-Tramadol) cap 50 mg
- Amitriptyline (Arrow-Amitriptyline) tab 10 mg
- Lamotrigine (Lamictal) tab dispersible 2 mg and 5 mg
- Prochlorperazine (Nausafix) tab 5 mg
- Diazepam (Arrow-Diazepam) tab 2 mg and 5 mg
- Nicotine (Habitrol) patch 7 mg, 14 mg and 21 mg, lozenge 1 mg and 2 mg and gum 2 mg (fruit and mint) and 4 mg (fruit and mint)
- Timolol (Arrow-Timolol) eye drops 0.25% and 0.5%, 5 ml OP

Decreased subsidy (pages 28-29)

- Methylprednisolone aceponate (Advantan) crm 0.1% and oint 0.1%, 15 g OP
- Moxifloxacin (Avelox) tab 400 mg
- Metronidazole (Metrogyl) tab 200 mg and 400 mg
- Amitriptyline (Arrow-Amitriptyline) tab 25 mg
- Risperidone (Risperidone (Teva)) tab 4 mg
- Atomoxetine (Strattera) cap 10 mg, 18 mg, 25 mg, 40 mg, 60 mg, 80 mg and 100 mg

Increased price but not subsidy (page 28)

- Triamcinolone acetonide with gramicidin, neomycin and nystatin (Viaderm KC) crm 1 mg with nystatin 100,000 u, neomycin sulphate 2.5 mg and gramicidin 250 mcg per g, 15 g OP

News Stories – September 2020 Update

Insulin pumps – New listing

From **1 September 2020**, a new brand of insulin pump (Tandem Basal IQ) min basal rate 0.1 U/h will be listed in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule. This will replace the currently listed brand, Tandem t:slim X2.



There is no difference to the hardware or consumables with the new brand of insulin pump. The only difference is that the new pump has upgraded software installed. All dispensing restrictions will continue to apply to the new brand.

The Tandem t:slim X2 will be delisted from Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule from **1 December 2020**.

Ritalin SR 20 mg tab – Discontinuation

The supplier of Ritalin, Novartis, is discontinuing Ritalin SR 20 mg tablets globally. Ritalin IR and Ritalin LA are not affected by this discontinuation.

Patients taking **Ritalin SR 20 mg tabs (Pharmacode 495298)** will need to change brands. Ritalin SR 20 mg tablets will be delisted from Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule from **1 June 2021** to allow time for stock in the supply chain to be dispensed and claimed.

Rubifen SR remains listed and fully funded.

More information is available on our website, at www.pharmac.govt.nz/medicines/my-medicine-has-changed/methylphenidate-sustained-release-ritalin-sr-discontinuation/.

Ethinylloestradiol with norethisterone – Supply issue

From **1 September 2020**, Brevinor 28 tabs will be listed in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule as an alternate brand to Norimin and Necon. Both these brands are currently experiencing supply issues. Please note that Brevinor 28 comes in a pack size of 112 tabs per box rather than 84 tabs per box.

Paracetamol – Supply Issue

PHARMAC is listing two more alternate brands of paracetamol 500 mg tabs in Section B of the Schedule from **1 September 2020**. Details are as follows:

Chemical	Brand	Pack Size	Pharmacode	Price and subsidy
Paracetamol tab 500 mg – blister pack	Pharmacy Health	20	2597845	\$0.50
Paracetamol tab 500 mg – blister pack	Pharmacy Health	100	2597853	\$2.48

All current dispensing restrictions and endorsements apply to these new brands.

Maprotiline hydrochloride tab – Discontinuation

The supplier of maprotiline hydrochloride tablets, AFT, are discontinuing supply to the New Zealand market. From **1 September 2020**, a subsidy by endorsement will be applied to these tablets to allow only for current patients to access treatment. No new patients will be able to start treatment.

The 25 mg tabs will be delisted from **1 February 2021** and 75 mg tabs from will be delisted from **1 August 2021**.

Patients will need to see their prescriber to discuss alternative treatments.

Apotex

Apotex has announced that it is leaving the New Zealand market. Most Apotex medicines will continue to be available until 2021. We have published a list of the affected medicines and an estimated timeframe for when changes will occur here: www.pharmac.govt.nz/medicines/my-medicine-has-changed/apotex-medicines-in-new-zealand/.

Supply Issues Information

Most of the temporary restrictions on dispensing were removed on 1 August 2020. However, COVID-19 continues to disrupt supply chains and manufacturing overseas. PHARMAC is updating our website regularly with the latest information and advice around supply issues. You can find this at www.pharmac.govt.nz/information-for/enquiries/.

You can also subscribe to receive email notifications about supply issues and other important announcements for pharmacists at www.pharmac.govt.nz/subscribe/. Select the “Updates for pharmacists” option to sign up for these.

Tender News

Sole Subsidised Supply changes – effective 1 October 2020

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size	Sole Subsidised Supply brand (and supplier)
Acitretin	Cap 10 mg; 60 cap	Novatretin (Douglas)
Acitretin	Cap 25 mg; 60 cap	Novatretin (Douglas)
Amorolfine	Nail soln 5%; 5 ml OP	MycosNail (AFT)
Atropine sulphate	Eye drops 1%; 15 ml OP	Atropt (Aspen Pharma)
Bacillus calmette-guerin vaccine	Inj Mycobacterium bovis BCG (Bacillus Calmette-Guerin), Danish strain 1331, live attenuated, vial with diluent; 10 inj	BCG Vaccine (Seqirus)
Budesonide	Metered aqueous nasal spray, 50 mcg per dose; 200 dose OP	SteroClear (AFT)
Budesonide	Metered aqueous nasal spray, 100 mcg per dose; 200 dose OP	SteroClear (AFT)
Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccine	Inj 2 IU diphtheria toxoid with 20 IU tetanus toxoid, 8 mcg pertussis toxoid, 8 mcg pertussis filamentous haemagglutinin and 2.5 mcg pertactin in 0.5 ml syringe; 1 & 10 inj	Boostrix (GSK)
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis and polio vaccine	Inj 30 IU diphtheria toxoid with 40 IU tetanus toxoid, 25 mcg pertussis toxoid, 25 mcg pertussis filamentous haemagglutinin, 8 mcg pertactin and 80 D-antigen units poliomyelitis virus in 0.5ml syringe; 10 inj	Infanrix IPV (GSK)
Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, hepatitis B and haemophilus influenzae type B vaccine	Inj 30 IU diphtheria toxoid with 40 IU tetanus toxoid, 25 mcg pertussis toxoid, 25 mcg pertussis filamentous haemagglutinin, 8 mcg pertactin, 80 D-AgU polio virus, 10 mcg hepatitis B surface antigen in 0.5ml syringe; 10 inj	Infanrix-hexa (GSK)
Docusate sodium	Tab 50 mg; 100 tab	Coloxyl (Aspen Pharma)
Docusate sodium	Tab 120 mg; 100 tab	Coloxyl (Aspen Pharma)
Ezetimibe	Tab 10 mg; 30 tab	Ezetimibe Sandoz (Novartis)
Glycerol	Liquid; 500 ml	healthE Glycerol BP (Jaychem)
Hepatitis A vaccine	Inj 1440 ELISA units in 1 ml syringe; 1 inj	Havrix (GSK)
Hepatitis A vaccine	Inj 720 ELISA units in 0.5 ml syringe; 1 inj	Havrix Junior (GSK)
Hepatitis B recombinant vaccine	Inj 20 mcg per 1 ml prefilled syringe; 1 inj	Engerix-B (GSK)
Human papillomavirus (6, 11, 16, 18, 31, 33, 45, 52 and 58) vaccine [HPV]	Inj 270 mg in 0.5 ml syringe; 10 inj	Gardasil 9 (Seqirus)
Hydrocortisone and paraffin liquid and lanolin	Lotn 1% with paraffin liquid 15.9% and lanolin 0.6%; 250 ml	DP Lotn HC (Douglas)
Hyoscine butylbromide	Tab 10 mg; 100 tab	Buscopan (Sanofi)

Sole Subsidised Supply changes – effective 1 October 2020 (continued)

