



CPG Formulary Update

New Drugs January 2009

(Original New Drug Applications: FDA)

Generic Name	Trade Name	Indication(s)	CPG Action/Date
November 2008			
Clevidipine Butyrate Injection	Cleviprex	Cardiovascular Agents: Calcium Channel Blocking Agents: <i>Indication for hypertension when oral therapy is not feasible or desirable.</i>	1/12/09: Acute Care CTP holder only may prescribe
Valrubicin Injection	Valstar	Antineoplastic Agents: Antibiotics: Anthracyclines: <i>Reintroduction of previously discontinued drug for intravesical therapy of Bacillus Calmette Guerin refractory carcinoma in situ of the urinary bladder in patients for whom immediate cystectomy would be associated with unacceptability morbidity or mortality.</i>	1/12/09: CTP holder may not prescribe
December 2008			
C1 Inhibitor, Human Injector	Cinryze	Hematological Agents: Protein C1 Inhibitors: <i>Indication for hereditary angioedema.</i>	1/12/09: CTP holder may not prescribe

New Drug Indications / Warnings January 2009

(New Drug Indications/Black Box Warnings: FDA)

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November 2008			
Dutasteride Oral Formulary pg. 10	Avodart	Endocrine and Metabolic Agents: Sex Hormones: Androgen Hormone Inhibitor: <i>New indications for combination therapy with tamsulosin</i>	Current: <i>CTP holder may prescribe</i> 1/12/09: No Change
Monlindone Hydrochloride Oral Formulary pg. 21	Moban	Central Nervous System Agents: Antipsychotic Agents: Dihydroindolone Derivatives: <i>New Black Box Warnings – Increased mortality in elderly patients with dementia related psychosis.</i>	Current: <i>Psych CTP holder may prescribe.</i> <i>CTP holder other than psych Physician Initiated.</i> <i>Initial 90 day review.</i> 1/12/09: No Change
Becaplermin Topical Formulary pg. 30	Regranex	Dermatological Agents: Wound Healing Agents: <i>New Black Box Warning – Increased rate of mortality secondary to malignancy was observed in patients treated with 3 or more tubes.</i>	Current: <i>CTP holder may prescribe</i> 1/12/09: No Change
December 2008			
Laronidase Formulary pg. 11	Aldurazyme	Endocrine and Metabolic Agents: <i>New Black Box Warning – Risk of anaphylaxis</i>	Current: <i>CTP holder may NOT prescribe</i> 1/12/09: No Change

***For additional information regarding Drug Safety Alerts and Recalls including black box warnings see the FDA website at <http://www.fda.gov/healthprofessionals/>**

Follow up Considerations January 2009

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Generic Name	Trade Name	Indication(s)	CPG Action/Date
HMG-CoA Reductase Inhibitors Formulary pg 17		Cardiovascular Agents: Antihyperlipidemics:	Current: CTP holder may prescribe 1/12/09: No Change
Modafinil Formulary pg. 19	Provigil	Central Nervous System Agents: CNS stimulants: Analeptics: Indication for sleep disorder with multiple off-label uses noted.	Current: CTP holder may prescribe 1/12/09: No Change
Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors: Etravirine Formulary pg. 27	Intelligence	Anti-infective Agents: Antiretroviral Agents: Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors: Indication for HIV Infection	Current: CTP holder may NOT prescribe 1/12/09: No Change