



## BARBADOS DRUG SERVICE NEWSLETTER

TO: All Health Care Professionals

NO: MPC # 40 - 11

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

The following is intended to update you on changes related to MPC# 40 which became effective Friday, April 1 2022

### 1. CONTRACTS AWARDED: CATEGORY A

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
AHI 1132GU	ATORVASTATIN 20MG TAB (UME)	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	3X10	20-Mar-23	\$1.74	30
AHI 4463N	DONEPEZIL 5MG TAB (CIP)	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	4X7'S	29-Nov-22	\$8.05	30
AHI 0884AH	IPRAVENT 0.25MG/ML RESP SOL (CIP) IPRATROPIUM BROMIDE	Contract Awarded as Cat A-Benefit	A	15ML	30-Mar-23	\$5.95	1
AHI 1131FW	LIPITAS 10MG TAB (INP) ATORVASTATIN	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	30'S	20-Mar-23	\$3.56	30
AHI 1132HE	LIPITAS 20MG TAB (INP) ATORVASTATIN	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	30'S	20-Mar-23	\$4.32	30
AHI 1133FV	LIPITAS 40MG TAB (INP) ATORVASTATIN	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	30'S	20-Mar-23	\$5.41	60
AHI 2713E	PREDNISOLONE 20MG TAB (MBL)	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	100'S	20-Mar-23	\$17.29	90

### 2. CONTRACTS AWARDED: CATEGORY B

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
COL B011EG	APO-LAMIVUDINE 150MG TAB (APO) LAMI	Contract Awarded as Cat. B	B	60'S	09-Dec-22	\$83.02
PHA 3261S	POVIDONE IODINE 1% SOLN (RIM)	Contract Awarded as Cat. B	B	16OZ	20-Mar-23	\$20.26

### 3. CONTRACTS AWARDED: CATEGORY C

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
COL 5232M	APO-CICLOPIROX NAIL LACQUER 8% (A (C))	Contract Awarded as Cat. C	C	6ML	09-Dec-22	\$19.03

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AHI	1306BF	CARDIOASPIRIN 81MG TAB (BSP) (C)	Contract Awarded as Cat C	C	30'S	22-Mar-23	\$8.15
AHI	0013BP	CLARITINE 10MG TAB (BSP) LORATADIN (C)	Contract Awarded as Cat. C	C	30'S	21-Feb-23	\$9.51
STO	0211T	INVANZ 1G INJ (MSD) ERTAPENEM (C)	Contract Awarded as Cat. C	C	1GM	20-Mar-23	\$92.42

#### **4. CONTRACT EXTENDED**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
ATB	22819	ACETAZOLAMIDE 250MG TAB (KWA)	Contract extended until 2024-3-31	A	10X10	01-Apr-22	\$8.07 120
ATB	1133DC	ATORVASTATIN 40MG TAB (FSB)	Contract extended until 2023-03-31	A	10X10	01-Apr-22	\$10.75 60
AHI	5561Q	CANESTEN-3 2% VAG CR (BSP) CLOTRIM (C)	Contract Extended until 2024-3-31	C	20G	01-Apr-22	\$10.68 1
AHI	55618	CANESTEN-3 200MG VAG PESS (BSP) CL (C)	Contract Extended until 2024-3-31	C	3'S	01-Apr-22	\$10.19 1
AAL	A412AM	CARCA 12.5MG TAB (INP) CARVEDILOL	Contract Extended until 2024-3-31	A	30'S	31-May-22	\$1.52 60
AAL	A411AN	CARCA 25MG TAB (INP) CARVEDILOL	Contract Extended until 2024-3-31	A	30'S	31-May-22	\$2.17 60
AAL	A413AJ	CARCA 6.25MG TAB (INP) CARVEDILOL	Contract Extended until 2024-3-31	A	30'S	31-May-22	\$1.22 60
AHI	A473L	ENOXAPARIN 80MG INJ (GLN)	Contract Extended until 2024-03-31	B	2X80MG	05-Nov-22	\$30.45 30
ATB	5842GV	LISINOPRIL 20MG TAB (KWA)	Contract extended until 2024-3-31	A	10X10	01-Apr-22	\$6.90 60

#### **5. CANCELLATION OF CONTRACTS**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective Until	
PHA	4181BH	BEMABIX 25MG/ML INJ (ABB) BEVACIZUM (C)	Unable to Supply	C	4ML VIAL	18-Apr-23
PHA	4181BJ	BEMABIX 25MG/ML INJ (ABB) BEVACIZUM (C)	Unable to Supply	C	16ML VIAL	31-Mar-23
PHA	6801G	BETASERC 16MG TAB (ABB) BETAHISTINE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	20'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	6691AF	BILIVE 1MG E/2MG D TAB (ABB) ESTRAD (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	13-Apr-23
PHA	7621AZ	CICLOTAB 20MCG 75MCG TAB (ABB) ETHINYLESTRADIOL GESTODENE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	21'S	31-Mar-23

