

Gemscript Bulletin - 2021 May v.01

1) General information

Welcome to the May edition of the Gemscript bulletin

Best regards,

The Pharmacy Team

2) Major clinical changes

- Polyethylene glycol (PEG) laxatives and starch-based thickeners: potential interactive effect when mixed, leading to an increased risk of aspiration

3) New brands added to Gemscript this month:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
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| 39561711000001104 | 200-SEL tablets (TriOn Pharma Ltd) |
| 39571311000001106 | Abselen 200microgram tablets (Essential-Healthcare Ltd) |
| 39531811000001100 | Acetadote 6g/30ml solution for infusion vials (Imported (United States)) |
| 39538711000001103 | Alzest 13.3mg/24hours transdermal patches (Dr Reddy's Laboratories (UK) Ltd) |
| 39451011000001102 | Aqualube 0.5% eye drops (TriOn Pharma Ltd) |
| 39571111000001109 | AsparMag 243mg (magnesium 10mmol) oral powder sachets (Essential-Healthcare Ltd) |
| 39564211000001108 | AutoDrop eye drop dispenser (Owen Mumford Ltd) |
| 39368411000001101 | BiCarb-600 tablets (TriOn Pharma Ltd) |
| 39323811000001102 | Cosentyx 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled pens (Novartis Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd) |
| 39486111000001101 | Cuvitru 10g/50ml solution for infusion vials (Shire Pharmaceuticals Ltd) |
| 39480811000001106 | Dermovate 0.05% scalp application (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 39479311000001102 | Enhertu 100mg powder for concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Daiichi Sankyo UK Ltd) |
| 39570911000001100 | Evrysdi 0.75mg/ml oral solution (Imported (Germany)) |
| | Fennings Paracetamol 120mg/5ml and 250mg/5ml oral suspension (Crescent Pharma Ltd) |
| | Fixkoh Airmaster 50micrograms/dose / |

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| | 100micrograms/dose, 50micrograms/dose / 250micrograms/dose and 50micrograms/dose / 500micrograms/dose dry powder inhaler (Thornton & Ross Ltd) |
| | Hylaton 12.5mg and 50mg tablets (Morningside Healthcare Ltd) |
| 39452011000001105 | Instant testing strips (Roche Diabetes Care Ltd) |
| | Juzo Soft class 1 (18-21mmHg) leggings lymphoedema garment short/standard size I-VI (Juzo UK Ltd) - various colours |
| | kliniderm Foam Border dressing 7.5cm², 10cm², 12.5cm² and 15cm² (H & R Healthcare Ltd) |
| | kliniderm Foam dressing 5cm², 10cm², 10cm x 18cm, 15cm² and 20cm² (H & R Healthcare Ltd) |
| 39428411000001100 | kliniderm Foam dressing heel (H & R Healthcare Ltd) |
| | kliniderm Hydrocolloid dressing 10cm², 15cm² and 20cm² (H & R Healthcare Ltd) |
| 39494311000001109 | Leqvio 284mg/1.5ml solution for injection pre-filled syringes (Novartis Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd) |
| 39574411000001102 | Miprosed 5mg/ml oral solution (Syri Ltd) |
| 39452211000001100 | Mylife Aveo testing strips (Ypsomed Ltd) |
| 39492711000001103 | Nephrotrans 500mg gastro-resistant capsules (Stanningley Pharma Ltd) |
| 39449611000001108 | Octasa 1g suppositories (Tillotts Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39479611000001107 | Praluent 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled pens (Sanofi) |
| 39481011000001109 | Prostap SR DCS 3.75mg powder and solvent for suspension for injection pre-filled syringes (Pilsco Ltd) |
| | Provox Life Energy/Go/Home HME filter cassette 8312 (Atos Medical AB) |
| 39422011000001106 | Provox Life Night adhesive 8261 (Atos Medical AB) |
| 39421811000001109 | Provox Life Night HME filter cassette 8262 (Atos Medical AB) |
| | Provox Life Sensitive/Standard adhesive oval/plus/round (Atos Medical AB) |
| 39532911000001104 | Pulmocis 2mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation (Curium Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39449211000001106 | Qufora IriSedo MiniGo 30 irrigation set QMGO (MacGregor Healthcare Ltd) |

