

Applications received for new investments since 1 July 2002:

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As at 6 October 2008 the following applications for new investments had been received:

Trade (chemical) names	Date received	Presentation	Applicant
Lumigan (bimatoprost)	15-Jul-02	Eye Drops (0.03%)	Allergan New Zealand Limited
Actos (pioglitazone hydrochloride)	12-Jul-02	Tablets (15/30/45 mg)	Eli Lilly and Company (NZ) Limited
Enbrel (etanercept)	12-Jul-02	25 mg powder	Wyeth Pty Limited
Zostrix (capsaicin) cream	20-Sep-02	0.025% cream	AFT Pharmaceuticals Ltd
Zostrix (capsaicin) HP cream	20-Sep-02	0.075% cream	AFT Pharmaceuticals Ltd
Evista (raloxifene hydrochloride)	30-Sep-02	Tablets (60 mg)	Eli Lilly and Company (NZ) Limited
MabThera (rituximab)	9-Oct-02	Single-use vials of 100 mg/10 ml and 500 mg/50 ml solution	Roche Products (New Zealand) Limited
Pegasys with Copegus (Pegylated interferon alpha 2a in combination with ribavirin)	14-Oct-02	PEGASYS: 180 mcg and 135 mcg strength 0.5 ml solution for injection; 200 mg ribavirin tablets	Roche Products (New Zealand) Ltd
Lexapro (aka Cipralext) (escitalopram; s-citalopram)	14-Oct-02	Tablets (10 mg and 20 mg)	Lundbeck Australia Pty Ltd
Femidom (the female condom)	7-Oct-02 (FPA) 27-Sept-02 (Meridian Developments)	Packs of 3	FPA / Meridian Developments
Durex Avanti (non-latex male condoms)	Sep-02	Packs of 5	Durex / SSL International plc

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Sagami (non-latex (polyurethane) male condoms)	27-Sep-02	Packs of 6	Meridian Developments (representing Crown Agents in NZ)
Arimidex (anastrozole)	15-Oct-02	Tablets (1 mg)	AstraZeneca Limited
Glivec (imatinib mesylate STI571)	15-Oct-02	Capsules (100 mg)	Novartis New Zealand Limited
Femara (letrozole)	15-Oct-02	Tablets (2.5 mg)	Novartis New Zealand Limited
Risperdal Consta (risperidone microspheres)	16-Oct-02	Injection (25 mg, 37.5 mg and 50 mg strengths)	Janssen-Cilag Pty Ltd
Rapamune (sirolimus)	14-Oct-02	Oral solution (1 mg/ml in 60 ml bottle) and tablets (1 mg in 10)	Wyeth Pty Limited
Dalacin T, Clinac, Topicil (topical clindamycin phosphate USP 1%)	19-Nov-02	Topical solution (30 ml and 60 ml for Dalacin T, 30 ml for Clinac and Topicil)	Pharmacia Limited
Zometa (zoledronic acid)	12-Jan-03	4 mg IV infusion	Novartis New Zealand Limited
Glucoval testing strips (blood glucose testing strips)	14-Apr-03		AFT Pharmaceuticals Ltd
Diovan (valsartan)	15-Apr-03	Tablets (40, 80 or 160 mg)	Novartis New Zealand Limited
Co-Diovan (valsartan + hydrochlorothiazide)	15-Apr-03	Tablets (80/15.5, 160/12.5 and 160/25 mg)	Novartis New Zealand Limited
Ezetrol (ezetimibe)	16-Apr-03	Tablets (10 mg)	Merck Sharpe and Dohme
Zyprexa (olanzapine)	24-Apr-03	Tablets (2.5, 5 and 10 mg)	Eli Lilly and Company (NZ) Limited
Lamictal (lamotrigine)	28-Apr-03	Tablets (5, 25, 50 and 100 mg)	GlaxoSmithKline
Diason	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (1000 ml pack)	Nutricia
Scandishake	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (85 g sachets)	Nutricia

