
BULLETIN # 90

Manitoba Drug Benefits and Interchangeability Formulary Amendments

The following amendments will take effect on
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Part 1 Additions

DIN	TRADE NAME	GENERIC	STRENGTH	FORM	MFR*
02436914	Auro-Clindamycin	clindamycin	300 mg	Capsule	AUP
02448726 02448734 02448742	Auro-Olanzapine ODT	olanzapine	5 mg 10 mg 15 mg	Tablet	AUP
02442582 02442590 02442604	Auro-Rosuvastatin	rosuvastatin	10 mg 20 mg 40 mg	Tablet	AUP
02452839 02452847 02452855	Auro-Venlafaxine XR	venlafaxine	37.5 mg 75 mg 150 mg	Capsule	AUP
80033602	Jamp-K Effervescent	potassium citrate	25 mEq	Tablet	JPC
02450496	Mylan-Verapamil SR	verapamil	240 mg	Tablet	MYL
02388227 02388235 02388243	Paroxetine	paroxetine	10 mg 20 mg 30 mg	Tablet	SIP
02458381	pms- Abacavir/Lamivudine	abacavir/lamivudine	600/300 mg	Tablet	PMS
02449811	Sandoz Mometasone	mometasone furoate	50 mcg	Nasal Spray	SDZ
02389460 02389487	Topiramate	topiramate	25 mg 100 mg	Tablet	SIP
02454645	Valacyclovir	valacyclovir	500 mg	Tablet	SAH

*Abbreviation of Manufacturers' Names

Part 2 Additions

02446359	Mar-Azithromycin	azithromycin	250 mg	Tablet	MAR
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For the treatment of patients:

- (a) not responding to or intolerant of alternative antibiotics (eg. amoxicillin and erythromycin);
- (b) with mycobacterial infections due to mycobacterium avium and mycobacterium intracellulare;
- (c) with sexually transmitted diseases due to Chlamydia;
- (d) with pneumonia;
- (e) with infections requiring a macrolide (including CAP in patients 65 and older) with documented intolerant to erythromycin.

02457989	NAT-Osetamivir	oseltamivir	75 mg	Capsule	NAT
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For the treatment OR prevention of Influenza in persons who meet one or more of the following risk factors:

- (a) asthma or other chronic pulmonary disease, including bronchopulmonary dysplasia, cystic fibrosis, chronic bronchitis and emphysema;
- (b) cardiovascular disease (excluding isolated hypertension), including congenital and acquired heart disease such as congestive heart failure, and symptomatic coronary artery disease;
- (c) malignancy;
- (d) chronic renal insufficiency;
- (e) chronic liver disease;
- (f) diabetes mellitus or other metabolic diseases;
- (g) hemoglobinopathies such as sickle cell disease;
- (h) immunosuppression or immunodeficiency due to disease (eg. HIV infection, or iatrogenic due to medication);
- (i) rheumatologic diseases, including rheumatoid arthritis, systemic lupus erythematosus, psoriatic arthritis, antiphospholipid syndrome, scleroderma, spondyloarthropathies, Sjorgen's syndrome, dermatomyositis, vasculitis, sarcoidosis and polyarteritis nodosa;
- (j) neurological disease or neurodevelopmental disorders that compromise handling of respiratory secretions (eg. cognitive dysfunction, spinal cord injury, seizure disorders, neuromuscular disorders, cerebral palsy, metabolic disorders);
- (k) children younger than 2 years of age;
- (l) individuals 65 years of age or older;
- (m) individuals of any age who are residents of nursing homes or other chronic care facilities;
- (n) pregnant women and women up to 2 weeks post partum regardless of how the pregnancy ended;
- (o) individuals younger than 18 years of age who are on chronic aspirin therapy;
- (p) morbid obesity (BMI 40 or greater);
- (q) persons of aboriginal ancestry, including Indian, Inuit or Metis ancestry.

02334852 02334860 02334879	Norditropin Nordiflex	somatropin	5 mg/1.5 mL 10 mg/1.5 mL 15 mg/1.5 mL	Injection	NOO
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For the long term management of children who have growth failure due to inadequate secretion of normal endogenous growth hormone.

Part 3 Additions

The following products will be considered for Pharmacare reimbursement upon an individual prescriber/patient request basis.

02445670 02445689	Auro-Celecoxib	celecoxib	100 mg 200 mg	Capsule	AUP
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As per Celebrex criteria (<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/mdbif/edsnotice.pdf>).

02448777	Auro-Entecavir	entecavir	0.5 mg	Tablet	AUP
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As per Baraclude criteria (<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/mdbif/edsnotice.pdf>).

