



Australian Government

Department of Health and Ageing

**SCHEDULE OF PHARMACEUTICAL
BENEFITS FOR DENTAL
PRACTITIONERS**

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

EFFECTIVE 1 NOVEMBER 2007

PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFITS

These changes to the Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits for Dental Practitioners are effective from 1 November 2007. The Schedule is updated on the first day of each month and is available on the Internet at www.pbs.gov.au.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

ADDITIONS

Addition - Item

5083M **Vancomycin**, Powder for injection 1 g (1,000,000 i.u.) vancomycin activity (*MX*)

Restricted benefit

Prophylaxis of endocarditis in patients hypersensitive to penicillin

Additions - Brands

3317N *Cephalexin-Lupin, XF* — **Cephalexin**, Capsule 250 mg

3318P *Cephalexin-Lupin, XF* — **Cephalexin**, Capsule 500 mg

ALTERATIONS

Alteration - Brand Name

From:

3323X **Vancomycin**, Powder for injection 500 mg (500,000 i.u.) vancomycin activity (**Dental**) (Vancocin)

To:

3323X **Vancomycin**, Powder for injection 500 mg (500,000 i.u.) vancomycin activity (**Dental**) (Vancocin CP)

Alterations - Manufacturer Codes

		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
3300Q	Amoxicillin , Capsule 500 mg (<i>Moxacin</i>)	CS	AS
5094D	Flucloxacillin , Powder for injection 500 mg (<i>Flopen</i>)	CS	LN
5095E	Flucloxacillin , Powder for injection 1 g (<i>Flopen</i>)	CS	LN
5090X	Flucloxacillin , Capsule 250 mg (<i>Flopen</i>)	CS	AS
5091Y	Flucloxacillin , Capsule 500 mg (<i>Flopen</i>)	CS	AS
5093C	Flucloxacillin , Powder for syrup 250 mg per 5 mL, 100 mL (<i>Flopen</i>)	CS	AS
3363B	Phenoxymethylpenicillin , Capsule 250 mg (<i>LPV</i>)	CS	AS
3364C	Phenoxymethylpenicillin , Capsule 500 mg (<i>LPV</i>)	CS	AS

Alteration - Maximum Quantity

		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
5057E	Clindamycin , Capsule 150 mg (<i>Cleocin, Dalacin C</i>)	25	24