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size	Sole Subsidised Supply brand (and supplier)
Macrogol 3350 with potassium chloride, sodium bicarbonate and sodium chloride	Powder for oral soln 13.125 g with potassium chloride 46.6 mg, sodium bicarbonate 178.5 mg and sodium chloride 350.7 mg; 30 sach	Molaxole (Mylan)
Measles, mumps and rubella vaccine	Inj, measles virus 1,000 CCID50, mumps virus 5,012 CCID50, Rubella virus 1,000 CCID50; prefilled syringe/ampoule of diluent 0.5 ml; 10 inj	Priorix (GSK)
Meningococcal (groups A, C, Y and W-135) conjugate vaccine	Inj 4 mcg of each meningococcal polysaccharide conjugated to a total of approximately 48 mcg of diphtheria toxoid carrier per 0.5 ml vial; 1 inj	Menactra (Sanofi-Aventis)
Methotrexate	Inj 100 mg per ml, 50 ml vial; 1 inj	Methotrexate Ebewe (Novartis)
Metoclopramide hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg; 100 tab	Metoclopramide Actavis 10 (Teva)
Nystatin	Oral liq 100,000 u per ml; 24 ml OP	Nilstat (Aspen Pharma)
Nystatin	Vaginal crm 100,000 u per 5 g with applicator(s); 75 g OP	Nilstat (Aspen Pharma)
Oestriol	Crn 1 mg per g with applicator; 15 g OP	Ovestin (Aspen Pharma)
Oestriol	Pessaries 500 mcg; 15 pess	Ovestin (Aspen Pharma)
Olopatadine	Eye drops 0.1%; 5 ml OP	Olopatadine Teva (Teva)
Ondansetron	Tab disp 4 mg; 10 tab	Ondansetron ODT-DRLA (Dr Reddy's)
Ondansetron	Tab disp 8 mg; 10 tab	Ondansetron ODT-DRLA (Dr Reddy's)
Pneumococcal (PCV10) conjugate vaccine	Inj 1 mcg of pneumococcal polysaccharide serotypes 1, 5, 6B, 7F, 9V, 14 and 23F; 3 mcg of pneumococcal polysaccharide serotypes 4, 18C and 19F in 0.5 ml prefilled syringe; 10 inj	Synflorix (GSK)
Pneumococcal (PPV23) polysaccharide vaccine	Inj 575 mcg in 0.5 ml prefilled syringe (25 mcg of each 23 pneumococcal serotype); 1 inj	Pneumovax 23 (MSD)
Poliomyelitis vaccine	Inj 80D antigen units in 0.5 ml syringe; 1 inj	IPOL (Sanofi-Aventis)
Potassium iodate	Tab 253 mcg (150 mcg elemental iodine); 90 tab	NeuroTabs (AFT)
Povidone iodine	Oint 10%; 65 g OP	Betadine (Sanofi)
Pyridoxine hydrochloride	Tab 25 mg; 90 tab	Vitamin B6 25 (ADE)
Rizatriptan	Tab orodispersible 10 mg; 30 tab	Rizamelt (Mylan)
Rotavirus oral vaccine	Oral susp live attenuated human rotavirus 1,000,000 CCID50 per dose, prefilled oral applicator; 10 app	Rotarix (GSK)
Sodium citro-tartrate	Grans eff 4 g sachets; 28 sach	Ural (Aspen Pharma)

Sole Subsidised Supply changes – effective 1 October 2020 (continued)

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size	Sole Subsidised Supply brand (and supplier)
Tuberculin PPD [Mantoux] test	Inj 5 TU per 0.1 ml, 1 ml vial; 1 inj	Tubersol (Sanofi-Aventis)
Ursodeoxycholic acid	Cap 250 mg; 100 cap	Ursosan (Boucher)
Vancomycin	Inj 500 mg vial; 1 inj	Mylan (Mylan)
Varicella vaccine [Chickenpox vaccine]	Inj 1350 PFU prefilled syringe; 1 & 10 inj	Varivax (MSD)

Looking Forward

This section is designed to alert both pharmacists and prescribers to possible future changes to the Pharmaceutical Schedule. It may also assist pharmacists, distributors and wholesalers to manage stock levels.

Decisions for implementation 1 October 2020

- Ambrisentan (Ambrisentan Mylan) tab 5 mg and 10 mg – new listing
- Pharmacy services (BSF Lamictal) brand switch fee – new listing



Sole Subsidised Supply Products – cumulative to September 2020

Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Abacavir sulphate	Tab 300 mg	Ziagen	2022
Abacavir sulphate with lamivudine	Tab 600 mg with lamivudine 300 mg	Kivexa	2022
Acarbose	Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Glucobay	2021
Acetylcysteine	Inj 200 mg per ml, 10 ml ampoule	DBL Acetylcysteine	2021
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 200 mg, 400 mg & 800 mg	Lovir	2022
Alendronate sodium	Tab 70 mg	Fosamax	2022
Alendronate sodium with colecalciferol	Tab 70 mg with colecalciferol 5,600	Fosamax Plus	2022
Amiodarone hydrochloride	inj 50 mg per ml, 3 ml ampoule Tab 100 mg & 200 mg	Max Health Aratac	2022
Amisulpride	Tab 400 mg Tab 100 mg & 200 mg	Sulprix	2022
Amoxicillin	Cap 250 mg & 500 mg	Alphamox	2022
Apomorphine hydrochloride	Inj 10 mg per ml, 5 ml ampoule Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule	Movapo	2023
Aprepitant	Cap 2 x 80 mg and 1 x 125 mg, 3 OP	Emend Tri-Pack	2021
Aqueous cream	Crn	Boucher	2021
Aripiprazole	Tab 5 mg, 10 mg, 15 mg, 20 mg & 30 mg	Aripiprazole Sandoz	2021
Ascorbic acid	Tab 100 mg	Cvite	2022
Asprin	Tab 100 mg Tab dispersible 300 mg	Ethics Aspirin EC Ethics Aspirin	2022
Atazanavir sulphate	Cap 150 mg & 200 mg	Teva	2022
Atenolol	Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Mylan Atenolol	2021
Atorvastatin	Tab 10 mg, 20 mg, 40 mg & 80 mg	Lorstat	2021
Atropine sulphate	Inj 600 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	Martindale	2021
Azathioprine	Tab 25 mg & 50 mg	Azamun	2022
Azithromycin	Grans for oral liq 200 mg per 5 ml (40 mg per ml) Tab 250 mg & 500 mg	Zithromax Apo-Azithromycin	2021
Baclofen	Inj 2 mg per ml, 5 ml ampoule Tab 10 mg	Medsurge Pacifen	2021
Benzathine benzylpenicillin	Inj 900 mg (1.2 million units) in 2.3 ml syringe	Bicillin LA	2021
Betamethasone dipropionate with calcipotriol	Gel 500 mcg with calcipotriol 50 mcg per g, 60 g OP Oint 500 mcg with calcipotriol 50 mcg per g, 30 g OP	Daivobet	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Betamethasone valerate	Lotn 0.1%, 50 ml OP Crn 0.1%, 50 g OP Oint 0.1%, 50 g OP Scalp app 0.1%, 100 ml OP	Betnovate Beta Cream Beta Ointment Beta Scalp	2021
Bezafibrate	Tab 200 mg Tab long-acting 400 mg	Bezalip Bezalip Retard	2021
Bisacodyl	Tab 5 mg Suppos 10 mg	Lax-Tab Lax-Suppositories	2021
Blood glucose diagnostic test meter	Meter with 50 lancets, a lancing device and 10 diagnostic test strips, 1 OP	CareSens N CareSens N POP CareSens N Premier	2022
Blood glucose diagnostic test strip	Test strips, 50 test OP	CareSens N CareSens PRO	2022
Blood ketone diagnostic test strip	Test strips, 10 strip OP	KetoSens	2022
Bosentan	Tab 62.5 mg & 125 mg	Bosentan Dr Reddy's	2021
Buprenorphine with naloxone	Tab sublingual 2 mg with naloxone 0.5 mg & 8 mg with naloxone 2 mg	Buprenorphine Naloxone BNM	2022
Buspirone hydrochloride	Tab 5 mg & 10 mg	Orion	2021
Cabergoline	Tab 0.5 mg, 2 & 8 tab	Dostinex	2021
Caffeine citrate	Oral liq 20 mg per ml (10 mg base per ml), 25 ml OP	Biomed	2022
Calamine	Crn, aqueous, BP	healthE Calamine Aqueous Cream BP	2021
Calcitriol	Cap 0.25 mcg & 0.5 mcg	Calcitriol-AFT	2022
Calcium folinate	Inj 10 mg per ml, 5 ml vial	Calcium Folate Sandoz	2022
Candesartan cilexetil	Tab 4 mg, 8 mg, 16 mg & 32 mg	Candestar	2021
Capecitabine	Tab 150 mg & 500 mg	Capercit	2022
Cefaclor monohydrate	Cap 250 mg Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml	Ranbaxy-Cefaclor	2022
Cefalexin	Cap 250 mg Grans for oral liq 25 mg per ml Grans for oral liq 50 mg per ml	Cefalexin ABM Cefalexin Sandoz	2022 2021
Ceftriaxone	Inj 500 mg & 1 g vial	Ceftriaxone-AFT	2022
Cefuroxime axetil	Tab 250 mg	Zinnat	2022
Cetirizine hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg	Zista	2022
Cetomacrogol	Crn BP, 500 g	healthE	2021
Cetomacrogol with glycerol	Crn 90% with glycerol 10%, 500 ml OP & 1,000 ml OP	Boucher	2022

