

## The Health Service (Benefit) (Limited List) (Pharmaceutical Benefit) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations, 2020

*Made* 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2020  
*Coming into operation* 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2020  
*Laid before the States*

THE COMMITTEE FOR HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 10 and 35 of the Health Service (Benefit) (Guernsey) Law, 1990<sup>a</sup> and section 1 of the Health Service (Benefit) (Limited Lists) Ordinance, 2004<sup>b</sup>, and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:-

### Amendment to the 2004 Regulations.

1. In the Schedule to the Health Service (Benefit) (Limited List) (Pharmaceutical Benefit) Regulations, 2004<sup>c</sup> ("the Schedule"), insert the rows set out in the schedule to these

<sup>a</sup> Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXII, p. 192; Vol. XLIII(1), p. 246; Order in Council No. II of 2011; Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXVI, pp. 177, 483, and 495; Tome XXIX, pp. 182, 373, 406 and 580 and modified by Tome XXVI, pp. 484 and 491 and 495; Tome XXVII, p. 200; Tome XXVIII, p. 1; Tome XXIX, pp. 182, 196, 200 and 210; Tome XXXI, p. 628 and Tome XXXII, p. 628, Ordinance No. XXXIV of 2013, Ordinance No. XXV of 2017, and the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2020. Extended to Alderney with modification by Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXV, p. 204.

<sup>b</sup> Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXIX, p. 441; as amended by No. XXXIV of 2013; No. XXV of 2017; and the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2020.

<sup>c</sup> G.S.I. No. 9 of 2004 as amended by G.S.I. No. 42 of 2004; No's 18, 25 and 38 of 2005; No's 11, 18, 26, 36 and 46 of 2006; No's 3, 5, 6, 16, 17 and 32 of 2007; No's 11, 23, 29, 31, 47, 50 and 76 of 2008; No's 16, 35, 43, 47 and 56 of 2009; No's 5, 32, 48, 88, 91 and 99 of 2010; No's 5, 13, 19, 37, 38 and 52 of 2011; No's 5, 25, 33 and 52 of 2012; No's 5, 27, 35, 42, 68, 78 and 87 of

Regulations in the appropriate places and under the appropriate headings, as set out in the Schedule.

**Citation, commencement and extent.**

2. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Health Service (Benefit) (Limited List) (Pharmaceutical Benefit) (Amendment No.3) Regulations, 2020, and shall come into force on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2020.

(2) These Regulations shall have effect in the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney, Herm and Jethou.

Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H. J. R. Soulsby', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

H. J. R. SOULSBY

President of the States Committee for Health & Social Care

For and on behalf of the Committee

SCHEDULE

ROWS TO BE INSERTED IN THE SCHEDULE TO THE 2004 REGULATIONS

British National Formulary (BNF) Section	Heading	Pharmaceutical Benefit
4.9	Drugs used in parkinsonism and related disorders	Opicapone 50mg capsules (second line agent for Specialist initiation)
3.7	Mucolytics	Ivacaftor 75mg, tezacaftor 50mg and elexacaftor 100mg tablets Kaftrio <sup>®</sup> (Specialist initiation and dispensing by PEH Pharmacy only)

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations add a number of drugs to the list of drugs that may be prescribed as pharmaceutical benefit. (Following the coming into force of the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2020, it is now the function of the Committee for Health & Social Care to make regulations amending the list of drugs that may be prescribed as pharmaceutical benefit.)

These Regulations come into force on the 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.