

INTERIM FORMULARY UPDATE

The following recommendations, made at the January 29, 2016 meeting of the Executive Formulary Committee, are approved:

Product(s) **approved to be added** to the DADS/DSHS Drug Formulary based on New Drug Applications:

Generic Name	Brand Name	Dosage Form	Classification
Brexpiprazole	Rexulti	0.25mg, 0.5mg, 1mg, 2mg, 4mg	Atypical antipsychotic

Product(s) **deleted** from the DADS/DSHS Drug Formulary:

Generic Name	Brand Name	Dosage forms to be deleted	Dosage forms still available
Amoxicillin	Amoxil®, Polymox®	Powder for oral suspension: 50 mg/ml	Capsule: 250 mg, 500 mg Powder for oral suspension: 125 mg/5 ml, 250 mg/5 ml Tablet: 500 mg, 875 mg Tablet, chewable: 125 mg, 250 mg
Amoxicillin-Clavulanate	Augmentin®	Tablet: 200 mg (contains clavulanate 28.5 mg), 400 mg (contains clavulanate 57 mg)	Suspension, oral: 400 mg (contains clavulanate 57 mg) per 5 ml, 600 mg (contains clavulanate 42.9 mg) per 5 ml Tablet: 250 mg (contains clavulanate 125 mg), 500 mg (contains clavulanate 125 mg), 875 mg (contains clavulanate 125 mg) Tablet, chewable: 125 mg (contains clavulanate 31.25 mg), 250 mg (contains clavulanate 62.5 mg) Tablet, extended release: 1000 mg (contains clavulanate 62.5 mg)
Nafcillin	Unipen®	Capsule: 250 mg Powder for injection: 4 g Solution: 250 mg/5 ml Tablet 500 mg	Powder for injection: 500 mg, 1 g, 2 g, 10 g
Penicillin G Benzathine	Bicillin®	Injection: 300,000 units/ml	Injection: 600,000 units/ml
Penicillin G Benzathine – Penicillin G Procaine	Bicillin C-R®	Penicillin G Benzathine 150,000 units – Penicillin G Procaine 150,000 units	Penicillin G Benzathine 900,000 units – Penicillin G Procaine 300,000 units
Penicillin G Procaine	Wycillin®	Injection (suspension): 300,000 units/ml, 500,000 units/ml	Injection (suspension): 600,000 units/ml
Penicillin V Potassium	Pen-Vee K®, V-Cillin K®	Tablet: 125 mg	Powder for oral solution: 125 mg/5 ml, 250 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg, 500 mg
Cefazolin	Kefzol®, Ancef®	Powder for injection: 250 mg	Injection: 500 mg, 1 g Powder for injection: 500 mg, 1 g, 5 g, 10 g, 20 g
Cephalexin	Keflex®	Powder for oral suspension: 100 mg/ml Tablet: 1 g	Capsule: 250 mg, 500 mg Powder for oral suspension: 125 mg/5 ml, 250 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg, 500 mg

Generic Name	Brand Name	Dosage forms to be deleted	Dosage forms still available
Azithromycin	Zithromax®	Powder for oral solution: 400 mg/5 ml	Powder for oral solution: 200 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg, 500 mg, 600 mg
Tetracycline		Capsule: 100 mg Suspension, oral 125 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg, 500 mg	Capsule: 250 mg, 500 mg
Gentamicin		Infusion, premixed in D5W: 60 mg, 80 mg, 100 mg	Infusion, premixed in NS: 40 mg, 60 mg, 80 mg, 90 mg, 100 mg, 120 mg Injection: 10 mg/ml, 40 mg/ml Injection, intrathecal (preservative free): 2 mg/ml
Vancomycin	Vancocin®	Powder for oral solution: 1 g, 10 g Powder for injection: 2 g	Powder for injection: 1 g, 5 g, 10 g
Erythromycin base	Eryc®, E-Mycin®, Ery-Tab®, E-Base®, PCE®	Tablet, enteric coated: 250 mg, 333 mg, 500 mg Tablet, polymer coated particles: 333 mg, 500 mg	Capsule, delayed release: 250 mg Tablet, film coated: 250 mg, 500 mg
Erythromycin ethylsuccinate	EryPed®, EES®	Suspension, oral (drops): 100 mg/2.5 ml Tablet, chewable: 200 mg	Granules/Powder for oral suspension: 200 mg/5 ml, 400 mg/5 ml Suspension, oral: 200 mg/5 ml, 400 mg/5 ml Tablet: 400 mg
Griseofulvin	Fulvicin®	Microsize: Capsule: 125 mg, 500 mg Tablet: 250 mg Ultramicrosize: Tablet: 165 mg, 330 mg	Microsize Suspension, oral: 125 mg/5 ml with 0.2% alcohol Tablet: 500 mg Ultramicrosize: Tablet: 125 mg, 250 mg
Nystatin	Mycostatin®	Powder for oral suspension: 50 million units, 1 billion units, 2 billion units, 5 billion units Troche: 200,000 units	Suspension, oral: 100,000 units/ml Tablet, oral: 500,000 units
Isoniazid		Tablet: 50 mg	Injection: 100 mg/ml Syrup: 50 mg/5 ml Tablet: 100 mg, 300 mg
Thiabendazole	Mintezol®	Suspension, oral: 500 mg/5 ml Tablet, chewable: 500 mg	None
Nitrofurantoin	Macrochantin®	Capsule: 50 mg, 100 mg Capsule, extended release: 100 mg	Capsule, macrocrystal: 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg Capsule, macrocrystal/ monohydrate: 100 mg Suspension, oral: 25 mg/ml

Other Recommendation(s)/addition(s)/revisions(s) to the tables listed in the DADS/DSHS Drug Formulary

- For the Migraine Section Delete fluoxetine from the “Agents for Migraine” section
- Add amitriptyline and venlafaxine to the “Agents for Migraine” section

For the Vitamin Section

- List only dosage forms and not specific dosage strengths for all vitamins except for Vitamins A, D, E and K.
- Delete leucovorin (Wellcovorin®) from the vitamin section
- Delete nicotinamide from the niacin listing
- Delete phytonadione injection
- Delete Vitamin A 50,000 units as not available
- Delete Vitamin A injection
- For Vitamin D listings, identify if the product is D2 or D3
- Delete Vitamin E tablet: 200 units, 400 units and 2,000 units as they are no longer available

For the Mineral Section

- List only dosage forms and not specific dosage strengths
- Delete dosage forms no longer commercially available
- Keep the specific product listings for potassium chloride
- For potassium chloride delete the following:
 - Liquid, oral: 15% (30 mEq/15ml) as not available
 - Crystals for oral suspension, extended release: 20 mEq/packet as not available
 - Powder for oral suspension (per packet): 15 mEq as not available
 - Controlled release (wax matrix) 500 mg (6.7 mEq) as not available
- Delete potassium phosphate powder for oral solution: 250 mg elemental phosphorus/14.2 mEq potassium per packet as not available
- For the combination products, only list dosage forms not specific dosage strengths
- For listings involving calcium and iron, adding the percent of the element
- Delete Filibon® as the trade name for multivitamins, prenatal

For the Nutritional Supplement Section

- Move the table of certification processes and product lines to the beginning of the section
- List only dosage forms and not specific dosage strengths

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