



**Australian Government**

**Department of Health  
and Aged Care**



# Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits

Summary of Changes

**Effective 1 October 2023**



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# Fees, Patient Contributions and Safety Net Thresholds

The following fees, patient contributions and safety net thresholds apply as at 1 October 2023 and are included, where applicable, in prices published in the Schedule —

Dispensing Fees:	Ready-prepared	\$8.37
	Dangerous drug fee	\$5.18
	Extemporaneously-prepared	\$10.41
	Allowable additional patient charge*	\$3.29
Additional Fees (for safety net prices):	Ready-prepared	\$1.40
	Extemporaneously-prepared	\$1.80
Patient Co-payments:	General	\$30.00
	Concessional	\$7.30
Safety Net Thresholds:	General	\$1563.50
	Concessional	\$262.80
Safety Net Card Issue Fee:		\$11.42

\* 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.

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These changes to the Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits are effective from 1 October 2023. 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

- 13644D **BIMEKIZUMAB**, bimekizumab 160 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices (*Bimzelx*)
- 13652M **BIMEKIZUMAB**, bimekizumab 160 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices (*Bimzelx*)
- 13643C **CEFUROXIME**, cefuroxime 125 mg/5 mL powder for oral liquid, 70 mL (*Zinnat (UK)*)
- 13653N **CEFUROXIME**, cefuroxime 125 mg/5 mL powder for oral liquid, 70 mL (*Zinnat (UK)*)
- 13649J **DEUCRAVACITINIB**, deucravacitinib 6 mg tablet, 28 (*Sotyktu*)
- 13640X **FOSNETUPITANT + PALONOSETRON**, fosnetupitant 235 mg + palonosetron 250 microgram injection, 1 vial (*Akynzeo IV*)
- 13651L **INSULIN ASPART**, insulin aspart 100 units/mL fast acting injection, 5 x 3 mL cartridges (*Fiasp Penfill*)

#### Addition – Brand

- 1081X *Blooms The Chemist Atenolol, BG* – **ATENOLOL**, atenolol 50 mg tablet, 30
- 13540P *Blooms The Chemist Atenolol, BG* – **ATENOLOL**, atenolol 50 mg tablet, 30
- 13391T *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 16 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg tablet, 30
- 8504N *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 16 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg tablet, 30
- 13452B *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 32 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg tablet, 30
- 9314F *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 32 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg tablet, 30
- 13392W *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 32 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 25 mg tablet, 30
- 9315G *BTC Candesartan HCT, BG* – **CANDESARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE**, candesartan cilexetil 32 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 25 mg tablet, 30
- 10778G *Blooms The Chemist Cefalexin, BG* – **CEFALEXIN**, cefalexin 500 mg capsule, 20
- 11934D *Blooms The Chemist Cefalexin, BG* – **CEFALEXIN**, cefalexin 500 mg capsule, 20
- 3119E *Blooms The Chemist Cefalexin, BG* – **CEFALEXIN**, cefalexin 500 mg capsule, 20
- 3318P *Blooms The Chemist Cefalexin, BG* – **CEFALEXIN**, cefalexin 500 mg capsule, 20
- 10790X *DICLOXACILLIN VIATRIS 500, MQ* – **DICLOXACILLIN**, dicloxacillin 500 mg capsule, 24
- 5097G *DICLOXACILLIN VIATRIS 500, MQ* – **DICLOXACILLIN**, dicloxacillin 500 mg capsule, 24
- 8122L *DICLOXACILLIN VIATRIS 500, MQ* – **DICLOXACILLIN**, dicloxacillin 500 mg capsule, 24
- 9432K *Lexam 10, RW* – **ESCITALOPRAM**, escitalopram 10 mg tablet, 28
- 9433L *Lexam 20, RW* – **ESCITALOPRAM**, escitalopram 20 mg tablet, 28

