

# Pharmacy Benefact

A BULLETIN FOR PHARMACY SERVICE PROVIDERS FROM ALBERTA BLUE CROSS

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## Product supply shortage addressed for *Alberta Drug Benefit List (ADBL)*

Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Taro Pharmaceuticals Inc. that the shortage for Taro-Clindamycin/Benzoyl Peroxide 1%/5% Topical Gel (DIN 02440180) 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 **November 27, 2019**.

### CLINDAMYCIN PHOSPHATE/ BENZOYL PEROXIDE

#### 1% / 5% TOPICAL GEL

00002440180	TARO-CLINDAMYCIN / BENZOYL PEROXIDE	TAR	\$ 0.6857
00002243158	CLINDOXYL	GSK	\$ 0.9524

### When you have questions:

For assistance with benefit or claim inquiries, please contact an Alberta Blue Cross Pharmacy Services Provider Relations contact centre representative at:

780-498-8370 (Edmonton and area) • 403-294-4041 (Calgary and area) • 1-800-361-9632 (toll free)

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