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Chloramphenicol	Eye oint 1%, 5 g OP Eye drops 0.5%, 10 ml OP	Deva Chlorofast	2022
Chlorpromazine hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg, 25 mg & 100 mg Inj 25 mg per ml, 2 ml	Largactil	2022
Chlortalidone [chlorthalidone]	Tab 25 mg	Hygroton	2022
Ciclopirox olamine	Nail-soln 8%, 7 ml OP	Apo-Ciclopirox	2021
Cilazapril	Tab 2.5 mg & 5 mg Tab 0.5 mg	Zapril	2022
Cinacalcet	Tab 30 mg	Sensipar	2021
Citalopram hydrobromide	Tab 20 mg	PSM Citalopram	2021
Clindamycin	Cap hydrochloride 150 mg Inj phosphate 150 mg per ml, 4 ml ampoule	Dalacin C	2022
Clobetasol propionate	Crn 0.05%, 30 g OP Oint 0.05%, 30 g OP Scalp app 0.05%, 30 ml OP	Dermol	2022
Clomipramine hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg & 25 mg	Apo-Clomipramine	2021
Clonazepam	Tab 500 mcg & 2 mg	Paxam	2021
Clonidine hydrochloride	Inj 150 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule Tab 25 mcg	Medsurge Clonidine BMN	2021
Clopidogrel	Tab 75 mg	Clopidogrel Multichem	2022
Clotrimazole	Vaginal crm 1% with applicators, 35 g OP Vaginal crm 2% with applicators, 20 g OP	Clomazol	2022
Coal tar	Soln BP	Midwest	2022
Colchicine	Tab 500 mcg	Colgout	2021
Compound electrolytes	Powder for oral soln	Electral	2022
Compound electrolytes with glucose [dextrose]	Soln with electrolytes (2 x 500 ml), 1,000 ml OP	Pedialyte – bubblegum	2021
Compound hydroxybenzoate	Soln	Midwest	2022
Condoms	60 mm 49 mm 53 mm, 0.05 mm thickness 53 mm 53 mm, strawberry, red 53 mm, chocolate, brown 56 mm 56 mm, 0.08 mm thickness 56 mm, 0.08 mm thickness, red 56 mm, 0.05 mm thickness 56 mm, chocolate 56 mm, strawberry	Shield XL Moments Gold Knight	30/09/2022

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Crotamiton	Crn 10%, 20 g OP	Itch-soothe	2021
Cyclizine hydrochloride	Tab 50 mg	Nausicalm	2021
Cyproterone acetate	Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Siterone	2021
Desferrioxamine mesilate	Inj 500 mg vial	DBL Desferrioxamine Mesylate for Injection BP	2021
Dexamethasone	Tab 0.5 mg & 4 mg	Dexamethasone	2021
Dexamethasone phosphate	Inj 4 mg per ml, 1 ml & 2 ml ampoule	Dexamethasone Phosphate Panpharma	2022
Dexamfetamine sulfate	Tab 5 mg	PSM	2021
Diclofenac sodium	Tab EC 25 mg & 50 mg Tab long-acting 75 mg & 100 mg	Diclofenac Sandoz Apo-Diclo SR	2021
Digoxin	Tab 62.5 mcg Tab 240 mcg	Lanoxin PG Lanoxin	2022
Dihydrocodeine tartrate	Tab long-acting 60 mg	DHC Continus	2022
Diltiazem hydrochloride	Cap long-acting 120 mg, 180 mg & 240 mg	Apo-Diltiazem CD	2021
Dimethicone	Crn 5% pump bottle, 500 ml OP	healthE Dimethicone 5%	2022
	Lotn 4%, 200 ml OP	healthE Dimethicone 4%	
	Crn 10% pump bottle, 500 ml OP	healthE Dimethicone 10%	2021
Dipyridamole	Tab long-acting 150 mg	Pytazen SR	2022
Docusate sodium with sennosides	Tab 50 mg with sennosides 8 mg	Laxsol	2021
Domperidone	Tab 10 mg	Pharmacy Health	2021
Dorzolamide with timolol	Eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5%, 5 ml OP	Dortimopt	2021
Dual blood glucose and blood ketone diagnostic test meter	Meter with 50 lancets, a lancing device and 10 blood glucose diagnostic test strips, 1 OP	CareSens Dual	2022
Efavirenz with emtricitabine and tenofovir disoproxil	Tab 600 mg with emtricitabine 200 mg and tenofovir disoproxil 245 mg (300 mg as a maleate)	Mylan	2022
Emtricitabine	Cap 200 mg	Emtriva	2022
Emtricitabine with tenofovir disoproxil	Tab 200 mg with tenofovir disoproxil 245 mg (300.6 mg as a succinate)	Teva	2022
Enalapril maleate	Tab 5 mg, 10 mg & 20 mg	Acetec	2022
Entacapone	Tab 200 mg	Entapone	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Eplerenone	Tab 50 mg Tab 25 mg	Inspra	2021
Epoetin alfa	Inj 1,000 iu in 0.5 ml, syringe Inj 2,000 iu in 1 ml, syringe Inj 3,000 iu in 0.3 ml, syringe Inj 4,000 iu in 0.4 ml, syringe Inj 5,000 iu in 0.5 ml, syringe Inj 6,000 iu in 0.6 ml, syringe Inj 8,000 iu in 0.8 ml, syringe Inj 10,000 iu in 1 ml, syringe Inj 40,000 iu in 1 ml, syringe	Binocrit	2022
Erythromycin (as lactobionate)	Inj 1 g vial	Erythrocin IV	2022
Etanercept	Inj 25 mg Inj 50 mg autoinjector Inj 50 mg prefilled syringe	Enbrel	2024
Ethinylestradiol	Tab 10 mcg	NZ Medical & Scientific	2021
Ethinylestradiol and norethisterone	Tab 35 mcg with norethisterone 1 mg and 7 inert tab	Brevinor 1/28	2022
Etoposide	Cap 50 mg & 100 mg	Vepesid	2022
Felodipine	Tab long-acting 5 mg Tab long-acting 10 mg Tab long-acting 2.5 mg	Felo 5 ER Felo 10 ER Plendil ER	2021
Fentanyl	Inj 50 mcg per ml, 2 ml ampoule Inj 50 mcg per ml, 10 ml ampoule	Boucher and Muir	2021
Ferrous fumarate	Tab 200 mg (65 mg elemental)	Ferro-tab	2021
Ferrous fumarate with folic acid	Tab 310 mg (100 mg elemental) with folic acid 350 mcg	Ferro-F-Tabs	2021
Ferrous sulfate	Oral liq 30 mg (6 mg elemental) per ml	Ferodan	2022
Ferrous sulphate	Tab long-acting 325 mg (105 mg elemental)	Ferrograd	2021
Filgrastim	Inj 300 mcg & 480 mcg per 0.5 ml prefilled syringe	Nivestim	2021
Flecainide acetate	Tab 50 mg Cap long-acting 100 mg & 200 mg	Flecainide BNM Flecainide Controlled Release Teva	2022
Flucloxacillin	Grans for oral liq 25 mg per ml Grans for oral liq 50 mg per ml Cap 250 mg & 500 mg	AFT Staphlex	2021
Fludarabine phosphate	Tab 10 mg	Fludara Oral	2021
Fluorouracil sodium	Crn 5%, 20 g OP	Efudix	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Fluticasone	Aerosol inhaler 50 mcg, 125 mcg & 250mcg per dose, 120 dose OP	Flixtotide	2023
Fluticasone propionate	Metered aqueous nasal spray, 50 mcg per dose, 120 dose OP	Flixonase Hayfever & Allergy	2021
Fluticasone with salmeterol	Aerosol inhaler 50 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg & 125 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg, 120 dose OP	Seretide	2023
Folic acid	Tab 0.8 mg & 5 mg	Apo-Folic Acid	2021
Furosemide [frusemide]	Tab 40 mg Inj 10 mg per ml, 25 ml ampoule Oral liq 10 mg per ml, 30 ml OP Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule Tab 500 mg	Apo-Furosemide Lasix Frusemide-Clarix Urex Forte	2021 2022 2021
Gabapentin	Cap 100 mg, 300 mg & 400 mg	Apo-Gabapentin	2021
Glibenclamide	Tab 5 mg	Daonil	2021
Glipizide	Tab 5 mg	Minidiab	2021
Glucagon hydrochloride	Inj 1 mg syringe kit	Glucagen Hypokit	2023
Glycerin with sodium saccharin	Suspension	Ora-Sweet SF	2022
Glycerin with sucrose	Suspension	Ora-Sweet	2022
Glycerol	Suppos 3.6 g	PSM	2021
Haloperidol	Inj 5 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule Oral liq 2 mg per ml Tab 500 mcg, 1.5 mg & 5 mg	Serenace	2022
Heparin sodium	Inj 1,000 iu per ml, 5 ml ampoule Inj 5,000 iu per ml, 5 ml ampoule	Pfizer	2021
Hydrocortisone	Crm 1%, 100 g OP Tab 5 mg & 20 mg	Hydrocortisone (PSM) Douglas	2022 2021
Hydrocortisone butyrate	Milky emul 0.1%, 100 g OP Oint 0.1%, 100 g OP Scalp lotn 0.1%, 100 ml OP	Locoid Crelo Locoid	2021
Hydrocortisone with miconazole	Crm 1% with miconazole nitrate 2%, 15 g OP	Micreme H	2021
Hydroxocobalamin	Inj 1 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	Neo-B12	2021
Hydroxychloroquine	Tab 200 mg	Plaquenil	2021
Hyoscine butylbromide	Inj 20 mg, 1 ml	Buscopan	2023
Ibuprofen	Oral liq 20 mg per ml, 200 ml bottle	Ethics	2021
Iloprost	Nebuliser soln 10 mcg per ml, 2 ml	Ventavis	2022

