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New Multi-Source Products

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02473801	Jamp-Fosfomycin	N/A	Sachet-3g Pk	JPC	14.0250

(Interchangeable with Monurol)

Therapeutic Note

The recommended dosage for women over 18 years with acute uncomplicated urinary tract infections (acute cystitis) is one sachet containing the equivalent of 3 grams of fosfomycin.

A single dose of fosfomycin should be used to treat an episode of acute cystitis.

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02476614	Apo-HYDROmorphone CR	3mg	CR Cap	APX	0.6023
02476622	Apo-HYDROmorphone CR	4.5mg	CR Cap	APX	0.7275
02476630	Apo-HYDROmorphone CR	6mg	CR Cap	APX	0.9030
02476649	Apo-HYDROmorphone CR	9mg	CR Cap	APX	1.1925
02476665	Apo-HYDROmorphone CR	18mg	CR Cap	APX	2.2590

(Interchangeable with Hydromorph Contin)

Therapeutic Note

Narcotic analgesics can produce dependence and may be abused. Physical dependence, psychological dependence and tolerance may develop. Prescribers are cautioned about ordering these drugs for patients with a history of either emotional disturbances or drug abuse, including alcohol.

New Multi-Source Products (Continued)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02466759	Mint-Furosemide	20mg	Tab	MIN	0.0219
02466767	Mint-Furosemide	40mg	Tab	MIN	0.0327

(Interchangeable with Lasix)

Therapeutic Note

The Canadian Hypertension Society Consensus Conference recommends lower doses of diuretics for treatment of hypertension, particularly in the elderly, to avoid dose-related adverse effects. Hydrochlorothiazide, 25 to 50mg daily, or other diuretics in equivalent amounts are recommended.

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02473984	Mar-Midodrine	2.5mg	Tab	MAR	0.2305
02473992	Mar-Midodrine	5mg	Tab	MAR	0.3842

(Interchangeable with Amatine)

Reason For Use Code and Clinical Criteria

Code 1

For the treatment of patients disabled by moderate to severe neurogenic orthostatic hypotension (i.e. drop in systolic BP less than or equal to 20mm Hg from supine to standing position), in whom conventional nonpharmacologic and pharmacologic (i.e. fludrocortisone) therapies have proven ineffective or are poorly tolerated.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

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New Multi-Source Products (Continued)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02475332	Auro-Lacosamide	50mg	Tab	AUR	0.6313
02475340	Auro-Lacosamide	100mg	Tab	AUR	0.8750
02475359	Auro-Lacosamide	150mg	Tab	AUR	1.1763
02475367	Auro-Lacosamide	200mg	Tab	AUR	1.4500
02478196	Pharma-Lacosamide	50mg	Tab	PMS	0.6313
02478218	Pharma-Lacosamide	100mg	Tab	PMS	0.8750
02478226	Pharma-Lacosamide	150mg	Tab	PMS	1.1763
02478234	Pharma-Lacosamide	200mg	Tab	PMS	1.4500
02474670	Sandoz Lacosamide	50mg	Tab	SDZ	0.6313
02474689	Sandoz Lacosamide	100mg	Tab	SDZ	0.8750
02474697	Sandoz Lacosamide	150mg	Tab	SDZ	1.1763
02474700	Sandoz Lacosamide	200mg	Tab	SDZ	1.4500
02472902	Teva-Lacosamide	50mg	Tab	TEV	0.6313
02472910	Teva-Lacosamide	100mg	Tab	TEV	0.8750
02472929	Teva-Lacosamide	150mg	Tab	TEV	1.1763
02472937	Teva-Lacosamide	200mg	Tab	TEV	1.4500

(Interchangeable with Vimpat)

Reason For Use Code and Clinical Criteria

Code 430

As adjunctive therapy in the treatment of patients with partial onset seizures who have had an inadequate response or have significant intolerance to at least 3 less costly anticonvulsant therapies; AND

Patients are under the care of a physician experienced in the treatment of epilepsy.

