

30 April 2015

TENDER RESULTS

PHARMAC has resolved to award tenders for Sole Subsidised Supply Status and Hospital Supply Status for some products included in the 2014/15 Invitation to Tender, dated 06 November 2014.

Some of the pharmaceuticals that will be delisted when the period of Sole Subsidised Supply/Hospital Supply Status commences may be subject to existing listing contracts with PHARMAC. Suppliers of pharmaceuticals that are subject to such contracts should continue to supply their pharmaceuticals under those contracts. PHARMAC will continue to subsidise those pharmaceuticals accordingly until such time as those pharmaceuticals are delisted.

Notification of Product Changes (NOPC) forms and Pharmacodes

Please note that for any changes (price change, pack size change, new listing etc) to be effective in the Pharmaceutical Schedule (including Section H), suppliers are required to notify any changes to PHARMAC and the Pharmacy Guild of New Zealand by 4pm on the **12th of the month prior to the date of subsidy change**. More information and NOPC forms can be found on our website – <http://www.pharmac.health.nz/medicines/how-medicines-are-funded/new-funding-applications/pharmaceutical-product-specifications-the-change-process>

Where a product does not have a current Pharmacode, suppliers are required to ensure that a Pharmacode has been obtained from the Pharmacy Guild of New Zealand before the 12th of the month prior to the date of listing. PHARMAC cannot list a product (and pharmacies cannot claim) without the correct Pharmacode.

2014/15 Tender – Sole Subsidised Supply Status or Hospital Supply Status applies until 30 June 2018

Community pharmaceutical tenders – Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

1. Tenders awarded to currently listed pharmaceuticals where no other brand is listed.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy (and price)	New subsidy (and price)	Sole supply brand (Supplier)	Date of subsidy change	Sole Subsidised Supply date
Hydrocortisone with miconazole	Crm 1% with miconazole nitrate 2%; 15 g tube OP	\$2.10	\$2.00	Micreme H (Mylan)	1 July 2015	1 October 2015
Methadone hydrochloride	Tab 5 mg; 10 tablet, bottle pack	\$1.85	\$1.85	Methatabs (API)	1 July 2015	1 October 2015
Mometasone furoate	Lotn 0.1%; 30 ml bottle OP	\$7.35 (\$11.13)	\$7.35	Elocon (MSD)	1 July 2015	1 October 2015
Oxytocin	Inj 5 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$4.75	\$4.03	Oxytocin BNM (Boucher)	1 September 2015	1 December 2015
Oxytocin	Inj 10 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$5.98	\$5.03	Oxytocin BNM (Boucher)	1 September 2015	1 December 2015

2. Tenders awarded to pharmaceuticals where at least one other brand is listed.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy (and price)	New subsidy (and price)	Sole supply brand (Supplier)	Date of listing/subsidy change for tender winning brand	Date of reference pricing of other listed brands	Sole Subsidised Supply date (and delisting of other listed brands)	Brand (Supplier) affected by reference pricing and delisting
Cyproterone acetate	Tab 50 mg; 50 tablet, bottle pack	\$18.80	\$15.87	Procur (Douglas)	1 August 2015	1 October 2015	1 January 2016	Siterone (Rex Medical)

