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Dear Pharmaceutical Suppliers

2010 PTAC meetings and funding application timelines

Please find below the 2010 dates for the February and May Pharmacology and Therapeutics Advisory Committee (PTAC) meetings, and the last possible dates for receipt of funding applications that allow an application to be considered for inclusion in the agenda.

Meeting Date:	Applications to PHARMAC before:
25 and 26 February	8 December 2009
6 and 7 May	9 March 2010

When submitting a funding application, please address it to:

Advisory Committee Manager
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When making a funding application, PHARMAC requires:

- 15 spiral bound copies of the application, synopsis and supporting references;
- A CD of the full application, synopsis and supporting references; and
- A sample of the pharmaceutical (if the application is for funding of a new pharmaceutical or new brand of pharmaceutical).

For the guidelines for making a funding application, please visit our website –

<http://www.pharmac.govt.nz/2008/06/15/Version%201.2%20of%20Application%20Guidelines.pdf>

The guidelines for applications are currently under review; when the revised guidelines have been finalised the closing date for applications for the August and November 2010 PTAC meetings will be available.

Yours sincerely



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