Note: Less costly anticonvulsant therapies may include the following:

Phenytoin, Carbamazepine, Gabapentin, Lamotrigine, Vigabatrin, Topiramate, etc.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

New Multi-Source Products (Continued)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02471876	Auro-Trandolapril	1mg	Cap	AUR	0.1762
02471884	Auro-Trandolapril	2mg	Cap	AUR	0.2025
02471892	Auro-Trandolapril	4mg	Cap	AUR	0.2498
02415437	Teva-Trandolapril	1mg	Cap	TEV	0.1762
02415445	Teva-Trandolapril	2mg	Cap	TEV	0.2025
02415453	Teva-Trandolapril	4mg	Cap	TEV	0.2498

(Interchangeable with Mavik)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02472392	Jamp-Ursodiol	250mg	Tab	JPC	0.3818

(Interchangeable with Urso)

Reason For Use Code and Clinical Criteria

Code 273

For the treatment of primary biliary cirrhosis.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

Code 534

For the treatment of primary sclerosing cholangitis.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

New Multi-Source Products (Continued)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP
02472406	Jamp-Ursodiol	500mg	Tab	JPC	0.7242
(Interchangeable with Urso DS)					

Reason For Use Code and Clinical Criteria

Code 273

For the treatment of primary biliary cirrhosis.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

Code 386

For the treatment of primary sclerosing cholangitis.

LU Authorization Period: Indefinite

New Off-Formulary Interchangeable (OFI) Products

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
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02476134 Diclofenac Sodium Solution 1.5% W/W Top Sol* TEL 0.6226

(Interchangeable with Pennsaid)

*Therapeutic Note at 28:08:04 no longer applies to topical forms of Diclofenac

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
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02460920 Sandoz Esomeprazole 20mg DR Tab SDZ 1.8690

02460939 Sandoz Esomeprazole 40mg DR Tab SDZ 1.8690

(Interchangeable with Nexium)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
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02425947 Mint-Hydrochlorothiazide 12.5mg Tab MIN 0.0322

(Interchangeable with PMS-Hydrochlorothiazide)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
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02476673 Apo-HYDROmorphone CR 24mg CR Cap APX 3.2768

02476681 Apo-HYDROmorphone CR 30mg CR Cap APX 3.9253

09857600* Apo-HYDROmorphone CR 24mg CR Cap APX 3.2768

09857601* Apo-HYDROmorphone CR 30mg CR Cap APX 3.9253

(Interchangeable with Hydromorph Contin)

*Palliative Care Facilitated Access PIN

New OFI Products (Continued)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
02475863	Teva-Mometasone	50mcg/Dose	Nas Sp-140 Dose Pk	TEV	21.6900

(Interchangeable with Nasonex)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
02464578	Ondansetron Injection USP	2mg/mL	Inj Sol-2mL Pk	STE	13.2180
09857602	Ondansetron Injection USP	2mg/mL	Inj Sol-4mL Pk	STE	26.4360

(Interchangeable with Zofran)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
02401312	Piperacillin and Tazobactam for Injection	2g & 250mg	Inj Pd-2.25g Vial Pk	TEL	10.1300
02401320	Piperacillin and Tazobactam for Injection	3g & 375mg	Inj Pd-3.375g Vial Pk	TEL	15.2000
02401339	Piperacillin and Tazobactam for Injection	4g & 500mg	Inj Pd-4.5g Vial Pk	TEL	20.2700

(Interchangeable with Tazocin)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
02476576	PMS-Progesterone	100mg	Cap	PMS	1.4358

(Interchangeable with Prometrium)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	Unit Price
02471868	Auro-Trandolapril	0.5mg	Cap	AUR	0.2372
02415429	Teva-Trandolapril	0.5mg	Cap	TEV	0.2372

(Interchangeable with Mavik)

New Nutrition Product

H. PEDIATRIC FORMULA, OTHERS

Brand Name	Strength, Dosage Form, Package Size	PIN	Mfr	Cost (\$) per 1000 Kcal	Cost (\$) per Pkg	Amt (\$) MOHLTC Pays	Amt (\$) Patient Pays
KetoCal 4:1 (Vanilla Flavour)	7.05kcal/g Pd- 300g Pk	09857599	NUT	15.04	31.80	31.80	0.00

Product Brand and Manufacturer Name Changes

DIN/PIN	Current Brand Name	Current Mfr	New Brand Name	New Mfr	Strength	Dosage Form
02410745	Apo-Lorazepam Sublingual	APX	Lorazepam Sublingual	AAP	0.5mg	SL Tab
02410753	Apo-Lorazepam Sublingual	APX	Lorazepam Sublingual	AAP	1mg	SL Tab
02410761	Apo-Lorazepam Sublingual	APX	Lorazepam Sublingual	AAP	2mg	SL Tab