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Intra-uterine device	IUD 29.1 mm length x 23.2 mm width IUD 33.6 mm length x 29.9 mm width IUD 35.5 mm length x 19.6 mm width	Choice TT380 Short Choice TT380 Standard Choice Load 375	2022
Ipratropium bromide	Nebuliser soln, 250 mcg per ml, 2 ml ampoule	Univent	2022
Isoniazid	Tab 100 mg	PSM	2021
Isoniazid with rifampicin	Tab 100 mg with rifampicin 150 mg & 150 mg with rifampicin 300 mg	Rifinah	2021
Isotretinoin	Cap 5 mg, 10 mg & 20 mg	Oratane	2021
Itraconazole	Cap 100 mg	Itrazole	2022
Labetalol	Tab 100 mg & 200 mg	Trandate	2024
Lactulose	Oral liq 10 g per 15 ml	Laevolac	2022
Lamotrigine	Tab dispersible 25 mg, 50 mg & 100 mg	Logem	2022
Lansoprazole	Cap 15 mg & 30 mg	Lanzol Relief	2021
Latanoprost	Eye drops 0.005%, 2.5 ml OP	Teva	2021
Letrozole	Tab 2.5 mg	Letrole	2021
Levetiracetam	Tab 250 mg, 500 mg, 750 mg and 1,000 mg	Everet	2022
Levomepromazine hydrochloride	Inj 25 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	Nozinan	2022
Levomepromazine maleate	Tab 25 mg & 100 mg	Nozinan	2022
Levonorgestrel	Tab 30 mcg Intra-uterine device system 52 mg Intra-uterine device system 13.5 mg	Microlut Mirena Jaydess	2022 31/10/2022
Lidocaine [Lignocaine]	Gel 2%, 11 ml urethral syringe Gel 2%, 10 ml urethral syringe	Instillagel Lido Cathejell	2022
Lidocaine [lignocaine] hydrochloride	Inj 2%, 5 ml ampoule Inj 1% & 2%, 20 ml vial	Lidocaine-Claris Lidocaine-Claris	2022
Lisinopril	Tab 5 mg, 10 mg & 20 mg	Ethics Lisinopril	2021
Loperamide hydrochloride	Cap 2 mg	Diamide Relief	2022
Loratadine	Tab 10 mg	Lorafix	2022
Lorazepam	Tab 1 mg & 2.5 mg	Ativan	2021
Losartan potassium with hydrochlorothiazide	Tab 50 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg	Arrow-Losartan & Hydrochlorothiazide	2021
Mebeverine hydrochloride	Tab 135 mg	Colofac	2023
Medroxyprogesterone acetate	Inj 150 mg per ml, 1 ml syringe	Depo-Provera	2022

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Megestrol acetate	Tab 160 mg	Apo-Megestrol	2021
Mercaptopurine	Tab 50 mg	Puri-nethol	2022
Mesalazine	Tab long-acting 500 mg	Pentasa	2023
Mesna	Tab 400 mg & 600 mg	Uromitexan	2022
Metformin hydrochloride	Tab immediate-release 500 mg & 850 mg	Apotex	2021
Methadone hydrochloride	Tab 5 mg Oral liq 2 mg per ml Oral liq 5 mg per ml Oral liq 10 mg per ml	Methatabs Biodone Biodone Forte Biodone Extra Forte	2022 2021
Methotrexate	Tab 2.5 mg & 10 mg	Trexate	2021
Methylcellulose	Powder Suspension	Midwest Ora Plus	2022
Methylcellulose with glycerin and sodium saccharin	Suspension	Ora Blend SF	2022
Methylcellulose with glycerin and sucrose	Suspension	Ora Blend	2022
Methyl hydroxybenzoate	Powder	Midwest	2022
Methylprednisolone	Tab 4 mg & 100 mg	Medrol	2021
Methylprednisolone acetate	Inj 40 mg per ml, 1 ml vial	Depo-Medrol	2021
Methylprednisolone (as sodium succinate)	Inj 1 g vial Inj 40 mg, 125 mg & 500 mg vial	Solu-Medrol Solu-Medrol-Act-O-Vial	2021
Metoclopramide hydrochloride	Inj 5 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule	Pfizer	2022
Metoprolol tartrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 5 ml vial Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Metoprolol IV Mylan Apo-Metoprolol	01/02/2022 2021
Miconazole	Oral gel 20 mg per g, 40 g OP	Decozol	2021
Mirtazapine	Tab 30 mg & 45 mg	Apo-Mirtazapine	2021
Moclobemide	Tab 150 mg & 300 mg	Aurorix	2021
Mometasone furoate	Crn 0.1%, 15 g OP & 50 g OP Lotn 0.1%, 30 ml OP Oint 0.1%, 15 g OP & 50 g OP	Elocon Alcohol Free Elocon	2021
Montelukast	Tab 4 mg, 5 mg & 10 mg	Montelukast Mylan	2022
Morphine hydrochloride	Oral liq 1 mg per ml, 2 mg per ml, 5 mg per ml & 10 mg per ml	RA-Morph	2021
Morphine sulphate	Cap long-acting 10 mg, 30 mg, 60 mg & 100 mg	m-Eslon	2022
Multivitamins	Tab (BPC cap strength)	Mvite	2022
Nadolol	Tab 40 mg & 80 mg	Apo-Nadolol	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Naloxone hydrochloride	Inj 400 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	DBL Naloxone Hydrochloride	2021
Naproxen	Tab 250 mg Tab 500 mg Tab long-acting 750 mg Tab long-acting 1 g	Noflam 250 Noflam 500 Naprosyn SR 750 Naprosyn SR 1000	2021
Nevirapine	Tab 200 mg	Nevirapine Alphapharm	2021
Nicorandil	Tab 10 mg & 20 mg	Ikorel	2022
Norethisterone	Tab 5 mg Tab 350 mcg	Primolut N Noriday 28	2021
Nortriptyline hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg & 25 mg	Norpress	2022
Oestriol	Tab 2 mg	Ovestin	2023
Oestradiol valerate	Tab 1 mg & 2 mg	Progynova	2021
Oil in water emulsion	Crn	O/W Fatty Emulsion Cream	2021
Olanzapine	Inj 210 mg, 300 mg & 405 mg vial	Zyprexa Relprevv	2021
Omeprazole	Inj 40 mg ampoule with diluent	Dr Reddy's Omeprazole	2022
Ondansetron	Tab 4 mg & 8 mg	Onrex	2022
Orphenadrine citrate	Tab 100 mg	Norflex	2021
Oxycodone hydrochloride	Tab controlled-release 5 mg, 10 mg, 20 mg, 40 mg & 80 mg Cap immediate-release 5 mg, 10 mg & 20 mg Inj 10 mg per ml, 1 ml & 2 ml ampoule Inj 50 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	Oxycodone Sandoz OxyNorm	2021
Oxytocin	Inj 5 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule Inj 10 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule	Oxytocin BNM	2021
Oxytocin with ergometrine maleate	Inj 5 iu with ergometrine maleate 500 mcg per ml, 1 ml	Syntometrine	2021
Pancreatic enzyme	Cap pancreatin 150 mg (amylase 8,000 PH Eur U, lipase 10,000 Ph Eur U, total protease 600 Ph Eur U) Cap pancreatin 300 mg (amylase 18,000 PH Eur U, lipase 25,000 PH Eur U, total protease 1,000 Ph Eur U)	Creon 10000 Creon 25000	2021
Pantoprazole	Tab EC 20 mg & 40 mg	Panzop Relief	2022
Paracetamol	Suppos 125 mg, 250 mg & 500 mg	Gacet	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Paraffin	White soft, 500 g & 2,500 g Oint liquid paraffin 50% with white soft paraffin 50%, 500 ml OP	healthE	2022 2021
Paroxetine	Tab 20 mg	Loxamine	2022
Perhexiline maleate	Tab 100 mg	Pexsig	2022
Pethidine hydrochloride	Tab 50 mg	PSM	2021
Phenobarbitone	Tab 15 mg & 30 mg	PSM	2021
Phenoxyethylpenicillin (penicillin V)	Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml Grans for oral liq 250 mg per 5 ml Cap 250 mg & 500 mg	AFT	2022
		Cilicaine VK	2021
Pindolol	Tab 5 mg, 10 mg & 15 mg	Apo-Pindolol	2021
Pioglitazone	Tab 15 mg, 30 mg & 45 mg	Vexazone	2021
Potassium chloride	Tab long-acting 600 mg (8 mmol)	Span-K	2021
Potassium citrate	Oral liq 3 mmol per ml, 200 ml OP	Biomed	2021
Povidone iodine	Antiseptic soln 10%, 15 ml & 500 ml Antiseptic soln 10%, 100 ml	Riodine	2021
			2022
Pramipexole hydrochloride	Tab 0.25 mg & 1 mg	Ramipex	2022
Prednisolone	Oral liq 5 mg per ml, 30 ml OP	Redipred	2021
Pregabalin	Cap 25 mg, 75 mg, 150 mg & 300 mg	Pregabalin Pfizer	2021
Promethazine hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg & 25 mg Oral liq 1 mg per 1 ml	Allersoothe	2021
Propranolol	Tab 10 mg & 40 mg	Apo-Propranolol	2021
Pyridostigmine bromide	Tab 60 mg	Mestinon	2022
Quinapril	Tab 5 mg	Arrow-Quinapril 5	2021
	Tab 10 mg	Arrow-Quinapril 10	
	Tab 20 mg	Arrow-Quinapril 20	
Quinapril with hydrochlorothiazide	Tab 10 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg	Accuretic 10	2021
	Tab 20 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg	Accuretic 20	
Riluzole	Tab 50 mg	Rilutek	2021
Risedronate sodium	Tab 35 mg	Risedronate Sandoz	2022
Ritonavir	Tab 100 mg	Norvir	2022
Rivastigmine	Patch 4.6 mg & 9.5 mg per 24 hour	Generic Partners	2021
Ropinirole hydrochloride	Tab 0.25 mg, 1 mg, 2 mg & 5 mg	Ropin	2022
Roxithromycin	Tab 150 mg & 300 mg	Arrow-Roxithromycin	2022