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Cubitan	8-May-03	Oral supplement (200 ml pack)	Nutricia
Forticreme	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (125 ml tub)	Nutricia
Diasip	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (200 ml pack)	Nutricia
Minaphlex	8-May-03	Protein supplement (29 g sachets)	Nutricia
Renilon 7.5	8-May-03	Oral supplement (125 ml pack)	Nutricia
Nutrini Extra	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (500 ml pack)	Nutricia
Fortini	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (200 ml pack)	Nutricia
Fortini Multifibe	8-May-03	Oral supplement / complete diet (200 ml pack)	Nutricia
Loprofin	8-May-03	Breakfast cereal (375 g pack)	Nutricia
Loprofin	8-May-03	Low protein drink mix (400 g can)	Nutricia
Visudyne (verteporfin)	17-Jun-03	Powder (15 mg) for IV infusion	Novartis New Zealand Ltd.
ProSure	29-Aug-03	Oral supplement/complete diet (240 ml pack)	Abbott Laboratories (NZ) Limited
Jevity Plus	29-Aug-03	Oral supplement/complete diet (1000 ml pack)	Abbott Laboratories (NZ) Limited
Jevity Hical	29-Aug-03	Oral supplement/complete diet (1000 ml and 237 ml pack)	Abbott Laboratories (NZ) Limited
Osmolite HN	29-Aug-03	Oral supplement/complete diet (1000 ml pack)	Abbott Laboratories (NZ) Limited
Crystacide (hydrogen peroxide 1%) cream	17-Sep-03	1% cream	AFT Pharmaceuticals Ltd
Oral Impact	19-Sep-03	Pre-operative oral supplement (74 g sachets)	Novartis New Zealand Ltd.

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TheraTears (carboxymethylcellulose sodium solution)	29-Sep-03	Eye Drops (0.025%)	Corneal Lens Corporation
Seroquel (quetiapine)	6-Oct-03	Tablets (25 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg and 200 mg)	AstraZeneca Limited
Risperdal Quicklet (risperidone)	7-Oct-03	Tablets (0.5 mg, 1.0 mg and 2.0 mg)	Janssen – Cilag Pty Ltd
Arcoxia (etoricoxib)	8-Oct-03	Tablets (60 mg, 90 mg and 120 mg)	Merck Sharpe and Dohme (New Zealand) Limited
Zyprexa Zydis (olanzapine)	13-Oct-03	Wafers (5 mg and 10 mg)	Eli Lilly New Zealand Limited
Crestor (rosuvastatin)	23-Dec-03	Tablets (10 mg, 20 mg, 40 mg and 80 mg)	AstraZeneca Limited
Human growth hormone (somatropin)	7-Jan-04	Various	New Zealand Society of Endocrinologists
Aromasin (exemestane)	8-Jan-04	Tablets (25 mg)	Pfizer New Zealand Limited
Dilatrend (carvedilol)	13-Jan-04	Tablets (6.25 mg, 12.5 mg, 25 mg)	Roche Products (New Zealand) Limited
Gemcitabine	16-Jan-04	200 mg or 1g injection	Eli Lilly

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Lexapro (escitalopram oxalate)	6-Apr-04	Tablets (10 mg and 20 mg)	Lundbeck Australia Pty Ltd
Oxycontin (oxycodone hydrochloride)	8-Apr-04	Tablets (10 mg, 20 mg, 40 mg and 80 mg)	Mundipharma Pty Ltd
Symbicort turbuhaler (Budesonide / eformoterol)	13-Apr-04	Inhaler (80/4.5µg and 160/4.5µg)	AstraZeneca Limited
Enbrel (etanercept)	13-Apr-04	25 mg powder	Wyeth New Zealand
Taxanes	13-Apr-04	Paclitaxel - 100 mg injection and 6 mg/ml solution for infusion Docetaxel – 20 mg and 80 mg injection, and 20 mg / 0.5 ml and 40 mg / ml solution	Clinicians
Paroxetine mesylate	16-Apr-04	20 mg tablets	AFT Pharmaceuticals
Mycophenolate mofetil	27-May-04	500 mg tablets 250 mg capsules 500 mg vials 1g/5 ml powder	Roche
Thalidomide	31-May-04	50 mg capsule	Douglas
MabThera (rituximab)	4-Jun-04	Single-use vials of 100 mg/10 ml and 500 mg/50 ml solution	Clinicians
Oxaliplatin	9-July-04	Vials (50 mg and 100 mg)	Sanofi-Synthelabo