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1434L	<i>Blooms the Chemist Fluoxetine, BG</i> – <b>FLUOXETINE</b> , fluoxetine 20 mg capsule, 28
2592K	<i>Pharmacor Isotretinoin, CR</i> – <b>ISOTRETINOIN</b> , isotretinoin 20 mg capsule, 60
12969N	<i>Thyrox, IX</i> – <b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 50 microgram tablet, 2 x 100
12960D	<i>Thyrox, IX</i> – <b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 75 microgram tablet, 2 x 100
12968M	<i>Thyrox, IX</i> – <b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 100 microgram tablet, 2 x 100
12970P	<i>Thyrox, IX</i> – <b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 200 microgram tablet, 2 x 100
1622J	<i>Chexate, OX</i> – <b>METHOTREXATE</b> , methotrexate 2.5 mg tablet, 30
1623K	<i>Chexate, OX</i> – <b>METHOTREXATE</b> , methotrexate 10 mg tablet, 50
10839L	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10840M	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10843Q	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10844R	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10848Y	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
8128T	<i>Tanilone (Fatty), AS</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
11406H	<i>Pirfenidone Sandoz, SZ</i> – <b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 267 mg tablet, 90
11410M	<i>Pirfenidone Sandoz, SZ</i> – <b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 801 mg tablet, 90

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

1622J	<i>Methoblastin, PF</i> – <b>METHOTREXATE</b> , methotrexate 2.5 mg tablet, 30
1623K	<i>Methoblastin, PF</i> – <b>METHOTREXATE</b> , methotrexate 10 mg tablet, 50
10839L	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10840M	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10843Q	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10844R	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
10848Y	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g
8128T	<i>Advantan (Fatty), LO</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1% ointment, 15 g

#### **Addition – Note**

13615N	<b>AMINO ACID SYNTHETIC FORMULA SUPPLEMENTED WITH LONG CHAIN POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS AND MEDIUM CHAIN TRIGLYCERIDES</b> , amino acid synthetic formula supplemented with long chain polyunsaturated fatty acids and medium chain triglycerides with 2-fucosyllactose and lacto-N-neotetraose powder for oral liquid, 400 g ( <i>Alfamino</i> )
13627F	<b>AMINO ACID SYNTHETIC FORMULA SUPPLEMENTED WITH LONG CHAIN POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS AND MEDIUM CHAIN TRIGLYCERIDES</b> , amino acid synthetic formula supplemented with long chain polyunsaturated fatty acids and medium chain triglycerides with 2-fucosyllactose and lacto-N-neotetraose powder for oral liquid, 400 g ( <i>Alfamino</i> )
2900P	<b>AMINO ACID SYNTHETIC FORMULA SUPPLEMENTED WITH LONG CHAIN POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS AND MEDIUM CHAIN TRIGLYCERIDES</b> , amino acid synthetic formula supplemented with long chain polyunsaturated fatty acids and medium chain triglycerides powder for oral liquid, 400 g ( <i>Alfamino</i> )
2928D	<b>AMINO ACID SYNTHETIC FORMULA SUPPLEMENTED WITH LONG CHAIN POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS AND MEDIUM CHAIN TRIGLYCERIDES</b> , amino acid synthetic formula supplemented with long chain polyunsaturated fatty acids and medium chain triglycerides powder for oral liquid, 400 g ( <i>Alfamino</i> )

## **Deletions**

### **Deletion – Item**

11798Y	<b>OCRIPLASMIN</b> , ocriplasmin 375 microgram/0.3 mL intraocular injection, 0.3 mL vial ( <i>Jetrea RTU</i> )
11136D	<b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 267 mg capsule, 270 ( <i>Esbriet</i> )