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02446375 02446383	Auro-Solifenacin	solifenacin	5 mg 10 mg	Tablet	AUP
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As per Vesicare criteria (<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/mdbif/edsnotice.pdf>).

02435462 02435470	Forxiga	dapagliflozin	5 mg 10 mg	Tablet	AZC
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For the treatment of patients with type 2 diabetes.

1. Added on to metformin for patients:
 - (a) Who have inadequate glycemic control on metformin;
 - (b) Who have a contraindication or intolerance to a sulfonylurea;
 - (c) For whom insulin is not an option.
2. Added on to a sulfonylurea for patients
 - (a) Who have inadequate glycemic control on a sulfonylurea;
 - (b) Who have a contraindication or intolerance to metformin;
 - (c) For whom insulin is not an option.

02437333 02437341	Iclusig	ponatinib	15 mg 45 mg	Tablet	ARP
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For the treatment of Chronic Myeloid Leukemia (CML) or Philadelphia chromosome positive acute lymphoblastic leukemia (Ph+ ALL).

02419475	Inflectra <i>(New Indications)</i>	infliximab	100 mg/vL	Injection	CHC
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Inflectra will be the preferred infliximab option for all infliximab-naïve patients prescribed an infliximab product for Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis. Preferred means the first infliximab product to be considered for reimbursement for infliximab-naïve patients.

For the treatment of patients over 18 years of age - as per Remicade (infliximab) criteria for the indications listed above (<https://www.gov.mb.ca/health/mdbif/docs/edsnotice.pdf>).

Patients will not be permitted to switch from Inflectra to another infliximab product or vice versa, if previously trialed and deemed unresponsive to therapy.

02443066 02443074	Ofev	nintedanib	100 mg 150 mg	Capsule	BOE
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For the treatment of adult patients who have a diagnosis of mild to moderate idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF) confirmed by a respirologist.

Complete criteria may be obtained from the EDS office at Manitoba Health.

02454653 02454661 02454688	pms-Levetiracetam	levetiracetam	250 mg 500 mg 750 mg	Tablet	PMS
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As per Keppra criteria (<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/mdbif/edsnotice.pdf>).

New Interchangeable Categories

The following new interchangeable categories and products were added:

Generic Name - Strength - Form				
	DIN	Trade Name	Manufacturer	Price in Dollars
Benazepril - 5 mg - Tablets \$				
	00885835	Lotensin	NVT	1.0608
	02290332	Benazepril	AAA	0.6619
Benazepril - 20 mg - Tablets \$				
	00885851	Lotensin	NVT	1.4397
	02273918	Benazepril	AAA	0.8981
Brimonidine - 0.15% - Ophthalmic Solution \$ per mL				
	02248151	Alphagan P	NVT	3.9260
	02301334	Brimonidine P	AAA	1.9060
Colchicine - 0.6 mg - Tablets \$				
	00572349	Colchicine	ODN	0.2565
	00287873	Colchicine	SDZ	0.2565
	02373823	Jamp-Colchicine	JPC	0.2565
	02402181	pms-Colchicine	PMS	0.2565
Cyproterone - 50 mg - Tablets \$				
	00704431	Androcur	PMS	1.4085
	02245898	Cyproterone	AAA	1.4085
Divalproex - 125 mg - Tablets \$				
	02239698	Apo-Divalproex	APX	0.1377
	02239701	Teva-Divalproex	TEV	0.1377
Divalproex - 250 mg - Tablets \$				
	00596426	Epival	ABB	0.6119
	02239699	Apo-Divalproex	APX	0.2475
	02239702	Teva-Divalproex	TEV	0.2475
Divalproex - 500 mg - Tablets \$				
	00596434	Epival	ABB	1.2241
	02239700	Apo-Divalproex	APX	0.4952
	02239703	Teva-Divalproex	TEV	0.4952
Fluconazole - 150 mg - Capsules \$				
	02241895	Apo-Fluconazole	APX	3.9400
	02432471	Jamp-Fluconazole	JPC	3.9400
Nystatin - 100,000 U/mL - Oral Liquid \$ per mL				
	02194201	ratio-Nystatin	RPH	0.0742
	00792667	pms-Nystatin	PMS	0.0647

Oseltamivir - 75 mg - Capsules				\$
02241472	Tamiflu	HLR		4.5730
02457989	NAT-Oseltamivir	NAT		3.1178

New Interchangeable Products

The following products have been added to existing interchangeable drug categories:

