



**Australian Government**

**Department of Health**



# Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits

Summary of Changes

**Effective 1 March 2021**



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# Fees, Patient Contributions and Safety Net Thresholds

The following fees, patient contributions and safety net thresholds apply as at 1 March 2021 and are included, where applicable, in prices published in the Schedule —

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| Dispensing Fees:                         | Ready-prepared                       | \$7.74    |
|  | Dangerous drug fee                   | \$4.80    |
|  | Extemporaneously-prepared            | \$9.78    |
|  | Allowable additional patient charge* | \$4.42    |
| Additional Fees (for safety net prices): | Ready-prepared                       | \$1.29    |
|  | Extemporaneously-prepared            | \$1.66    |
| Patient Co-payments:                     | General                              | \$41.30   |
|  | Concessional                         | \$6.60    |
| Safety Net Thresholds:                   | General                              | \$1497.20 |
|  | Concessional                         | \$316.80  |
| Safety Net Card Issue Fee:               |                                      | \$10.34   |

\* The allowable additional patient charge is a discretionary charge to general patients if a pharmaceutical item has a dispensed price for maximum quantity less than the general patient co-payment. The pharmacist may charge general patients the allowable additional fee but the fee cannot take the cost of the prescription above the general patient co-payment for the medicine. This fee does not count towards the Safety Net threshold.

# Summary of Changes

These changes to the Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits are effective from 1 March 2021. The Schedule is updated on the first day of each month and is available on the internet at [www.pbs.gov.au](http://www.pbs.gov.au).

## General Pharmaceutical Benefits

### Additions

#### Addition – Item

- 12273Y **AMINO ACID FORMULA WITH VITAMINS AND MINERALS WITHOUT METHIONINE**, amino acid formula with vitamins and minerals without methionine powder for oral liquid, 30 x 29 g sachets (*HCU Lophlex*)
- 12274B **AMINO ACID FORMULA WITH VITAMINS AND MINERALS WITHOUT PHENYLALANINE AND TYROSINE**, amino acid formula with vitamins and minerals without phenylalanine and tyrosine powder for oral liquid, 30 x 28 g sachets (*TYR Lophlex*)
- 12285N **AMINO ACID FORMULA WITH VITAMINS AND MINERALS WITHOUT VALINE, LEUCINE AND ISOLEUCINE**, amino acid formula with vitamins and minerals without valine, leucine and isoleucine powder for oral liquid, 30 x 28 g sachets (*MSUD Lophlex*)
- 12280H **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 50 actuations (*Desmopressin Acetate (Medsurge)*)
- 12288R **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 50 actuations (*Desmopressin Acetate (Medsurge)*)
- 12291X **DUPILUMAB**, dupilumab 200 mg/1.14 mL injection, 2 x 1.14 mL syringes (*Dupixent*)
- 12292Y **DUPILUMAB**, dupilumab 300 mg/2 mL injection, 2 x 2 mL syringes (*Dupixent*)
- 12275C **ESOMEPRAZOLE**, esomeprazole 20 mg enteric capsule, 30 (*Esomeprazole ACTAVIS, Noxicid Caps*)
- 12290W **ESOMEPRAZOLE**, esomeprazole 40 mg enteric capsule, 30 (*Esomeprazole ACTAVIS, Noxicid Caps*)
- 12287Q **ESOMEPRAZOLE**, esomeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*Esomeprazole Apotex, Esomeprazole GH, Esomeprazole GxP, Esomeprazole Mylan, Esomeprazole RBX, Esomeprazole SZ, Esomeprazole Sandoz, NOUMED ESOMEPRAZOLE, Nexazole, Nexium, Nexole*)
- 12283L **ESOMEPRAZOLE**, esomeprazole 40 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*Esomeprazole Apotex, Esomeprazole GH, Esomeprazole GxP, Esomeprazole Mylan, Esomeprazole RBX, Esomeprazole SZ, Esomeprazole Sandoz, NOUMED ESOMEPRAZOLE, Nexazole, Nexium, Nexole*)
- 12269R **INDACATEROL + MOMETASONE**, indacaterol 125 microgram + mometasone furoate 62.5 microgram powder for inhalation, 30 capsules (*Aectura Breezhaler*)
- 12289T **INDACATEROL + MOMETASONE**, indacaterol 125 microgram + mometasone furoate 127.5 microgram powder for inhalation, 30 capsules (*Aectura Breezhaler*)
- 12279G **INDACATEROL + MOMETASONE**, indacaterol 125 microgram + mometasone furoate 260 microgram powder for inhalation, 30 capsules (*Aectura Breezhaler*)
- 12284M **LANSOPRAZOLE**, lansoprazole 30 mg enteric capsule, 28 (*APO-Lansoprazole, Lanzopran, NOUMED LANSOPRAZOLE, Zopral*)
- 12276D **LANSOPRAZOLE**, lansoprazole 30 mg orally disintegrating tablet, 28 (*APO-Lansoprazole ODT, Lansoprazole ODT GH, Zopral ODT, Zoton Fastabs*)
- 12281J **OMEPRAZOLE**, omeprazole 20 mg enteric capsule, 30 (*APO-Omeprazole, Maxor, Omeprazole Sandoz, Pemzo, Pharmacor Omeprazole 20, Probitor*)
- 12270T **OMEPRAZOLE**, omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*Acimax Tablets, Losec Tablets, Omepral, Omeprazole Sandoz*)

