

29 February 2016

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 6 November 2014, and the 2015/16 Invitation to Tender, dated 6 November 2015.

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, Containered Trade Product Pack (CTPP) codes 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>

Suppliers are required to ensure that a Pharmacode has been obtained from the Pharmacy Guild of New Zealand (<http://www.pgnz.org.nz/pharmacode>) and that a CTPP code has been obtained from the New Zealand Universal List of Medicines (<http://www.nzulm.org.nz/sponsors>). Pharmacodes and CTPP codes must be provided to PHARMAC by the 5th of the month prior to the date of listing, or 10 business days following the market notification date (whichever is earliest). 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

Hospital pharmaceutical tenders – Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

1. 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
Milrinone	Inj 1 mg per ml, 10 ml ampoule; 10 ampoules	\$300.30	Milrinone Generic Health (Max Health)	1%	1 May 2016	1 July 2016

2015/16 Tender – Sole Subsidised Supply Status or Hospital Supply Status applies until 30 June 2019

Community pharmaceutical tenders – Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

2. 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
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 200 mg; 25 tablets	\$1.78	\$1.60	Lovir (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 400 mg; 56 tablets	\$5.98	\$5.38	Lovir (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 800 mg; 35 tablets	\$6.64	\$5.98	Lovir (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Amoxicillin	Cap 250 mg; 500 tablets, bottle pack	\$16.18	\$14.97	Apo-Amoxi (Apotex)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Amoxicillin	Cap 500 mg; 500 tablets, bottle pack	\$20.94	\$16.75	Apo-Amoxi (Apotex)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016

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
Cefaclor monohydrate	Cap 250 mg; 100 capsules, bottle pack	\$26.00	\$24.70	Ranbaxy- Cefaclor (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Cefaclor monohydrate	Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml; 100 ml	\$3.53	\$3.53	Ranbaxy-Cefaclor (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Cetomacrogol with glycerol	Crn 90% with glycerol 10%; 1,000 ml OP	\$6.50	\$3.87	Pharmacy Health Sorbolene with Glycerin (API)	1 June 2016	1 September 2016
Cetomacrogol with glycerol	Crn 90% with glycerol 10%; 500 ml OP	\$4.50	\$2.82	Pharmacy Health Sorbolene with Glycerin (API)	1 June 2016	1 September 2016
Cilazapril with hydrochlorothiazide	Tab 5 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg; 100 tablets, bottle pack	\$10.72	\$10.18	Apo- Cilazapril/Hydrochlorothia zide (Apotex)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Clindamycin	Cap hydrochloride 150 mg; 16 capsule, blister pack	\$5.80	\$4.10	Clindamycin ABM (ABM)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Clindamycin	Inj phosphate 150 mg per ml, 4 ml ampoule; 10 ampoules	\$100.00	\$65.00	Dalacin C (Pfizer)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Desmopressin	Tab 100 mcg; 30 tablets, bottle pack	\$36.40	\$25.00	Minirin (Pharmaco)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Desmopressin	Tab 200 mcg; 30 tablets, bottle pack	\$93.60	\$54.45	Minirin (Pharmaco)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Digoxin	Tab 250 mcg; 240 tablets, blister pack	\$14.52	\$14.52	Lanoxin (Aspen)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Digoxin	Tab 62.5 mcg; 240 tablets, blister pack	\$6.67	\$6.67	Lanoxin PG (Aspen)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Dihydrocodeine tartrate	Tab long-acting 60 mg; 60 tablets, bottle pack	\$13.64	\$9.55	DHC Continus (MundiPharma)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Dimethicone	Crn 5%; pump bottle, 500 ml OP	\$4.73	\$4.59	healthE Dimethicone 5% (Jaychem)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016