Abacavir/Lamivudine - 600/300 mg - Tablets				\$
02458381	pms-Abacavir/Lamivudine	PMS		5.9875

Azithromycin - 250 mg - Tablets				\$
02446359	Mar-Azithromycin	MAR		1.2313

Celecoxib - 100 mg - Capsules				\$
02445670	Auro-Celecoxib	AUP		0.1759

Celecoxib - 200 mg - Capsules				\$
02445689	Auro-Celecoxib	AUP		0.3518

Clindamycin - 300 mg - Capsules				\$
02436914	Auro-Clindamycin	AUP		**0.4872

Entecavir - 0.5 mg - Tablets				\$
02448777	Auro-Entecavir	AUP		**5.5000

Erlotinib - 100 mg - Tablets				\$
02454386	pms-Erlotinib	PMS		**26.4000

Erlotinib - 150 mg - Tablets				\$
02454394	pms-Erlotinib	PMS		**39.6000

Levetiracetam - 250 mg - Tablets				\$
02454653	pms-Levetiracetam	PMS		**0.4459

Levetiracetam - 500 mg - Tablets				\$
02454661	pms-Levetiracetam	PMS		**0.5432

Levetiracetam - 750 mg - Tablets				\$
02454688	pms-Levetiracetam	PMS		0.7523

Mometasone - 50 mcg - Nasal Spray				\$
02449811	Sandoz Mometasone	SDZ		**0.1075

Olanzapine - 5 mg - Orally Disintegrating Tablets				\$
02448726	Auro-Olanzapine ODT	AUP		0.6434

Olanzapine - 10 mg - Orally Disintegrating Tablets				\$
02448734	Auro-Olanzapine ODT	AUP		1.2857
Olanzapine - 15 mg - Orally Disintegrating Tablets				\$
02448742	Auro-Olanzapine ODT	AUP		1.9280
Paroxetine - 10 mg - Tablets				\$
02388227	Paroxetine	SIP		0.5612
Paroxetine - 20 mg - Tablets				\$
02388235	Paroxetine	SIP		0.4513
Paroxetine - 30 mg - Tablets				\$
02388243	Paroxetine	SIP		0.4796
Rosuvastatin - 10 mg - Tablets				\$
02442582	Auro-Rosuvastatin	AUP		0.2437
Rosuvastatin - 20 mg - Tablets				\$
02442590	Auro-Rosuvastatin	AUP		0.3046
Rosuvastatin - 40 mg - Tablets				\$
02442604	Auro-Rosuvastatin	AUP		0.3582
Solifenacin - 5 mg - Tablets				\$
02446375	Auro-Solifenacin	AUP		0.4223
Solifenacin - 10 mg - Tablets				\$
02446383	Auro-Solifenacin	AUP		0.4223
Topiramate - 25 mg - Tablets				\$
02389460	Topiramate	SIP		0.3128
Topiramate - 100 mg - Tablets				\$
02389487	Topiramate	SIP		0.5929
Valacyclovir - 500 mg - Tablets				\$
02454645	Valacyclovir	SAH		0.8609
Venlafaxine - 37.5 mg - Capsules				\$
02452839	Auro-Venlafaxine XR	AUP		0.1643
Venlafaxine - 75 mg - Capsules				\$
02452847	Auro-Venlafaxine XR	AUP		0.3285
Venlafaxine - 150 mg - Capsules				\$
02452855	Auro-Venlafaxine XR	AUP		0.3469

Verapamil - 240 mg - Tablets					\$
	02450496	Mylan-Verapamil SR	MYL		0.5714

** The price has resulted in a change to the lowest price in the category.

Product Deletions

The following products have been deleted.

02227444	Mylan-Cimetidine	cimetidine	300 mg	Tablets
02371154 02370549	Mylan-Mycophenolate	mycophenolate	250 mg 500 mg	Capsules
02413191 02413205	Ocphyl	octreotide	50 mcg/mL 100 mcg/mL	Injection
02241674	Plan B	levonorgestrel	0.75 mg	Tablets
00860808	ratio-Salbutamol	salbutamol	5 mg/mL	Respirator
02242794	Zym-Metformin	metformin	500 mg	Tablets

Category Deletions

- Ondansetron - 4 mg/5 mL - Oral Solution
- Salbutamol Sulfate - 2.5 mg/2.5 mL - Unit Dose Solution Nebules
- Salbutamol Sulfate - 5 mg/2.5 mL - Unit Dose Solution Nebules
- Tamsulosin - 0.4 mg - Controlled Release Tablet
- Zoledronic Acid - 5 mg/100 mL - Injection