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| 39449411000001105 | Qufora IriSedo MiniGo Flex 30 irrigation set QMGOFLEX (MacGregor Healthcare Ltd) |
| | Retsevmo 40mg and 80mg capsules (Eli Lilly and Company Ltd) |
| 39493711000001106 | Sixmo 74.2mg implant (Accord Healthcare Ltd) |
| | SLO Milkshake+ IDDSI 1 Slightly / 2 Mildly / 3 Moderately / 4 Extremely Thick oral powder 50g sachets banana (SLO Drinks Ltd) |
| | Softima Active colostomy bag with filter and window, maxi/midi/mini Cut to fit 15mm-65mm Beige (B.Braun Medical Ltd) |
| 39534711000001106 | Stamicis 1mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation (Curium Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39565811000001105 | Striascan [I-123] 185MBq/2.5ml solution for injection vials (Curium Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39510411000001100 | Takhzyro 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled syringes (Shire Pharmaceuticals Ltd) |
| | Technescan DTPA, MAG3, MIBI 1mg and PYP kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation (Curium Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39405111000001108 | Tepadina 400mg powder and 400ml solvent infusion bags (Adienne Pharma & Biotech) |
| | ThiaDose 100mg mr tablets and 100mg/5ml oral sol (TriOn Pharma Ltd) |
| 39474211000001106 | TwoCal Bolus liquid (Abbott Laboratories Ltd) |
| 39450011000001106 | UCS Debridement glove (Medi UK Ltd) |
| | Ultomiris 300mg/3ml and 1,100mg/11ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Alexion Pharma UK Ltd) |
| 39367111000001105 | Vaxelis vaccine suspension for injection 0.5ml pre-filled syringes (Sanofi) |
| 39424211000001105 | Viscotears HA 0.1% eye drops preservative free (Bausch & Lomb UK Ltd) |
| 39486411000001106 | Viscotears HA Plus 0.2% eye drops preservative free (Bausch & Lomb UK Ltd) |
| 39453511000001109 | Welland Aura Plus colostomy and bag maxi 1C1A13s Cut to fit 13mm-60mm/80mm Black (Welland Medical Ltd) |
| | Welland Aura Plus colostomy and ileostomy bag maxi/midi/mini Cut to fit 13mm-60mm/80mm and 13mm-50mm/70mm Black/Sand/Clear (Welland Medical Ltd) |
| | Welland Aura Plus urostomy bag maxi/midi Cut to fit 13mm-55mm Black (Welland Medical Ltd) |

4) New generics added to Gemscript this month:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
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| 39564911000001104 | Acetylcysteine 6g/30ml solution for infusion vials |
| 39494711000001108 | Alirocumab 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled disposable devices |
| 39487911000001100 | Betiatide 1mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation |
| 39494811000001100 | Buprenorphine 74.2mg implant |
| 39488011000001103 | Cabazitaxel 60mg/3ml solution for infusion vials |
| 39565011000001104 | Chlortalidone 12.5mg tablets |
| 39565111000001103 | Copper tetramibi tetrafluoroborate 1mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation |
| 39494911000001105 | Diphtheria / Tetanus / Pertussis (acellular component) / Hepatitis B (surface antigen) / Poliomyelitis (inactivated) / Haemophilus type b conjugate vaccine (adsorbed) suspension for injection 0.5ml pre-filled syringes |
| 39495011000001105 | Glucose liquid |
| 39495111000001106 | Inclisiran 284mg/1.5ml solution for injection pre-filled syringes |
| 39523811000001104 | Lanadelumab 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled syringes |
| 39429611000001106 | Lymphoedema garments leggings |
| 39565211000001109 | Macrosalb 2mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation |
| 39574711000001108 | Midazolam 5mg/ml oral solution sugar free |
| 39523911000001109 | Normal immunoglobulin human 10g/50ml solution for infusion vials |
| 39488111000001102 | Pentetic acid 20.8mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation |
| 39427511000001100 | Polyurethane foam film dressing sterile without adhesive border 10cm x 18cm rectangular |
| 39428111000001105 | Polyurethane foam film dressing sterile without adhesive border heel |
| 39565311000001101 | Potassium chloride 0.15% (potassium 10mmol/500ml) / Glucose 4% / Sodium chloride 0.18% infusion 500ml polyethylene bottles |
| 39495211000001100 | Potassium chloride 0.15% (potassium 10mmol/500ml) / Sodium chloride 0.9% infusion 500ml polyethylene bottles |
| 39565411000001108 | Potassium chloride 0.15% (potassium 20mmol/1litre) / Glucose 4% / Sodium chloride 0.18% infusion 1litre polyethylene bottles |

