



Common Drug Review *

Submission Status

Product:	Fosavance 70/5600	
Generic Name:	alendronate sodium/cholecalciferol	
Manufacturer:	Merck Frosst Canada Ltd.	
Submission Type:	New	
Date Submission Received:	2008-Dec-18	Date NOC Issued: 2008-Aug-06
Targeted CEDAC Meeting:	2009-May-20	Priority Review Granted: Not Requested

	Phase	Target Time (Business Days)	Target Date**	Actual CDR Date	Comments
1	Submission Assessment	10	2009-Jan-02	2009-Jan-02	
	Submission deemed complete			2009-Jan-02	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 pharmaco-economic (PE) data completed • Clinical and PE reports written • Reports edited and finalized • Reviewers' reports sent to manufacturer	45	2009-Mar-19	2009-Mar-19	
3	Comments from Manufacturer on Reviewers' Reports Received by CDR	7	2009-Mar-30	2009-Mar-30	
4	Reviewers' Reply to Manufacturer's Comments Completed	7	2009-Apr-08	2009-Apr-08	
5	CEDAC Brief Completed and Sent to CEDAC Members	5	2009-May-05	2009-May-05	
6	CEDAC Meeting		2009-May-20	2009-May-20	
7	CEDAC Recommendation and Reasons for Recommendation Sent to Drug Plans, ACP and Manufacturer	5	2009-May-27	2009-May-27	
8	Embargo Period*** Manufacturers may make a Request for Reconsideration and Drug Plans may make a Request for Clarification of the Recommendation and Reasons for Recommendation	10	2009-Jun-10	2009-Jun-10	
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	2009-Jun-17	2009-Jun-17	Notice of Final Recommendation issued.
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			
10	Final Recommendation sent to Drug Plans, ACP, and Manufacturer	5			

* 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.