

14.03 GLUCOSE INDICATOR BLOOD

Glucose indicator blood strip: diagnostic, 100, Attest VivaChek Ino Glucose Test Strip, Boian Surgical Pty Ltd

1 Purpose of Application

- 1.1 The minor submission requested the listing of a new brand of blood glucose test strips in a pack size of 100.

2 Requested listing

- 2.1 The submission did not propose a requested listing for VivaChek Ino Blood Glucose Test Strips (BGTS). Listing under the same conditions as currently PBS listed BGTS is considered appropriate.
- 2.2 The submission requested the same price as other currently PBS-listed equivalent comparators.

3 Background

- 3.1 This product has not been considered previously by the PBAC.
- 3.2 VivaChek Ino Glucose Test Strip was TGA approved on 10 December 2015 for self-test and use with the glucose meter to quantitatively measure the capillary blood glucose level.

4 PBAC Outcome

- 4.1 The PBAC recommended listing of Attest VivaChek Ino Blood Glucose Test Strips (BGTS) under the same conditions as currently PBS-listed blood glucose test strips.

Outcome:

Recommended

5 Recommended listing

5.1 Add new item:

Name, Restriction, Manner of administration and form	Max. Qty (Packs)	Max. Qty (Units)	No. of Rpts	Proprietary Name and Manufacturer
GLUCOSE INDICATOR BLOOD				
glucose indicator blood strip: 1 diagnostic, 100 diagnostic strips	1	1	5	Attest VivaChek Ino Boian Surgical Pty Ltd

Category / Program	GENERAL – General Schedule (Code GE)
Prescriber type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Dental <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Practitioners <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nurse practitioners <input type="checkbox"/> Optometrists <input type="checkbox"/> Midwives

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Prescriber type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Dental <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Practitioners <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse practitioners <input type="checkbox"/> Optometrists <input type="checkbox"/> Midwives
Condition:	Blood glucose monitoring
PBS Indication:	Blood glucose monitoring
Restriction Level / Method:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restricted benefit <input type="checkbox"/> Authority Required - In Writing <input type="checkbox"/> Authority Required - Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Authority Required – Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> Authority Required - Electronic <input type="checkbox"/> Streamlined
Clinical criteria:	Patient must be receiving treatment under a GP Management Plan or Team Care Arrangements where Medicare benefits were or are payable for the preparation of the Plan or coordination of the Arrangements.
Administrative Advice (not included in LI)	No increase in the maximum quantity or number of units may be authorised. No increase in the maximum number of repeats may be authorised.

6 Context for Decision

The PBAC helps decide whether and, if so, how medicines should be subsidised in Australia. It considers submissions in this context. A PBAC decision not to recommend listing or not to recommend changing a listing does not represent a final PBAC view about the merits of the medicine. A company can resubmit to the PBAC or seek independent review of the PBAC decision.

7 Sponsor's Comment

The sponsor had no comment.