



Technical Alert

Consultation Process for the Permissible (Coded) Indications for listed medicines

Dear Members,

The TGA will be opening a consultation process for the Permissible (Coded) Indications for listed medicines, commencing on January 14, 2013.

The coming consultation will seek comment on:

- Expansion of the number of permissible indication available to sponsors
- Removal of free text field
- Coding of indication in a way that is consistent with WHO standards
- Development of a process for sponsors to request new permissible indications; and
- Options for implementation and transition for listed medicines on the ARTG

The consultation will open on January 14 and the closing date for submissions to the TGA is February 15, 2013.

The CHC will keep members informed of the consultation process and will be seeking submissions from members for collation by February 6th and presentation to the TGA by February 15, 2013.

Further information will be provided as it becomes available.

For information on the TGA website <u>click here</u>.

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