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Salbutamol	Oral liq 400 mcg per ml Nebuliser soln, 1 mg per ml, 2.5 ml ampoule Nebuliser soln, 2 mg per ml, 2.5 ml ampoule	Ventolin Asthalin	2021
Salbutamol with ipratropium bromide	Nebuliser soln, 2.5 mg with ipratropium bromide 0.5 mg per vial, 2.5 ml ampoule	Duolin	2021
Sertraline	Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Setrona	2022
Sildenafil	Tab 25 mg, 50 mg & 100 mg	Vedafil	2021
Sodium bicarbonate	Powder BP	Midwest	2022
Sodium chloride	Inj 0.9%, 5 ml ampoule, 10 ml ampoule & 20 ml ampoule Nebuliser soln, 7%, 90 ml OP	Fresenius Kabi Biomed	2022
Sodium citrate with sodium lauryl sulphoacetate	Enema 90 mg with sodium lauryl sulphoacetate 9 mg per ml, 5 ml	Micolette	2022
Sodium cromoglicate	Eye drops 2%, 5 ml OP	Rexacrom	2022
Sodium fusidate [fusidic acid]	Crn 2%, 5 g OP Oint 2%, 5 g OP	Foban	2021
Sodium polystyrene sulphonate	Powder, 454 g OP	Resonium-A	2021
Solifenacin succinate	Tab 5 mg & 10 mg	Solifenacin Mylan	2021
Somatropin	Inj 5 mg, 10 mg & 15 mg	Omnitrope	2021
Sotalol	Tab 80 mg & 160 mg	Mylan	2022
Spiroonolactone	Oral liq 5 mg per ml, 25 ml OP	Biomed	2022
Sulfasalazine	Tab EC 500 mg	Salazopyrin EN	2022
Sumatriptan	Inj 12 mg per ml, 0.5 ml prefilled pen, 2 OP Tab 50 mg & 100 mg	Imigran Apo-Sumatriptan	2022
Sunscreen, proprietary	Lotn, 200 g OP	Marine Blue Lotion SPF 50+	2022
Syrup (pharmaceutical grade)	Liq	Midwest	2022
Taliglucerase alfa	Inj 200 unit vial	Elelyso	2023
Tamsulosin hydrochloride	Cap 400 mcg	Tamsulosin-Rex	2022
Temozolomide	Cap 5 mg, 20 mg, 100 mg, 140 mg & 250 mg	Temaccord	2022
Tenofovir disoproxil	Tab 245 mg (300.6 mg as a succinate)	Tenofovir Disoproxil Teva	2021
Tenoxicam	Tab 20 mg	Tilocolil	2022
Testosterone undecanoate	Cap 40 mg	Andriol Testocaps	2021

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Generic Name	Presentation	Brand Name	Expiry Date*
Tetrabenazine	Tab 25 mg	Motetis	2022
Theophylline	Tab long-acting 250 mg Oral liq 80 mg per 15 ml	Nuelin-SR Nuelin	2022
Tobramycin	Inj 40 mg per ml, 2 ml vial	Tobramycin Mylan	2021
Tranexamic acid	Tab 500 mg	Boucher	2022
Tretinoin	Crn 0.5 mg per g, 50 g OP	ReTrieve	2021
Trimethoprim	Tab 300 mg	TMP	2021
Valaciclovir	Tab 500 mg & 1,000 mg	Vaclovir	2021
Valganciclovir	Tab 450 mg	Valganciclovir Mylan	2021
Varenicline tartrate	Tab 0.5 mg x 11 and 1 mg x 42, 53 OP Tab 1 mg	Varenicline Pfizer	2021
Voriconazole	Powder for oral suspension 40 mg per ml Tab 50 mg & 200 mg	Vfend Vttack	2021
Zinc sulphate	Cap 137.4 mg (50 mg elemental)	Zincaps	2022
Ziprasidone	Cap 20 mg, 40 mg, 60 mg & 80 mg	Zusdone	2021
Zoledronic acid	Inj 0.05 mg per ml, 100 ml, vial, 100 ml OP Inj 4 mg per 5 ml, vial	Aclasta Zoledronic acid Mylan	2022 2021
Zopiclone	Tab 7.5 mg	Zopiclone Actavis	2021

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New Listings

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14	INSULIN PUMP – Special Authority see SA1603 – Retail pharmacy a) Maximum of 1 dev per prescription b) Only on a prescription c) Maximum of 1 insulin pump per patient each four year period. Min basal rate 0.1 U/h.....	4,500.00	1	✓ Tandem Basal IQ
66	CETOMACROGOL WITH GLYCEROL Crm 90% with glycerol 10%..... Note – this is a new Pharmacode listing, 2597829.	2.35	500 ml OP	✓ Kenkay Sorbolene
73	ETHINYLOESTRADIOL WITH NORETHISTERONE Tab 35 mcg with norethisterone 500 mcg and 7 inert tab – Up to 84 tab available on a PSO.....	8.83	112	✓ Brevinor 28
110	NEOSTIGMINE METILSULFATE Inj 2.5 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule..... Wastage claimable	19.60	10	✓ Juno S29
122	PARACETAMOL Tab 500 mg - blister pack..... a) Maximum of 300 tab per prescription; can be waived by endorsement b) Up to 30 tab available on a PSO c) 1) Subsidy by endorsement for higher quantities is available for patients with long term conditions who require regular daily dosing for one month or greater, and the prescription is annotated accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where dispensing history supports a long-term condition. 2) Maximum of 100 tab per dispensing for non-endorsed patients. If quantities prescribed for more than 100 tabs (for non-endorsed patients), then dispense in repeat dispensings not exceeding 100 tab per dispensing.	0.50 2.48	20 100	✓ Pharmacy Health ✓ Pharmacy Health
164	HYDROXYUREA [HYDROXYCARBAMIDE] – PCT – Retail pharmacy-Specialist Cap 500 mg	23.82	100	✓ Devatis
177	OCTREOTIDE Inj 50 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule..... Wastage claimable Inj 500 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule..... Wastage claimable	30.64 72.50	5 5	✓ Octreotide GH S29 ✓ Octreotide GH S29

