

Gemscript Bulletin - 2024 Nov v.01

1) General information

Welcome to the November edition of the Gemscript bulletin.

Best regards,

The Pharmacy Team

2) Major clinical changes

The following have all been updated with the latest MHRA guidance:

- **GLP-1 receptor agonists:** reminder of the potential side effects and to be aware of the potential for misuse
- **Bromocriptine:** monitor blood pressure when prescribing bromocriptine for prevention or inhibition of post-partum physiological lactation

3) New brands added to Gemscript this month:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
	A8 TouchCare Nano 200U/300IU insulin pump base system (Medtrum Ltd)
	A8 TouchCare Nano 200U/300IU insulin pump base system with Personal Diabetes Manager (PDM) handset (Medtrum Ltd)
	A8 TouchCare Nano 200U/300IU reservoir patch (Medtrum Ltd)
	Amgevita 20mg/0.2ml & 40mg/0.4ml solution for injection pre-filled syringes (Amgen Ltd)
	Augmentin 125/31 & 250/62 oral suspension (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd)
43647411000001100	Augmentin 250/62 oral suspension (Sigma Pharmaceuticals Plc)
	Augmentin-Duo 400/57 oral suspension (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd) (Sigma Pharmaceuticals Plc)

	Ayvakyt 25mg & 50mg tablets (Blueprint Medicines (UK) Ltd)
43908611000001106	Cequa 0.9mg/ml eye drops 0.25ml unit dose (Sun Pharma UK Ltd)
43809911000001102	Dana 3cc insulin pump cartridge DAC-002-01 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43810511000001104	Dana Autosetter 3.1 SA392 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43804911000001103	Dana CamAPS FX insulin pump kit DAC-132-EN-CAMAPS (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43804511000001105	Dana Diabecare i insulin pump kit DAC-132-EN (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
	Dana Easy Release infusion set 4.5mm & 7mm steel cannula, 60cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43810811000001101	Dana EasySetter SA502 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43812311000001109	Dana I Battery Cap SA521 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43812611000001104	Dana I Cartridge Cap SA531 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43805111000001102	Dana Inset II infusion set 86-046-52C6 6mm teflon cannula, 46cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
	Dana Inset II infusion set 6mm/9mm teflon cannula, 60cm/80cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43811111000001102	Dana Linking Screw SA510 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43811311000001100	Dana RS Battery Cap SA520 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43811611000001105	Dana RS Cartridge Cap SA530 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43808511000001103	Dana Soft Release Micro infusion set S6051 5.5mm steel cannula, 60cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43806511000001104	Dana Soft Release O infusion set S3061 6mm teflon cannula, 30cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)

	Dana Soft Release O infusion set 6mm/9mm teflon cannula, 60cm/80cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43810111000001108	Dana Soft Release O inserter DAC-022 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43808911000001105	Dana Soft Release ST infusion set SR102 19mm teflon cannula, 70cm tubing (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43810311000001105	Dana Soft Release ST inserter DAC-023 (Advanced Therapeutics (UK) Ltd)
43802711000001105	Diavic 6mg/ml solution for injection 3ml pre-filled pens (Sun Pharma UK Ltd)
	Elvanse 50mg & 60mg capsules (Pilsco Ltd)
43188311000001103	Emblaveo 1.5g/0.5g powder for concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Pfizer Ltd)
43505311000001104	Heelift AFO heel protector standard (Moorings Mediquip UK Ltd)
	Juzo Confort Coton class 2 (15-20mmHg)/ class 3 (20-36mmHg) below knee closed toe lymphoedema garment extra short/short/standard size I/size II/size III/size IV/size V/size VI Anthracite/ Coolgrey/ Marine/ Moka/ Naturel/ Noir (Juzo UK Ltd)
	Juzo Intenso class 2 (23-32mmHg)/ class 3 (34-46mmHg) below knee closed toe/open toe lymphoedema garment extra short/short/standard size I/size II/size III/size IV/size V/size VI Almond/ Black pepper/ Blueberry/ Cacao/ Cinnamon/ Poppy seed/ Sesame/ Sugar (Juzo UK Ltd)
	Juzo Intenso class 2 (23-32mmHg)/ class 3 (34-46mmHg) below knee closed toe/open toe max lymphoedema garment extra short/short/standard size I/size II/size III/size IV/size V/size VI Almond/ Black pepper/ Blueberry/ Cacao/ Cinnamon/ Poppy seed/ Sesame/ Sugar (Juzo UK Ltd)