Interchangeable Product Price Changes

The following changes in prices have occurred:

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02263238	Cipralext	escitalopram	10 mg	Tablet	1.9690
02247732	Concerta	methylphenidate	18 mg	Tablet	2.4485
02250241	Concerta	methylphenidate	27 mg	Tablet	2.8257
02247733	Concerta	methylphenidate	36 mg	Tablet	3.2030
02247734	Concerta	methylphenidate	54 mg	Tablet	3.9572
02275856	Duragesic MAT	fentanyl	100 mcg	Patch	59.0700
02275813	Duragesic MAT	fentanyl	25 mcg	Patch	17.9300
02275821	Duragesic MAT	fentanyl	50 mcg	Patch	33.7480
02275848	Duragesic MAT	fentanyl	75 mcg	Patch	47.4540
00037605	Micronor	norethindrone	0.35 mg	Tablet	0.9519

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02243796	Pariet	rabeprazole	10 mg	Tablet	0.9976
02243797	Pariet	rabeprazole	20 mg	Tablet	1.9954
02284529	pms-ASA	acetylsalicylic acid	325 mg	Tablet	0.0309
02261634	pms-Azithromycin	azithromycin	250 mg	Tablet	1.2313
02275589	pms-Bicalutamide	biclutamide	50 mg	Tablet	1.7433
02247574	pms-Clarithromycin	clarithromycin	500 mg	Tablet	1.6293
02379171	pms-Esomeprazole DR	esomeprazole	40 mg	Capsule	0.5500
02247386	pms-Hydrochlorothiazide	hydrochlorothiazide	25 mg	Tablet	0.0474
02247387	pms-Hydrochlorothiazide	hydrochlorothiazide	50 mg	Tablet	0.0649
02328534	pms-Irbesartan HCTZ	irbesartan hctz	300/25 mg	Tablet	0.3024
02288265	pms-Leflunomide	leflunomide	10 mg	Tablet	6.0417
02234749	pms-Methylphenidate	methylphenidate	5 mg	Tablet	0.0947
02248855	pms-Metoprolol-L	metoprolol	25 mg	Tablet	0.0643
02354926	pms-Repaglinide	repaglinide	0.5 mg	Tablet	0.0808
02354934	pms-Repaglinide	repaglinide	1 mg	Tablet	0.0840
02354942	pms-Repaglinide	repaglinide	2 mg	Tablet	0.0873
02302209	pms-Risedronate	risedronate	35 mg	Tablet	2.4275
02252015	pms-Risperidone	risperidone	0.5 mg	Tablet	0.2097
02326590	pms-Ropinirole	ropinirole	0.25 mg	Tablet	0.0894
02238326	pms-Sotalol	sotalol	80 mg	Tablet	0.5932
02322498	pms-Testosterone	testosterone	40 mg	Capsule	0.4700
02262991	pms-Topiramate	topiramate	25 mg	Tablet	0.3128
02263009	pms-Topiramate	topiramate	100 mg	Tablet	0.5928
02263017	pms-Topiramate	topiramate	200 mg	Tablet	0.8853
02273497	pms-Ursodiol C	ursodiol	250 mg	Tablet	0.7636
02273500	pms-Ursodiol C	ursodiol	500 mg	Tablet	1.4483
02230894	Topamax	topiramate	100 mg	Tablet	2.8006
02230893	Topamax	topiramate	25 mg	Tablet	1.4869
02258560	Tri-Cyclen LO 21	norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol	-	Tablet	0.8580
02258587	Tri-Cyclen LO 28	norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol	-	Tablet	0.6435
02163934	Tylenol NO.2	acetaminophen compound with codeine	15 mg	Tablet	0.1302
02163926	Tylenol NO.3	acetaminophen compound with codeine	30 mg	Tablet	0.1434
02163918	Tylenol NO.4	acetaminophen compound with codeine	60 mg	Tablet	0.3030

** The price change has resulted in a change to the lowest price in the category.

Discontinued Products

The following products will be deleted with the next Formulary amendments.

02415739	Apo-Travoprost Z	travoprost	0.004%	APX
00519251	Dixarit	clonidine	0.025 mg	BOE
02248206	Metro lotion	metronidazole	0.75%	GAC
01926667 01926675	Piportil L4	pipotiazine palmitate	25 mg/mL 50 mg/mL	SAA
02244474	pms-Clobazam	clobazam	10 mg	PMS
02408082	Zoledronic Acid	zoledronic acid	5 mg/100 mL	TEV