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245	PHARMACY SERVICES May only be claimed once per patient. Brand switch fee..... 4.50	1 fee	✓ BSF Imigran
	a) The Pharmacode for BSF Imigran is 2597330.		
268	ENTERAL LIQUID PEPTIDE FORMULA – Special Authority see SA1953 – Hospital pharmacy [HP3] Liquid 1 kcal/ml..... 10.45 Liquid 1.5 kcal/ml..... 15.68	500 ml OP 500 ml OP	✓ Nutrini Peptisorb ✓ Nutrini Peptisorb Energy
	<p>▶ SA1953 Special Authority for Subsidy</p> <p>Initial application – only from a dietitian, relevant specialist or vocationally registered general practitioner.</p> <p>Approvals valid for 6 months for applications meeting the following criteria:</p> <p>All of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Patient has impaired gastrointestinal function and either cannot tolerate polymeric feeds, or polymeric feeds are unsuitable; and 2 Any of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 Severe malabsorption; or 2.2 Short bowel syndrome; or 2.3 Intractable diarrhoea; or 2.4 Biliary atresia; or 2.5 Cholestatic liver diseases causing malabsorption; or 2.6 Cystic fibrosis; or 2.7 Proven fat malabsorption; or 2.8 Severe intestinal motility disorders causing significant malabsorption; or 2.9 Intestinal failure; or 2.10 Both: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.10.1 The patient is currently receiving funded amino acid formula; and 2.10.2 The patient is to be trialled on, or transitioned to, an enteral liquid peptide formula; and 3 Either: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3.1 A semi-elemental or partially hydrolysed powdered feed has been reasonably trialled and considered unsuitable; or 3.2 For step down from intravenous nutrition. <p>Note: A reasonable trial is defined as a 2-4 week trial.</p> <p>Renewal – only from a dietitian, relevant specialist, vocationally registered general practitioner or general practitioner on the recommendation of a dietitian, relevant specialist or vocationally registered general practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months for applications meeting the following criteria:</p> <p>All of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 An assessment as to whether the patient can be transitioned to a cows milk protein or soy infant formula or extensively hydrolysed formula has been undertaken; and 2 The outcome of the assessment is that the patient continues to require an enteral liquid peptide formula; and 3 General practitioners must include the name of the dietitian, relevant specialist or vocationally registered general practitioner and the date contacted. 		
265	AMINOACID FORMULA WITHOUT PHENYLALANINE – Special Authority see SA1108 – Hospital pharmacy [HP3] Powder (unflavoured) 28 g sachets..... 936.00	30	✓ PKU Lophlex Powder

▲ Three months supply may be dispensed at one time if endorsed “certified exemption” by the prescriber or pharmacist

* Three months or six months, as applicable, dispensed all-at-once

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122	PARACETAMOL Tab 500 mg - blister pack.....	11.75	96	✓ Panadol Mini Caps
	a) Maximum of 300 tab per prescription; can be waived by endorsement			
	b) Up to 30 tab available on a PSO			
	c)			
	1) Subsidy by endorsement for higher quantities is available for patients with long term conditions who require regular daily dosing for one month or greater, and the prescription is annotated accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where dispensing history supports a long-term condition.			
	2) Maximum of 100 tab per dispensing for non-endorsed patients. If quantities prescribed for more than 100 tabs (for non-endorsed patients), then dispense in repeat dispensings not exceeding 100 tab per dispensing.			
133	ARIPIPRAZOLE – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency Tab 5 mg.....	28.58	49	✓ Aripiprazol 1A Pharma S29
	Wastage claimable			

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122	PARACETAMOL Tab 500 mg - blister pack.....	0.50	20	✓ Medco ✓ Paracare
		1.12		✓ Ethics Paracetamol Classic
		2.48	100	✓ Paracare
	a) Maximum of 300 tab per prescription; can be waived by endorsement			
	b) Up to 30 tab available on a PSO			
	c)			
	1) Subsidy by endorsement for higher quantities is available for patients with long term conditions who require regular daily dosing for one month or greater, and the prescription is annotated accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where dispensing history supports a long-term condition.			
	2) Maximum of 100 tab per dispensing for non-endorsed patients. If quantities prescribed for more than 100 tabs (for non-endorsed patients), then dispense in repeat dispensings not exceeding 100 tab per dispensing.			

Changes to Restrictions, Chemical Names and Presentations Effective 1 September 2020

42	PRASUGREL – Special Authority see SA1954†20† – Retail pharmacy (amended Special Authority criteria)			
	Tab 5 mg.....	108.00	28	✓ Effient
	Tab 10 mg.....	120.00	28	✓ Effient

▶ **SA1954 †20†** Special Authority for Subsidy

Initial application – (coronary angioplasty and bare metal stent) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months where the patient has undergone coronary angioplasty in the previous 4 weeks and is clopidogrel-allergic*.

Initial application – (drug eluting stent) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months where the patient has had a drug eluting cardiac stent inserted in the previous 4 weeks and is clopidogrel-allergic*.

Initial application – (stent thrombosis) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified where patient has experienced cardiac stent thrombosis whilst on clopidogrel.

Renewal – (coronary angioplasty and bare metal stent) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months where the patient has undergone coronary angioplasty or had a bare metal cardiac stent inserted in the previous 4 weeks and is clopidogrel-allergic*.

Renewal – (drug eluting stent) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months where had a drug-eluting cardiac stent inserted in the previous 4 weeks and is clopidogrel-allergic*.

Note: * Clopidogrel allergy is defined as a history of anaphylaxis, urticaria, generalised rash or asthma (in non-asthmatic patients) developing soon after clopidogrel is started and is considered unlikely to be caused by any other treatment.

42	TICAGRELOR – Special Authority see SA1955†887 – Retail pharmacy (amended Special Authority criteria)			
	* Tab 90 mg.....	90.00	56	✓ Brilinta

▶ **SA1955 †887** Special Authority for Subsidy

Initial application — (acute coronary syndrome) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

Both:

- 1 Patient has recently (within the last 60 days) been diagnosed with an ST-elevation or a non-ST-elevation acute coronary syndrome; and
- 2 Fibrinolytic therapy has not been given in the last 24 hours and is not planned.

Initial application — (thrombosis prevention post neurological stenting) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

Both:

1 Either:

- 1.1 Patient has had a neurological stenting procedure* in the last 60 days; and **or**
- 1.2 Patient is about to have a neurological stenting procedure performed*;** and

2 Either:

- 2.1 Patient has demonstrated clopidogrel resistance using the P2Y12 (VerifyNow) assay **or another appropriate platelet function assay** and requires antiplatelet treatment with ticagrelor; or

2.2 Either:

- 2.2.1 Clopidogrel resistance has been demonstrated by the occurrence of a new cerebral ischemic event; **or**
- 2.2.2 Clopidogrel resistance has been demonstrated by the occurrence of transient ischemic attack symptoms referable to the stent.**

Initial application – (Percutaneous coronary intervention with stent deployment) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

All of the following:

- 1 Patient has undergone percutaneous coronary intervention; and**

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- 2 Patient has had a stent deployed in the previous 4 weeks; and**
3 Patient is clopidogrel-allergic**

Initial application – (Stent thrombosis) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified where patient has experienced cardiac stent thrombosis whilst on clopidogrel.

Renewal — (subsequent acute coronary syndrome) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

Both:

- 1 Patient has recently (within the last 60 days) been diagnosed with an ST-elevation or a non-ST-elevation acute coronary syndrome; and
- 2 Fibrinolytic therapy has not been given in the last 24 hours and is not planned.

Renewal — (thrombosis prevention post neurological stenting) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 12 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

Both:

- 1 Patient is continuing to benefit from treatment; and
- 2 Treatment continues to be clinically appropriate.

Renewal – (Percutaneous coronary intervention with stent deployment) from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months for applications meeting the following criteria:

All of the following:

- 1 Patient has undergone percutaneous coronary intervention; and**
- 2 Patient has had a stent deployed in the previous 4 weeks; and**
- 3 Patient is clopidogrel-allergic****

Note: indications marked with * are unapproved indications

Note: ** Clopidogrel allergy is defined as a history of anaphylaxis, urticaria, generalised rash or asthma (in non-asthmatic patients) developing soon after clopidogrel is started and is considered unlikely to be caused by any other treatment.