### **Deletion – Brand**

9012H	<b>ALENDRONATE PLUS D3 70mg/70ug APOTEX, GX</b> – <b>ALENDRONATE + COLECALCIFEROL</b> , alendronate 70 mg + colecalciferol 70 microgram (2800 units) tablet, 4
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9183H	<i>ALENDRONATE PLUS D3 70mg/140ug APOTEX, GX</i> – <b>ALENDRONATE + COLECALCIFEROL</b> , alendronate 70 mg + colecalciferol 140 microgram (5600 units) tablet, 4
9022W	<i>Fenofibrate Mylan, AF</i> – <b>FENOFIBRATE</b> , fenofibrate 48 mg tablet, 60
9023X	<i>Fenofibrate Mylan, AF</i> – <b>FENOFIBRATE</b> , fenofibrate 145 mg tablet, 30
2592K	<i>Isotretinoin SCP 20, CR</i> – <b>ISOTRETINOIN</b> , isotretinoin 20 mg capsule, 60
5264C	<i>Methylprednisolone Alphapharm, AF</i> – <b>METHYLPREDNISOLONE</b> , methylprednisolone 1 g injection, 1 vial
13579Q	<i>Moxonidine MYL, AF</i> – <b>MOXONIDINE</b> , moxonidine 200 microgram tablet, 30
9019Q	<i>Moxonidine MYL, AF</i> – <b>MOXONIDINE</b> , moxonidine 200 microgram tablet, 30
11683X	<i>Omeprazole generichealth, GQ</i> – <b>OMEPRAZOLE</b> , omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30
12272X	<i>Omeprazole generichealth, GQ</i> – <b>OMEPRAZOLE</b> , omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30
8331L	<i>Omeprazole generichealth, GQ</i> – <b>OMEPRAZOLE</b> , omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30
8333N	<i>Omeprazole generichealth, GQ</i> – <b>OMEPRAZOLE</b> , omeprazole 20 mg enteric tablet, 30
11406H	<i>Esbriet, RO</i> – <b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 267 mg tablet, 90
11410M	<i>Esbriet, RO</i> – <b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 801 mg tablet, 90
1968N	<i>Qpril 5, AF</i> – <b>QUINAPRIL</b> , quinapril 5 mg tablet, 30
1969P	<i>Qpril 10, AF</i> – <b>QUINAPRIL</b> , quinapril 10 mg tablet, 30
1970Q	<i>Qpril 20, AF</i> – <b>QUINAPRIL</b> , quinapril 20 mg tablet, 30
13607E	<i>Telmisartan HCT GH 80/25, GQ</i> – <b>TELMISARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE</b> , telmisartan 80 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 25 mg tablet, 28
9381R	<i>Telmisartan HCT GH 80/25, GQ</i> – <b>TELMISARTAN + HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE</b> , telmisartan 80 mg + hydrochlorothiazide 25 mg tablet, 28

#### **Deletion – Note**

11406H	<b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 267 mg tablet, 90 ( <i>Pirfenidone Sandoz</i> )
11410M	<b>PIRFENIDONE</b> , pirfenidone 801 mg tablet, 90 ( <i>Pirfenidone Sandoz</i> )

#### **Deletion – Restriction**

11858D	<b>RISANKIZUMAB</b> , risankizumab 75 mg/0.83 mL injection, 2 x 0.83 mL syringes ( <i>Skyrizi</i> )
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## **Alterations**

### **Alteration – Note**

12342N	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL pen devices ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
12377K	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL pen devices ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
12421R	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
12422T	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
13215M	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL pen devices ( <i>Yuflyma</i> )
13217P	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes ( <i>Yuflyma</i> )
12366W	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
12403T	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL pen devices ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
9425C	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
9426D	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL pen devices ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
9427E	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
9428F	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL pen devices ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
12394H	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 80 mg/0.8 mL injection, 0.8 mL syringe ( <i>Humira</i> )
12447D	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 80 mg/0.8 mL injection, 0.8 mL pen device ( <i>Humira</i> )
13624C	<b>AZACITIDINE</b> , azacitidine 300 mg tablet, 7 ( <i>Onureg</i> )
11223Q	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 25 mg injection [4 vials] (&) inert substance diluent [4 x 1 mL syringes], 1 pack ( <i>Enbrel</i> )
9037P	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 25 mg injection [4 vials] (&) inert substance diluent [4 x 1 mL syringes], 1 pack ( <i>Enbrel</i> )

