

Pharmacy Benefact

A BULLETIN FOR PHARMACY SERVICE PROVIDERS FROM ALBERTA BLUE CROSS

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Product supply shortages addressed for Alberta Drug Benefit List (ADBL)

Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Pharmascience Inc. and Teva Canada Limited that the shortages of pms-Raloxifene 60 mg Tablet (DIN 02358921) and Teva-Raloxifene 60 mg Tablet (DIN 02312298) have been resolved. Due to the long-term nature of these shortages, a transition period will be applied and as a result, the LCA price policy will be reapplied to the following grouping effective **July 27, 2015**.

RALOXIFENE HCL

60 MG ORAL TABLET

00002358840	ACT RALOXIFENE	APH	\$ 0.4583
00002279215	APO-RALOXIFENE	APX	\$ 0.4583
00002358921	PMS-RALOXIFENE	PMS	\$ 0.4583
00002312298	TEVA-RALOXIFENE	TEV	\$ 0.4583
00002239028	EVISTA	LIL	\$ 1.8803

Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Apotex Inc. that the shortage of Apo-Cilazapril 5 mg Tablet (DIN 02291150) has been resolved. Due to the long-term nature of this shortage, a transition period will be applied and as a result, the LCA price policy will be reapplied to the following grouping effective **July 27, 2015**.

CILAZAPRIL

5 MG ORAL TABLET

00002291150	APO-CILAZAPRIL	APX	\$ 0.2085
00002283794	MYLAN-CILAZAPRIL	MYP	\$ 0.2085
00002266377	NOVO-CILAZAPRIL	TEV	\$ 0.2085
00002280469	PMS-CILAZAPRIL	PMS	\$ 0.2085
00001911481	INHIBACE	HLR	\$ 0.9071

When you have questions:

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