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The May 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 May 28, 2018. Changes in pricing related to the addition of new interchangeable/MRP categories will come into effect on the 1<sup>st</sup> June, 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**

				MRP	MRP+6%
ARIPIRAZOLE 2MG TABLET	02322374 02471086	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	2.4275	2.5732
ARIPIRAZOLE 5MG TABLET	02322382 02471094	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	2.7138	2.8766
ARIPIRAZOLE 10MG TABLET	02322390 02471108	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	3.2263	3.4199
ARIPIRAZOLE 15MG TABLET	02322404 02471116	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	3.8075	4.0360
ARIPIRAZOLE 20MG TABLET	02322412 02471124	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	3.0050	3.1853
ARIPIRAZOLE 30MG TABLET	02322455 02471132	ABILIFY APO-ARIPIRAZOLE	OTS APX	3.0050	3.1853
DEXTROAMPHETAMINE 15MG SUSTAINED RELEASE CAPSULE	01924567 02448327	DEXEDRINE ACT-DEXTROAMPHETAMINE SR	PAL ATV	0.9898	1.0492
ESCITALOPRAM 10MG TABLET	02263238 02295016 02313561 02364077 02407418 02429039 02429780	CIPRALEX APO-ESCITALOPRAM ACT-ESCITALOPRAM SANDOZ-ESCITALOPRAM MINT-ESCITALOPRAM ESCITALOPRAM JAMP-ESCITALOPRAM	LUD APX ATV SDZ MNT SIV JPC	0.3109	0.3296

ESCITALOPRAM 20MG TABLET	02263254 02295024 02313588 02364085 02407434 02429047 02429799	CIPRALEX APO-ESCITALOPRAM ACT-ESCITALOPRAM SANDOZ-ESCITALOPRAM MINT-ESCITALOPRAM ESCITALOPRAM JAMP-ESCITALOPRAM	LUD APX ATV SDZ MNT SIV JPC	0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509 0.3310 0.3509
FLUOXETINE 20MG/5ML ORAL SOLUTION	02231328 02459361	APO-FLUOXETINE ODAN-FLUOXETINE	APX ODN	0.3084 0.3269 0.3084 0.3269
ZIPRASIDONE 20MG TABLET	02298597 02449544	ZELDOX AURO-ZIPRASIDONE	PFI ARO	1.3784 1.4611 1.3784 1.4611
ZIPRASIDONE 40MG TABLET	02298600 02449552	ZELDOX AURO-ZIPRASIDONE	PFI ARO	1.5786 1.6733 1.5786 1.6733
ZIPRASIDONE 60MG TABLET	02298619 02449560	ZELDOX AURO-ZIPRASIDONE	PFI ARO	1.5786 1.6733 1.5786 1.6733
ZIPRASIDONE 80MG TABLET	02298627 02449579	ZELDOX AURO-ZIPRASIDONE	PFI ARO	1.5786 1.6733 1.5786 1.6733

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

ACT-METHYLPHENIDATE HCL 18MG ER TABLET	02441934
ACT-METHYLPHENIDATE HCL 27MG ER TABLET	02441942
ACT-METHYLPHENIDATE HCL 36MG ER TABLET	02441950
ACT-METHYLPHENIDATE HCL 54MG ER TABLET	02441969
ALMOTRIPTAN 12.5MG TABLET (SNS)	02466821
AURO-CITALOPRAM 20MG TABLET	02275562
AURO-CITALOPRAM 40MG TABLET	02275570
AURO-NEVIRAPINE 200MG TABLET	02318601
JAMP-RISPERIDONE 1MG/ML ORAL SOLUTION	02454319
JAMP-RIZATRIPTAN ODT 5MG TABLET	02465086
JAMP-RIZATRIPTAN ODT 10MG TABLET	02465094
MINT-HYDRALAZINE 10MG TABLET	02468778
PMS-MELOXICAM 7.5MG TABLET	02248267
PMS-MELOXICAM 15MG TABLET	02248268
PMS-TENOFOVIR 300MG TABLET	02453940
RAN-RAMIPRIL HCTZ 2.5MG/12.5MG TABLET	02449439
RAN-RAMIPRIL HCTZ 5MG/25MG TABLET	02449463

**CHANGES TO MRP PRICES**

			<u>MRP</u>	<u>MRP+6%</u>
HYDRALAZINE 10MG TABLET	00441619 02457865 02468778	APO-HYDRALAZINE JAMP-HYDRALAZINE MINT-HYDRALAZINE	APX JPC MNT	0.0355 0.0376 0.0355 0.0376 0.0355 0.0376

**DELETED INTERCHANGEABLE / MRP CATEGORIES**

RISPERIDONE M 0.5MG TABLET	02247704 02413485	RISPERDAL M (DISC MAY/17) MYLAN-RISPERIDONE ODT	JAN MYL
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**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-DIMENHYDRINATE 50MG TABLET	00363766
APO-TELMISARTAN/HCTZ 80MG/25MG TABLET	02420031
LOPRESOR 50MG TABLET	00397423
LOTENSIN 20MG TABLET	00885851

**CHANGE IN MANUFACTURER**

There are no changes to report.

**IMPORTANT NOTICES**

Please be advised that Mint-Dorzolamide/Timolol oph sol'n (DIN 02443090) is still available and has not been discontinued.