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9429G	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 25 mg injection [4 vials] (& inert substance diluent [4 x 1 mL syringes], 1 pack ( <i>Enbrel</i> )
11221N	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Brenzys</i> )
11222P	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
9461Y	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
9462B	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
11224R	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL syringes ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
11225T	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL syringes ( <i>Brenzys</i> )
9091L	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL syringes ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
9431J	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL syringes ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
11614G	<b>GUSELKUMAB</b> , guselkumab 100 mg/mL injection, 1 x 1 mL syringe ( <i>Tremfya</i> )
13050W	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 120 mg/mL injection, 1 mL syringe ( <i>Remsima SC</i> )
13062L	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 120 mg/mL injection, 1 mL pen device ( <i>Remsima SC</i> )
13067R	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 120 mg/mL injection, 1 mL syringe ( <i>Remsima SC</i> )
13076F	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 120 mg/mL injection, 1 mL pen device ( <i>Remsima SC</i> )
11032P	<b>IXEKIZUMAB</b> , ixekizumab 80 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Taltz</i> )
11033Q	<b>IXEKIZUMAB</b> , ixekizumab 80 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Taltz</i> )
12969N	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 50 microgram tablet, 2 x 100 ( <i>LEVOXINE, Thyrox</i> )
2174K	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 50 microgram tablet, 200 ( <i>APO-Levothyroxine, Eltroxin, Eutroxsig, Levothox, Levothyroxine Lup, Oroxine</i> )
12960D	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 75 microgram tablet, 2 x 100 ( <i>LEVOXINE, Thyrox</i> )
9287T	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 75 microgram tablet, 200 ( <i>APO-Levothyroxine, Eltroxin, Eutroxsig, Levothox, Levothyroxine Lup, Oroxine</i> )
12968M	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 100 microgram tablet, 2 x 100 ( <i>LEVOXINE, Thyrox</i> )
2175L	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 100 microgram tablet, 200 ( <i>APO-Levothyroxine, Eltroxin, Eutroxsig, Levothox, Levothyroxine Lup, Oroxine</i> )
12970P	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 200 microgram tablet, 2 x 100 ( <i>LEVOXINE, Thyrox</i> )
2173J	<b>LEVOTHYROXINE</b> , levothyroxine sodium 200 microgram tablet, 200 ( <i>APO-Levothyroxine, Eltroxin, Eutroxsig, Levothox, Levothyroxine Lup, Oroxine</i> )
10731T	<b>NETUPITANT + PALONOSETRON</b> , netupitant 300 mg + palonosetron 500 microgram capsule, 1 ( <i>Akynzeo</i> )
11827L	<b>RISANKIZUMAB</b> , risankizumab 75 mg/0.83 mL injection, 2 x 0.83 mL syringes ( <i>Skyrizi</i> )
11858D	<b>RISANKIZUMAB</b> , risankizumab 75 mg/0.83 mL injection, 2 x 0.83 mL syringes ( <i>Skyrizi</i> )
10425Q	<b>SECUKINUMAB</b> , secukinumab 150 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Cosentyx</i> )
10494H	<b>SECUKINUMAB</b> , secukinumab 150 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Cosentyx</i> )
10910F	<b>SECUKINUMAB</b> , secukinumab 150 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Cosentyx</i> )
11613F	<b>TILDRAKIZUMAB</b> , tildrakizumab 100 mg/mL injection, 1 mL syringe ( <i>Ilumya</i> )
11616J	<b>TILDRAKIZUMAB</b> , tildrakizumab 100 mg/mL injection, 1 mL syringe ( <i>Ilumya</i> )
9304Q	<b>USTEKINUMAB</b> , ustekinumab 45 mg/0.5 mL injection, 0.5 mL vial ( <i>Stelara</i> )
9305R	<b>USTEKINUMAB</b> , ustekinumab 45 mg/0.5 mL injection, 0.5 mL vial ( <i>Stelara</i> )

**Alteration – Restriction**

12342N	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL pen devices ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
12421R	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.4 mL injection, 2 x 0.4 mL syringes ( <i>Humira, Yuflyma</i> )
9425C	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL syringes ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
9426D	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 40 mg/0.8 mL injection, 2 x 0.8 mL pen devices ( <i>Amgevita, Hadlima, Hyrimoz, Idacio</i> )
12394H	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 80 mg/0.8 mL injection, 0.8 mL syringe ( <i>Humira</i> )
12447D	<b>ADALIMUMAB</b> , adalimumab 80 mg/0.8 mL injection, 0.8 mL pen device ( <i>Humira</i> )