47	DOXAZOSIN (stat dispensing removed)			
	Tab 2 mg.....	8.95	500	✓ Apo-Doxazosin
	Tab 4 mg.....	10.80	500	✓ Apo-Doxazosin
111	HYDROXYCHLOROQUINE – Subsidy by endorsement (amended subsidy by endorsement)			
	Subsidy by endorsement - Subsidised only if prescribed for rheumatoid arthritis, systemic or discoid lupus erythematosus, malaria treatment or suppression, relevant dermatological conditions (cutaneous forms of lupus and lichen planus, cutaneous vasculitides and mucosal ulceration)*, sarcoidosis (pulmonary and non-pulmonary)* , and the prescription is endorsed accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where there exists a record of prior dispensing of hydroxychloroquine. Note: Indication marked with a * is an unapproved indication.			
	* Tab 200 mg	7.98	100	✓ <u>Plaquenil</u>
121	LIDOCAINE [LIGNOCAINE] (amended subsidy by endorsement)			
	Gel 2%, 11 ml urethral syringe – Subsidy by endorsement.....	42.00	10	✓ <u>Instillagel Lido</u>
	a) Up to 5 each available on a PSO			
	b) Subsidised only if prescribed for urethral, or cervical or rectal administration and the prescription is endorsed accordingly.			

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125	MAPROTIline HYDROCHLORIDE (addition of subsidy by endorsement) a) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency b) Subsidy by endorsement – Subsidised for patients who were taking maprotiline hydrochloride prior to 1 September 2020 and the prescription is endorsed accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where there exists a record of prior dispensing of maprotiline hydrochloride.			
	Tab 25 mg.....	7.52	30	✓ Ludiomil
		12.53	50	✓ Ludiomil
		25.06	100	✓ Ludiomil
	Tab 75 mg.....	14.01	20	✓ Ludiomil
		21.01	30	✓ Ludiomil
131	SUMATRIPTAN (addition of Brand Switch Fee) Inj 12 mg per ml, 0.5 ml pre-filled pen.....	34.00	2 OP	✓ Imigran
	a) Maximum of 10 inj per prescription b) Brand switch fee payable (Pharmacode 2597330)			
134	RISPERIDONE – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency (amended brand name)			
	Tab 0.5 mg.....	1.86	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva) Actavis
	Tab 1 mg.....	2.06	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva) Actavis
	Tab 2 mg.....	2.29	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva) Actavis
	Tab 3 mg.....	2.50	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva) Actavis
	Tab 4 mg.....	3.42	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva) Actavis
164	HYDROXYUREA [HYDROXYCARBAMIDE] – PCT – Retail pharmacy-Specialist (amended chemical name) Cap 500 mg	23.82 31.76	100	✓ Devatis ✓ Hydrea
177	FULVESTRANT – Retail pharmacy-Specialist – Special Authority see SA1895 (S29 and wastage removed) Inj 50 mg per ml, 5 ml pre-filled syringe	1,068.00	2	✓ Faslodex S29
	Wastage claimable			

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47	DOXAZOSIN († subsidy)				
	Tab 2 mg.....	8.95	500	✓ Apo-Doxazosin	
	Tab 4 mg.....	10.80	500	✓ Apo-Doxazosin	
54	BENDROFLUMETHIAZIDE [BENDROFLUAZIDE] († subsidy)				
	* Tab 2.5 mg – Up to 150 tab available on a PSO.....	20.00	500	✓ Arrow-Bendrofluzide	
	May be supplied on a PSO for reasons other than emergency.				
	* Tab 5 mg.....	34.55	500	✓ Arrow-Bendrofluzide	
63	BETAMETHASONE DIPROPIONATE († subsidy)				
	Crm 0.05%.....	36.00	50 g OP	✓ Diprosone	
	Oint 0.05%.....	36.00	50 g OP	✓ Diprosone	
64	METHYLPREDNISOLONE ACEPONATE (↓ subsidy)				
	Crm 0.1%.....	4.46	15 g OP	✓ Advantan	
	Oint 0.1%.....	4.46	15 g OP	✓ Advantan	
65	TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE WITH GRAMICIDIN, NEOMYCIN AND NYSTATIN († price but not subsidy)				
	Crm 1 mg with nystatin 100,000 u, neomycin sulphate 2.5 mg and gramicidin 250 mcg per g – Only on a prescription.....	3.49 (9.28)	15 g OP		Viaderm KC
93	MOXIFLOXACIN – Special Authority see SA1740 – Retail pharmacy (↓ subsidy)				
	No patient co-payment payable				
	Tab 400 mg.....	42.00	5	✓ Avelox	
98	METRONIDAZOLE (↓ subsidy)				
	Tab 200 mg – Up to 30 tab available on a PSO.....	33.15	250	✓ Metrogyl	
	Tab 400 mg – Up to 15 tab available on a PSO.....	5.23	21	✓ Metrogyl	
119	LEVODOPA WITH CARBIDOPA († subsidy)				
	* Tab 100 mg with carbidopa 25 mg.....	21.11	100	✓ Sinemet	
	* Tab 250 mg with carbidopa 25 mg.....	38.39	100	✓ Sinemet	
125	TRAMADOL HYDROCHLORIDE († subsidy)				
	Cap 50 mg.....	2.80	100	✓ Arrow-Tramadol	
125	AMITRIPTYLINE – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency († subsidy)				
	Tab 10 mg.....	2.49	100	✓ Arrow-Amitriptyline	
125	AMITRIPTYLINE – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency (↓ subsidy)				
	Tab 25 mg.....	1.51	100	✓ Arrow-Amitriptyline	
128	LAMOTRIGINE († subsidy)				
	▲ Tab dispersible 2 mg.....	55.00	30	✓ Lamictal	
	▲ Tab dispersible 5 mg.....	50.00	30	✓ Lamictal	
132	PROCHLORPERAZINE († subsidy)				
	* Tab 5 mg – Up to 30 tab available on a PSO.....	8.00	250	✓ Nausafix	

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134	RISPERIDONE – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency (↓ subsidy) Tab 4 mg.....	3.42	60	✓ Risperidone (Teva)
136	DIAZEPAM – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency (↑ subsidy) Tab 2 mg..... Tab 5 mg.....	61.07 73.60	500 500	✓ Arrow-Diazepam ✓ Arrow-Diazepam
150	ATOMOXETINE (↓ subsidy) Cap 10 mg	18.41 (107.03)	28	Strattera
	Cap 18 mg	27.06 (107.03)	28	Strattera
	Cap 25 mg	29.22 (107.03)	28	Strattera
	Cap 40 mg	29.22 (107.03)	28	Strattera
	Cap 60 mg	46.51 (107.03)	28	Strattera
	Cap 80 mg	56.45 (139.11)	28	Strattera
	Cap 100 mg	58.48 (139.11)	28	Strattera
155	NICOTINE (↑ subsidy) a) Nicotine will not be funded in amounts less than 4 weeks of treatment. b) Note: Direct Provision by a pharmacist permitted under the provisions in Part I of Section A.			
	Patch 7 mg – Up to 28 patch available on a PSO	18.14	28	✓ Habitrol
	Patch 14 mg – Up to 28 patch available on a PSO	19.95	28	✓ Habitrol
	Patch 21 mg – Up to 28 patch available on a PSO	22.86	28	✓ Habitrol
	Lozenge 1 mg – Up to 216 loz available on a PSO	19.18	216	✓ Habitrol
	Lozenge 2 mg – Up to 216 loz available on a PSO	21.02	216	✓ Habitrol
	Gum 2 mg (Fruit) – Up to 384 piece available on a PSO	38.21	384	✓ Habitrol
	Gum 2 mg (Mint) – Up to 384 piece available on a PSO	38.21	384	✓ Habitrol
	Gum 4 mg (Fruit) – Up to 384 piece available on a PSO	44.17	384	✓ Habitrol
	Gum 4 mg (Mint) – Up to 384 piece available on a PSO	44.17	384	✓ Habitrol
242	TIMOLOL (↑ subsidy) * Eye drops 0.25%	1.81	5 ml OP	✓ Arrow-Timolol
	* Eye drops 0.5%	2.04	5 ml OP	✓ Arrow-Timolol

