

## Gemscript Bulletin - 2023 Oct v.01

### 1) General information

Welcome to the October 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:

- **Statins:** very infrequent reports of myasthenia gravis
- **Fluoroquinolone antibiotics:** suicidal thoughts and behavior

### 3) New brands added to Gemscript this month:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
4219821100000 1104	AceNic 50mg capsules (Essential-Healthcare Ltd)
4219771100000 1105	Advagraf 1mg modified-release capsules (Pilsco Ltd)
4222311100000 1107	Arexvy vaccine powder and suspension for suspension for injection 0.5ml vials (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd)
4218471100000 1102	Barkat gluten free baking powder (Gluten Free Foods Ltd)
4225861100000 1107	Brown & Burk Once-A-Day Hayfever & Allergy 10mg tablets (Brown & Burk UK Ltd)
	Camzyos <b>2.5mg &amp; 5mg</b> capsules (Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
4217961100000 1104	Care Epsom Salts (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
4214071100000 1100	CareSens S testing strips (Spirit Healthcare Ltd)
4225011100000 1101	Ceyesto 1mg/ml oral solution (Alturix Ltd)
4224631100000 1103	Decapeptyl SR 22.5mg powder and solvent for suspension for injection vials (Pilsco Ltd)
4226371100000 1104	Domnisol 266microgram capsules (Flynn Pharma Ltd)
	Doves Farm gluten free <b>brown bread flour/rice flour/white bread flour/white plain flour</b> (Doves Farm Foods Ltd)

4220111100000 1102	Equazen Baby oral liquid in capsules for opening (Soho Flordis UK Ltd)
4216621100000 1102	Hydraseal dressing 10cm x 20cm rectangular (Zelador Ltd)
4217331100000 1106	Imjudo 300mg/15ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (AstraZeneca UK Ltd)
	Innovative Solutions Pure gluten free <b>respectrum flour/ tapioca flour/ white teff flour</b> (Innovative Solutions (UK) Ltd)
	Iremia <b>67microgram/133microgram/267microgram/400microgram/533microgram &amp; 800microgram</b> sublingual tablets (Kent Pharma (UK) Ltd)
	Mrs Crimble's gluten free <b>chocolate mini macaroons/ giant choc macaroons/ jam coconut rings/ large choc coconut rings/ large choc macaroons/ mini macaroons/ jam coconut rings &amp; mixed berry flapjacks</b> (Stiletto Foods (UK) Ltd)
4214531100000 1106	Natklor 5% eye drops preservative free (Blumont Healthcare Ltd)
4215001100000 1100	Ocufresh Everyday 0.2% eye drops preservative free (Blumont Healthcare Ltd)
4215421100000 1102	Ocufresh Intense Relief 0.4% eye drops preservative free (Blumont Healthcare Ltd)
4223151100000 1104	Opfolda 65mg capsules (Amicus Therapeutics UK Operations Ltd)
4211691100000 1105	Orgran gluten free no egg natural egg replacer (Healthy Food Brands Ltd)
4218161100000 1109	PKU Lophlex Select 20 liquid (Nutricia Ltd)
4223121100000 1102	Pombiliti 105mg powder for concentrate for solution for infusion vials (Amicus Therapeutics UK Operations Ltd)
4223421100000 1100	ProSource 20 liquid (Nutrinovo Ltd)
	Quviviq <b>25mg &amp; 50mg</b> tablets (Idorsia Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd)
4217351100000 1100	Saxenda 6mg/ml solution for injection 3ml pre-filled pens (Pharmaram Ltd)
	Sigvaris Style Patterns (15-20mmHg) below knee closed toe lymphoedema garment <b>long/normal small/medium/large/extra large</b> Black <b>chequered/polka dot</b> (Sigvaris Britain Ltd)

	Sigvaris Style Patterns (15-20mmHg) thigh length closed toe lymphoedema garment <b>long/normal small/medium/large/extra large</b> Black <b>chequered/polka dot</b> (Sigvaris Britain Ltd)
	Sigvaris Style Patterns (15-20mmHg) tights closed toe lymphoedema garment <b>long/normal small/medium/large/extra large</b> Black <b>chequered/mosaic/polka dot</b> (Sigvaris Britain Ltd)
42249011000001107	Skyrizi 360mg/2.4ml solution for injection cartridges (AbbVie Ltd)
42248711000001100	Skyrizi 600mg/10ml concentrate for solution for infusion vials (AbbVie Ltd)
42260811000001100	Tecentriq 1875mg/15ml solution for injection vials (Roche Products Ltd)
	Treposuvi <b>10mg/10ml, 25mg/10ml, 50mg/10ml &amp; 100mg/10ml</b> solution for infusion vials (AOP Orphan Ltd)
42144811000001103	Vipdomet 12.5mg/1000mg tablets (Pharmaram Ltd)
	Wegovy FlexTouch <b>0.25mg/0.37ml &amp; 0.5mg/0.37ml</b> solution for injection 1.5ml pre-filled pens (Novo Nordisk Ltd)
	Wegovy FlexTouch <b>1mg/0.75ml, 1.7mg/0.75ml &amp; 2.4mg/0.75ml</b> solution for injection 3ml pre-filled pens (Novo Nordisk Ltd)
42173811000001102	Zebinix 800mg tablets (Pharmaram Ltd)
	Zeyzelf <b>4.6mg/24hours &amp; 9.5mg/24hours</b> twice weekly transdermal patches (Luye Pharma Ltd)

#### 4) New generics added to Gemscript this month:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
42264711000001102	Atezolizumab 1.875g/15ml solution for injection vials
	Azathioprine <b>75mg &amp; 100mg</b> tablets
42265011000001100	Calcifediol 266microgram capsules
	Chloral hydrate <b>143mg/5ml &amp; 200mg/5ml</b> oral solution sugar free
42235011000001109	Cipaglucosidase alfa 105mg powder for solution for infusion vials
42265111000001104	Clobazam 20mg tablets
	Daridorexant <b>25mg &amp; 50mg</b> tablets
42201811000001109	Fentanyl 67microgram sublingual tablets sugar free
42235311000001107	Generic Barkat gluten free baking powder
	Generic Doves Farm gluten free brown <b>bread flour/rice flour/white bread flour/white plain flour</b>
42201911000001104	Generic Equazen Baby oral liquid in capsules for opening
	Generic Innovative Solutions Pure gluten free <b>spectrum flour/tapioca flour/white teff flour</b>
	Generic Mrs Crimble's gluten free <b>giant macaroons/jam coconut rings/large coconut rings/large jam coconut rings/large macaroons</b>
42236611000001107	Generic Orgran gluten free no egg natural egg replacer
42265211000001105	Generic PKU Lophlex Select 20 liquid
42236711000001103	Generic ProSource 20 liquid gluten free sugar free
42159811000001102	Hydrocolloid dressing thin semi-permeable sterile without adhesive border 10cm x 20cm rectangular
	Mavacamten <b>2.5mg &amp; 5mg</b> capsules
42236811000001106	Miglustat 65mg capsules
42236911000001101	Nicotinamide 50mg capsules
42202211000001101	Omeprazole 1mg/ml oral suspension sugar free
42237011000001102	Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) vaccine (recombinant, adjuvanted) powder and suspension for suspension for injection 0.5ml vials
42251811000001100	Risankizumab 360mg/2.4ml solution for injection cartridges
42251911000001105	Risankizumab 600mg/10ml solution for infusion vials
	Sapropterin <b>100mg &amp; 500mg</b> oral powder sachets sugar free
42237311000001104	Semaglutide 0.25mg/0.37ml solution for injection 1.5ml pre-filled disposable device

	Semaglutide <b>1mg/0.75ml, 1.7mg/0.75ml &amp; 2.4mg/0.75ml</b> solution for injection 3ml pre-filled disposable device
42237711000001100	Tremelimumab 300mg/15ml solution for infusion vials

## 5) Manufacturer's name changes:

### a) Brands:

Previous Name	Current Name
Accrete D3 One a Day 1000mg/880unit chewable tablets (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	Accrete D3 One a Day 1000mg/880unit chewable tablets (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
Aethoxysklerol <b>10mg/2ml, 20mg/2ml &amp; 60mg/2ml</b> solution for injection ampoules (Ferndale Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	Aethoxysklerol <b>10mg/2ml, 20mg/2ml &amp; 60mg/2ml</b> solution for injection ampoules (Kora Healthcare)
Avene XeraCalm A.D Lipid-Replenishing <b>balm/Cleansing oil/cream</b> (Pierre Fabre Dermo-Cosmetique)	Avene XeraCalm A.D Lipid-Replenishing <b>balm/Cleansing oil/cream</b> (Pierre Fabre Ltd)
Comirnaty XBB.1.5 Children 5-11 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 10micrograms/0.3ml dose dispersion for injection multidose vials (Pfizer Ltd)	Comirnaty Omicron XBB.1.5 Children 5-11 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 10micrograms/0.3ml dose dispersion for injection multidose vials (Pfizer Ltd)
Comirnaty XBB.1.5 Children 6 months - 4 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 3micrograms/0.2ml dose concentrate for dispersion for injection multidose vials (Pfizer Ltd)	Comirnaty Omicron XBB.1.5 Children 6 months - 4 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 3micrograms/0.2ml dose concentrate for dispersion for injection multidose vials (Pfizer Ltd)
E-D3 <b>1,000unit &amp; 2,500unit</b> capsules (Ennogen Healthcare Ltd)	E-D3 <b>1,000unit &amp; 2,500unit</b> capsules (Ennogen Healthcare International Ltd)
Juzo Inspiration class 1 (18-21mmHg) below knee open toe with silicone top band lymphoedema garment standard <b>sizeV/sizeVI</b> Poppy seed (Juzo UK Ltd)	Juzo Inspiration class 1 (18-21mmHg) below knee open toe with silicone top band lymphoedema garment standard <b>size V/size VI</b> Poppy seed (Juzo UK Ltd)
O.R.S Oral Rehydration Salts soluble tablets <b>blackcurrant/lemon/strawberry</b> (Clinova Ltd)	O.R.S Oral Rehydration Salts ORS soluble tablets <b>blackcurrant/lemon/strawberry</b> (Clinova Ltd)
Praluent 150mg/1ml solution for injection pre-filled pens (Sanofi Consumer Healthcare)	Praluent 150mg/1ml solution for injection pre-filled pens (Sanofi)

Rapilose 40% gel (Galen Ltd)	Rapilose 40% gel (Penlan Healthcare Ltd)
Rapilose OGTT solution (Galen Ltd)	Rapilose OGTT solution (Penlan Healthcare Ltd)
Rizmoic 200microgram tablets (Shionogi BV)	Rizmoic 200microgram tablets (Sandoz Ltd)
Spherox implantation suspension <b>applicators/ pre-filled syringes</b> (co.don AG)	Spherox implantation suspension <b>applicators/ pre-filled syringes</b> (CO.DON GmbH)
Sunosi <b>75mg &amp; 150mg</b> tablets (Axsome Malta Ltd)	Sunosi <b>75mg &amp; 150mg</b> tablets (Atrnabs Pharma UK Ltd)
Vistogard 10g oral granules sachets (WEP Clinical)	Vistogard 10g oral granules sachets (Protherics Medicines Development Ltd)
Zypadhera <b>210mg/300mg/405mg</b> powder and solvent for suspension for injection vials (Eli Lilly and Company Ltd)	Zypadhera <b>210mg/300mg/405mg</b> powder and solvent for suspension for injection vials (Neon Healthcare Ltd)
Zyprexa <b>2.5mg/5mg/7.5mg/10mg/15mg/20mg</b> tablets (Eli Lilly and Company Ltd)	Zyprexa <b>2.5mg/5mg/7.5mg/10mg/15mg/20mg</b> tablets (Neon Healthcare Ltd)
Zyprexa <b>5mg/10mg/15mg/20mg</b> Velotabs (Eli Lilly and Company Ltd)	Zyprexa <b>5mg/10mg/15mg/20mg</b> Velotabs (Neon Healthcare Ltd)

### b) Generics:

Previous Name	Current Name
Generic Comirnaty XBB.1.5 Children 5-11 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 10micrograms/0.3ml dose dispersion for injection multidose vials	Generic Comirnaty Omicron XBB.1.5 Children 5-11 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 10micrograms/0.3ml dose dispersion for injection multidose vials
Generic Comirnaty XBB.1.5 Children 6 months - 4 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 3micrograms/0.2ml dose concentrate for dispersion for injection multidose vials	Generic Comirnaty Omicron XBB.1.5 Children 6 months - 4 years COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine 3micrograms/0.2ml dose concentrate for dispersion for injection multidose vials
Generic O.R.S Oral Rehydration Salts soluble tablets	Generic O.R.S Oral Rehydration Salts ORS soluble tablets
Glyceryl trinitrate 2% ointment	Glyceryl trinitrate 2% transdermal ointment

**c) Manufacturer/Supplier/Organisation Changes:**

Previous Name	Current Name
co.don AG	CO.DON GmbH

**6) Drug tariff changes:**

No significant changes.

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

DM+D Code	Drug Name
19546011000001102	Askina Calgitrol Ag dressing 15cm x 15cm square (B.Braun Medical Ltd)
	Askina Derm dressing <b>6cm x 7cm/10cm x 12cm/10cm x 20cm/15cm x 20cm/ 20cm x 30cm</b> (B.Braun Medical Ltd)
18441211000001109	Askina SilNet dressing 20cm x 30cm (B.Braun Medical Ltd)
	ATOMAID <b>10mg/18mg/25mg/40mg/60mg/80mg/100mg</b> capsules (Dr Reddy's Laboratories (UK) Ltd)
37567511000001107	Atopiclair lotion (Alliance Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
27484511000001107	Avene XeraCalm A.D Lipid-Replenishing Cleansing oil (Pierre Fabre Ltd)
15415211000001109	Barkat gluten free baking powder (Gluten Free Foods Ltd)
24985011000001106	Benylin Chesty Cough & Cold tablets (McNeil Products Ltd)
10726511000001105	Benylin Cold & Flu Max Strength capsules (McNeil Products Ltd)
37624111000001109	CellCept 500mg tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
37624511000001100	Circadin 2mg modified-release tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
	Consion XL <b>8mg/16mg/24mg</b> capsules (Dr Reddy's Laboratories (UK) Ltd)
23364211000001105	Denela 5% cream (Teva UK Ltd)
39480811000001106	Dermovate 0.05% scalp application (Pilsco Ltd)
4354911000001109	Diprivan 1% emulsion for injection 20ml ampoules (Aspen Pharma Trading Ltd)
4763811000001109	Diprivan 2% emulsion for infusion 50ml pre-filled syringes (Aspen Pharma Trading Ltd)
	Doves Farm gluten free <b>brown bread flour/rice flour/white bread flour/white plain flour</b> (Doves Farm Foods Ltd)
37636711000001103	Evorel Conti patches (Pilsco Ltd)
37637011000001102	Femoston-conti 1mg/5mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd)

38912311000001101	Forxiga 5mg tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
39360211000001103	Fostair NEXThaler 100micrograms/dose / 6micrograms/dose dry powder inhaler (Pilsco Ltd)
	Inhixa <b>100mg/1ml &amp; 80mg/0.8ml</b> solution for injection pre-filled syringes (Ethigen Ltd)
	Innovative Solutions Pure gluten free <b>respectrum flour/tapioca flour/white teff flour</b> (Innovative Solutions (UK) Ltd)
3498811000001109	Irriclens sodium chloride 0.9% irrigation solution aerosol spray (ConvaTec Ltd)
4363611000001109	J Collis Browne's mixture (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
37668011000001108	Januvia 25mg tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
17294111000001101	Lamberts L-Lysine 500mg tablets (Lamberts Healthcare Ltd)
37672811000001107	Latuda 74mg tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
4190111000001103	Marcain 0.25% solution for injection 10ml Polyamp Steripack ampoules (Aspen Pharma Trading Ltd)
40748011000001103	Mevalia low protein egg replacer (Vitaflo International Ltd)
38049511000001102	Minims pilocarpine nitrate 2% eye drops 0.5ml unit dose (Pilsco Ltd)
	Mrs Crimble's gluten free <b>giant choc macaroon/ jam coconut rings/ large choc coconut rings/ large choc macaroons/ large jam coconut rings/ mini chocolate macaroons/ mixed berry flapjacks</b> (Stiletto Foods (UK) Ltd)
17515811000001103	Natures Aid Co-Q-10 300mg capsules (Natures Aid Ltd)
17371911000001102	Natures Aid Vegetarian Glucosamine hydrochloride 1000mg tablets (Natures Aid Ltd)
37693711000001102	Neupro 2mg/24hours transdermal patches (Ethigen Ltd)
4092411000001104	Nootropil 33% oral solution (UCB Pharma Ltd)
35396011000001102	Nutrilis powder (Nutricia Ltd)
15626311000001103	OneTouch Comfort lancets 0.2mm/33gauge (LifeScan)
17168211000001101	Orgran gluten free no egg natural egg replacer (Healthy Food Brands Ltd)
37696611000001100	OxyNorm 10mg capsules (Pilsco Ltd)
33054211000001103	Panitaz 5micrograms/hour transdermal patches (Dr Reddy's Laboratories (UK) Ltd)
	Prograf <b>500microgram &amp; 1mg</b> capsules (Pilsco Ltd)
39102011000001103	Ristaben 100mg tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
	Septopal Chain <b>(10 beads) 75mg &amp; (30 beads) 225mg</b> implant (Zimmer Biomet)



8752211000001106	Septopal Minichain (10 beads) 28mg implant (Zimmer Biomet)
39360411000001104	Sereflo 25micrograms/dose / 125micrograms/dose inhaler (Pilsco Ltd)
37702411000001105	Seretide 250 Evohaler (Pilsco Ltd)
22211511000001106	Sudafed Mucus Relief Day & Night capsules (McNeil Products Ltd)
37731711000001103	Toviaz 4mg modified-release tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
7312411000001106	Ultiva 2mg powder for solution for injection vials (Aspen Pharma Trading Ltd)
36656911000001104	ViePax XL 225mg tablets (Dexcel-Pharma Ltd)
	Xelevia <b>50mg &amp; 100mg</b> tablets (Ethigen Ltd)
41080411000001106	Xelevia 50mg tablets (Pilsco Ltd)
40480211000001108	Yasmin tablets (Pilsco Ltd)
	Zibor <b>2,500units/0.2ml &amp; 3,500units/0.2ml</b> solution for injection pre-filled syringes (ROVI Biotech Ltd)
37348111000001107	Zyban 150mg modified-release tablets (CST Pharma Ltd)

**b) Discontinued / not available generics:**

DM+D Code	Drug Name
5114311000001100	Apis mellifica 30c homeopathic pillules
5114911000001104	Arnica montana 30c homeopathic pillules
5115411000001108	Belladonna 30c homeopathic pillules
	Bemiparin sodium <b>2,500units/0.2ml &amp; 3,500units/0.2ml</b> solution for injection pre-filled syringes
5117511000001103	Cantharis vesicatoria 30c homeopathic pillules
5118211000001102	Chamomilla 30c homeopathic pillules
27945211000001100	Creatine 1g tablets
5119711000001100	Drosera rotundifolia 30c homeopathic pillules
3458511000001101	Fluconazole 200mg/100ml solution for infusion vials
5041211000001105	Gelsemium sempervirens 30c homeopathic pillules
27622811000001109	Generic Avene XeraCalm A.D Lipid-Replenishing Cleansing oil
40753311000001106	Generic Mevalia low protein egg replacer
35385111000001108	Generic Nutilis powder
	Gentamicin <b>28mg, 75mg &amp; 225mg</b> implant
	Gluten free <b>cake/egg/replacer flour</b>
5123611000001104	Hypericum perforatum 30c homeopathic pillules
5124011000001108	Ignatia amara 30c homeopathic pillules
5124411000001104	Ipecacuanha 30c homeopathic pillules
5124811000001102	Kalium bichromicum 30c homeopathic pillules

5125711000001109	Ledum palustre 30c homeopathic pillules
5125911000001106	Lycopodium clavatum 30c homeopathic pillules
5127311000001102	Mercurius vivus 30c homeopathic pillules
4367311000001106	Morphine 1mg/5ml / Peppermint oil 1.5microlitres/5ml oral solution
	Nux vomica <b>6c &amp; 30c</b> homeopathic pillules
42134911000001107	Piracetam 333.3mg/ml oral solution sugar free
5130211000001108	Pulsatilla pratensis 30c homeopathic pillules
5130611000001105	Rhus toxicodendron 30c homeopathic pillules
5131111000001108	Ruta graveolens 30c homeopathic pillules
5131611000001100	Sepia officinalis 30c homeopathic pillules
37616211000001103	Sodium hyaluronate lotion
17528411000001100	Ubidecarenone 300mg capsules
18684711000001105	Vardenafil 10mg orodispersible tablets sugar free

## 8) Reinstated items:

### a) Reinstated brands:

No significant changes.

### b) Reinstated generics:

No significant changes.

## 9) Drug class changes:

### a) New:

No significant changes.

### b) Edited:

No significant changes.

## 10) Black triangle changes:

### a) Black triangle added to brands:

DM+D Code	Drug Name
41780111000001104	COVID-19 Vaccine Bimervax (recombinant, adjuvanted) 40micrograms/0.5ml dose emulsion for injection multidose vials (Hipra Human Health S.L.U.)

### b) Black triangle removed from brands:

No significant changes.

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**c) Black triangle added to generics:**

DM+D Code	Drug Name
41779711000001103	Generic COVID-19 Vaccine Bimervax (recombinant, adjuvanted) 40micrograms/0.5ml dose emulsion for injection multidose vials

**d) Black triangle removed from generics:**

No significant changes.