

ADDITIONS

To The Alberta Health & Wellness
Drug Benefit List (AHWDBL)

Effective
November 1, 2008

Summary

New Interchangeable Products Affected by LCA Pricing

pms-Quetiapine 25 mg tablets

Apo-Quetiapine,
CO Quetiapine,
Gen-Quetiapine,
Novo-Quetiapine,
ratio-Quetiapine and
Sandoz Quetiapine
25mg, 100 mg, 200 mg
and 300 mg tablets

New Drug Products Added to the AHWDBL

Alberta Health and Wellness has advised Alberta Blue Cross that the following products will be added to the AHWDBL effective November 1, 2008.

New Interchangeable Products Affected by LCA Pricing

With the addition of Apo-Quetiapine, CO Quetiapine, Gen-Quetiapine, Novo-Quetiapine, pms-Quetiapine, ratio-Quetiapine and Sandoz Quetiapine, new interchangeable groupings will be established as indicated below. The LCA price policy will be applied to these groupings at the prices listed below effective January 1, 2009.

QUETIAPINE FUMARATE

25 MG (BASE) ORAL TABLET

00002296551	PMS-QUETIAPINE	PMS	\$	0.3433
00002313901	APO-QUETIAPINE	APX	\$	0.3458
00002316080	CO QUETIAPINE	COB	\$	0.3458
00002307804	GEN-QUETIAPINE	GPM	\$	0.3458
00002284235	NOVO-QUETIAPINE	NOP	\$	0.3458
00002311704	RATIO-QUETIAPINE	RPH	\$	0.3458
00002313995	SANDOZ QUETIAPINE	SDZ	\$	0.3458
00002236951	SEROQUEL	AZC	\$	0.4942

100 MG (BASE) ORAL TABLET

00002313928	APO-QUETIAPINE	APX	\$	0.9226
00002316099	CO QUETIAPINE	COB	\$	0.9226
00002307812	GEN-QUETIAPINE	GPM	\$	0.9226
00002284243	NOVO-QUETIAPINE	NOP	\$	0.9226
00002311712	RATIO-QUETIAPINE	RPH	\$	0.9226
00002314002	SANDOZ QUETIAPINE	SDZ	\$	0.9226
00002236952	SEROQUEL	AZC	\$	1.3183

200 MG (BASE) ORAL TABLET

00002316110	CO QUETIAPINE	COB	\$	1.8526
00002313936	APO-QUETIAPINE	APX	\$	1.8527
00002307839	GEN-QUETIAPINE	GPM	\$	1.8527
00002284278	NOVO-QUETIAPINE	NOP	\$	1.8527
00002311747	RATIO-QUETIAPINE	RPH	\$	1.8527
00002314010	SANDOZ QUETIAPINE	SDZ	\$	1.8527
00002236953	SEROQUEL	AZC	\$	2.6470

300 MG (BASE) ORAL TABLET

00002316129	CO QUETIAPINE	COB	\$	2.7037
00002313944	APO-QUETIAPINE	APX	\$	2.7038
00002307847	GEN-QUETIAPINE	GPM	\$	2.7038
00002284286	NOVO-QUETIAPINE	NOP	\$	2.7038
00002311755	RATIO-QUETIAPINE	RPH	\$	2.7038
00002314029	SANDOZ QUETIAPINE	SDZ	\$	2.7038
00002244107	SEROQUEL	AZC	\$	3.8625

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New Single Source Product

Diamicron MR 30 mg
sustained-release
tablets

New Single Source Product

The following product is single source and will be recognized at the pharmacy's Actual Acquisition Cost (AAC):

GLICLAZIDE				
30 MG ORAL SUSTAINED-RELEASE TABLET				
00002242987	DIAMICRON MR	SEV	\$	0.1510