	Juzo Intenso class 2 (23-32mmHg)/ class 3 (34-46mmHg) below knee closed toe/open toe with silicone top band lymphoedema garment extra short/short/standard size I/size II/size III/size IV/size V/size VI Almond/ Black pepper/ Blueberry/ Cacao/ Cinnamon/ Poppy seed/ Sesame/ Sugar (Juzo UK Ltd)
	Juzo Intenso class 2 (23-32mmHg)/ class 3 (34-46mmHg) below knee closed toe/open toe with silicone top band max lymphoedema garment extra short/short/standard size I/size II/size III/size IV/size V/size VI Almond/ Black pepper/ Blueberry/ Cacao/ Cinnamon/ Poppy seed/ Sesame/ Sugar (Juzo UK Ltd)
43804011000001102	Lecigon 20mg/ml + 5mg/ml + 20mg/ml intestinal gel 47ml cartridges (Britannia Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
	Leqembi 200mg/2ml & 500mg/5ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Eisai Ltd)
	Ostofom Flowassist two piece ostomy system baseplate Cut to fit 32mm-38mm/25mm-32mm/19mm-25mm (Ostofom Ltd)
	Ostofom Flowassist two piece ostomy system colostomy/ileostomy/urostomy bag 57mm Beige (Ostofom Ltd)
43811011000001103	Piasky 340mg/2ml solution for injection vials (Roche Products Ltd)
43505111000001101	Puroptics Hypromellose 0.3% eye drops (Biovantic Pharma Ltd)
	Sogroya 10mg/1.5ml & 15mg/1.5ml solution for injection pre-filled pens (Novo Nordisk Ltd)
43870811000001108	Spikevax JN.1 COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 50micrograms/0.5ml dose dispersion for injection pre-filled syringes (Moderna, Inc)
43801011000001100	Tildiem 60mg modified-release tablets (Necessity Supplies Ltd)
43879311000001108	Utrogestan 300mg vaginal capsules (Besins Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
43973811000001109	Voltarol 12 Hour Emulgel P 2.32% gel (Necessity Supplies Ltd)
	Xenidate XL 36mg & 54mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd)

4) New generics added to Gemscript this month:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
	Avapritinib 25mg & 50mg tablets
43801411000001109	Aztreonam 1.5g / Avibactam 500mg powder for solution for infusion vials
43801611000001107	Budesonide 4mg suppositories
43989811000001102	Ciclosporin 900micrograms/ml eye drops 0.25ml unit dose preservative free
43801211000001105	Co-amoxiclav 400mg/57mg/5ml oral suspension
43907611000001107	Crovalimab 340mg/2ml solution for injection vials
43813911000001103	Flecainide 25mg/5ml oral solution sugar free
43801511000001108	Gadobutrol 1mmol/ml solution for injection 15ml pre-filled syringes
	Lecanemab 200mg/2ml & 500mg/5ml solution for infusion vials
43813711000001100	Levodopa 20mg/ml / Carbidopa 5mg/ml / Entacapone 20mg/ml intestinal gel 47ml cartridges
43989911000001107	Progesterone micronised 300mg vaginal capsules
	Somapacitan 10mg/1.5ml & 15mg/1.5ml solution for injection pre-filled disposable devices

5) Manufacturer's name changes:

a) Brands:

Previous Name	Current Name
Able Spacer (Clement Clarke International Ltd)	Able Spacer 2 (Clement Clarke International Ltd)
Able Spacer with small/medium mask (Clement Clarke International Ltd)	Able Spacer 2 with small/medium mask (Clement Clarke International Ltd)
Kinetik Wellbeing testing strips (Kinetik Medical Devices Ltd)	Kinetik Wellbeing AG-607 testing strips (Kinetik Medical Devices Ltd)
Metalyse 5,000unit powder and solvent for solution for injection vials (Boehringer Ingelheim Ltd)	Metalyse 5,000unit powder for solution for injection vials (Boehringer Ingelheim Ltd)

Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency No.1/ No.2 solution for injection 5ml ampoules (Kyowa Kirin International UK NewCo Ltd)	Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency No.1/ No.2 concentrate for solution for infusion 5ml ampoules (Kyowa Kirin International UK NewCo Ltd)
Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency solution for injection 5ml and 5ml ampoules (Kyowa Kirin International UK NewCo Ltd)	Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency concentrate for solution for infusion 5ml and 5ml ampoules (Kyowa Kirin International UK NewCo Ltd)

b) Generics:

Previous Name	Current Name
Gadoxetic acid 0.25mmol/ml solution for injection 10ml pre-filled syringes	Gadoxetate disodium 0.25mmol/ml solution for injection 10ml pre-filled syringes
Generic Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency No.1/ No.2 solution for injection 5ml ampoules	Generic Pabrinex Intravenous High Potency No.1/ No.2 concentrate for solution for infusion 5ml ampoules
Tenecteplase 5,000unit powder and solvent for solution for injection vials	Tenecteplase 5,000unit powder for solution for injection vials
Vitamins B and C high potency intravenous solution for injection 5ml and 5ml ampoules	Vitamins B and C high potency intravenous solution for infusion 5ml and 5ml ampoules

c) Manufacturer/Supplier/Organisation Changes:

Previous Name	Current Name
Galapagos Biotech Ltd	Alfasigma UK Ltd
Vanilla Blush	Vanilla Blush Medical Ltd

6) Drug tariff changes:

The Scottish Government have amended the Selected List Scheme 1 (SLS) in relation to (i) Gonadotrophin releasing hormone (GnRH) analogues used as puberty blockers and (ii) Erectile dysfunction treatments

7) **Discontinued and non-available items:**

a) **Discontinued / not available brands:**

DM+D Code	Drug Name
	Augmentin-Duo 400/57 oral suspension (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd) (Sigma Pharmaceuticals Plc)
932211000001108	Augmentin 125/31 SF oral suspension (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd)
	Augmentin 250/62 SF oral suspension (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd) (Sigma Pharmaceuticals Plc)
3891511000001109	Autopen 24 hypodermic insulin injection pen reusable for 3ml cartridge 1 unit dial up / range 1-21 units (Owen Mumford Ltd)
18540411000001106	Benylin Mucus Cough Plus Decongestant syrup (McNeil Products Ltd)
5960111000001105	Blom-Singer foam filter BE1080 (Severn Healthcare Technologies Ltd)
34988611000001109	Blom-Singer HME cartridge ClassicFlow BE1055EZ (Severn Healthcare Technologies Ltd)
42732311000001108	Boots everyday Vitamin C tablets (The Boots Company Plc)
11761011000001109	Boots Mouth Ulcer gel (The Boots Company Plc)
40402411000001109	COVID-19 Vaccine AZD2816 AstraZeneca (ChAdOx1 nCoV-19) 3.5x10,000,000,000 viral particles/0.5ml dose solution for injection multidose vials (AstraZeneca AB)
	COVID-19 Vaccine Covishield (ChAdOx1 S [recombinant]) 5x10,000,000,000 viral particles/0.5ml dose solution for injection multidose vials/ vials (Serum Institute of India)
39230211000001104	COVID-19 Vaccine Janssen (Ad26.COV2-S [recombinant]) 0.5ml dose suspension for injection multidose vials (Janssen-Cilag Ltd)
21613011000001103	Cubicole D3 1,000unit tablets (Cubic Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
	DHC Continus 90mg & 120mg tablets (Ennogen Healthcare International Ltd)
7954211000001101	Efamol Efalex Brain Formula capsules (Wassen International Ltd)

251711000001106	Epanutin Infatabs 50mg chewable tablets (Viatris UK Healthcare Ltd)
30225811000001105	Evotaz 300mg/150mg tablets (Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
41072311000001107	Evusheld 150mg/150mg solution for injection vials (AstraZeneca UK Ltd)
3499111000001109	Flowfusor sodium chloride 0.9% irrigation solution 120ml bottles (Fresenius Kabi Ltd)
	Glensoludex 2mg/4mg/8mg soluble tablets (Glenmark Pharmaceuticals Europe Ltd)
	InVent Convex ileostomy bag with filter Starter hole 15mm-24mm/ 15mm-37mm/ 15mm-46mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
	InVent Convex ileostomy bag with filter 25mm & 30mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
	InVent ileostomy bag with filter Starter hole 15mm-60mm Opaque/ Clear (Dansac Ltd)
6346811000001103	InVent ileostomy bag with filter, anatomical 339-15 Starter hole 15mm-60mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
	InVent ileostomy bag with filter, anatomical 25mm/30mm/35mm/40mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
6360311000001101	InVent Mini ileostomy bag with filter 335-15 Starter hole 15mm-50mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
6389611000001103	InVent Symmetrical Convex ileostomy bag with filter 343-24 Starter hole 15mm-24mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
	InVent Symmetrical Convex ileostomy bag with filter 25mm/30mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
	InVent Symmetrical Convex ileostomy bag with filter Starter hole 15mm-37mm/15mm-46mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
13657711000001106	Lemsip Cold & Flu Blackcurrant oral powder sachets (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
30785211000001109	Lemsip Cough Max for Chesty Cough & Cold oral powder sachets (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
14238011000001109	Lemsip Max All In One Liquid (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)

9465911000001105	Lemsip Max Flu Lemon oral powder sachets (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
35242411000001108	Microcat 50mg/ml oral suspension (Guerbet Laboratories Ltd)
564311000001105	Mizollen 10mg modified-release tablets (Sanofi Consumer Healthcare)
34825611000001101	Natpar 25micrograms/dose powder and solvent for solution for injection cartridges (Takeda UK Ltd)
38606611000001109	Neocate Advance powder (Nutricia Ltd)
8127911000001108	Nova 1 Soft Convex colostomy bag with filter 871-25 25mm Opaque (Dansac Ltd)
8132611000001103	Nova 1 Soft Convex EasiFold ileostomy bag with filter 882-25 5mm convexity, 25mm stoma Clear (Dansac Ltd)
5673611000001102	Nova 2 two piece ostomy system soft convex flange 1443-18 43mm flange, 5mm deep, 18mm stoma (Dansac Ltd)
5672011000001100	Nova X3 two piece ostomy system soft convex flange 1355-32 55mm flange, 3mm deep, 32mm stoma (Dansac Ltd)
31191311000001100	Nucala 100mg powder for solution for injection vials (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd)
23649811000001108	Nurofen for Children Cold, Pain and Fever Orange Flavour 100mg/5ml oral suspension (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
	Optiray 300 & 350 solution for infusion 100ml power injector pre-filled syringes (Guerbet Laboratories Ltd)
4070911000001101	Optrex Sore Eyes 13% eye drops (Reckitt Benckiser Healthcare (UK) Ltd)
41075911000001100	Oxbryta 500mg tablets (Pfizer Ltd)
21516711000001104	Pixuvri 29mg powder for concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Servier Laboratories Ltd)
777411000001104	Portia arm sling (Bray Group Ltd)
9168011000001104	Primovist 0.25mmol/ml solution for injection 10ml pre-filled syringes (Bayer Plc)
41072911000001108	Promin low protein cereal (Flavour Not Specified)
41073311000001102	Promin low protein cereal banana (Firstplay Dietary Foods Ltd)
43010311000001106	SunVit-D3 10,000units/ml oral drops (SunVit-D3 Ltd)

43136511000001103	Tegretol 100mg/5ml liquid (Imported)
5694111000001100	Zyprexa 10mg powder for solution for injection vials (Nordic Pharma Ltd)

b) Discontinued / not available generics:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
3425011000001102	Arm sling web adjustable
30251911000001101	Atazanavir 300mg / Cobicistat 150mg tablets
35242311000001101	Barium sulfate 250mg/5ml oral suspension sugar free
36565811000001104	Co-amoxiclav 125mg/31mg/5ml oral suspension sugar free
43145511000001109	Desmopressin 4micrograms/1ml solution for injection vials
18083711000001101	Domperidone 10mg orodispersible tablets sugar free
4367511000001100	Guaifenesin 100mg/5ml / Pseudoephedrine 30mg/5ml oral solution
36053811000001107	Hamamelis water 13% eye drops
	loversol 636mg/ml (Iodine 300mg/ml) & 741mg/ml (Iodine 350mg/ml) solution for infusion 100ml pre-filled syringes
11764211000001102	Lidocaine 0.6% / Cetylpyridinium chloride 0.02% oromucosal gel
31210311000001108	Mepolizumab 100mg powder for solution for injection vials
39108011000001100	Mizolastine 10mg modified-release tablets
9469611000001101	Paracetamol 1g / Pseudoephedrine 60mg oral powder sachets
34825511000001100	Parathyroid hormone 25micrograms/71.4microlitre dose powder and solvent for solution for injection cartridges
21516311000001103	Pixantrone 29mg powder for solution for infusion vials
	Sodium chloride 0.9% irrigation solution 120ml & 1litre bottles
41088711000001103	Tixagevimab 150mg/1.5ml solution for injection vials and Cilgavimab 150mg/1.5ml solution for injection vials
41076511000001100	Voxelotor 500mg tablets
6512511000001107	Water for irrigation 1litre bottles

8) Reinstated items:
a) Reinstated brands:

No significant changes

b) Reinstated generics:

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
21572511000001100	Adcetris 50mg powder for concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Takeda UK Ltd)
36877711000001107	Delstrigo 100mg/300mg/245mg tablets (Merck Sharp & Dohme (UK) Ltd)
36878811000001100	Pifeltro 100mg tablets (Merck Sharp & Dohme (UK) Ltd)
39485811000001100	Ultomiris 1,100mg/11ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Alexion Pharma UK Ltd)
39485511000001103	Ultomiris 300mg/3ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Alexion Pharma UK Ltd)

c) Black triangle added to generics:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
42683011000001100	Artesunate 110mg powder and solvent for solution for injection vials

d) Black triangle removed from generics:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
21572311000001106	Brentuximab vedotin 50mg powder for solution for infusion vials
36903711000001103	Doravirine 100mg tablets
39695911000001106	Imatinib 400mg capsules
36903911000001101	Lamivudine 300mg / Tenofovir disoproxil 245mg / Doravirine 100mg tablets
	Ravulizumab 300mg/3ml & 1.1g/11ml solution for infusion vials