- 12272X **OMEPRAZOLE**, omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*APO-Omeprazole, Omeprazole AN, Omeprazole generichealth, Ozmepr*)
- 12271W **OZANIMOD**, ozanimod 920 microgram capsule, 28 (*Zeposia*)
- 12278F **OZANIMOD**, ozanimod 230 microgram capsule [4] (&) ozanimod 460 microgram capsule [3], 7 (*Zeposia*)
- 12282K **PANTOPRAZOLE**, pantoprazole 40 mg enteric coated granules, 30 sachets (*Somac*)
- 12277E **PANTOPRAZOLE**, pantoprazole 40 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*APO-Pantoprazole, I-Pantoprazole, NOUMED PANTOPRAZOLE, Ozpan, Panthron, Pantoprazole AN, Pantoprazole APOTEX, Pantoprazole Actavis, Pantoprazole Sandoz, Pantoprazole generichealth, Salpraz, Somac, Sozol*)
- 12286P **RABEPRAZOLE**, rabeprazole sodium 20 mg enteric tablet, 30 (*APO-Rabeprazole, Parbezol, Pariet, Rabeprazole AN, Rabeprazole Mylan, Rabeprazole SUN, Rabeprazole Sandoz, Zabep*)

#### **Addition – Brand**

- 8654L *Levetiracetam Mylan, AL* – **LEVETIRACETAM**, levetiracetam 250 mg tablet, 60
- 8655M *Levetiracetam Mylan, AL* – **LEVETIRACETAM**, levetiracetam 500 mg tablet, 60
- 8656N *Levetiracetam Mylan, AL* – **LEVETIRACETAM**, levetiracetam 1 g tablet, 60
- 8797B *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 50 mg + carbidopa 12.5 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 9344T *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 75 mg + carbidopa 18.75 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 8798C *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 100 mg + carbidopa 25 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 9345W *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 125 mg + carbidopa 31.25 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 8799D *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 150 mg + carbidopa 37.5 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 9292C *L.C.E. Sandoz, HX* – **LEVODOPA + CARBIDOPA + ENTACAPONE**, levodopa 200 mg + carbidopa 50 mg + entacapone 200 mg tablet, 100
- 10526B *LURASIDONE SUN, RA* – **LURASIDONE**, lurasidone hydrochloride 40 mg tablet, 30
- 10529E *LURASIDONE SUN, RA* – **LURASIDONE**, lurasidone hydrochloride 80 mg tablet, 30
- 12023T *Oxycodone Mylan, AL* – **OXYCODONE**, oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20
- 12048D *Oxycodone Mylan, AL* – **OXYCODONE**, oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20
- 2622B *Oxycodone Mylan, AL* – **OXYCODONE**, oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20
- 5195K *Oxycodone Mylan, AL* – **OXYCODONE**, oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20

#### **Addition – Equivalence Indicator**

- 8711L *Minirin Nasal Spray, FP* – **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 60 actuations
- 8712M *Minirin Nasal Spray, FP* – **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 60 actuations