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Memantine	12-July-04	10 mg tablets 10 mg/g oral drops solution	Lundbeck
Insulin glargine	13-July-04	3 ml cartridge 10 ml vial 100 IU/ml	Aventis
Rosuvastatin	23-July-2004		AstraZeneca
Docetaxel	28-Sept-04	Vials (20 mg and 80 mg)	Aventis
Pemexetred	5-Oct-04	500 mg vial	Eli Lilly
Rapamune (sirolimus)	11-Oct-04	1 mg per ml oral liquid	Wyeth
Methyl 5-aminolevulinat	11-Oct-04	160 mg/g cream	Galderma
Hepsera (adefovir dipivoxil)	11-Oct-04	10 mg tablets	Gilead
Gefitinib	11-Oct-04	250 mg capsules	AstraZeneca
Etanercept	12-Oct-04	25 mg injection	Wyeth

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Adalimumab	13-Oct-04	50 mg/ml 0.8 ml injection	Abbott Laboratories
Methylphenidate ER	13-Oct-04	Tablets (18 mg, 36 mg and 54 mg)	Janssen-Cilag
Lanreotide acetate	13-Oct-04	Prefilled syringe (60 mg, 90 mg and 120 mg)	NZ Medical and Scientific
Lexapro (escitalopram oxalate)	23 Dec 04	10mg and 20mg film coated tablets	Lundbeck
Combigan (brimonidine tartrate and timolol maleate)	23 Dec 04	Eye Drops (0.2% and 0.5%)	Allergan
Avastin (Bevacizumab)	23 Dec 04	100mg and 400mg vials	Roche
Strattera (Atomoxetine)	10 Jan 05	10mg, 18mg, 25mg, 40mg, or 60mg capsules	Eli Lilly
Reyataz (atazanavir sulfate)	11 Jan 05	150mg or 200 mg capsules	Bristol-Myers Squibb
Viread (tenofovir disorpoxil fumarate)	11 Jan 05	300mg capsules	Gilead
Tracleer (bosentan)	17 Jan 05	62.5mg and 125mg tablets	Actelion Pharmaceuticals Australia and Asia Pacific

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Pegasys (pegylated interferon alpha-2a)	4 April 05	135 mcg or 180 mcg injection	Roche Products New Zealand Limited
Emtiva (emtricitabine)	4 April 05	200 mg capsules	Gilead Sciences Pty Ltd
Spiriva (tiotropium bromide)	10 April 05	18 mcg capsules (Widening access)	Boehringer Ingelheim (NZ) Ltd
Atacand (candesartan)	10 April 05	4 mg, 8 mg, 16 mg tablets (Widening access)	AstraZeneca
Fuzeon (enfuvirtide)	10 April 05	108 mg vials	Roche Products New Zealand Ltd
Xalacom (latanoprost with timolol maleate)	11 April 05	5 ml bottle containing latanoprost 50mcg/ml and timolol maleate 5 mg/ml	Pfizer New Zealand Ltd
Pegasys (pegylated interferon alpha-2a)	15 April 05	135mcg or 180mcg injection	Clinician (on behalf of New Zealand Liver Transplant Unit)
Zevalin (ibritumomab)	28 April 05	3.2 mg ibritumomab tiuxetan in sodium chloride solution (2 ml)	Schering
Keppra (levetiracetam)	17 May 05	250mg, 500mg, 1000mg tablets	UCB Pharma
Xeloda (capecitabine)	17 May 05	150mg, 500mg tablets (Widening access)	Roche Products New Zealand Ltd

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Zithromax (azithromycin)	7 April 05	500 mg tablet (Widening access)	Clinician Group
Levemir (insulin detemir)	11 July 05	3ml cartridge	Novo Nordisk
Eligard (leuprorelin acetate)	11 July 05	7.5mg, 22.5mg, 30mg depots	Mayne Pharma Pty Ltd
Suboxone (buprenorphine/naloxone)	12 July 05	2.5mg/0.5mg, 8mg/2mg sublingual tablet	Reckitt Benckiser (NZ) Ltd
Symbicort (budesonide with eformoterol)	12 July 05	Dry Powder Inhaler 100/6 mcg, 200/6 mcg	AstraZeneca
Finasteride or tamsulosin	2 Sept 05	5 mg tablet (finasteride); 0.4 mg capsule (tamsulosin)	Clinicians
Androderm (testosterone patches)	21 Sept 05	2.5 mg transdermal patch	Mayne Pharma
Temodal (temozolomide)	18 Oct 05	5 mg, 20 mg, 100 mg, 250 mg capsules	Schering-Plough
Herceptin (trastuzumab)	20 Dec 05	150 mg, 440 mg injection	Roche Products New Zealand Ltd
Kivexa (abacavir with lamivudine)	4 Jan 06	600 mg abacavir with 300mg lamivudine tablet	GlaxoSmithKline

