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The August 2018 update to the PEI Pharmacare Interchangeable/Maximum Reimbursable Price (MRP) List has been published. Changes in interchangeability for products listed in this memo will come into effect on August 27, 2018. Changes in pricing related to the addition of new interchangeable/MRP categories will come into effect on the 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2018.

Adobe Acrobat (pdf) and Excel versions of the complete list can be downloaded from the Government website at: <http://healthpei.ca/pharmacare> under "Resources for Pharmacists".

All product availability and pricing has been confirmed with manufacturers prior to publication of this update.

Please contact the PEI Pharmacare Office at 368-4947 (Charlottetown) or 1-877-577-3737 (toll-free in PEI) if you are unable to access a copy of the list online.

Refer to the Formulary to determine coverage of products under specific drug programs.

In addition, some of the Interchangeable / MRP Categories are only available through the Palliative Home Care Drug Pilot Project.

**NEW INTERCHANGEABLE / MRP CATEGORIES**

				<u>MRP</u>	<u>MRP+6%</u>
DEXTROAMPHETAMINE 10MG SUSTAINED RELEASE CAPSULE	01924559	DEXEDRINE	PAL	0.8096	0.8582
	02448319	ACT-DEXTROAMPHETAMINE	ATV	0.8096	0.8582
TRANDOLAPRIL 0.5MG TABLET	02231457	MAVIK	BGP	0.1395	0.1479
	02357755	PMS-TRANDOLAPRIL	PMS	0.1395	0.1479
TRANDOLAPRIL 1MG TABLET	02231459	MAVIK	BGP	0.3523	0.3734
	02357763	PMS-TRANDOLAPRIL	PMS	0.3523	0.3734

**PRODUCTS ADDED TO THE INTERCHANGEABLE / MRP LIST**

APO-OLOPATADINE 0.2% OPHTHALMIC SOLUTION	02402823
AURO-CANDESARTAN 8MG TABLET	02445794
AURO-ESCITALOPRAM 10MG TABLET	02397358
AURO-ESCITALOPRAM 20MG TABLET	02397374
CELECOXIB 100MG CAPSULE	02429675
CELECOXIB 200MG CAPSULE	02429683
MINT-HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE 12.5MG TABLET	02425947
PHARMA-AMLODIPINE 2.5MG TABLET	02469022
PHARMA-AMLODIPINE 5MG TABLET	02469030
PHARMA-AMLODIPINE 10MG TABLET	02469049

PHARMA-ESCITALOPRAM 10MG TABLET	02469243
PHARMA-ESCITALOPRAM 20MG TABLET	02469257
PHARMA-RAMIPRIL 1.25MG TABLET	02469057
PHARMA-RAMIPRIL 2.5MG TABLET	02469065
PHARMA-RAMIPRIL 5MG TABLET	02469073
PHARMA-RAMIPRIL 10MG TABLET	02469081
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 2MG TABLET	02466635
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 5MG TABLET	02466643
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 10MG TABLET	02466651
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 15MG TABLET	02466678
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 20MG TABLET	02466686
PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE 30MG TABLET	02466694
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 2MG TABLET	02473658
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 5MG TABLET	02473666
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 10MG TABLET	02473674
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 15MG TABLET	02473682
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 20MG TABLET	02473690
SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE 30MG TABLET	02473704
SANDOZ-PRAVASTATIN 10MG TABLET	02468700
SANDOZ-PRAVASTATIN 20MG TABLET	02468719
SANDOZ-PRAVASTATIN 40MG TABLET	02468727
TEVA-ARIPIPRAZOLE 15MG TABLET	02464179
TEVA-ARIPIPRAZOLE 20MG TABLET	02464187

**CHANGES TO MRP PRICES**

				<u>MRP</u>	<u>MRP+6%</u>
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322374	ABILIFY	OTS	0.8092	0.8578
2MG TABLET	02466635	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	0.8092	0.8578
	02471086	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	0.8090	0.8578
	02473658	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	0.8090	0.8578
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322382	ABILIFY	OTS	0.9046	0.9589
5MG TABLET	02466643	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	0.9046	0.9589
	02471094	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	0.9046	0.9589
	02473666	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	0.9046	0.9589
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322390	ABILIFY	OTS	1.0754	1.1399
10MG TABLET	02466651	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	1.0754	1.1399
	02471108	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	1.0754	1.1399
	02473674	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	1.0754	1.1399
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322404	ABILIFY	OTS	1.2692	1.3454
15MG TABLET	02464179	TEVA-ARIPIPRAZOLE	TEV	1.2692	1.3454
	02466678	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	1.2692	1.3454
	02471116	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	1.2692	1.3454
	02473682	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	1.2692	1.3454
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322412	ABILIFY	OTS	1.0017	1.0618
20MG TABLET	02464187	TEVA-ARIPIPRAZOLE	TEV	1.0017	1.0618
	02466686	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	1.0017	1.0618
	02471124	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	1.0017	1.0618
	02473690	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	1.0017	1.0618
ARIPIPRAZOLE	02322455	ABILIFY	OTS	1.0017	1.0618
30MG TABLET	02466694	PMS-ARIPIPRAZOLE	PMS	1.0017	1.0618
	02471132	APO-ARIPIPRAZOLE	APX	1.0017	1.0618
	02473704	SANDOZ-ARIPIPRAZOLE	SDZ	1.0017	1.0618

**DELETED INTERCHANGEABLE / MRP CATEGORIES**

BENAZEPRIL 5MG TABLET	00885835 02290332	LOTENSIN (DISC AUG/17) BENAZEPRIL	NVR AAA
BENZAPRIL 10MG TABLET	00885843 02290340	LOTENSIN (DISC AUG/17) BENZAPRIL	NVR AAA
CARBAMAZEPINE 200MG CHEWABLE TABLET	00665088 02244404	TEGRETOL CHEWTAB (DISC AUG/17) TARO-CARBAMAZEPINE	NVR TAR
PIMOZIDE 2MG TABLET	00313815 02245432	ORAP (DISC JUL/17) PIMOZIDE	AAA AAA
PIMOZIDE 4MG TABLET	00313823 02245433	ORAP (DISC JUL/17) PIMOZIDE	AAA AAA

**DISCONTINUED PRODUCTS**

These products will not appear in the next publication of the Drug Programs Formulary, but will remain as benefits for the next twelve months.

APO-FENTANYL 25UG/HR TRANSDERMAL PATCH	02314630
APO-FENTANYL 75UG/HR TRANSDERMAL PATCH	02314657
APO-IRBESARTAN HCTZ 150MG/12.5MG TABLET	02387646
APO-IRBESARTAN HCTZ 300MG/12.5MG TABLET	02387654
APO-RABEPRAZOLE 20MG TABLET	02345587
METHOXISAL C 1/4 400MG & 325MG & 16.2MG CAPLET	01966367
METHOXISAL C 1/2 400MG & 325MG & 32.4MG CAPLET	01966375
MYLAN-ATENOLOL 25MG TABLET	02303647
MYLAN-CYCLOBENZAPRINE 10MG TABLET	02231353

**CHANGE IN MANUFACTURER**

There are no changes to report.