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Cyproterone acetate	Tab 100 mg; 50 tablet, blister pack	\$34.25	\$30.40	Procur (Douglas)	1 August 2015	1 October 2015	1 January 2016	Siterone (Rex Medical)
Dorzolamide with timolol ¹	Eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5%; 5 ml OP	\$15.50	\$3.45	Arrow-Dortim (Actavis)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Cosopt (MSD)
Fluorometholone	Eye drops 0.1%; 5 ml OP	\$3.80	\$3.09	FML (Allergan NZ)	1 July 2015	1 September 2015	1 December 2015	Flucon (Alcon)
Isotretinoin	Cap 10 mg; 100 tablet, blister pack	\$18.71 per 120 tablets	\$12.47 per 100 tablets	Isotane 10 (Mylan)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	Oratane (Douglas)
Isotretinoin	Cap 20 mg; 100 tablet, blister pack	\$28.91 per 120 tablets	\$19.27 per 100 tablets	Isotane 20 (Mylan)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	Oratane (Douglas)
Lisinopril ²	Tab 5 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$3.58	\$1.80	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	1 April 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Lisinopril ²	Tab 10 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$4.08	\$2.05	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	1 April 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Lisinopril ²	Tab 20 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$4.88	\$2.76	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	1 April 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Metformin hydrochloride	Tab immediate- release 500 mg; 1,000 tablet, bottle pack	\$12.30	\$9.59	Metchek (API)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	Apotex (Apotex)
Mirtazapine ³	Tab 30 mg; 30 tablet, blister pack	\$8.78	\$2.55	Apo-Mirtazapine (Apotex)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	Avanza (MSD)

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Mirtazapine ³	Tab 45 mg; 30 tablet, blister pack	\$13.95	\$3.25	Apo-Mirtazapine (Apotex)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	Avanza (MSD)
Mometasone furoate	Crm 0.1%; 15 g tube OP	\$1.78	\$1.51	Elocon Alcohol Free (MSD)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
Mometasone furoate	Crm 0.1%; 50 g tube OP	\$3.42 per 45 g	\$2.90 per 50 g	Elocon Alcohol Free (MSD)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
Mometasone furoate	Oint 0.1%; 15 g tube OP	\$1.78	\$1.51	Elocon (MSD)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
Mometasone furoate	Oint 0.1%; 50 g tube OP	\$3.42 per 45 g	\$2.90 per 50 g	Elocon (MSD)	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	1 February 2016	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
Voriconazole	Tab 50 mg; 56 tablet, blister pack	\$730.00	\$130.00	Vttack (Mylan)	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	1 April 2016	Vfend (Pfizer)
Voriconazole	Tab 200 mg; 56 tablet, blister pack	\$2,930.00	\$500.00	Vttack (Mylan)	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	1 April 2016	Vfend (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ⁴	Cap 20 mg; 60 capsule (blister pack)	\$87.88	\$14.56	Zusdone (Douglas)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ⁴	Cap 40 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$164.78	\$24.75	Zusdone (Douglas)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ⁴	Cap 60 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$247.17	\$33.87	Zusdone (Douglas)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ⁴	Cap 80 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$329.56	\$39.74	Zusdone (Douglas)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Zeldox (Pfizer)

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Zopiclone ⁵	Tab 7.5 mg; 500 tablet, blister pack	\$11.90	\$8.99	Zopiclone Actavis (Actavis)	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	1 March 2016	Apo-Zopiclone (Apotex)

1. Brand switch fee of \$4.33 is payable for this product from 1 March 2016 until 1 June 2016
2. Brand switch fee of \$4.33 is payable for this product from 1 April 2016 until 1 July 2016
3. The Special Authority restrictions will be removed from 1 November 2015. Brand switch fee of \$4.33 is payable for this product from 1 March 2016 until 1 June 2016
4. The endorsement restrictions will be removed from 1 December 2015. Brand switch fee of \$4.33 is payable for this product from 1 March 2016 until 1 June 2016
5. Brand switch fee of \$4.33 is payable for this product from 1 March 2016 until 1 June 2016

Hospital pharmaceutical tenders – Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