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Zoladex (goserelin acetate - widen access)	4 Jan 06	3.6 mg, 10.8 mg injection	AstraZeneca
Glucerna SR	20 Jan 06	Diabetic oral supplement 1 Kcal/ml	Abbott Nutrition
ProSure	20 Jan 06	Oral supplement for use in cancer	Abbott Nutrition
Jevity, Jevity Plus, Jevity HiCal	20 Jan 06	Adult enteral feed with fibre 1 Kcal/ml, 1.2 Kcal/ml, 1.5 Kcal/ml	Abbott Nutrition
Promote	20 Jan 06	Adult enteral feed with fibre 1 Kcal/ml and increased protein	Abbott Nutrition
Elecare	20 Jan 06	Elemental formulas	Abbott Nutrition
Pediasure	20 Jan 06	Paediatric enteral feed with fibre 1.0 Kcal/ml; Paediatric enteral feed 1.0 Kcal/ml, 1.5 Kcal/ml; Paediatric oral feed 1.0 Kcal/ml; Paediatric oral feed with fibre 1.0 Kcal/ml	Abbott Nutrition
Enlive plus	20 Jan 06	Juice style adult oral supplement	Abbott Nutrition
Nutrini Low Energy Multi Fibre	20 Jan 06	Paediatric enteral feed	Nutricia
Scandishake	20 Jan 06	Oral supplement / complete diet	Nutricia

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Aldara (imiquimod)	3 April 06	Cream Sachets 5%, 250 g	3M Pharmaceuticals
Fabrazyme (agalsidase beta)	4 April 06	5 ml and 20 ml vials containing 5 mg and 35 mg Fabrazyme respectively.	Genzyme Australasia
Tarceva (erlotinib)	3 April 06	25 mg, 100 mg and 150 mg tablets	Roche Pharmaceuticals
Velcade (bortezomib)	5 April 06	3.5 mg in 10 mg vial – IV injection	Janssen-Cilag
Eloxatin (oxaliplatin)	7 April 06	50 mg and 100 mg vials - powder for infusion	Sanofi Aventis
Mycardis (telmisartan)	7 April 06	40 mg and 80 mg tablets	Boehringer Ingelheim
Jadelle (Levonorgestrel implants)	21 June 2006	Implants, 75 mg	Schering
Alimta (Pemetrexed disodium)	30 June 2006	Injection, 500 mg	Eli Lilly
Exjade (deferasirox)	30 June 2006	Tablet 125 mg, 250 mg and 500 mg	Novartis
Enbrel (Etanercept)	4 July 2006	Injection, 25 mg	Wyeth

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Certican (everolimus)	4 July 2006	Tablet 0.25 mg, 0.50 mg, 0.75 mg and dispersible tablet 0.25 mg	Novartis
Baraclude (Entecavir)	4 July 2006	Tablet 0.5 mg and 1 mg	Bristol-Myers Squibb
Flomaxtra (Tamsulosin hydrochloride)	2 October 2006	Capsules 0.4 mg	CSL
Enbrel (Etanercept)	2 October 2006	Injection 25 mg, 50 mg	Wyeth
Movicol (Macrogol)	3 October 2006	Sachet 13.125g, Sodium chloride 350.7mg, Sodium bicarbonate 178.5mg, Potassium chloride 46.6mg	PharmaMarketing
Faslodex (Fulvestrant)	3 October 2006	250 mg / 5 ml solution	AstraZeneca
Caelyx (Pegylated liposomal doxorubicin)	3 October 2006	Injection 2 mg / ml	Schering-Plough
Humira (Adalimumab)	6 October 2006	Injection 40 mg / ml	Abbott Laboratories
Mabthera (Rituximab)	5 Dec 2006	Injection 100 mg, 500 mg	Roche Pharmaceuticals
Lexapro (Escitalopram oxalate)	5 Dec 2006	Tablet 10 mg, 20 mg	Lundbeck