#### **Addition – Note**

- 8711L **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 60 actuations (*Minirin Nasal Spray*)
- 8712M **DESMOPRESSIN**, desmopressin acetate 10 microgram/actuation nasal spray, 60 actuations (*Minirin Nasal Spray*)
- 10509D **TIOTROPIUM**, tiotropium 2.5 microgram/actuation inhalation solution, 60 actuations (*Spiriva Respimat*)
- 11043F **TIOTROPIUM**, tiotropium 2.5 microgram/actuation inhalation solution, 60 actuations (*Spiriva Respimat*)
- 11629C **TIOTROPIUM**, tiotropium 2.5 microgram/actuation inhalation solution, 60 actuations (*Spiriva Respimat*)
- 10557P **TIOTROPIUM + OLODATEROL**, tiotropium 2.5 microgram/actuation + olodaterol 2.5 microgram/actuation inhalation solution, 60 actuations (*Spiolto Respimat*)

#### **Addition – Restriction**

- 11364D **DULAGLUTIDE**, dulaglutide 1.5 mg/0.5 mL injection, 4 x 0.5 mL pen devices (*Trulicity*)

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## Deletions

### Deletion – Brand

|        |   |
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| 1434L  | <i>Auscasp Aspen, RW</i> – <b>FLUOXETINE</b> , fluoxetine 20 mg capsule, 28                           |
| 8534E  | <i>Lercanidipine Sandoz, SZ</i> – <b>LERCANIDIPINE</b> , lercanidipine hydrochloride 10 mg tablet, 28 |
| 8679T  | <i>Lercanidipine Sandoz, SZ</i> – <b>LERCANIDIPINE</b> , lercanidipine hydrochloride 20 mg tablet, 28 |
| 12023T | <i>Oxycodone Aspen, AL</i> – <b>OXYCODONE</b> , oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20               |
| 12048D | <i>Oxycodone Aspen, AL</i> – <b>OXYCODONE</b> , oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20               |
| 2622B  | <i>Oxycodone Aspen, AL</i> – <b>OXYCODONE</b> , oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20               |
| 5195K  | <i>Oxycodone Aspen, AL</i> – <b>OXYCODONE</b> , oxycodone hydrochloride 5 mg tablet, 20               |

## Alterations

### Alteration – Note

|        |   |
|--------|---|
| 11364D | <b>DULAGLUTIDE</b> , dulaglutide 1.5 mg/0.5 mL injection, 4 x 0.5 mL pen devices ( <i>Trulicity</i> ) |
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### Alteration – Manufacturer Code

|       |   | <i>From</i> | <i>To</i> |
|-------|---|-------------|-----------|
| 2751T | <i>Norvasc</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE</b> , amlodipine 5 mg tablet, 30   | UJ          | AS        |
| 2752W | <i>Norvasc</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE</b> , amlodipine 10 mg tablet, 30  | UJ          | AS        |
| 9051J | <i>Caduet 5/40</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 5 mg + atorvastatin 40 mg tablet, 30   | UJ          | AS        |
| 9052K | <i>Caduet 5/80</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 5 mg + atorvastatin 80 mg tablet, 30   | UJ          | AS        |
| 9053L | <i>Caduet 10/10</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 10 mg + atorvastatin 10 mg tablet, 30 | UJ          | AS        |
| 9054M | <i>Caduet 10/20</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 10 mg + atorvastatin 20 mg tablet, 30 | UJ          | AS        |
| 9055N | <i>Caduet 10/40</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 10 mg + atorvastatin 40 mg tablet, 30 | UJ          | AS        |
| 9056P | <i>Caduet 10/80</i> – <b>AMLODIPINE + ATORVASTATIN</b> , amlodipine 10 mg + atorvastatin 80 mg tablet, 30 | UJ          | AS        |
| 8213G | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 10 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 9230T | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 10 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 8214H | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 20 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 9231W | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 20 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 8215J | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 40 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 9232X | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 40 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 8521L | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 80 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 9233Y | <i>Lipitor</i> – <b>ATORVASTATIN</b> , atorvastatin 80 mg tablet, 30                                      | UJ          | AS        |
| 5552F | <i>Xalatan</i> – <b>LATANOPROST</b> , latanoprost 0.005% eye drops, 2.5 mL                                | UJ          | AS        |
| 8243W | <i>Xalatan</i> – <b>LATANOPROST</b> , latanoprost 0.005% eye drops, 2.5 mL                                | UJ          | AS        |
| 5553G | <i>Xalacom</i> – <b>LATANOPROST + TIMOLOL</b> , latanoprost 0.005% + timolol 0.5% eye drops, 2.5 mL       | UJ          | AS        |
| 8895E | <i>Xalacom</i> – <b>LATANOPROST + TIMOLOL</b> , latanoprost 0.005% + timolol 0.5% eye drops, 2.5 mL       | UJ          | AS        |

## Supply Only

From 1 November 2020 when a product is deleted from the Schedule it may now be available under new Supply Only rules. Supply Only items/brands are available on the Schedule for dispensing but not for prescribing, usually for a period of up to 12 months from when it is deleted.