3. Tenders awarded to currently listed pharmaceuticals where no other brand is listed.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy (and price)	New subsidy (and price)	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
Hydrocortisone with miconazole	Crn 1% with miconazole nitrate 2%; 15 g tube	\$2.20	\$2.00	Micreme H (Mylan)	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015
Methadone hydrochloride	Tab 5 mg; 10 tablet, bottle pack	\$1.85	\$1.85	Methatabs (API)	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015
Oxytocin	Inj 5 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$4.75	\$4.03	Oxytocin BNM (Boucher)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015
Oxytocin	Inj 10 iu per ml, 1 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$5.98	\$5.03	Oxytocin BNM (Boucher)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015
Vinorelbine ¹	Inj 10 mg per ml, 1 ml vial; 1 vial	\$12.85	\$8.00	Navelbine (NZ Medical and Scientific Ltd)	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015
Vinorelbine ¹	Inj 10 mg per ml, 5 ml vial;	\$64.25	\$40.00	Navelbine	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy (and price)	New subsidy (and price)	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
	1 vial			(NZ Medical and Scientific Ltd)			
1. The price and subsidy of vinorelbine (PCT only – Specialist) in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule will also be amended to the above prices from 1 July 2015. The subsidy for vinorelbine inj 1 mg for ECP in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule will change from \$1.45 per 1 mg to \$0.90 per 1 mg from 1 July 2015.							

4. Tenders awarded to pharmaceuticals where at least one other brand is listed.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy (and price)	New subsidy (and price)	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date	Brand (Supplier) affected by reference pricing and delisting
Cyproterone acetate	Tab 50 mg; 50 tablet, bottle pack	\$18.80	\$15.87	Procur (Douglas)	1%	1 August 2015	1 October 2015	Siterone (Rex Medical)
Cyproterone acetate	Tab 100 mg; 50 tablet, bottle pack	\$34.25	\$30.40	Procur (Douglas)	1%	1 August 2015	1 October 2015	Siterone (Rex Medical)
Dorzolamide with timolol	Eye drops 2% with timolol 0.5%; 5 ml	\$15.50	\$3.45	Arrow-Dortim (Actavis)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Cosopt (MSD)
Epirubicin hydrochloride ¹	Inj 2 mg per ml, 25 ml vial; 1 vial	\$39.38	\$30.00	Epirubicin Ebewe (Sandoz)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	DBL Epirubicin Hydrochloride (Hospira)
Epirubicin hydrochloride ¹	Inj 2 mg per ml, 50 ml vial; 1 vial	\$58.20	\$32.50	Epirubicin Ebewe (Sandoz)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	DBL Epirubicin Hydrochloride (Hospira)
Epirubicin hydrochloride ¹	Inj 2 mg per ml, 100 ml vial; 1 vial	\$94.50	\$65.00	Epirubicin Ebewe (Sandoz)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	DBL Epirubicin Hydrochloride (Hospira)
Fluorometholone	Eye drops 0.1%; 5 ml	\$3.80	\$3.09	FML (Allergan NZ)	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015	Flucon (Alcon)

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Isotretinoin	Cap 10 mg; 100 tablet, blister pack	\$18.71 per 120 tablets	\$12.47 per 100 tablets	Isotane 10 (Mylan)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	Oratane (Douglas)
Isotretinoin	Cap 20 mg; 100 Tablet, blister pack	\$28.91 per 120 tablets	\$19.27 per 100 tablets	Isotane 20 (Mylan)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	Oratane (Douglas)
Lisinopril	Tab 5 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$3.58	\$1.80	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1%	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Lisinopril	Tab 10 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$4.08	\$2.05	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1%	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Lisinopril	Tab 20 mg; 90 tablet, blister pack	\$4.88	\$2.76	Ethics Lisinopril (Multichem)	1%	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	Arrow-Lisinopril (Actavis)
Metformin hydrochloride	Tab immediate-release 500 mg; 1,000 tablet, bottle pack	\$12.30	\$9.59	Metchek (API)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	Apotex (Apotex)
Mirtazapine ²	Tab 30 mg; 30 tablet, blister pack	\$8.78	\$2.55	Apo-Mirtazapine (Apotex)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	Avanza (MSD)
Mirtazapine ²	Tab 45 mg; 30 tablet, blister pack	\$13.95	\$3.25	Apo-Mirtazapine (Apotex)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	Avanza (MSD)
Mometasone furoate	Crn 0.1%; 15 g tube	\$1.78	\$1.51	Elocon Alcohol Free (MSD)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
Mometasone furoate	Crn 0.1%; 50 g tube	\$3.42 per 45 g	\$2.90 per 50 g	Elocon Alcohol Free (MSD)	1%	1 September 2015	1 November 2015	m-Mometasone (Multichem)
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Voriconazole	Tab 50 mg; 56 tablet, blister pack	\$730.00	\$130.00	Vttack (Mylan)	1%	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	Vfend (Pfizer)
Voriconazole	Tab 200 mg;	\$2,930.00	\$500.00	Vttack	1%	1 November 2015	1 January 2016	Vfend

