



## SASKATCHEWAN FORMULARY BULLETIN

### Updates to the 62nd Edition of the Saskatchewan Formulary

***Formulary changes to help address drug shortages:***

- o **ciprofloxacin HCl/dexamethasone, otic suspension (Ciprodex)**
- o **fusidic acid, ophthalmic drops (Fucithalmic)**

Effective October 1, 2013 the above products will temporarily change from Exception Drug Status listing to Full Formulary benefit to address shortages of listed alternatives.

***Change from Exception Drug Status listing to Full Formulary Benefit:***

- o **ketorolac tromethamine, 0.5% ophthalmic solution (Acular & generics)**

***Full Formulary Benefit:***

- o **ketorolac tromethamine, 0.45% ophthalmic solution (Acuvail-ALL)**

***Full Formulary non-interchangeable Benefit:***

- o **heparin, 10,000 USP units/ml injection solution (Heparin)**
- o **isotretinoin, capsule, 10mg, 20mg, 30mg, 40mg (Epuris)**

*Please note, Epuris is not interchangeable with currently listed isotretinoin products (Accutane (HLR); Clarus (MYL))*

***Reviewed and NOT listed:***

- o **eculizumab, injection solution, 10mg/ml (Soliris-API) for the treatment of atypical hemolytic uremic syndrome**
- o **nebivolol, tablet, 2.5mg, 5mg, 10mg, 20mg (Bystolic-FOR)**

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