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
Dipyridamole	Tab long-acting 150 mg; 60 tablets, bottle pack	\$11.52	\$11.52	Pytazen SR (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Furosemide [frusemide]	Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$1.30	\$1.20	Frusemide-Claris (AFT)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Isosorbide mononitrate	Tab long-acting 40 mg; 30 tablets, blister pack	\$7.50	\$7.50	Ismo 40 Retard (Riemser)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Itraconazole	Cap 100 mg; 15 capsules, blister pack	\$2.99	\$2.79	Itrazole (Mylan)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Lactulose	Oral liq 10 g per 15 ml; 500 ml	\$3.84	\$3.18	Laevolac (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Misoprostol	Tab 200 mcg; 120 tablets, blister pack	\$56.92	\$41.50	Cytotec (Pfizer)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Nortriptyline hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$4.00	\$3.22	Norpress (Mylan)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Nortriptyline hydrochloride	Tab 25mg; 180 tablets, blister pack	\$9.00	\$7.08	Norpress (Mylan)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Perhexiline maleate	Tab 100 mg; 100 tablets, bottle pack	\$62.90	\$62.90	Pexsig (Aspen)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Phenoxymethyl- penicillin (Penicillin V)	Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml; 100 ml	\$1.64	\$1.48	AFT (AFT)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Phenoxymethyl- penicillin (Penicillin V)	Grans for oral liq 250 mg per 5 ml; 100 ml	\$1.74	\$1.58	AFT (AFT)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Polyvinyl alcohol	Eye drops 1.4%; 15 ml OP	\$2.68	\$2.62	Vistil (AFT)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Polyvinyl alcohol	Eye drops 3%; 15 ml OP	\$3.75	\$3.68	Vistil Forte (AFT)	1 April 2016	1 July 2016
Pramipexole hydrochloride	Tab 0.25 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$7.20	\$7.20	Ramipex (Deva)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016

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
Pramipexole hydrochloride	Tab 1 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$24.39	\$24.39	Ramipex (Deva)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Tetrabenazine	Tab 25 mg; 112 tablets, bottle pack	\$118.00	\$91.10	Motetis (Douglas)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Thymol glycerin	Compound, BPC; 500 ml	\$9.15	\$9.15	PSM (API)	1 June 2016	1 September 2016
Timolol	Eye drops 0.25%, gel forming; 2.5 ml OP	\$3.30	\$3.30	Timoptol XE (MSD)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Timolol	Eye drops 0.5%, gel forming; 2.5 ml OP	\$3.78	\$3.78	Timoptol XE (MSD)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Urea	Crn 10%; 100 g OP	\$1.65	\$1.37	healthE Urea Cream (Jaychem)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Zidovudine [AZT]	Cap 100 mg; 100 capsules, blister pack	\$152.25	\$152.25	Retrovir (GSK)	1 July 2016	1 October 2016
Zidovudine [AZT]	Oral liq 10 mg per ml; 200 ml OP	\$30.45	\$30.45	Retrovir (GSK)	1 July 2016	1 October 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 price	New price	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 200 mg; 25 tablets	\$1.78	\$1.60	Lovir (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 400 mg; 56 tablets	\$5.98	\$5.38	Lovir (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Aciclovir	Tab dispersible 800 mg; 35 tablets	\$6.64	\$5.98	Lovir (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Amoxicillin	Cap 250 mg; 500 tablets, bottle	\$16.18	\$14.97	Apo-Amoxi	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016

