

Formulary Update

March 2026

The following changes to the [Adult Medicines Formulary](#) have been agreed during the ADTC or sub-committee meetings since November 2025. Additions and deletions of medicines are based on submitted formulary appeals, new drug assessment requests and formulary housekeeping exercises. Changes in preferred brands are based on decisions by Prescribing Management Groups.

ADTC decisions relating to SMC assessments are published in alternate months and can be accessed [here](#)

Deletions	Indication	Adult Medicines Formulary entry/ rationale
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Additions	Indication	Adult Medicines Formulary entry/ rationale
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Changes in preferred medicines or brand	New preferred medicines or brand	Adult Medicines Formulary entry / rationale
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Other changes	Changes made	Adult Medicines Formulary entry/ rationale
Adapalene benzoyl peroxide	Brand name removed	13.6.1 Available generically
Axitinib	Brand name removed	8.1.5 Available generically
Betamethasone+ salicylic acid	Brand name removed	13.5.2 Available generically
Clindamycin topical solution	Brand name removed	13.6.1 Available generically
Dapagliflozin	Brand name removed	6.1.2.2 Available generically
Eltrombopag	Brand name removed	9.1.4 Available generically
Fluorouracil	Brand name removed	13.8.1.2 Available generically
Ledipasvir + sofosbuvir	Brand name removed	5.3.3 Available generically
Nilotinib	Brand name removed	8.1.5 Available generically
Phenelzine	Brand name removed	4.3.2 Available generically
Rufinamide	Brand name removed	4.8.1 Available generically