



## BARBADOS DRUG SERVICE NEWSLETTER

TO: All Health Care Professionals

NO: MPC # 40 - 16

Wednesday, September 20, 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 4463R	DONEPEZIL 5MG TAB (MCP)	Contract Awarded as Cat A	A	28'S	23-May-23	\$8.05	30

### 2. CONTRACTS AWARDED: CATEGORY C

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
COL 5641FP	ZINACEF 1.5G INJ (BCH) CEFUROXIME (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	1.5G VIAL	13-Sep-23	\$18.38
COL 5642CJ	ZINACEF 750MG INJ (BCH) CEFUROXIME (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	750MG VI	13-Sep-23	\$11.15
COL 0112CM	ZINNAT 25MG/ML SUSP (BCH) CEFUROXI (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	100ML	13-Sep-23	\$28.11
COL 0111FD	ZINNAT 500MG TAB (BCH) CEFUROXIME (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	50'S	13-Sep-23	\$145.62
COL 0112CN	ZINNAT 50MG/ML SUSP (BCH) CEFUROXI (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	100ML	13-Sep-23	\$25.66

### 3. CONTRACT EXTENDED

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
ATB 1181EF	BISOPROLOL 2.5MG TAB (FSB)	Contract extended until 2024-3-31	A	10X10	31-Jul-23	\$4.08	30
AHI 12146	NITROMINT 0.4MG SPRAY (EG) GLYCERYL TRI	Contract extended until 2024-3-31	A	180 DOSE	23-Sep-22	\$14.14	1

### 4. CANCELLATION OF CONTRACTS

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective Until
ATB 0114BP	ALTACEF 250MG TAB (GLP) CEFUROXIME (BQ)	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	B	10'S	30-Sep-23

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ATB	5232BN	CANDID 1% EAR DR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	15ML	30-Sep-23
ATB	5233AF	CANDID 1% PWDR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	100G	30-Sep-23
ATB	5232BP	CANDID MOUTH PAINT 1% SOLN (GLP) CLOTRIM	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	20ML	30-Sep-23
ATB	5561CP	CANDID V 2% VAG CR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZO	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	30G	30-Sep-23
ATB	5231EV	CELAMINA 1% CR (GLP) CICLOPIROX OLAMINE	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	20G	30-Sep-23
ATB	A393D	COMBIWAVE 125MCG 25MCG INHR (GLP) FLUTICASONE SALMETEROL	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	C	120 DOSE	30-Sep-23
ATB	A396C	COMBIWAVE 250MCG 25MCG INHR (GLP) FLUTICASONE SALMETEROL	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	A	150 DOSE	30-Sep-23
ATB	A9635	DERIVA 0.1% CR (GLP) ADAPALENE (C)	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	C	15G	30-Sep-23
ATB	0012FD	GLENCET 5MG TAB (GLP) LEVOCETIRIZIN (C)	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	C	30'S	30-Sep-23
ATB	4253AV	SUPIROCIN 2% OINT (GLP) MUPIROCIN(BQ)	Local agent changed: Contract Cancelled	B	15G	30-Sep-23
COL	5641N	ZINACEF 1.5G INJ (GSK) CEFUROXIME (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	1.5G VIAL	12-Sep-23
COL	5642BM	ZINACEF 750MG INJ (GSK) CEFUR (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	750MG VI	12-Sep-23
COL	0112ZG	ZINNAT 25MG/ML SUSP (GSK) CEFUROXI (C)	Change of manufacturer	C	100ML	12-Sep-23
COL	0111S	ZINNAT 500MG TAB (GSK) CEFUROXIME (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	50'S	12-Sep-23
COL	0112CH	ZINNAT 50MG/ML SUSP (GSK) CEFUROXI (C)	Change of manufacturer to Sandoz	C	70ML	12-Sep-23