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Delisted Items

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20	INSULIN PUMP INFUSION SET (STEEL CANNULA) – Special Authority see SA1906 – Retail pharmacy			
	a) Maximum of 3 sets per prescription			
	b) Only on a prescription			
	c) Maximum of 13 infusion sets will be funded per year.			
	10 mm steel needle; 29 G; manual insertion;			
	60 cm tubing × 10 with 10 needles; luer lock	130.00	1 OP	✓ Sure-T MMT-883
	10 mm steel needle; 29 G; manual insertion;			
	80 cm tubing × 10 with 10 needles; luer lock	130.00	1 OP	✓ Sure-T MMT-885
	6 mm steel needle; 29 G; manual insertion;			
	80 cm tubing × 10 with 10 needles; luer lock	130.00	1 OP	✓ Sure-T MMT-865
	8 mm steel needle; 29 G; manual insertion;			
	80 cm tubing × 10 with 10 needles; luer lock	130.00	1 OP	✓ Sure-T MMT-875
23	INSULIN PUMP INFUSION SET (TEFLON CANNULA, ANGLE INSERTION) – Special Authority see SA1906			
	– Retail pharmacy			
	a) Maximum of 3 sets per prescription			
	b) Only on a prescription			
	c) Maximum of 13 infusion sets will be funded per year.			
	17 mm teflon cannula; angle insertion; 110 cm line			
	× 10 with 10 needles; luer lock.....	130.00	1 OP	✓ Silhouette MMT-371
25	INSULIN PUMP INFUSION SET (TEFLON CANNULA, STRAIGHT INSERTION) – Special Authority see SA1906			
	– Retail pharmacy			
	a) Maximum of 3 sets per prescription			
	b) Only on a prescription			
	c) Maximum of 13 infusion sets will be funded per year.			
	6 mm teflon cannula; straight insertion; 110 cm tubing			
	× 10 with 10 needles; luer lock.....	130.00	1 OP	✓ Quick-Set MMT-391
	9 mm teflon cannula; straight insertion; 110 cm tubing			
	× 10 with 10 needles; luer lock.....	130.00	1 OP	✓ Quick-Set MMT-390
50	LABETALOL			
	* Tab 100 mg.....	11.36	100	✓ Presolol \$29
	* Tab 200 mg.....	29.74	100	✓ Presolol \$29
52	VERAPAMIL HYDROCHLORIDE			
	* Tab long-acting 240 mg.....	25.00	250	✓ Verpamil SR
64	HYDROCORTISONE			
	* Crm 1% – Only on a prescription.....	3.42	30 g OP	✓ DermAssist
70	PODOPHYLLOTOXIN			
	Soln 0.5%.....	33.60	3.5 ml OP	✓ Condyline S29 \$29
	a) Maximum of 3.5 ml per prescription			
	b) Only on a prescription			
98	METRONIDAZOLE			
	Tab 200 mg – Up to 30 tab available on a PSO.....	10.45	100	✓ Trichozole
	Tab 400 mg – Up to 15 tab available on a PSO.....	18.15	100	✓ Trichozole

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110	SULINDAC * Tab 100 mg.....	8.55	50	✓ Aclin
111	CELECOXIB Cap 100 mg	3.63	60	✓ Celebrex
119	ROPINIROLE HYDROCHLORIDE ▲ Tab 0.25 mg.....	0.71	21	✓ Ropin
123	FENTANYL a) Only on a controlled drug form b) No patient co-payment payable c) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency Inj 50 mcg per ml, 2 ml ampoule.....	3.56	10	✓ Fentanyl IE S29
124	MORPHINE TARTRATE a) Only on a controlled drug form b) No patient co-payment payable c) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency Inj 80 mg per ml, 1.5 ml ampoule	42.72	5	✓ DBL Morphine Tartrate
131	SUMATRIPTAN Inj 12 mg per ml, 0.5 ml prefilled pen – Maximum of 10 inj per prescription	42.67 81.15	2 OP	✓ Sun Pharma S29 ✓ Clustran
131	HYOSCINE HYDROBROMIDE * Inj 400 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule.....	46.50	5	✓ Hospira
150	PHENOBARBITONE SODIUM – Special Authority see SA1386 – Retail pharmacy Inj 200 mg per ml, 1 ml ampoule	30.00	5	✓ Aspen S29
160	GEMCITABINE HYDROCHLORIDE – PCT only – Specialist Inj 1 g.....	349.20	1	✓ Gemzar
234	FLUTICASONE Aerosol inhaler, 50 mcg per dose..... Aerosol inhaler, 125 mcg per dose..... Aerosol inhaler, 250 mcg per dose.....	4.68 7.22 10.18	120 dose OP 120 dose OP 120 dose OP	✓ Floair ✓ Floair ✓ Floair
235	FLUTICASONE WITH SALMETEROL Aerosol inhaler 50 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg	14.58	120 dose OP	✓ RexAir
	Aerosol inhaler 125 mcg with salmeterol 25 mcg	16.83	120 dose OP	✓ RexAir

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44 HEPARIN SODIUM
Inj 25,000 iu per ml, 0.2 ml..... 190.00 50 ✓Pfizer **S29**

Effective 1 December 2020

14 INSULIN PUMP – Special Authority see SA1603 – Retail pharmacy
a) Maximum of 1 dev per prescription
b) Only on a prescription
c) Maximum of 1 insulin pump per patient each four year period.
Min basal rate 0.1 U/h..... 4,500.00 1 ✓Tandem t:slim X2

88 CEFACLOR MONOHYDRATE
Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml – Wastage claimable..... 4.33 100 ml ✓Keflor

119 LEVODOPA WITH CARBIDOPA
* Tab 100 mg with carbidopa 25 mg 17.97 100 ✓Kinson
* Tab long-acting 100 mg with carbidopa 25 mg 23.84 100 ✓Mylan **S29**

127 DIAZEPAM – Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency
Rectal tubes 10 mg – Up to 5 tube available on a PSO..... 40.87 5 ✓Stesolid

150 ATOMOXETINE
Cap 10 mg 18.41 28
(107.03) Strattera
Cap 18 mg 27.06 28
(107.03) Strattera
Cap 25 mg 29.22 28
(107.03) Strattera
Cap 40 mg 29.22 28
(107.03) Strattera
Cap 60 mg 46.51 28
(107.03) Strattera
Cap 80 mg 56.45 28
(139.11) Strattera
Cap 100 mg 58.48 28
(139.11) Strattera

245 PHARMACY SERVICES
May only be claimed once per patient.
Brand switch fee 4.50 1 fee ✓BSF Imigran
a) The Pharmacode for BSF Imigran is 2597330.

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73	ETHINYLOESTRADIOL WITH NORETHISTERONE Tab 35 mcg with norethisterone 500 mcg and 7 inert tab – Up to 84 tab available on a PSO.....	8.83	112	✓ Brevinor 28
123	FENTANYL a) Only on a controlled drug form b) No patient co-payment payable c) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency Inj 50 mcg per ml, 2 ml ampoule.....	1.78	5	✓ Fentanyl GH
234	SALMETEROL Aerosol inhaler 25 mcg per dose.....	9.90	120 dose OP	✓ Meterol
235	IPRATROPIUM BROMIDE Nebuliser soln, 250 mcg per ml, 1 ml ampoule – Up to 40 neb available on a PSO.....	3.35	20	✓ Univent

Effective 1 February 2021

42	PRASUGREL – Special Authority see SA1954 – Retail pharmacy Tab 5 mg..... Tab 10 mg.....	108.00 120.00	28 28	✓ Effient ✓ Effient
88	CEFALEXIN Cap 250 mg	3.33	20	✓ Ibilex S29
125	MAPROTIline HYDROCHLORIDE a) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency b) Subsidy by endorsement – Subsidised for patients who were taking maprotiline hydrochloride prior to 1 September 2020 and the prescription is endorsed accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where there exists a record of prior dispensing of maprotiline hydrochloride. Tab 25 mg.....	7.52 12.53 25.06	30 50 100	✓ Ludiomil ✓ Ludiomil ✓ Ludiomil
164	HYDROXYUREA [HYDROXYCARBAMIDE] – PCT – Retail pharmacy-Specialist Cap 500 mg	31.76	100	✓ Hydreia

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100	ADEFOVIR DIPIVOXIL – Special Authority see SA0829 – Retail pharmacy Tab 10 mg.....	670.00	30	✓ Hepsera
265	AMINOACID FORMULA WITHOUT PHENYLALANINE – Special Authority see SA1108 – Hospital pharmacy [HP3] Powder (unflavoured) 27.8 g sachets.....	936.00	30	✓ PKU Lophlex Powder

Effective 1 June 2021

151	METHYLPHENIDATE HYDROCHLORIDE – Special Authority see SA1150 – Retail pharmacy a) Only on a controlled drug form b) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency Tab sustained-release 20 mg.....	50.00	100	✓ Ritalin SR
172	LAPATINIB DITOSYLATE – Special Authority see SA1191 – Retail pharmacy Tab 250 mg.....	1,899.00	70	✓ Tykerb

Effective 1 August 2021

125	MAPROTIline HYDROCHLORIDE a) Safety medicine; prescriber may determine dispensing frequency b) Subsidy by endorsement – Subsidised for patients who were taking maprotiline hydrochloride prior to 1 September 2020 and the prescription is endorsed accordingly. Pharmacists may annotate the prescription as endorsed where there exists a record of prior dispensing of maprotiline hydrochloride. Tab 75 mg.....	14.01 21.01	20 30	✓ Ludiomil ✓ Ludiomil
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