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High Tech Ordering and Management System (High Tech Hub)

Dear Pharmacist

The next deployment of High Tech drugs to the High Tech Hub is scheduled to take place on 1st September, 2022. From that date, the drug codes listed in Appendix 1 which are licensed for use across a number of therapeutic areas, will be added to those that are already only available for ordering via the hub.

The following are the relevant suppliers for the next cohort of medications:

- Rx Source
- United Drug Dublin
- United Drug Limerick
- United Drug Ballina
- Uniphar
- ➤ PCO
- Gilead

The most efficient way to place orders is to use the Hub to set up your preferred high tech supplier(s) or alternatively you can select a preferred supplier(s) at drug level. It is vitally important that you set up your preferred supplier as soon as you access the Hub for the first time in respect of these products.

Please note reimbursement will only be facilitated for orders placed through the hub for the listed "hub only" High Tech medications. Any High Tech drug available for ordering through the Hub but ordered via a separate mechanism will be treated as a private transaction and will result in the pharmacy being liable for payment. The suppliers of listed 'hub' drugs will not be able to process an order under the High Tech Arrangements that does not occur through the hub.

We are continuously updating our User Guide and FAQ documents and these are available under the 'Help' section on the High Tech Hub application. Please ensure you inform your staff and locums of this process.

The support team in the High Tech Co-Ordination Unit can be contacted by email, pcrs.hitech@hse.ie or by phone 01 864 7135. If you need to fax the unit you can do so on 01 8914899.

It is expected that the final deployment to the High Tech Hub which will focus on the therapeutic area of Oncology will be rolled out towards the end of 2022. We will keep you updated in this regard. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued cooperation and support regarding the High Tech Hub.

Yours Sincerely

Shaun Flanagan

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Appendix 1 – Drugs to be deployed to High Tech Hub on 1st September 2022.

Drug	Drug name	INN
code	0 () (50)	DEL AELOYA OIN
89106	Quofenix 450mg tabs	DELAFLOXACIN
88109	Esmya tabs 5mg	ULIPRISTAL
88260	Zeffix 100mg tabs	LAMIVUDINE
89027	Tenofovir Disoproxil (Accordpharma) Film Coated Tabs 245mg	TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL
88149	Tenofovir 245mg disoproxil teva film coated tabs	TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL
88860	Tenofovir 245mg disoproxil teva film coated tabs (Gerard labs)	TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL
88408	Viread 245mg tabs	TENOFOVIR DISOPROXIL
88503	Hepsera 10mg tabs	ADEFOVIR DIPIVOXIL
88189	Entecavir 0.5mg film coated tabs mylan	ENTECAVIR
88878	Entecavir (rowex) 0.5mg film coated tabs	ENTECAVIR
88986	Entecavir accord 0.5mg filmn coated tabs	ENTECAVIR
89000	Baraclude (Originalis B.V) Film coated tabs 0.5mg	ENTECAVIR
88733	Baraclude 0.05mg/ml oral susp	ENTECAVIR
88732	Barclude 1mg tabs	ENTECAVIR
88700	Baraclude 0.5mg tabs	ENTECAVIR
89049	Baraclude (PCO) 0.5mg tabs	ENTECAVIR
88297	Rebetol 40mg/ml oral soln	RIBAVIRIN
89063	Prevymis 240mg film coated tabs	LETERMOVIR
89064	Prevymis 480mg film coated tabs	LETERMOVIR
88365	Pegasys Soln For Inj 135 MCG/0.5ML	PEGINTERFERON ALFA-2A
88402	Pegasys Soln For Inj180 MCG/0.5ML	PEGINTERFERON ALFA-2A