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	pack			(Apotex)			
Amoxicillin	Cap 500 mg; 500 tablets, bottle pack	\$20.94	\$16.75	Apo-Amoxi (Apotex)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Cefaclor	Cap 250 mg; 100 capsules, bottle pack	\$26.00	\$24.70	Ranbaxy- Cefaclor (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Cefaclor	Grans for oral liq 25 mg per ml; 100 ml	\$3.53	\$3.53	Ranbaxy-Cefaclor (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Cetomacrogol with glycerol	Crn 90% with glycerol 10%; 1,000 ml	\$6.50	\$3.87	Pharmacy Health Sorbolene with Glycerin (API)	1%	1 June 2016	1 August 2016
Cilazapril with hydrochlorothiazide	Tab 5 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg; 100 tablets, bottle pack	\$10.72	\$10.18	Apo-Cilazapril/Hydrochlorothiazide (Apotex)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Clindamycin	Cap 150 mg; 16 capsule, blister pack	\$5.80	\$4.10	Clindamycin ABM (ABM)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Clindamycin	Inj 150 mg per ml, 4 ml ampoule; 10 ampoules	\$100.00	\$65.00	Dalacin C (Pfizer)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Desmopressin	Tab 100 mcg; 30 tablets, bottle pack	\$36.40	\$25.00	Minirin (Pharmaco)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Desmopressin	Tab 200 mcg; 30 tablets, bottle pack	\$93.60	\$54.45	Minirin (Pharmaco)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Dihydrocodeine tartrate	Tab long-acting 60 mg; 60 tablets, bottle pack	\$13.64	\$9.55	DHC Continus (MundiPharma)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Dimethicone	Crn 5% pump bottle; 500 ml	\$4.73	\$4.59	healthE Dimethicone 5% (Jaychem)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Dimethicone	Crn 5% tube; 100 g	\$1.65	\$1.59	healthE Dimethicone 5% (Jaychem)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current price	New price	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
Dipyridamole	Tab long-acting 150 mg; 60 tablets, bottle pack	\$11.52	\$11.52	Pytazen SR (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Fluconazole	Inj 2 mg per ml, 100 ml, bottle	\$6.47	\$6.47	Fluconazole-Claris (AFT)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Fluconazole	Inj 2 mg per ml, 50 ml, bottle	\$4.95	\$4.95	Fluconazole-Claris (AFT)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Furosemide [frusemide]	Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml ampoule; 5 ampoules	\$1.30	\$1.20	Frusemide-Claris (AFT)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Isosorbide mononitrate	Tab long-acting 40 mg; 30 tablets, blister pack	\$7.50	\$7.50	Ismo 40 Retard (Riemser)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Itraconazole	Cap 100 mg; 15 capsules, blister pack	\$2.99	\$2.79	Itrazole (Mylan)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Lactulose	Oral liq 10 g per 15 ml; 500 ml	\$3.84	\$3.18	Laevolac (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Nortriptyline hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$4.00	\$3.22	Norpress (Mylan)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Nortriptyline hydrochloride	Tab 25mg; 180 tablets, blister pack	\$9.00	\$7.08	Norpress (Mylan)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Perhexiline maleate	Tab 100 mg; 100 tablets, bottle pack	\$62.90	\$62.90	Pexsig (Aspen)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Phenoxymethylpenicillin (Penicillin V)	Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml; 100 ml	\$1.64	\$1.48	AFT (AFT)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
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Pramipexole hydrochloride	Tab 0.25 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$7.20	\$7.20	Ramipex (Deva)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Pramipexole hydrochloride	Tab 1 mg; 100 tablets, blister pack	\$24.39	\$24.39	Ramipex (Deva)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016

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Tetrabenazine	Tab 25 mg; 112 tablets, bottle pack	\$118.00	\$91.10	Motetis (Douglas)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Timolol	Eye drops 0.25%, gel forming; 2.5 ml	\$3.30	\$3.30	Timoptol XE (MSD)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Timolol	Eye drops 0.5%, gel forming; 2.5 ml	\$3.78	\$3.78	Timoptol XE (MSD)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Zidovudine [AZT]	Cap 100 mg; 100 capsules, blister pack	\$152.25	\$152.25	Retrovir (GSK)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016
Zidovudine [AZT]	Oral liq 10 mg per ml; 200 ml	\$30.45	\$30.45	Retrovir (GSK)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016