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| 39495311000001108 | Potassium chloride 0.15% (potassium 20mmol/1litre) / Sodium chloride 0.9% infusion 1litre polyethylene bottles |
| 39495411000001101 | Potassium chloride 0.3% (potassium 20mmol/500ml) / Sodium chloride 0.9% infusion 500ml polyethylene bottles |
| 39495511000001102 | Potassium chloride 0.3% (potassium 40mmol/1litre) / Glucose 5% infusion 1litre polyethylene bottles |
| 39495611000001103 | Potassium chloride 0.3% (potassium 40mmol/1litre) / Sodium chloride 0.9% infusion 1litre polyethylene bottles |
| | Ravulizumab 300mg/3ml and 1.1g/11ml solution for infusion vials |
| 39524011000001107 | Secukinumab 300mg/2ml solution for injection pre-filled disposable devices |
| | Selpercatinib 40mg and 80mg capsules |
| 39495911000001109 | Sodium bicarbonate 500mg gastro-resistant capsules |
| 39488411000001107 | Sodium pyrophosphate decahydrate 20mg kit for radiopharmaceutical preparation |
| 39496011000001101 | Thiotepa 400mg powder and 400ml solvent infusion bags |
| 39488511000001106 | Trastuzumab deruxtecan 100mg powder for solution for infusion vials |
| | Treprostinil 20mg/20ml and 200mg/20ml solution for infusion vials |
| | Water for injections 100ml and 1litre bottles |

5) Manufacturer's name changes:

a) Brands:

| Previous Name | Current Name |
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| All products (Zentiva) | All products (Zentiva Pharma UK Ltd) |
| Corgard 80mg tablets (Sanofi) | Corgard 80mg tablets (Cheplapharm Arzneimittel GmbH) |
| Cuvitru solution for injection vials (Shire Pharmaceuticals Ltd) – all strengths | Cuvitru 1g/5ml solution for infusion vials (Shire Pharmaceuticals Ltd) - all strengths |
| Supressi 1.28kcal Complete oral liquid chocolate (Anaiyah Healthcare PVT Ltd) – all flavours | EnergieShake Advance 1.3kcal oral liquid chocolate (Anaiyah Healthcare PVT Ltd) - all flavours |
| Tracutil concentrate for solution for infusion 10ml ampoules (B.Braun Melsungen AG) | Tracutil concentrate for solution for infusion 10ml ampoules (B.Braun Medical Ltd) |

b) Generics:

| Previous Name | Current Name |
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| Cabazitaxel 60mg/1.5ml solution for infusion vials | Cabazitaxel 60mg/1.5ml concentrate and solvent for solution for infusion vials |
| Generic Supressi 1.28kcal Complete oral liquid | Generic EnergieShake Advance 1.3kcal oral liquid |
| Generic Vita-POS eye ointment preservative free | Generic Hylo Night eye ointment preservative free |

c) Manufacturer/Supplier/Organisation Changes:

| Previous Name | Current Name |
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| Zentiva | Zentiva Pharma UK Ltd |

6) Drug tariff changes:

No significant changes

7) Discontinued and non available items:
a) Discontinued / not available brands:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
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| 29369711000001104 | Appeel Hydrosolve medical adhesive remover wipes 3506 (CliniMed Ltd) |
| | Aquacel dressing (ConvaTec Ltd) – all sizes |
| | Avance (Molnlycke Health Care Ltd) – all products |
| | Bendi sterile leg bag with swing tap 700ml and 1.3litre bag, direct inlet tube (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |
| | Benerva 50mg and 100mg tablets (Teofarma S.r.l.) |
| | Blom-Singer TruSeal (Severn Healthcare Technologies Ltd) – all products |
| | Carexil modified-release tablets (Sandoz Ltd) – all strengths |
| | Clini Duo40 compression liner (CliniSupplies Ltd) – all products |
| 37627211000001105 | Crestor 5mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd) |