Substitution of Supply Only items/brands with products flagged as "equivalent for substitution" still apply as specified in the Schedule at the time the script was written. Further information on Supply Only arrangements is available at [www.pbs.gov.au](http://www.pbs.gov.au)

### Supply Only commencing March 2021

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| 10822N | <i>PKU Baby, OH</i> – <b>AMINO ACID FORMULA WITH FAT, CARBOHYDRATE, VITAMINS, MINERALS AND LONG CHAIN POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS WITHOUT PHENYLALANINE AND SUPPLEMENTED WITH DOCOSAHEXAENOIC ACID</b> , amino acid formula with fat, carbohydrate, vitamins, minerals and long chain polyunsaturated fatty acids without phenylalanine and supplemented with docosahexaenoic acid oral liquid, 20 x 500 mL bottles |
| 1147J  | <i>Captopril Sandoz, SZ</i> – <b>CAPTOPRIL</b> , captopril 12.5 mg tablet, 90   |
| 2964B  | <i>DBL Cephalothin, PF</i> – <b>CEFALOTIN</b> , cefalotin 1 g injection, 10 vials   |
| 3376Q  | <i>DBL Cephalothin, PF</i> – <b>CEFALOTIN</b> , cefalotin 1 g injection, 10 vials   |
| 1158Y  | <i>Magicul 400, AF</i> – <b>CIMETIDINE</b> , cimetidine 400 mg tablet, 60   |
| 11011M | <i>Zepatier, MK</i> – <b>ELBASVIR + GRAZOPREVR</b> , elbasvir 50 mg + grazoprevir 100 mg tablet, 28   |
| 11021C | <i>Zepatier, MK</i> – <b>ELBASVIR + GRAZOPREVR</b> , elbasvir 50 mg + grazoprevir 100 mg tablet, 28   |
| 10789W | <i>E-Mycin, AF</i> – <b>ERYTHROMYCIN ETHYLSUCCINATE</b> , erythromycin (as ethylsuccinate) 400 mg tablet, 25  |
| 2750R  | <i>E-Mycin, AF</i> – <b>ERYTHROMYCIN ETHYLSUCCINATE</b> , erythromycin (as ethylsuccinate) 400 mg tablet, 25  |
| 3336N  | <i>E-Mycin, AF</i> – <b>ERYTHROMYCIN ETHYLSUCCINATE</b> , erythromycin (as ethylsuccinate) 400 mg tablet, 25  |
| 8740B  | <i>Leucovorin Calcium (Hospira Pty Limited), PF</i> – <b>FOLINIC ACID</b> , folinic acid 50 mg/5 mL injection, 5 mL vial  |
| 8838E  | <i>Glucovance 250mg/1.25mg, AL</i> – <b>METFORMIN + GLIBENCLAMIDE</b> , metformin hydrochloride 250 mg + glibenclamide 1.25 mg tablet, 90   |
| 8810Q  | <i>Glucovance 500mg/2.5mg, AL</i> – <b>METFORMIN + GLIBENCLAMIDE</b> , metformin hydrochloride 500 mg + glibenclamide 2.5 mg tablet, 90   |
| 8811R  | <i>Glucovance 500mg/5mg, AL</i> – <b>METFORMIN + GLIBENCLAMIDE</b> , metformin hydrochloride 500 mg + glibenclamide 5 mg tablet, 90   |
| 2055E  | <i>Carafate, AF</i> – <b>SUCRALFATE</b> , sucralfate 1 g tablet, 120  |
| 2109B  | <i>Genox 10, AF</i> – <b>TAMOXIFEN</b> , tamoxifen 10 mg tablet, 60   |
| 1248Q  | <i>Anpec 40, AF</i> – <b>VERAPAMIL</b> , verapamil hydrochloride 40 mg tablet, 100  |

