

HPMS E-Mail

Date: December 29, 2016

Subject: Coverage Gap Discount Program: January Participating Labeler Code Update

CMS will update the list of participating manufacturer labeler codes for the Coverage Gap Discount Program by January 1, 2017. The update includes the following changes:

Added:

35781 Gensco Laboratories, LLC
42358 Sentynt Therapeutics, Inc.
42494 Gemini Laboratories, LLC
52118 Theravance Biopharma
62847 Theravance Biopharma
69171 Merrimack Pharmaceuticals
69531 Telesta Therapeutics
69639 Helsinn Therapeutics (U.S.), Inc.
69654 Aytu Biosciences, Inc.
69809 HLS Therapeutics (USA), Inc.
70003 Jacksonville Pharmaceuticals
70007 Espero Pharmaceuticals
70114 Coherus BioSciences
70122 Cempra Pharmaceuticals, Inc
70127 GW Research Ltd.
70135 Infinity Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
70199 Casper Pharma, LLC
70255 Array Biopharma Inc
70370 Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc.
70614 Churchill Pharmaceuticals LLC

Deleted:

00517 American Regent, Inc.
18657 Halozyme Therapeutics, Inc.
40042 PharmaForce, Inc.

52722 Brookfield Therapeutics, LLC
61364 BioCryst Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
69442 Vernalis Therapeutics Inc

The update will be posted to:

<http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Prescription-Drug-Coverage/PrescriptionDrugCovGenIn/Pharma.html>

Additions will be identified in bold red. As a reminder, the list of participating labeler codes applies to Part D coverage of national drug codes (NDCs) approved under New Drug Applications (NDAs) or licensed under Biologics License Applications (BLAs), that is “brand” name drugs and “biologics.” Coverage of all other Part D drug NDCs (e.g. Part D drug NDCs approved under abbreviated new drug applications (ANDAs) or “generic” drugs) is not subject to this list.