

# 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 Accel Pharma Inc. that the shortage for Accel-Leflunomide 10 mg Tablet (DIN 02478862) 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 **October 13, 2020**. The following grouping was removed from the Critical Supply Product List **September 10, 2020**.

### LEFLUNOMIDE

#### 10 MG TABLET

00002478862	ACCEL-LEFLUNOMIDE	ACP	\$ 2.1146
00002256495	APO-LEFLUNOMIDE	APX	\$ 2.6433
00002351668	LEFLUNOMIDE	SNS	\$ 2.6433
00002283964	SANDOZ-LEFLUNOMIDE	SDZ	\$ 2.6433
00002261261	TEVA-LEFLUNOMIDE	TEV	\$ 2.6433
00002241888	ARAVA	SAV	\$ 11.0677

Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Accel Pharma Inc. that the shortage for Accel-Leflunomide 20 mg Tablet (DIN 02478870) 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 **October 13, 2020**. The following grouping was removed from the Critical Supply Product List **September 10, 2020**.

### LEFLUNOMIDE

#### 20 MG TABLET

00002478870	ACCEL-LEFLUNOMIDE	ACP	\$ 2.1146
00002256509	APO-LEFLUNOMIDE	APX	\$ 2.6433
00002351676	LEFLUNOMIDE	SNS	\$ 2.6433
00002283972	SANDOZ-LEFLUNOMIDE	SDZ	\$ 2.6433
00002261278	TEVA-LEFLUNOMIDE	TEV	\$ 2.6433
00002241889	ARAVA	SAV	\$ 11.0680

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Alberta Blue Cross has been advised by Accel Pharma Inc. that the shortage for Accel-Ondansetron 4 mg Tablet (DIN 02478927) 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 **October 13, 2020**. The following grouping was removed from the Critical Supply Product List **September 10, 2020**.

#### ONDANSETRON HCL DIHYDRATE

##### 4 MG TABLET

00002478927	ACCEL-ONDANSETRON	ACP	\$ 2.6790
00002288184	APO-ONDANSETRON	APX	\$ 3.2720
00002458810	CCP-ONDANSETRON	CEL	\$ 3.2720
00002296349	CO ONDANSETRON	APH	\$ 3.2720
00002313685	JAMP-ONDANSETRON	JPC	\$ 3.2720
00002371731	MAR-ONDANSETRON	MAR	\$ 3.2720
00002305259	MINT-ONDANSETRON	MPI	\$ 3.2720
00002297868	MYLAN-ONDANSETRON	MYP	\$ 3.2720
00002417839	NAT-ONDANSETRON	NTP	\$ 3.2720
00002421402	ONDANSETRON	SNS	\$ 3.2720
00002258188	PMS-ONDANSETRON	PMS	\$ 3.2720
00002274310	SANDOZ-ONDANSETRON	SDZ	\$ 3.2720
00002213567	ZOFAN	NOV	\$ 14.5480

#### 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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