Drug Benefit Price (DBP) Changes

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr	DBP/ Unit Price
02278677	Midodrine	2.5mg	Tab	AAP	0.2305
02278685	Midodrine	5mg	Tab	AAP	0.3842
00768723	Apo-Cephalex	250mg	Tab	APX	0.0866
00768715	Apo-Cephalex	500mg	Tab	APX	0.1731
00396788	Apo-Furosemide	20mg	Tab	APX	0.0219
00362166	Apo-Furosemide	40mg	Tab	APX	0.0327
02426900	Ursodiol Tablets USP	250mg	Tab	GLP	0.3818
02426919	Ursodiol Tablets USP	500mg	Tab	GLP	0.7242
02357763	PMS-Trandolapril	1mg	Cap	PMS	0.1762
02357771	PMS-Trandolapril	2mg	Cap	PMS	0.2025
02357798	PMS-Trandolapril	4mg	Cap	PMS	0.2498
02273497	PMS-Ursodiol C	250mg	Tab	PMS	0.3818
02273500	PMS-Ursodiol C	500mg	Tab	PMS	0.7242
02325748	Sandoz Trandolapril	1mg	Cap	SDZ	0.1762
02325756	Sandoz Trandolapril	2mg	Cap	SDZ	0.2025
02325764	Sandoz Trandolapril	4mg	Cap	SDZ	0.2498
02422050	Latuda	20mg	Tab	SUO	4.3900
02387751	Latuda	40mg	Tab	SUO	4.3900
02413361	Latuda	60mg	Tab	SUO	4.3900
02387778	Latuda	80mg	Tab	SUO	4.3900
02387786	Latuda	120mg	Tab	SUO	4.3900
00337730	Teva-Furosemide	20mg	Tab	TEV	0.0219
00337749	Teva-Furosemide	40mg	Tab	TEV	0.0327

Discontinued Products

(Some products will remain on Formulary for six months to facilitate depletion of supply)

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr
02229145	Norvir	80mg/mL	O/L	ABB
02347261	Auro-Cefprozil	125mg/5mL	Oral Susp-75mL Pk	AUR
09857429	Auro-Cefprozil	125mg/5mL	Oral Susp-100mL Pk	AUR
02347288	Auro-Cefprozil	250mg/5mL	Oral Susp-75mL Pk	AUR
09857430	Auro-Cefprozil	250mg/5mL	Oral Susp-100mL Pk	AUR
02290987	Gd-Quinapril	5mg	Tab	GEM
02290995	Gd-Quinapril	10mg	Tab	GEM
02291002	Gd-Quinapril	20mg	Tab	GEM
02291010	Gd-Quinapril	40mg	Tab	GEM
01918303	K-10	1.33mEq/mL	O/L	GSK
02247704	Risperdal M-Tab	0.5mg	Orally Disintegrating Tab	JAN
02247705	Risperdal M-Tab	1mg	Orally Disintegrating Tab	JAN
02247706	Risperdal M-Tab	2mg	Orally Disintegrating Tab	JAN
02268086	Risperdal M-Tab	3mg	Orally Disintegrating Tab	JAN
09854398*	KetoCal	7.2kcal/g	Pd-300g Pk	NUT
02402483**	Pilocarpine Hydrochloride Tablets USP	5mg	Tab	STE
00632503	M.O.S.	10mg/mL	O/L	VAL
00690198	M.O.S.-10	10mg	Tab	VAL
00690201	M.O.S.-20	20mg	Tab	VAL

* Nutrition Product PIN

** Off-Formulary Interchangeable (OFI) Product

Delisted Products

DIN/PIN	Brand Name	Strength	Dosage Form	Mfr
00518123*	Lectopam	3mg	Tab	HLR
00518131*	Lectopam	6mg	Tab	HLR
02249002**	Nutropin AQ	10mg/2mL	Inj-10mg Pen Cart	HLR
02230951	Mylan-Clonazepam	2mg	Tab	MYL
02274868	Mylan-Lisinopril	20mg	Tab	MYL
02381273	Mylan-Rosuvastatin	10mg	Tab	MYL
02266962	Taro-Ciprofloxacin	250mg	Tab	TAR
02266970	Taro-Ciprofloxacin	500mg	Tab	TAR

* Remain on Formulary as Not-a-Benefit (NAB) to serve as a reference product in interchangeable group

** Exceptional Access Program (EAP) Product