12218C	<b>APREMILAST</b> , apremilast 10 mg tablet [4] (&) apremilast 20 mg tablet [4] (&) apremilast 30 mg tablet [19], 27 ( <i>Otezla</i> )
12223H	<b>APREMILAST</b> , apremilast 30 mg tablet, 56 ( <i>Otezla</i> )
9037P	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 25 mg injection [4 vials] (&) inert substance diluent [4 x 1 mL syringes], 1 pack ( <i>Enbrel</i> )
9461Y	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
9091L	<b>ETANERCEPT</b> , etanercept 50 mg/mL injection, 4 x 1 mL syringes ( <i>Brenzys, Enbrel</i> )
11614G	<b>GUSELKUMAB</b> , guselkumab 100 mg/mL injection, 1 x 1 mL syringe ( <i>Tremfya</i> )
11032P	<b>IXEKIZUMAB</b> , ixekizumab 80 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Taltz</i> )
10731T	<b>NETUPITANT + PALONOSETRON</b> , netupitant 300 mg + palonosetron 500 microgram capsule, 1 ( <i>Akynzeo</i> )
11827L	<b>RISANKIZUMAB</b> , risankizumab 75 mg/0.83 mL injection, 2 x 0.83 mL syringes ( <i>Skyrizi</i> )
10910F	<b>SECUKINUMAB</b> , secukinumab 150 mg/mL injection, 2 x 1 mL pen devices ( <i>Cosentyx</i> )
11616J	<b>TILDRAKIZUMAB</b> , tildrakizumab 100 mg/mL injection, 1 mL syringe ( <i>Ilumya</i> )
9304Q	<b>USTEKINUMAB</b> , ustekinumab 45 mg/0.5 mL injection, 0.5 mL vial ( <i>Stelara</i> )

#### **Alteration – Manufacturer Code**

		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
12142C	<i>Apomine Solution for Infusion</i> – <b>APOMORPHINE</b> , apomorphine hydrochloride hemihydrate 100 mg/20 mL injection, 5 x 20 mL vials	PF	IT
12133N	<i>Apomine Intermittent</i> – <b>APOMORPHINE</b> , apomorphine hydrochloride hemihydrate 30 mg/3 mL injection, 5 x 3 mL cartridges	PF	IT
5296R	<i>Riamet 20mg/120mg Dispersible</i> – <b>ARTEMETHER + LUMEFANTRINE</b> , artemether 20 mg + lumefantrine 120 mg dispersible tablet, 18	SZ	NV
9498X	<i>Riamet</i> – <b>ARTEMETHER + LUMEFANTRINE</b> , artemether 20 mg + lumefantrine 120 mg tablet, 24	SZ	NV
13457G	<i>CALITROL</i> – <b>CALCITRIOL</b> , calcitriol 0.25 microgram capsule, 100	ED	XT
2502Q	<i>CALITROL</i> – <b>CALCITRIOL</b> , calcitriol 0.25 microgram capsule, 100	ED	XT
1394J	<i>Eleanor 150/30 ED</i> – <b>LEVONORGESTREL + ETHINYLESTRADIOL</b> , levonorgestrel 150 microgram + ethinylestradiol 30 microgram tablet [21] (&) inert substance tablet [7], 4 x 28	EA	XT
1900B	<i>Clobemix</i> – <b>MOCLOBEMIDE</b> , moclobemide 150 mg tablet, 60	ED	XT
8003F	<i>Clobemix</i> – <b>MOCLOBEMIDE</b> , moclobemide 300 mg tablet, 60	ED	XT

### **Advance Notices**

#### **1 November 2023**

##### **Deletion – Brand**

2324H	<i>Optifresh Plus, PP</i> – <b>CARMELLOSE SODIUM</b> , carmellose sodium 1% eye drops, 30 x 0.4 mL unit doses
2338C	<i>Optifresh Tears, PP</i> – <b>CARMELLOSE SODIUM</b> , carmellose sodium 0.5% eye drops, 30 x 0.4 mL unit doses
5505R	<i>Optifresh Plus, PP</i> – <b>CARMELLOSE SODIUM</b> , carmellose sodium 1% eye drops, 30 x 0.4 mL unit doses
5506T	<i>Optifresh Tears, PP</i> – <b>CARMELLOSE SODIUM</b> , carmellose sodium 0.5% eye drops, 30 x 0.4 mL unit doses
8452W	<i>Amaryl, SW</i> – <b>GLIMEPIRIDE</b> , glimepiride 4 mg tablet, 30
8814X	<i>CHEMISTS' OWN OSTEO RELIEF PARACETAMOL, RF</i> – <b>PARACETAMOL</b> , paracetamol 665 mg modified release tablet, 96
2363J	<i>Pregabalin GH, GQ</i> – <b>PREGABALIN</b> , pregabalin 300 mg capsule, 56

