

# **Updates to the Palliative Coverage Drug Benefit Supplement**

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## Added Product(s)

Trade Name / Strength / Form	Generic Description	DIN	MFR
DOCUSATE SODIUM 100 MG CAPSULE	DOCUSATE SODIUM	00002426838	SNS

## **PART 2**

# Drug Additions

**56:00 GASTROINTESTINAL DRUGS**

56:12 CATHARTICS AND LAXATIVES

**DOCUSATE SODIUM**

**100 MG ORAL CAPSULE**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	00000514888	SELAX	ODN	\$	0.0383
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	00000716731	DOCUSATE SODIUM	TAR	\$	0.0394
	00002426838	DOCUSATE SODIUM	SNS	\$	0.0412
	00000703494	PMS-DOCUSATE SODIUM	PMS	\$	0.0412
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	00002245079	APO-DOCUSATE SODIUM	APX	\$	0.0470
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	00002020084	NOVO-DOCUSATE SODIUM	TEV	\$	0.0481
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	00002106256	COLACE	WSP	\$	0.1310