PHA	7621BB	CICLOTAB 30MCG 75MCG TAB (ABB) ETHINYLESTRADIOL GESTODENE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	21'S	31-Mar-23
STO	12011	COSOPT 2% 0.5% EYE DR (MSD) DORZOL (C)	Product Discontinued	C	5ML	31-Dec-22
PHA	3962H	DEPAKENE 50MG/ML SYR (ABB) VALPROIC ACID	Unable to Supply	A	240ML	31-Mar-23
PHA	3961AP	DEPAKOTE 250MG TAB (ABB) VALPROIC ACID	Unable to Supply	A	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	39659	DEPAKOTE 500MG TAB (ABB) VALPROIC ACID	Unable to Supply	A	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	3961AD	DEPAKOTE ER 250MG TAB (ABB) VALPROIC ACI	Unable to Supply	A	100'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	39654	DEPAKOTE ER 500MG TAB (ABB) VALPROIC ACI	Unable to Supply	A	100'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	7621BC	DIXI 35 2MG C/35MCG E TAB (ABB) CYPROTER (C)	Unable to Supply	C	21'S	31-Mar-23
AHI	4463M	DONEPEZIL 5MG TAB (JUB)	Unable to Supply	A	90'S	20-Mar-23
PHA	6691AJ	ESTROTAB 1MG PACK (ABB) OESTRADIOL (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-24
PHA	6691AH	ESTROTAB 2MG TAB (ABB) OESTRADIOL (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	6031P	GYNOLAX 50MG TAB (ABB) CLOMIPHENE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	10'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	57522	HYTRIN 2MG TAB (ABB) TERAZOSIN (C)	Unable to Supply	C	28'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	57536	HYTRIN 5MG TAB (ABB) TERAZOSIN (SAD) (C)	Unable to Supply	C	28'S	31-Mar-23
AHI	0884BT	IPRAVENT 0.25MG/ML RESP SOL (CIP) I	Unable to Supply	A	15ML	31-Mar-24
PHA	5811CQ	ISOPTIN 80MG TAB (ABB) VERAPAMIL (C)	Unable to Supply	C	50'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	5811FS	ISOPTIN RETARD 120MG TAB (ABB) VERA (C)	Unable to Supply	C	20'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	5813BH	ISOPTIN SR 240MG TAB (ABB) VERAPAMIL (C)	Unable to Supply	C	20'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	0131DJ	KLARICID 25MG/ML SUSP (ABB) CLARITH (C)	Unable to Supply	C	60ML	31-Mar-23
PHA	4021N	KLARICID 500MG INJ (ABB) CLARITHROM (C)	Unable to Supply	C	500MG VI	31-Mar-23
PHA	0141FV	KLARICID 500MG TAB (ABB) CLARITHROM (C)	Unable to Supply	C	10'S	18-Apr-22
PHA	0131DH	KLARICID 50MG/ML SUSP (ABB) CLARITH (C)	Unable to Supply	C	60ML	31-Mar-23

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PHA	0141FU	KLARICID XL 500MG TAB (ABB) CLARITH (C)	Unable to Supply	C	10'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	B071G	KOPODEX 1G TAB (ABB) LEVETIRACETAM(B)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	B071H	KOPODEX 500MG TAB (ABB) LEVETIRACET (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	0211Y	MEROPENEM 500MG INJ (ABB) (BQ)	Unable to Supply	B	500MG VI	31-Mar-23
PHA	7621BE	MIA 3MG D/0.02MG EE TAB (ABB) DROSP (C)	Unable to Supply	C	28'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	7621BD	MIA 3MG D/0.03MG EE TAB (ABB) DROSP (C)	Unable to Supply	C	28'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	7283Q	NEUROTOPREL 100MG TAB (ABB) TOPIRAM (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	7281K	NEUROTOPREL 25MG TAB (ABB) TOPIRAMA (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	7284E	NEUROTOPREL 50MG TAB (ABB) TOPIRAMA (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	6631R	OLEO-LAX 10MG/ML (ABB) PROPOFOL (C)	Unable to Supply	C	5X20ML	31-Mar-23
PHA	2962R	POST DAY 1.5MG TAB (ABB) LEVONORGES (C)	Unable to Supply	C	1'S	13-Apr-23
PHA	7621BF	PRIMAFEN 30MCG 150MCG TAB (ABB) ETHINYLESTRADIOL LEVONOR GEST (C)	Unable to Supply	C	21'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A771Q	QUETIDIN 100MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAPINE (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A772Z	QUETIDIN 200MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAPINE (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A773Q	QUETIDIN 25MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAPINE (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A774U	QUETIDIN 300MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAPINE (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A772AK	QUETIDIN XR 200MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAP (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A774R	QUETIDIN XR 300MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAP (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	A7757	QUETIDIN XR 50MG TAB (ABB) QUETIAPI (BP)	Unable to Supply	B	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	73814	RYTHMONORM 150MG TAB (ABB) PROPAFENONE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
PHA	2991Q	SYNTHROID 0.1MG TAB (ABB) THYROXINE (C)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-02

