Common Drug Review *

Submission Status

Product: Aclasta

Generic Name: zoledronic acid

Manufacturer: Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc.

Submission Type: New

Date Submission Received: 2007-Nov-29 **Date NOC Issued:** 2007-Oct-29

Targeted CEDAC Meeting: 2008-Apr-16 **Priority Review Granted:** Not Requested

	Phase	Target Time (Business Days)	Target Date**	Actual CDR Date	Comments
1	Submission Assessment	5	2007-Dec-06	2007-Dec-06	Category 1 submission requirements deemed incomplete December 6, 2007.
	Submission deemed complete			2007-Dec-07	Submission deemed complete
2	CDR Reviewers' Reports Completed • Reviewers selected and contracted • Literature search and selection completed • Systematic review of clinical data completed • Critical appraisal of pharmacoeconomic (PE) data completed • Clinical and PE reports written • Reports edited and finalized • Reviewers' reports sent to manufacturer	45	2008-Mar-03	2008-Mar-03	Additional information requested December 18, 2007. Additional information received January 3, 2008. Additional information requested January 24, 2008. Additional information received January 31, 2008. Additional information received February 8, 2008. Additional information received February 15, 2008.
3	Comments from Manufacturer on Reviewers' Reports Received by CDR	7	2008-Mar-12	2008-Mar-12	
4	Reviewers' Reply to Manufacturer's Comments Completed	7	2008-Mar-24	2008-Mar-24	
5	CEDAC Brief Completed and Sent to CEDAC Members	5	2008-Apr-02	2008-Apr-02	Additional information requested April 8, 2008. Additional information received April 11, 2008.
6	CEDAC Meeting		2008-Apr-16	2008-Apr-16	
7	CEDAC Recommendation and Reasons for Recommendation Sent to Drug Plans, ACP and Manufacturer	5	2008-Apr-23	2008-Apr-23	
8	Embargo Period*** Manufacturers may make a Request for Reconsideration and Drug Plans may make a Reques for Clarification of the Recommendation and Reasons for Recommendation	10	2008-May-07	2008-May-07	Request for Reconsideration received May 7, 2008. Additional information requested May 9, 2008. Additional information received May 29, 2008. Additional information requested June 10, 2008. Additional information received June 13, 2008.
9 (a)	Final Recommendation sent to Drug Plans, ACP, and Manufacturer (No Requests for Clarification are made AND no Request for Reconsideration is made or Request for Reconsideration is Resolved)	5			
	OR				
9 (b)	Clarification and Final Recommendation sent to Drug Plans, ACP, and Manufacturer (Clarification Requested, no Request for Reconsideration made)	5			
	OR				
9 (c)	Placed on CEDAC Agenda For Reconsideration (At Manufacturer's request)	25 Depends on Meeting Dates	2008-Jun-18	2008-Jun-18	
10	Final Recommendation sent to Drug Plans, ACP, and Manufacturer	5	2008-Jun-25	2008-Jun-25	Notice of Final Recommendation issued.

* Refer to the Procedure for Common Drug Review on the Common Drug Review section of www.cadth.ca for more details.

** The CDR review process is initiated AFTER a submission is deemed complete. The target dates for this report are based on the CEDAC meeting schedule, which is posted on www.cadth.ca.

*** The Recommendation and Reasons for Recommendation are to be held in confidence and not acted upon until after the CDR Directorate has issued the notice of Final Recommendation.

Reflects updates as of Thursday noon.