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 price	New price	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date	Brand (Supplier) affected by delisting
Cetomacrogol with glycerol	Crn 90% with glycerol 10%; 500 ml	\$4.50	\$2.82	Pharmacy Health Sorbolene with Glycerin (API)	1%	1 June 2016	1 August 2016	healthE (Jaychem)
Polyvinyl alcohol	Eye drops 1.4%; 15 ml	\$2.68	\$2.62	Vistil (AFT)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016	Liquifilm Tears (Allergan)
Polyvinyl alcohol	Eye drops 3%; 15 ml	\$3.80	\$3.68	Vistil Forte (AFT)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016	Liquifilm Forte (Allergan)

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
Digoxin	Tab 250 mcg; 240 tablets, blister pack	\$14.52	Lanoxin (Aspen)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Digoxin	Tab 62.5 mcg; 240 tablets, blister pack	\$6.67	Lanoxin PG (Aspen)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016

Chemical name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Pack Price	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	DV Limit	Listing date	Hospital Supply Status date
Misoprostol	Tab 200 mcg; 120 tablets, blister pack	\$41.50	Cytotec (Pfizer)	1%	1 April 2016	1 June 2016
Thymol glycerin	Compound, BPC; 500 ml	\$9.15	PSM (API)	1%	1 June 2016	1 August 2016
Urea	Crn 10%; 100 g	\$1.37	healthE Urea Cream (Jaychem)	1%	1 July 2016	1 September 2016

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, and the 2015/16 Invitation to Tender, dated 6 November 2015:

2014/15 Invitation to Tender

Chemical Name	Line Item
Bortezomib	Inj 3.5 mg

2015/16 Invitation to Tender

Chemical Name	Line Item	Chemical Name	Line Item
Adenosine	Inj 3 mg per ml, 2 ml	Mycophenolate mofetil	Inj 500 mg
Adenosine	Inj 3 mg per ml, 10 ml	Mycophenolate mofetil	Powder for oral liq 1 g per 5 ml
Benzoyl peroxide	Gel 2.5%	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.06 mg per ml, 100 ml bag
Benzoyl peroxide	Gel 5%	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.06 mg per ml, 50 ml syringe
Disopyramide phosphate	Cap 100 mg	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.1 mg per ml, 100 ml bag
Disopyramide Phosphate	Cap 150 mg	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.12 mg per ml, 50 ml syringe

Chemical Name	Line Item	Chemical Name	Line Item
Fusidic acid	Tab 250 mg	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.12 mg per ml, 100 ml bag
Fusidic acid	Eye drops 1%	Noradrenaline	Inj 0.16 mg per ml, 50 ml syringe
Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 50 ml	Noradrenaline	Inj 1 mg per ml, 100 ml bag
Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 5 ml	Risperidone [current access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 0.5 mg
Glyceryl trinitrate	Inj 5 mg per ml, 10 ml	Risperidone [current access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 1 mg
Glyceryl trinitrate	Tab 500 mcg - 600 mcg	Risperidone [current access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 2 mg
Indomethacin	Cap long-acting 75 mg	Risperidone [widened access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 0.5 mg
Indomethacin	Suppos 100 mg	Risperidone [widened access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 1 mg
Indomethacin	Cap 25 mg	Risperidone [widened access]	Orally-disintegrating tablets 2 mg
Indomethacin	Cap 50 mg	Sumatriptan	Inj 12 mg per ml, 0.5 ml
Indomethacin	Inj 1 mg	Sumatriptan	Nasal spray
Methadone hydrochloride	Inj 10 mg per ml, 1 ml	Topotecan	Inj 1 mg
Methadone hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg - 20 mg	Topotecan	Inj 4 mg
Minoxidil	Tab 10 mg	Trimipramine maleate	Cap 25 mg
Minoxidil	Tab 2.5 mg	Trimipramine maleate	Cap 50 mg
Minoxidil	Tab 5 mg		

For products included in the 2014/15 and 2015/16 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.