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| 877111000001107 | Dalacin T 1% topical solution (Pfizer Ltd) |
| | Depakote 250mg and 500mg gastro-resistant tablets (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 37630711000001101 | Detrusitol XL 4mg capsules (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 37633211000001103 | Edronax 4mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 239811000001103 | Evista 60mg tablets (Daiichi Sankyo UK Ltd) |
| 37719311000001108 | FemSeven Sequi patches (Pilsco Ltd) |
| | Fentalis Reservoir transdermal patches (Sandoz Ltd) – all strengths |
| 35146611000001105 | Glytactin Restore 5 oral powder 20g sachets (Flavour Not Specified) |
| 21915711000001104 | iQ Cath integral gel sachet catheter male 18Ch IQ3104.18 (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |
| | iQ Cath Original Solo double wrapped hydrophilic catheter male 10Ch/16Ch/18Ch (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |
| | iQ Cath Solo for Gel double wrapped catheter male 12Ch/14Ch/16h IQ3014.12 (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |
| | K+IC sheath 18mm/20mm/22mm/37mm/40mm (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |
| 29370511000001106 | LBF Hydrosolve barrier film wipes 3828 (CliniMed Ltd) |
| 20475011000001102 | Mabron 100mg modified-release tablets (Teva UK Ltd) |
| 30961211000001103 | Mepiseal sealant (Molnlycke Health Care Ltd) |
| 38041911000001105 | Minims chloramphenicol 0.5% eye drops 0.5ml unit dose (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 4793211000001106 | NeisVac-C vaccine suspension for injection 0.5ml pre-filled syringes (Pfizer Ltd) |
| 6072511000001102 | Option colostomy bag mini 1010K Cut to fit 10mm-50mm Opaque (Oakmed Ltd) |
| 34503111000001101 | OroNAC 600 effervescent tablets (Rhodes Pharma Ltd) |
| 10188711000001103 | Petyme 400microgram MR capsules (Teva UK Ltd) |
| 37697611000001103 | Phenergan 25mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 3287411000001108 | Phyllocontin Continus 225mg tablets (Napp Pharmaceuticals Ltd) |
| 7953411000001100 | Proceli gluten free pizza base (Ambe Ltd) |
| 4569311000001103 | Remegel 800mg chewable tablets mint (SSL International Plc) |
| 343311000001101 | Risperdal 1mg/ml oral solution (Janssen-Cilag Ltd) |
| | Risperdal 3mg and 4mg tablets (Janssen-Cilag Ltd) |
| 10709111000001102 | Smartflow non-drainable night drainage bag NB26 2.6litre (Manfred Sauer UK Ltd) |

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| 4996211000001108 | Sustiva 600mg tablets (Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharmaceuticals Ltd) |
| | Transiderm-Nitro 5 and 10 transdermal patches (Pilsco Ltd) |
| 19256011000001105 | VitA-POS eye ointment preservative free (Scope Ophthalmics Ltd) |
| 39379011000001105 | Vizidor 20mg/ml eye drops (Bausch & Lomb UK Ltd) |
| 39381911000001102 | Vizidor Duo 20mg/ml / 5mg/ml eye drops (Bausch & Lomb UK Ltd) |
| 34922111000001106 | Woulgan gel (H & R Healthcare Ltd) |
| 37737611000001103 | Zacin 0.025% cream (Pilsco Ltd) |
| | Zydol XL 150mg and 200mg tablets (Grunenthal Ltd) |

b) Discontinued / not available generics:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
|-------------------|--|
| 13663211000001104 | Aminophylline hydrate 225mg modified-release tablets |
| 34930911000001108 | Bioactive soluble beta-glucan gel |
| 4598211000001104 | Calcium carbonate 800mg chewable tablets |
| 3465811000001103 | Glucose liquid BPC 1963 |
| 333668007 | Meningococcal C conjugate vaccine suspension for injection 0.5ml pre-filled syringes |

8) Reinstated items:

No significant changes

9) Drug class changes:

No significant changes

10) Black triangle changes:

a) Black triangle added to brands: *No significant changes*

b) Black triangle removed from brands:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
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| | Ongentys 50mg capsules – all manufacturers |
| 31362811000001106 | Penthrox inhalation vapour 3ml bottles with device (Galen Ltd) |
| 10626311000001106 | Tysabri 300mg/15ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Biogen Idec Ltd) |

c) Black triangle added to generics: *No significant changes*

d) Black triangle removed from generics:

| DM+D Code | Drug Name |
|-------------------|--|
| 31363111000001105 | Methoxyflurane 99.9% inhalation vapour 3ml bottles with device |
| 36030311000001108 | Natalizumab 300mg/15ml solution for infusion vials |
| 33495211000001103 | Opicapone 50mg capsules |