

**23 April 2015**

**Addenda to:**

**Request for Tender - Supply of metoprolol succinate and metoprolol tartrate to DHB hospitals and/or to community pharmacies**

Following a question received on 22 April 2015, Schedule 2, Background Information, Desired Outcome will be deleted and replaced with the following (changes shown in bold and strikethrough), all other clauses remain unchanged:

**Desired Outcome**

PHARMAC is seeking responses for community and hospital sole supply (Sections B and H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule) to run until 30 June 2018, for each of the products listed in Schedule Two.

For clarification, in accordance with clauses 2.3 to 2.6 of Schedule Three, you may submit:

- Individual Tender Bids,
- Aggregated Tender Bids,
- Combined Community/Hospital Tender Bids,
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If a bid is submitted for metoprolol succinate then you must submit for all presentations of metoprolol succinate currently listed,

~~If a bid is submitted for oral metoprolol tartrate then you must submit for all presentations of oral metoprolol tartrate currently listed,~~

**If a bid is submitted for instant-release oral metoprolol tartrate then you must submit for both presentations of instant-release oral metoprolol tartrate currently listed,**

It is preferable but not essential that metoprolol succinate is supplied in either 90 tablet or 30 tablet pack sizes.

For the avoidance of doubt and In accordance with clause 1.15 of Schedule Two, PHARMAC is not willing to consider Tender Bids that include Rebates in respect of Tender Items as part of this RFT. Accordingly, you may not submit a bid for a Tender Item that includes a Rebate.