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Notification of changes to Bupa separately chargeable drugs list

This bulletin aims to keep you up-to-date with any changes to the Bupa Separately Chargeable Drugs List.

To ensure you are always viewing the latest version of the list, please refer to the electronic copy found at www.bupa.co.uk/healthcare-professionals/pol-latest-updates

The revised list comes into effect this month and includes additions to the list, as shown on the table below.

The list now also includes details of the available preparations of each drug and the codes to be used when invoicing for the drug.

Regular updates to the list will be issued, so it is important to always ensure that you are using a valid version. By accessing the list electronically at www.bupa.co.uk/healthcare-professionals/pol-latest-updates you can be confident that it is up-to-date.

If you have any questions, please call Bupa Provider Services on **0345 755 33 33**. Lines are open 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday. Calls may be recorded and may be monitored.

Thank you

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Drugs added:

Bupa code	Generic name (Brand name)	Dosage, formulation, and pack size	Date Effective
AE068	Tebentafusp (KIMMTRAK)	200mg infusion	16/03/2023
AE069	Capecitabine	300mg tablet	15/09/2022
AE070	Mobocertinib (Exkivity)	40mg tab	15/09/2022
AE071	Methyl aminolevulinate hydrochloride (Metvix)	16% cream	01/01/2023

Drugs removed:

No changes this month

Drugs amended:

Bupa code	Narrative	Amendment	Date Effective
AD669	paclitaxel albumin (Abraxane)	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD902	osimertinib (Tagrisso) 40mg tablets	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD990	Ibrutinib (Imbruvica) 280mg tablets	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD943	Olaparib (Lynparza) 150 MG	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD979	Ibrutinib (Imbruvica) 420mg tablets x 28	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD977	avelumab (Bavencio) 20mg/ml concentrate for infusion	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD818	acalabrutinib (Calquence) 100mg capsules	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023

AD882	cabozantinib (Cometriq) 80mg and 20mg capsules – 28 day treatment	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD681	goserelin (Zoladex) 10.8 mg implant in SafeSystem syringe applicator	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD906	palbociclib (Ibrance) 125mg tablet	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD879	Opdivo (nivolumab) 10 mg/mL concentrate for solution infusion, 4ml vial	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD889	netupitant and palonosetron (Akyzeo) 300mg/0.5mg capsules	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD880	Opdivo (nivolumab) 10 mg/mL concentrate for solution infusion, 10ml vial	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD883	Pembrolizumab (keytruda) 100mg/4ml concentrate for solution infusion vial	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD903	cabozantinib (Cabometyx) 60mg tablets x 28	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AA204	Skull cap	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD980	Brigatinib (Alunbrig) 90mg tablets x 7	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD904	trifluridine/tipiracil (Lonsurf) 15mg/6.14mg tablets	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023
AD787	lenvatinib (Lenvima) 30 x 10 mg capsules	Added "Home" to POS	17/08/2023