

Summary information on new and amended listings on the PBS approved for listing as of 1 December 2011

NOTE: Approval to proceed to listing cannot be taken to mean that any of the medicines listed below will be subsidised from 1 December 2011.

There are numerous conditions that must be met before a medicine can be listed on the PBS. The Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits is updated each month. Details of the actual medicines subsidised is available from pbs.gov.au

Medicine/Proposal
Alendronate (Fosamax [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Asenapine (Saphris [®]) - Bipolar New listing
Asenapine (Saphris [®]) - Schizophrenia New listing
Bortezomib (Velcade [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Capecitabine (Xeloda [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Corifollitropin alfa (Elonva [®]) New listing
Darunavir (Prezista [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Denosumab (Xgeva [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Indacaterol (Onbrez [®]) New listing
Losartan (Cozavan [®]) New listing
Magnesium aspartate (Mag-Sup [®]) New listing on PBS (currently listed on RPBS)
Ribavirin with peg-interferon alfa-2b (Pegatron [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing

Rituximab (Mabthera [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing.
Zoledronic Acid (Aclasta [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Pramipexole extended release (Sifrol ER [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing
Digoxin oral solution (Lanoxin [®]) Price increase
Dothiepin tablet & capsule (Dothep [®]) Price increase
Glycerol suppository (Petrus Glycerol suppository [®]) Price increase
Haloperidol (Serenace [®]) Price increase
Imipramine hydrochloride tablet 25 mg (Tolerade [®] , Tofranil [®]) Price increase
Indomethacin capsule (Arthrexin [®] , Indocid [®]) Price increase
Morphine hydrochloride oral solution (Ordine [®]) Price increase
Nystatin oral suspension (Nilstat [®] Mycostatin [®]) Price increase
Oxprenolol hydrochloride tablet (Corbeton [®]) Price increase
Penicillamine tablet 250 mg (D-Penammine [®]) Price increase
Phenytoin tablet 50 mg (Dilantin [®] Infatabs [®]) Price increase
Prazosin tablet (Minipress [®]) Price increase
Pyrantel embonate tablet (Anthel [®]) Price increase

Pyridostigmine tablet (Mestinon [®]) Price increase
Rifampicin capsule (Rimycin [®]) Price increase
Ritonavir (Norvir [®]) Price increase
Clopidogrel (multiple brands) Price decrease
Dabigatran etexilate (Pradaxa [®]) Price decrease
Botulinum toxin type A (Botox [®]) New listing (previously deferred listing)
Budesonide with eformoterol (Symbicort [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing (previously deferred listing).
Dalteparin sodium (Fragmin [®]) Extension to the current PBS listing (previously deferred listing).
Nafarelin (Synarel [®]) New listing (previously deferred listing)
Oxycodone with naloxone (Targin [®]) New listing (previously deferred listing)
Paliperidone palmitate (Invega Sustenna [®]) New listing (previously deferred listing)
Acarbose tablet 50 mg & 100 mg (Glucobay 50 [®] & Glucobay 100 [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Erythromycin ethyl succinate (E-mycin [®] , EES granules [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Erythromycin lactobionate powder for I.V infusion 1 g (Erythromycin-I.V [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Glucose indicator – urine test strips (Diastix [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Hexamine hippurate tablet 1 g (Hiprex [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)

Pancreatic extract capsule (Creon [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Sucralfate tablet 1g (Ulcyte [®] & Carafate [®]) Price increase (previously deferred)
Docetaxel (all brands), All forms and strengths Amend restriction
Valaciclovir (Valaciclovir generichealth), Tablet, 500 mg (as hydrochloride) Add brand
Bisoprolol (Bisoprolol BH), Tablets, 2.5 mg, 5 mg and 10 mg Add brand
Famciclovir (APO-Famciclovir, Chem mart Famciclovir, Terry White Chemist Famciclovir), Tablet, 500 mg Add brand
Medroxyprogesterone (Medroxyprogesterone Sandoz), Tablet, 10 mg Add brand
Morphine (APOTEX-MORPHINE MR), Tablets, 10 mg, 30 mg, 60 mg and 100 mg (controlled release) Add brand
Perindopril (Perindopril generichealth), Tablets, containing 2 mg, 4 mg and 8 mg perindopril erbumine Add brand
Roxithromycin (Roxithromycin Sandoz), Tablets, 150 mg and 300 mg Add brand
Topiramate (Topiramate generichealth), Tablets, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg and 200 mg Add brand
Sertraline (Sertraline Sandoz), Tablet, 50 mg and 100 mg (as hydrochloride) Add brand
Dexamethasone (Dexamethasone), Injection equivalent to 4 mg in 1 mL, 8 mg in 2 mL and Emergency drug supply 4mg in 1 mL Add brand
Temozolomide (Temizole 5, 20, 100, 140, 250 and Astromide), Capsules 5 mg, 20 mg, 100 mg, 140 mg Add brand