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PHA	2993A	SYNTHROID 25MCG TAB (ABB)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
		THYROXINE (C)				
PHA	29948	SYNTHROID 50MCG TAB (ABB)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
		THYROXINE (C)				
PHA	29957	SYNTHROID 75MCG TAB (ABB)	Unable to Supply	C	30'S	31-Mar-23
		THYROXINE (C)				
STO	A3711	TRUSOPT 2% EYE DR (MSD)	Unable to Supply	C	5ML	31-Dec-22
		DORZOLAMID (C)				
PHA	4291W	VAREDET 500MG INJ (ABB)	Unable to Supply	C	10ML VIAL	31-Mar-23
		VANCOMYCIN (C)				

## **6. CHANGE OF LOCAL AGENT**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
ATB	5821BB	SILVERKANT 1% CR (SKH)	Change of Distributor	A	30G	24-Apr-23	\$3.21 1
		SILVER SULPHADIAZINE					
ATB	0131DT	SKAZI 40MG/ML SUSP (SKH)	Change of Distributor	A	15ML	24-Apr-23	\$13.29 300
		ERYTHROMYCIN					
		ETHYLSUCCINATE					

## **7. PRICE CHANGES**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
RXP	5698A	ACYCLOVIR DISP 800MG TAB (HEA) (C)	Price Change	C	1X10	25-Oct-22 \$7.00
COL	0013G	ALLEGRA 6MG/ML SUSP (SFA)	Price Change	C	150ML	09-Dec-22 \$29.36
		FEXOFENA (C)				
COL	0752L	BUSCOPAN 20MG/ML INJ (SFA) HYOSCIN (C)	Price Change	C	10X1ML	09-Dec-22 \$26.37
RXP	4144P	DICLOFENAC SOD SR 75MG TAB (HEA) (C)	Price Change	C	10'S	25-Oct-22 \$1.50
AHI	A472X	ENOXAPARIN 40MG INJ (GLN)	Price Change	B	2X40MG	13-Jun-22 \$18.70
PHA	37019	FREESTYLE OPTIUM GLUC (ABD) DIAGNOSTIC	Price Change	A	50'S	09-Jan-23 \$40.01
RXP	1421BD	PARACETAMOL 500MG TAB (HEA) (C)	Price Change	C	100x10	25-Oct-22 \$35.00
RXP	A941AP	TAMSULOSIN MR 0.4MG TAB (HEA) (C)	Price Change	C	30'S	25-Oct-22 \$7.96

## **8. FORMULARY STATUS CHANGED FROM CAT. B TO CAT. A**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
COL	B4622	XIGDUO 10MG 1G TAB (AZN)	Status Changed from	A	30'S	24-Apr-23	\$61.60 30
		DAPAGLIFLOZIN METFORMIN	Cat. B to Cat A				
COL	B4612	XIGDUO 5MG 1G TAB (AZN)	Status Changed from	A	30'S	24-Apr-23	\$39.36 30
		DAPAGLIFLOZIN METFORMIN	Cat. B to Cat A				

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**9. FORMULARY STATUS CHANGED FROM CAT. C TO CAT. A**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Name</b>		<b>Formulary Cat.</b>	<b>Pkge. Size</b>	<b>Effective From</b>	<b>Pkge. Price</b>	<b>Protocol Max:</b>
COL B2241	LEVEMIR PEN 100U/ML INJ (NOV) DETEMIR	Contract Awarded as Cat A-Benefit	<b>A</b>	5X3ML	10-Apr-23	\$129.39	1
COL B2256	NOVOMIX 70 30 FLEXPENS 100U/ML INJ (NOV) ASPART	Status Changed from Cat. C to Cat A	<b>A</b>	5X3ML	10-Apr-23	\$122.32	1
COL B2214	NOVORAPID FLEXPENS 100U/ML INJ (NOV) ASPART	Status Changed from Cat. C to Cat A	<b>A</b>	5X3ML	10-Apr-23	\$88.35	1

**10. FORMULARY STATUS CHANGED FROM CAT. C TO CAT. B**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Name</b>		<b>Formulary Cat.</b>	<b>Pkge. Size</b>	<b>Effective From</b>	<b>Pkge. Price</b>	<b>Protocol Max:</b>
STO B1516	ELIQUIS 2.5MG TAB (PFI) APIXABAN	Status Changed from Cat. C to Cat B	<b>B</b>	60'S	10-Apr-23	\$175.33	0
STO B1526	ELIQUIS 5MG TAB (PFI) APIXABAN	Status Changed from Cat. C to Cat B	<b>B</b>	60'S	10-Apr-23	\$175.33	0