



FIRST-TIME GENERICS

GENERIC NAME	GENERIC MFR	INDICATION
temozolomide caps, 5, 20, 100, 140, 180, 250mg	Barr Lab.	brain cancer **** brand name: Temodar
dactinomycin for injection, 0.5 mg/vial	Bedford Lab.	cancer **** brand name: Cosmegen
fexofenadine HCl & pseudoephedrine HCl ER tabs, 180/240mg (24hr dose)	Dr. Reddy's Lab	seasonal allergies **** brand name: Allegra-D 24hr ER
fluxetine delayed release caps, (once wkly) 90mg	Dr. Reddy's Lab	mental/mood disorder **** brand name: Prozac wkly delayed release
calcipotriene oint. 0.005%	Glenmark Generics	psoriasis **** brand name: Dovonex Oint.
clindamycin phosphate foam 1%	Cobrek Pharma.	acne **** brand name: Evoclin Topical Foam
metaxolone tabs 800mg	Sandoz	muscle pain/spasm **** brand name: Skelaxin
losartan K-hydrochlorothiazide tabs, 100mg/12.5mg	(multi.)	hypertension **** brand name: Hyzaar
losartan K tabs, 25, 50, 100 mg	Teva Pharm.	hypertension **** brand name: Cozaar
memantine HCl tabs, 5 & 10mg	Dr. Reddy's Lab.	dementia **** brand name: Namenda
imipramine pamoate caps, 75, 100, 125, 150 mg	Roxane Lab.	mental/mood disorders **** brand name: Tofranil-PM
amoxicillin/clavulanate K ER tabs, 1000/62.5 mg	Sandoz	bacterial inf. **** brand name: Augmentin
voriconazole tabs, 50 & 200 mg	Matrix Lab.	fungal infection **** brand name: Vfend

(Source: www.fda.gov)

COMMENTS: Check your formularies to ensure that patients are paying generic copays for these drugs.

SOME PART D PLANS GAMING PROMPT PAY?

Two congressmen are urging Medicare to crackdown on Part D plans that are adding extra levies on legally required prompt payments to pharmacies. Reps. Marion Berry (D-Ark.) and Walter B. Jones (R-N.C.) asked the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services "to halt what appears to be the improper and illegal imposition of extraneous fees and charges on Part D network pharmacies in response to the implementation of the prompt pay provisions ...[that] became effective. Jan. 1, 2010. As the original authors of these provisions, we ask that you consider our views on their intended purpose."

"Regrettably," continued the lawmakers, "some...plans appear to be trying to circumvent the intent of the prompt pay law by imposing new transaction fees and making it difficult for pharmacies to obtain reconciled payment within the deadlines required by law."

(Source: NCPA e-News Weekly, June 8, 2010)

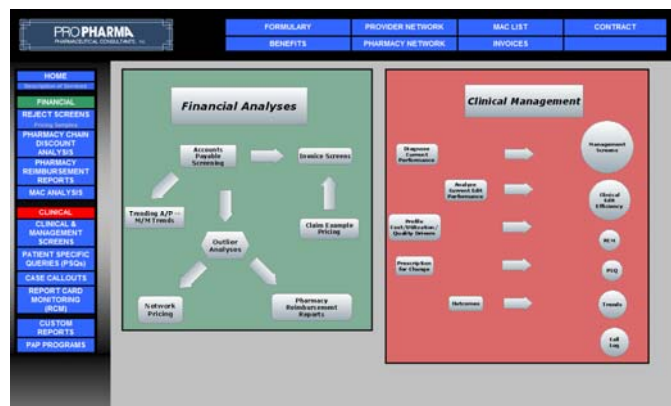
COMMENT: Pharmacies continue to complain about slow payments from PBMs. Check your PBM payment schedules to ensure that they comply with Part D regulations for 15 day payments to pharmacies.

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