## **5. CHANGE OF LOCAL AGENT**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
AHI	0114BS	ALTACEF 250MG TAB (GLP) CEFUROXIME (BQ)	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	B	10'S	15-Aug-23	\$4.08 0
AHI	0114BS	ALTACEF 250MG TAB (GLP) CEFUROXIME (BQ)	Change of Distributor	B	10'S	12-Jul-23	\$4.08 0
AHI	5232AQ	CANDID 1% EAR DR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	20ML	15-Aug-23	\$6.80 1
AHI	5232AQ	CANDID 1% EAR DR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Change of Distributor	A	20ML	12-Jul-23	\$6.80 1
AHI	52333	CANDID 1% PWDR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	30G	15-Aug-23	\$7.61 1

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AHI	52333	CANDID 1% PWDR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Change of Distributor	A	30G	12-Jul-23	\$7.61	1
AHI	5232BU	CANDID MOUTH PAINT 1% SOLN (GLP) CLOTRIM	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	20ML	15-Aug-23	\$6.80	2
AHI	5232BU	CANDID MOUTH PAINT 1% SOLN (GLP) CLOTRIMAZOLE	Change of Distributor	A	20ML	12-Jul-23	\$6.80	2
AHI	5561CS	CANDID V 2% VAG CR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZO	Change of Distributor	A	30G	12-Jul-23	\$6.80	1
AHI	5561CS	CANDID V 2% VAG CR (GLP) CLOTRIMAZO	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	30G	15-Aug-23	\$6.80	1
AHI	5231FH	CELAMINA 1% CR (GLP) CICLOPIROX OLAMINE	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	20G	15-Aug-23	\$6.80	2
AHI	5231FH	CELAMINA 1% CR (GLP) CICLOPIROX OLAMINE	Change of Distributor	A	20G	12-Jul-23	\$6.80	2
AHI	A393E	COMBIWAVE 125MCG 25MCG INHR (GLP) FLUTICASONE SALMETEROL	Change of Distributor	C	120 DOSE	12-Jul-23	\$27.18	0
AHI	A393E	COMBIWAVE 125MCG 25MCG INHR (GLP) FLUTICASONE SALMETEROL	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	C	120 DOSE	15-Aug-23	\$27.18	0
AHI	A396D	COMBIWAVE 250MCG 25MCG INHR (GLP) FLUTICASONE SALMETEROL	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	A	150 DOSE	15-Aug-23	\$32.62	1
AHI	A9636	DERIVA 0.1% CR (GLP) ADAPALENE (C)	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	C	45G	15-Aug-23	\$16.31	0
AHI	A9636	DERIVA 0.1% CR (GLP) ADAPALENE (C)	Change of Distributor	C	45G	12-Jul-23	\$16.31	0
AHI	0012FS	GLENCET 5MG TAB (GLP) LEVOCETIRIZIN (C)	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	C	30'S	15-Aug-23	\$6.80	0
AHI	0012FS	GLENCET 5MG TAB (GLP) LEVOCETIRIZIN (C)	Change of Distributor	C	30'S	12-Jul-23	\$6.80	0
AHI	4253AW	SUPIROCIN 2% OINT (GLP) MUPIROCIN(BQ)	Local agent changed to Armstrong Healthcare	B	15G	15-Aug-23	\$5.44	0
AHI	4253AW	SUPIROCIN 2% OINT (GLP) MUPIROCIN(BQ)	Change of Distributor	B	15G	12-Jul-23	\$5.44	0

## **6. PRICE CHANGES**

Code	Name	Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
PHA	0981AU FERROUS SULPHATE 200MG TAB (BNP)	A	1000'S	24-Oct-23	\$22.10
COL	14912 MAGNESIUM SULPHATE 50% INJ (MTP) (B)	B	10X2ML	24-May-23	\$12.40

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**7. CHANGE OF PACKAGE SIZE**

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price
COL A5026	DIOVAN 320MG TAB (NVS) VALSARTAN	Package Size Changed	A	14'S	17-Aug-23	\$9.74

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

Code	Name		Formulary Cat.	Pkge. Size	Effective From	Pkge. Price	Protocol Max:
ATB A941BK	TAMSULOSIN 0.4MG MR TAB (HEA)	Status Changed from Cat. C to Cat A	A	3X10	11-Sep-23	\$7.56	30