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Modavigil (Modafinil)	6 Dec 2006	Tablet 100 mg	CSL Biotherapies
Asasantin (Dipyridamole + aspirin) / Persantin (dipyridamole)	6 Dec 2006	Tablet dipyridamole 200mg + aspirin 25mg (Asasantin) / dipyridamole 200mg (Persantin)	Boehringer Ingelheim
Fosamax Plus (Alendronate sodium/cholecalciferol)	7 Dec 2006	Tablet 70 mg	Merck, Sharp & Dohme
Ritalin LA (Methylphenidate)	7 Dec 2006	Tablet 20 mg, 30 mg, 40 mg	Novartis
Revatio (Sildenafil)	7 Dec 2006	Tablet 20 mg	Pfizer
Glivec (Imatinib mesylate)	8 Dec 2006	Capsule 100 mg (widening access)	Novartis
Topamax (Topiramate)	11 Dec 2006	Tablet 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg and Capsule 15 mg, 25 mg	Janssen-Cilag
Sutent (Sunitinib malate)	15 Dec 2006	Capsule 12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg	Pfizer
Pegatron Combination Therapy (Pegylated interferon with ribavirin)	12 Feb 2007	Powder 100 mcg / 200 mg and Injection / Tablet 180 mcg / 200 mg	Clinicians
Paclitaxel	2 March 2007	Solution for infusion 300 mg, 30 mg and Injection 100 mg, 1 mg	Clinicians

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Xolair (omalizumab)	13 March 2007	Injection 150 mg / 1.2 ml	Novartis
Vesicare (solifenacin succinate)	13 March 2007	Tablet 5 mg, 10 mg	CSL Biotherapies
Reductil (sibutramine hydrochloride)	13 March 2007	Capsule 10 mg, 15 mg	Abbott
Champix (varenicline)	13 March 2007	Tablet 0.5 mg, 1 mg	Pfizer
Zofran/Zofran Zydis (ondansetron) and Navoban (tropisetron)	21 March 2007	Ondansetron: tablet/dispersible tablet 4 mg, 8 mg and Tropisetron: capsule 5 mg	Clinician
Cerazette (desogestrel)	12 April 2007	Tablet 75 mcg	Pharmaco
Differin (adapalene 0.1%)	11 June 2007	Topical gel and topical cream (30g at 1mg/g)	Galderma Australia
Sprycel (dasatinib)	11 June 2007	Tablet 20 mg, 50 mg, 70 mg	Bristol-Myers Squibb
Byetta (exenatide)	11 June 2007	Pre-filled injection pen 5µg (1.2 mL), 10 µg (2.4 mL)	Eli Lilly
Lucentis (ranibizumab)	12 June 2007	Solution for intravitreal injection 3.0 mg / 0.3 mL	Novartis

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Bicalutamide-Rex (bicalutamide)	12 June 2007	Tablet 50 mg	Rex Medical Ltd
Humira (adalimumab)	12 June 2007	Injection 40 mg / ml	Abbott Laboratories
MabThera (rituximab)	10 Sept 2007	Infusion 10 ml, 50 ml	NZ Rheumatology Association / Roche Pharmaceuticals
Abilify (aripiprazole)	10 Sept 2007	Tablet 10 mg, 15 mg, 20 mg, 30 mg	Bristol-Myers Squibb
Reandron (testosterone undecanoate)	10 Sept 2007	Injection 1000 mg / 4 ml	Bayer-Schering
Emend (aprepitant)	11 Sept 2007	Capsule (1 x 125 mg + 2 x 80 mg per pack)	Merck Sharp & Dohme
Zomig (zolmitriptan)	11 Sept 2007	Nasal spray 5 mg	AstraZeneca
MabCampath (alemtuzumab)	11 Sept 2007	Infusion 30 mg	Bayer-Schering
Prezista (darunavir)	11 Sept 2007	Tablet 300 mg	Janssen-Cilag
Tykerb (lapatinib)	11 Sept 2007	Tablet 250 mg	GlaxoSmithKline

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High-strength Seretide (Salmeterol xinafoate / fluticasone propionate)	11 Sept 2007	Accuhaler 60 doses (fluticasone 500 mcg + salmeterol 50 mcg), Metered dose inhaler 120 doses (fluticasone 250 mcg + salmeterol 25 mcg)	GlaxoSmithKline
Humalog Mix25 (insulin lispro)	11 Sept 2007	Cartridge 3 ml (25% insulin lispro + 75% insulin lispro protamine suspension)	Eli Lilly
Glivec (imatinib mesylate)	23 Oct 2007	Capsule 100 mg	Novartis
Oral Navelbine (vinorelbine)	7 Dec 2007	Soft capsule 20 mg, 30 mg	Pierre Fabre Medicament Australia
Nexavar (Sorafenib)	7 Dec 2007	Tablet 200 mg	Bayer NZ
Alphagan P Eye Drops (brimonidine tartrate 0.15%)	7 Dec 2007	Eye drops 1.5 mg/mL (5 ml bottle)	Allergan NZ
Lantus SoloStar (insulin glargine)	7 Dec 2007	Lantus SoloStar pen	Sanofi Aventis
Myfortic (Mycophenolate sodium)	7 Dec 2007	Gastro-resistant tablet 180 mg, 360 mg	Novartis
Zoladex (goserelin acetate)	7 Dec 2007	Injection 3.6 mg	AstraZeneca
Ganfort (bimatoprost 0.03% and timolol maleate 0.5%)	11 Mar 2008	Eye drops 3 ml bottle	Allergan

