

Bulletin # 610

November 30, 2004

## **BENEFIT CHANGES TO NBPDP**

Please find attached lists of **interchangeable product additions** to the New Brunswick Prescription Drug Program Formulary and additional products subject to a Maximum Allowable Price (MAP).

### **BENEFIT ADDITIONS:**

Claims for products that are reimbursed at Actual Acquisition Cost up to January 4, 2005 will be subject to a Maximum Allowable Price (MAP) effective January 5, 2005.

For purposes of special authorization, MAPs have been established on all interchangeable products in New Brunswick.

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Yours truly,

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**NBPDP BENEFIT ADDITIONS / AJOUTS AUX SERVICES ASSURÉS POUR LE PMONB**

|                              |     |         |                         |         |     |            | to       | MAP      |
|------------------------------|-----|---------|-------------------------|---------|-----|------------|----------|----------|
|                              |     |         |                         |         |     |            | Jan 4/05 | Jan 5/05 |
| Amantadine Hydrochloride     |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Amantadine (chlorhydrate d') |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Liq                          | Orl | 10mg/mL | pms-Amantadine          | 2022826 | PMS | AEFGVW     | AAC      | 0.0810   |
| Amcinonide                   |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Ont                          | Top | 0.1%    | ratio-Amcinonide        | 2247096 | RPH | AEFGVW     | AAC      | 0.2737   |
| Lot                          | Top | 0.1%    | ratio-Amcinonide        | 2247097 | RPH | AEFGVW     | AAC      | 0.2272   |
| Diazepam                     |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Diazépam                     |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 2mg     | pms-Diazepam            | 2247490 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Co.                          |     | 5mg     | pms-Diazepam            | 2247491 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
|                              |     | 10mg    | pms-Diazepam            | 2247492 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Etidronate Disodium          |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Etidronate Disodique         |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 200mg   | Co-Etidronate           | 2248686 | COB | AEFGVW     | AAC      | 0.9175   |
| Co.                          |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Furosemide                   |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Furosémide                   |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 20mg    | pms-Furosemide          | 2247493 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Co.                          |     | 40mg    | pms-Furosemide          | 2247494 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Hydrochlorothiazide          |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 25mg    | pms-Hydrochlorothiazide | 2247386 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Co.                          |     | 50mg    | pms-Hydrochlorothiazide | 2247387 | PMS | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Leflunomide                  |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 10mg    | Apo-Leflunomide         | 2256495 | APX | Spec. Auth | AAC      | 6.7130   |
| Co.                          |     | 20mg    | Apo-Leflunomide         | 2256509 | APX | Spec. Auth | AAC      | 6.7130   |
| Lovastatin                   |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Lovastatine                  |     |         |                         |         |     |            |          |          |
| Tab                          | Orl | 20mg    | Co-Lovastatin           | 2248572 | COB | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |
| Co.                          |     | 40mg    | Co-Lovastatin           | 2248573 | COB | AEFGVW     | MAP      |          |

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|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        | Jan 4/05 | Jan 5/05 |
| Meloxicam                         |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Tab                               | Orl | 7.5mg  | Gen-Meloxicam       | 2255987 | GPM | AEFGV  | MAP      |          |
| Co.                               |     |        | Novo-Meloxicam      | 2258315 | NOP | AEFGV  | MAP      |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
|                                   |     | 15mg   | Gen-Meloxicam       | 2255995 | GPM | AEFGV  | MAP      |          |
|                                   |     |        | Novo-Meloxicam      | 2258323 | NOP | AEFGV  | MAP      |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Metformin Hydrochloride           |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Metformine (chlorhydrate de)      |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Tab                               | Orl | 500mg  | Co-Metformin        | 2257726 | COB | AEFGVW | MAP      |          |
| Co.                               |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
|                                   |     | 850mg  | Co-Metformin        | 2257734 | COB | AEFGVW | MAP      |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Methylphenidate Hydrochloride     |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Méthylphénidate (chlorhydrate de) |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Tab                               | Orl | 10mg   | Apo-Methylphenidate | 2249324 | APX | AEFGVW | MAP      |          |
| Co.                               |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
|                                   |     | 20mg   | Apo-Methylphenidate | 2249332 | APX | AEFGVW | MAP      |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Mirtazapine                       |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Tab                               | Orl | 30mg   | Gen-Mirtazapine     | 2256118 | GPM | AEFGV  | AAC      | 0.7812   |
| Co.                               |     |        | Novo-Mirtazapine    | 2259354 | NOP | AEFGV  | AAC      |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Terconazole                       |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Crn                               | Vag | 4mg/gm | Taro-Terconazole    | 2247651 | TAR | AEFGVW | AAC      | 0.2727   |
| Cr.                               |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
|                                   |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Zopiclone                         |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
| Tab                               | Orl | 5mg    | Novo-Zopiclone      | 2251450 | NOP | AEVW   | MAP      |          |
| Co.                               |     |        |                     |         |     |        |          |          |
|                                   |     | 7.5mg  | Novo-Zopiclone      | 2251469 | NOP | AEVW   | MAP      |          |

**ADDITIONAL PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO MAP / PRODUITS SUPPLÉMENTAIRES ASSUJETIS AUX PAM**

|                              |     |         |                      |         |     |            | to       | MAP      |
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|                              |     |         |                      |         |     |            | Jan 4/05 | Jan 5/05 |
| Ranitidine Hydrochloride     |     |         |                      |         |     |            |          |          |
| Ranitidine (chlorhydrate de) |     |         |                      |         |     |            |          |          |
| Liq                          | Orl | 15mg/mL | Novo-Ranitidine Oral | 2242940 | NOP |            | AAC      | 0.1305   |
|                              |     |         | Solution             |         |     |            |          |          |
|                              |     |         |                      |         |     |            |          |          |
| Anagrelide                   |     |         |                      |         |     |            |          |          |
| Cap                          | Orl | 0.5mg   | Rhoxal-Anagrelide    | 2260107 | RHO | Spec. Auth | AAC      | 3.3491   |