#### **1 December 2023**

##### **Deletion – Brand**

8596K	<i>Amisulpride 400 Winthrop, WA</i> – <b>AMISULPRIDE</b> , amisulpride 400 mg tablet, 60
2418G	<i>Amitriptyline Alphapharm 25, MQ</i> – <b>AMITRIPTYLINE</b> , amitriptyline hydrochloride 25 mg tablet, 50
9020R	<i>Moxonidine MYL, AF</i> – <b>MOXONIDINE</b> , moxonidine 400 microgram tablet, 30
8228C	<i>Ikorel, SW</i> – <b>NICORANDIL</b> , nicorandil 10 mg tablet, 60
8229D	<i>Ikorel, SW</i> – <b>NICORANDIL</b> , nicorandil 20 mg tablet, 60

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8411Q *Zofran Zydys, AS* – **ONDANSETRON**, ondansetron 8 mg wafer, 4

### 1 January 2024

#### Deletion – Brand

10062N *Temodal, MK* – **TEMOZOLOMIDE**, temozolomide 180 mg capsule, 5

2438H *Temodal, MK* – **TEMOZOLOMIDE**, temozolomide 180 mg capsule, 5

8381D *Temodal, MK* – **TEMOZOLOMIDE**, temozolomide 250 mg capsule, 5

## Palliative Care

### Advance Notices

1 November 2023

#### Deletion – Brand

5343F *CHEMISTS' OWN OSTEO RELIEF PARACETAMOL, RF* – **PARACETAMOL**, paracetamol 665 mg modified release tablet, 96

## Highly Specialised Drugs Program (Private Hospital)

### Additions

#### Addition – Item

13642B **LENALIDOMIDE**, lenalidomide 5 mg capsule, 21 (*Cipla Lenalidomide, Lenalide, Lenalidomide Dr.Reddy's, Lenalidomide Sandoz, Lenalidomide Viatris, Lenalidomide-Teva, Revlimid*)

13658W **LENALIDOMIDE**, lenalidomide 10 mg capsule, 21 (*Cipla Lenalidomide, Lenalide, Lenalidomide Dr.Reddy's, Lenalidomide Sandoz, Lenalidomide Viatris, Lenalidomide-Teva, Revlimid*)

13657T **LENALIDOMIDE**, lenalidomide 15 mg capsule, 21 (*Cipla Lenalidomide, Lenalide, Lenalidomide Dr.Reddy's, Lenalidomide Sandoz, Lenalidomide Viatris, Lenalidomide-Teva, Revlimid*)

13660Y **LENALIDOMIDE**, lenalidomide 25 mg capsule, 21 (*Cipla Lenalidomide, Lenalide, Lenalidomide Dr.Reddy's, Lenalidomide Sandoz, Lenalidomide Viatris, Lenalidomide-Teva, Revlimid*)

13632L **RISDIPLAM**, risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL (*Evrysdi*)

13639W **RISDIPLAM**, risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL (*Evrysdi*)

13646F **RISDIPLAM**, risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL (*Evrysdi*)

13647G **RISDIPLAM**, risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL (*Evrysdi*)

13659X **RISDIPLAM**, risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL (*Evrysdi*)

#### Addition – Brand

12784W *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

13033Y *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

13038F *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

13039G *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

13040H *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

6100C *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

6138C *Azacitidine Dr.Reddy's, RI* – **AZACITIDINE**, azacitidine 100 mg injection, 1 vial

#### Addition – Restriction

13064N **NUSINERSEN**, nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial (*Spinraza*)

13111C **NUSINERSEN**, nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial (*Spinraza*)

### Deletions

#### Deletion – Item

11420C **BACLOFEN**, baclofen 10 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 x 5 mL ampoules (*Bacetheal*)

#### Deletion – Brand

6227R *Octreotide MaxRx, GQ* – **OCTREOTIDE**, octreotide 50 microgram/mL injection, 5 x 1 mL ampoules



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## Alterations

### Alteration – Note

11128Q	<b>BACLOFEN</b> , baclofen 10 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 10 x 5 mL ampoules ( <i>Sintetica Baclofen Intrathecal</i> )
6284R	<b>BACLOFEN</b> , baclofen 10 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL ampoule ( <i>Bacthecal, Lioresal Intrathecal</i> )
11590B	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 100 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>Inflixtra, Remicade, Renflexis</i> )
11595G	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 100 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>Inflixtra, Renflexis</i> )
9617E	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 100 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>Inflixtra, Remicade, Renflexis</i> )
13045N	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
13064N	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
13091B	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
13111C	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
12609P	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )
12610Q	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )
12959C	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )