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	56 tablet, blister pack			(Mylan)				(Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ³	Cap 20 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$87.88	\$14.56	Zusdone (Douglas)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ³	Cap 40 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$164.78	\$24.75	Zusdone (Douglas)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ³	Cap 60 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$247.17	\$33.87	Zusdone (Douglas)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Ziprasidone ³	Cap 80 mg; 60 capsule, blister pack	\$329.56	\$39.74	Zusdone (Douglas)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Zeldox (Pfizer)
Zopiclone	Tab 7.5 mg; 30 tablet, blister pack	\$1.90	\$0.98	Zopiclone Actavis (Actavis)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015	Apo-Zopiclone (Apotex)

1. The price and subsidy of epirubicin hydrochloride (PCT only – Specialist) in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule will also be amended to the above prices from 1 September 2015. The subsidy for epirubicin inj 1 mg for ECP in Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule will change from \$0.82 per 1 mg to \$0.36 per 1 mg from 1 November 2015.
2. The current restrictions will be removed from 1 November 2015.
3. The current restrictions will be removed from 1 December 2015.

5. Tenders awarded to pharmaceuticals where no brand is listed.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Pack Price	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
Mometasone furoate	Lotn 0.1%; 30 ml bottle	\$7.35	Elocon (MSD)	1%	1 July 2015	1 September 2015
Zopiclone	Tab 7.5 mg; 500 tablet, blister pack	\$11.90	Zopiclone Actavis (Actavis)	1%	1 October 2015	1 December 2015

Tender declines - Products where no tender is to be awarded for Sole Subsidised Supply Status or Hospital Supply Status

PHARMAC has resolved not to award tenders for Sole Subsidised Supply Status or Hospital Supply Status for the following products listed in the 2014/15 Invitation to Tender, dated 6 November 2014:

2013/14 Invitation to Tender

Chemical Name	Line Item	Chemical Name	Line Item
Omeprazole	Powder	Propofol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 20 ml vial
Propofol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 100 ml vial	Propofol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 50 ml vial
Propofol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 20 ml ampoule		

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Chemical Name	Line Item	Chemical Name	Line Item
Amoxicillin clavulanate	Grans for oral liq amoxicillin 125 mg with potassium clavulanate 31.25 mg per 5 ml	Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 50 ml
Amoxicillin clavulanate	Grans for oral liq amoxicillin 250 mg with potassium clavulanate 62.5 mg per 5 ml	Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 5 mg per ml, 10 ml
Ciprofloxacin	Oral liq 50 mg per ml	Glyceryl trinitrate	Tab 500 mcg - 600 mcg
Ciprofloxacin	Oral liq 100 mg per ml	Mirtazapine	Tablet 15 mg
Cyclophosphamide	Tablet 50 mg	Mometasone furoate	Lotn 0.1% (pack size greater than 30 ml)
Epirubicin	Inj 2 mg per ml, 5 ml vial	Sodium chloride	Oral liq 2 mmol/ml
Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 5 ml	Sodium chloride	Tab 600 mg

For products included in the 2013/14 and 2014/15 Invitation to Tender where no announcement has yet been made, either a decision is still pending or is provisional, subject to the product gaining market approval and being available to supply, and subject to PHARMAC Board (or its delegate) approval. We will keep you informed of any updates regarding such tender products as decisions are made.

If you have any queries regarding this notification please contact PHARMAC on 0800 66 00 50.