## Advance Notices

1 April 2021

### Deletion – Brand

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| 1148K  | <i>Zedace, AF</i> – <b>CAPTOPRIL</b> , captopril 25 mg tablet, 90  |
| 1149L  | <i>Zedace, AF</i> – <b>CAPTOPRIL</b> , captopril 50 mg tablet, 90  |
| 2002J  | <i>Zinnat, AS</i> – <b>CEFUROXIME</b> , cefuroxime 125 mg/5 mL powder for oral liquid, 70 mL                                     |
| 5499K  | <i>Zinnat, AS</i> – <b>CEFUROXIME</b> , cefuroxime 125 mg/5 mL powder for oral liquid, 70 mL                                     |
| 10685J | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 3800 anti-Xa units/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes         |
| 10686K | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 2850 anti-Xa units/0.3 mL injection, 2 x 0.3 mL syringes         |
| 10687L | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 1900 anti-Xa units/0.2 mL injection, 2 x 0.2 mL syringes         |
| 10701F | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 2850 anti-Xa units/0.3 mL injection, 2 x 0.3 mL syringes         |
| 10702G | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 9500 anti-Xa units/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL syringes               |
| 10706L | <i>Fraxiparine Forte, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 11 400 anti-Xa units/0.6 mL injection, 2 x 0.6 mL syringes |
| 10707M | <i>Fraxiparine Forte, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 19 000 anti-Xa units/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL syringes       |
| 10716B | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 5700 anti-Xa units/0.6 mL injection, 2 x 0.6 mL syringes         |
| 10717C | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 3800 anti-Xa units/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes         |
| 10718D | <i>Fraxiparine, AS</i> – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 5700 anti-Xa units/0.6 mL injection, 2 x 0.6 mL syringes         |

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| 10725L | <i>Fraxiparine Forte</i> , AS – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 15 200 anti-Xa units/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes |
| 10733X | <i>Fraxiparine</i> , AS – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 9500 anti-Xa units/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL syringes               |
| 10734Y | <i>Fraxiparine</i> , AS – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 7600 anti-Xa units/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes         |
| 10735B | <i>Fraxiparine</i> , AS – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 1900 anti-Xa units/0.2 mL injection, 2 x 0.2 mL syringes         |
| 10740G | <i>Fraxiparine</i> , AS – <b>NADROPARIN</b> , nadroparin calcium 7600 anti-Xa units/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes         |

## Palliative Care

### Advance Notices

1 April 2021

#### Deletion – Brand

5319Y *Panadol, GC* – **PARACETAMOL**, paracetamol 500 mg suppository, 24

## Highly Specialised Drugs Program (Private Hospital)

### Additions

#### Addition – Note

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| 12139X | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 62.5 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> ) |
| 10111E | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 500 microgram injection, 1 vial ( <i>EPOPROSTENOL SUN, Velettri</i> )   |
| 11069N | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 500 microgram injection [1 vial] (&) inert substance diluent [2 x 50 mL vials], 1 pack ( <i>Folan</i> )                                   |
| 10129D | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 1.5 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>EPOPROSTENOL SUN, Velettri</i> )  |
| 11082G | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 1.5 mg injection [1 vial] (&) inert substance diluent [2 x 50 mL vials], 1 pack ( <i>Folan</i> )  |
| 6456T  | <b>ILOPROST</b> , iloprost 20 microgram/2 mL inhalation solution, 30 x 2 mL ampoules ( <i>Ventavis</i> )   |

### Alterations

#### Alteration – Note

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| 12201E | <b>AMBRISENTAN</b> , ambrisentan 5 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Ambrisentan Mylan, Cipla Ambrisentan, PULMORIS, Volibris</i> )   |
| 12180C | <b>AMBRISENTAN</b> , ambrisentan 10 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Ambrisentan Mylan, Cipla Ambrisentan, PULMORIS, Volibris</i> )  |
| 12148J | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 62.5 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> )             |
| 12146G | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 125 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan GH, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> ) |
| 12135Q | <b>MACITENTAN</b> , macitentan 10 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Opsumit</i> )   |
| 12138W | <b>SILDENAFIL</b> , sildenafil 20 mg tablet, 90 ( <i>APO-Sildenafil PHT, Revatio, SILDATIO PHT, Sildenafil AN PHT 20, Sildenafil PHT APOTEX, Sildenafil Sandoz PHT 20</i> )              |
| 12150L | <b>TADALAFIL</b> , tadalafil 20 mg tablet, 56 ( <i>Adcirca, TADALIS 20, Tadalca</i> )  |