### Alteration – Restriction

9617E	<b>INFLIXIMAB</b> , infliximab 100 mg injection, 1 vial ( <i>Inflixtra, Remicade, Renflexis</i> )
13045N	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
13091B	<b>NUSINERSEN</b> , nusinersen 12 mg/5 mL intrathecal injection, 5 mL vial ( <i>Spinraza</i> )
12609P	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )
12610Q	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )
12959C	<b>RISDIPLAM</b> , risdiplam 750 microgram/mL powder for oral liquid, 80 mL ( <i>Evrysdi</i> )

### Alteration – Manufacturer Code

		From	To
11083H	<i>Apomine Solution for Infusion</i> – <b>APOMORPHINE</b> , apomorphine hydrochloride hemihydrate 100 mg/20 mL injection, 5 x 20 mL vials	PF	IT
11688E	<i>Apomine Intermittent</i> – <b>APOMORPHINE</b> , apomorphine hydrochloride hemihydrate 30 mg/3 mL injection, 5 x 3 mL cartridges	PF	IT

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#### Deletion – Brand

6357N *Valganciclovir Mylan, AF* – **VALGANCICLOVIR**, valganciclovir 450 mg tablet, 60

### 1 December 2023

#### Deletion – Brand

6126K	<i>Neupogen, AN</i> – <b>FILGRASTIM</b> , filgrastim 300 microgram/mL injection, 10 x 1 mL vials
6127L	<i>Neupogen, AN</i> – <b>FILGRASTIM</b> , filgrastim 480 microgram/1.6 mL injection, 10 x 1.6 mL vials
6291D	<i>Neupogen, AN</i> – <b>FILGRASTIM</b> , filgrastim 300 microgram/0.5 mL injection, 10 x 0.5 mL syringes
6292E	<i>Neupogen, AN</i> – <b>FILGRASTIM</b> , filgrastim 480 microgram/0.5 mL injection, 10 x 0.5 mL syringes
6229W	<i>Octreotide MaxRx, GQ</i> – <b>OCTREOTIDE</b> , octreotide 500 microgram/mL injection, 5 x 1 mL ampoules

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## Highly Specialised Drugs Program (Community Access)

### Additions

#### Addition – Brand

10279B *Entecavir Viatris, AL* – **ENTECAVIR**, entecavir 500 microgram tablet, 30

### Advance Notices

1 November 2023

#### Deletion – Brand

10306K *Valganciclovir Mylan, AF* – **VALGANCICLOVIR**, valganciclovir 450 mg tablet, 60

## Growth Hormone Program

### Alterations

#### Alteration – Restriction

11493X **SOMATROPIN**, somatropin 5 mg injection [1 chamber] (&) inert substance diluent [1 mL chamber], 1 dual chamber pen device (*Genotropin GoQuick*)

11495B **SOMATROPIN**, somatropin 12 mg injection [1 chamber] (&) inert substance diluent [1 mL chamber], 1 dual chamber pen device (*Genotropin GoQuick*)

11895C **SOMATROPIN**, somatropin 5 mg/1.5 mL injection, 1.5 mL cartridge (*Norditropin FlexPro*)

11650E **SOMATROPIN**, somatropin 10 mg/2 mL injection, 2 mL cartridge (*NutropinAq*)

## Repatriation Pharmaceutical Benefits

### Deletions

#### Deletion – Brand

2194L *ALENDRONATE PLUS D3 70mg/70ug APOTEX, GX* – **ALENDRONATE + COLECALCIFEROL**, alendronate 70 mg + colecalciferol 70 microgram (2800 units) tablet, 4

2224C *ALENDRONATE PLUS D3 70mg/140ug APOTEX, GX* – **ALENDRONATE + COLECALCIFEROL**, alendronate 70 mg + colecalciferol 140 microgram (5600 units) tablet, 4

### Advance Notices

1 November 2023

#### Deletion – Brand

10598T *CHEMISTS' OWN OSTEO RELIEF PARACETAMOL, RF* – **PARACETAMOL**, paracetamol 665 mg modified release tablet, 96