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Zaditen (ketotifen fumarate)	11 Mar 2008	Eye drops 0.25 mg/ml 5 ml packs multidose unit, 0.4 ml 20 units per pack ml single dose	Novartis Ophthalmics
Januvia (sitagliptin)	11 Mar 2008	Tablet 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg	Merck Sharpe & Dohme
Tasigna (nilotinib)	11 Mar 2008	Capsule 200 mg	Novartis
Lantus (insulin glargine)	11 Mar 2008	Vial 10 ml, cartridge 3ml x 5, SoloStar 5 x disposable pen	Sanofi Aventis
ReVia (naltrexone hydrochloride)	11 Mar 2008	Tablet 50 mg	Clinician letter
Cymbalta (duloxetine hydrochloride)	3 June 2008	Capsules 30 mg and 60 mg	Eli Lilly
Sabril (vigabatrin)	3 June 2008	Tablet 500 mg	Clinician letter
Alimta (pemetrexed disodium)	3 June 2008	500 mg vial 100mg vial	Eli Lilly
Daivobet (calcipotriol and betamethasone dipropionate)	3 June 2008	Ointment. Betamethasone dipropionate 643µg/g (equivalent to 500 µg/g betamethasone) and calcipotriol 50µg/g (as calcipotriol hydrate 52.2µg/g)	CSL biotherapies
Oxytrol (oxybutynin)	3 June 2008	3.9 mg patch	Hospira

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Humira (adalimumab)	3 June 2008	Subcutaneous injection 40 mg	Abbott
Iodine	3 June 2008	Tablet, at least 150 µg per day	Ministry of Health
Aclasta (zoledronic acid)	3 June 2008	Bottle for intravenous infusion: 5 mg in 100mL	Novartis
Novomix (insulin aspart)	3 June 2008	30% insulin aspart and 70% insulin aspart protamine suspension for injection/infusion	Novo Nordisk
Isentress (raltegravir)	3 June 2008	Tablet 400 mg	Merck Sharp & Dohme
Exelon (rivastigmine)	3 June 2008	Patches 9 mg and 18 mg	Novartis
Optium (blood ketones)	3 June 2008	Test strips	Medica Pacifica
Potassium citrate	3 June 2008	Not specified	Clinician letter
Leflunomide	3 June 2008	Tablets 10 mg, 20 mg, and 100 mg	NZ Rheumatology association
Glatirmer acetate Interferon beta-1-beta Interferon beta-1-alpha	9 September 2008	Not specified	Multiple Sclerosis Society of NZ; Multiple Sclerosis Treatment Assessments Panel of PHARMAC

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Norspan PSA (buprenorphine)	8 September 2008	Patch 5 mg, 10 mg, and 20 mg	Pharmaco
Tredaptive (extended-release nicotinic acid/laropiprant)	9 September 2008	Tablet 1 g/20 mg	Merck Sharp & Dohme
Pradaxa (dabigatran etexilate)	9 September 2008	Capsule 75 mg, 110 mg	Boehringer Ingelheim
Orencia (abatacept)	6 September 2008	Vial 250 mg	Bristol-Myers Squibb
PKU cooler (phenylketoneuria protein drink)	8 September 2008	Drinks 10 g / 87 ml, 15 g / 130 ml, 20 g / 174 ml	Vitaflo Australia
MSUD Express Cooler (maple syrup urine disease protein drink)	8 September 2008	Drink 15 g / 130 ml	Vitaflo Australia
TYR Cooler (tyrosinaemia protein drink)	6 October 2008	Drink 15 g / 130 ml	Vitaflo Australia
HCU Cooler (homocystinuria protein drink)	6 October 2008	Drink 15 g / 130 ml	Vitaflo Australia
PKU gel (phenylketonuria protein drink)	6 October 2008	Sachet 20 g powder	Vitaflo Australia