#### Alteration – Restriction

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|--------|--|
| 12201E | <b>AMBRISENTAN</b> , ambrisentan 5 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Ambrisentan Mylan, Cipla Ambrisentan, PULMORIS, Volibris</i> )   |
| 12180C | <b>AMBRISENTAN</b> , ambrisentan 10 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Ambrisentan Mylan, Cipla Ambrisentan, PULMORIS, Volibris</i> )  |
| 12139X | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 62.5 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> )             |
| 12148J | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 62.5 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> )             |
| 12146G | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 125 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan GH, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> ) |
| 10111E | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 500 microgram injection, 1 vial ( <i>EPOPROSTENOL SUN, Velettri</i> )   |
| 11069N | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 500 microgram injection [1 vial] (&) inert substance diluent [2 x 50 mL vials], 1 pack ( <i>Folan</i> )   |

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| 10129D | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 1.5 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>EPOPROSTENOL SUN, Veletri</i> )  |
| 11082G | <b>EPOPROSTENOL</b> , epoprostenol 1.5 mg injection [1 vial] (&) inert substance diluent [2 x 50 mL vials], 1 pack ( <i>Flolan</i> )  |
| 6456T  | <b>ILOPROST</b> , iloprost 20 microgram/2 mL inhalation solution, 30 x 2 mL ampoules ( <i>Ventavis</i> )  |
| 12135Q | <b>MACITENTAN</b> , macitentan 10 mg tablet, 30 ( <i>Opsumit</i> )  |
| 12138W | <b>SILDENAFIL</b> , sildenafil 20 mg tablet, 90 ( <i>APO-Sildenafil PHT, Revatio, SILDATIO PHT, Sildenafil AN PHT 20, Sildenafil PHT APOTEX, Sildenafil Sandoz PHT 20</i> ) |
| 12150L | <b>TADALAFIL</b> , tadalafil 20 mg tablet, 56 ( <i>Adcirca, TADALIS 20, Tadalca</i> )   |

#### **Alteration – Number of Repeats**

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| 12143D | <b>BOSENTAN</b> , bosentan 62.5 mg tablet, 60 ( <i>BOSENTAN DR.REDDY'S, BOSLEER, Bosentan APO, Bosentan Cipla, Bosentan Mylan, Bosentan RBX, Bosentan Sandoz, Tracleer</i> ) | 5           | 0         |

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#### **Supply Only commencing March 2021**

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| 10979W | <i>Zepatier, MK</i> – <b>ELBASVIR + GRAZOPRE VIR</b> , elbasvir 50 mg + grazoprevir 100 mg tablet, 28  |
| 10991L | <i>Zepatier, MK</i> – <b>ELBASVIR + GRAZOPRE VIR</b> , elbasvir 50 mg + grazoprevir 100 mg tablet, 28  |
| 6332G  | <i>Somatuline LA, IS</i> – <b>LANREOTIDE</b> , lanreotide 30 mg modified release injection [1 vial] (&) inert substance diluent [2 mL ampoule], 1 pack |



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## Highly Specialised Drugs Program (Community Access)

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### **Supply Only commencing March 2021**

10275T *Stocrin, MK* – EFAVIRENZ, efavirenz 30 mg/mL oral liquid, 180 mL

## Botulinum Toxin Program

### Deletions

#### **Deletion – Item**

10983C INCOBOTULINUMTOXINA, incobotulinumtoxinA 100 units injection, 1 vial (*Xeomin*)

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## Growth Hormone Program

### Advance Notices

1 April 2021

#### Deletion – Brand

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| 10437H | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 5 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge  |
| 10439K | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 10 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |
| 10448X | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 10 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |
| 10468Y | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 15 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |
| 10469B | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 5 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge  |
| 10470C | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 15 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |
| 6295H  | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 5 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge  |
| 6296J  | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 10 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |
| 6297K  | <i>Norditropin SimpleXx, NO</i> – <b>SOMATROPIN</b> , somatropin 15 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge |