

Bulletin #1054

May 31, 2021

NB Drug Plans Formulary Update Maximum Allowable Price (MAP) List

Included in this bulletin:

- Drug product additions
 - New products will be reimbursed up to the category MAP effective May 31, 2021.
- Temporary drug product additions
 - Under the [interim order](#) in relation to COVID-19, Health Canada is allowing certain drugs that may not fully meet regulatory requirements to be imported and sold in Canada. Eligible drugs are those designated as a [Tier 3 shortage](#).
 - These products will be listed as temporary benefits on the NB Drug Plans Formulary and will be reimbursed up to the category MAP effective May 31, 2021.
- Drug price changes
 - Price decreases for products that were already listed on the NB Drug Plans Formulary will be reimbursed up to the new category MAP effective June 21, 2021. Prior to June 21, 2021, these products will be reimbursed up to the previous MAP.
 - Price increases for products that were already listed on the NB Drug Plans Formulary will be reimbursed up to the new category MAP effective May 31, 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at 1-800-332-3691.

The Formulary Updates are available online: www.qnb.ca/0212/BenefitUpdates-e.asp. To unsubscribe from the NB Drug Plans emailed announcements, please send a message to info@nbdugs-medicamentsnb.ca.

Drug Product Additions

Drug/Form/Route/Strength		Tradename	DIN	MFR	Plans	MAP	
Amlodipine							
Tab	Orl	5 mg	Jamp-Amlodipine	02357194	JPC	ADEFGV	0.1343
		10 mg	Jamp-Amlodipine	02357208	JPC	ADEFGV	0.1993
Cetirizine							
Tab	Orl	10 mg	Jamp Cetirizine	02451778	JPC	G	0.2223
Deferasirox							
Tab	Orl	90 mg	Sandoz Deferasirox (Type J)	02489899	SDZ	(SA)	2.6303
		180 mg	Sandoz Deferasirox (Type J)	02489902	SDZ	(SA)	5.2610
		360 mg	Sandoz Deferasirox (Type J)	02489910	SDZ	(SA)	10.5228
Dutasteride							
Cap	Orl	0.5 mg	Priva-Dutasteride	02490587	PHP	ADEFGV	0.3027
Fluticasone							
Aem	Inh	250 mcg	Apo-Fluticasone HFA	02510987	APX	ABDEFGV	0.3752
Imatinib							
Tab	Orl	100 mg	Imatinib	02504596	SAS	ADEFGV	5.2079
			Jamp Imatinib	02495066	JPC		
		400 mg	Imatinib	02504618	SAS	ADEFGV	20.8314
			Jamp Imatinib	02495074	JPC		
Letrozole							
Tab	Orl	2.5 mg	Letrozole	02504472	SAS	ADEFV	1.3780
Levetiracetam							
Tab	Orl	250 mg	Levetiracetam Tablets	02399776	AHI	ADEFGV	0.3210
		500 mg	Levetiracetam Tablets	02399784	AHI	ADEFGV	0.3911
		750 mg	Levetiracetam Tablets	02399792	AHI	ADEFGV	0.5416
Meropenem							
Pws	Inj	1 g	Meropenem for Injection	02493349	STR	ADEFGVW	18.4450
Mycophenolic Acid							
ECT	Orl	180 mg	Mar-Mycophenolic Acid	02511673	MAR	ADEFGRV	0.9989
		360 mg	Mar-Mycophenolic Acid	02511681	MAR	ADEFGRV	1.9977
Scopolamine							
Liq	Inj	0.6 mg/mL	Scopolamine Hydrobromide	02242811	OMG	ADEFVW	6.0000

Temporary Benefit Additions

Drug/Form/Route/Strength	Tradename	PIN	MFR	Plans	MAP
Medroxyprogesterone Susp Inj 150 mg/mL	Depo-Provera US-Labelled	09858134	PFI	DEFGV	31.6900

Drug Price Changes

Drug/Form/Route/Strength	Tradename	DIN	MFR	Plans	MAP
Deferasirox Tab Orl 90 mg	Apo-Deferasirox (Type J)	02485265	APX	(SA)	2.6303
	Taro-Deferasirox (Type J)	02507315	TAR		
	Apo-Deferasirox (Type J)	02485273	APX		
180 mg	Taro-Deferasirox (Type J)	02507323	TAR	(SA)	5.2610
	Apo-Deferasirox (Type J)	02485281	APX	(SA)	10.5228
360 mg	Taro-Deferasirox (Type J)	02507331	TAR		
	Fluticasone Aem Inh 250 mcg	pms-Fluticasone HFA	02503131	PMS	ABDEFGV
Mycophenolic Acid ECT Orl 180 mg	Apo-Mycophenolic Acid	02372738	APX	ADEFGRV	0.9989
	Apo-Mycophenolic Acid	02372746	APX	ADEFGRV	1.9977
Methylphenidate Tab Orl 20 mg	Apo-Methylphenidate	02249332	APX	ADEFGV	0.3387
	pms-Methylphenidate	00585009	PMS		
Phytomenadione Liq IM 1 mg / 0.5 mL	Vitamin K	00781878	SDZ	ADEFGVW	10.3800
	Vitamin K	00804312	SDZ	ADEFGVW	5.8800
Raloxifene Tab Orl 60 mg	Act Raloxifene	02358840	TEV	ADEFV	1.0268
	Apo-Raloxifene	02279215	APX		
Valproic Acid ECT Orl 125 mg	Apo-Divalproex	02239698	APX	ADEFVW	0.1539
	Mylan-Divalproex	02458926	MYL		
	Apo-Divalproex	02239699	APX		
250 mg	Mylan-Divalproex	02458934	MYL	ADEFVW	0.2767
	Apo-Divalproex	02239700	APX	ADEFVW	0.5537
500 mg	Mylan-Divalproex	02459019	MYL		