

# Pharmacy BULLETIN BOARD

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## Attention: BC Pharmacists

Boehringer Ingelheim and Eli Lilly are pleased to inform you that along with **Trajenta<sup>®</sup>**, **Jentadueto<sup>™</sup>** (linagliptin/metformin HCl) is now also covered by the BC PharmaCare program, effective August 5, 2014.

For complete listing criteria, please refer to the formulary listing at <http://www.health.gov.bc.ca/pharmacare/sa/criteria/restricted/linagliptin.html>

To order Trajenta<sup>®</sup> or Jentadueto<sup>™</sup> please contact your preferred wholesaler or Boehringer Ingelheim Customer Care at 1-800-263-2425.

Trajenta <sup>®</sup>		
Dose – Linagliptin	DIN	UPC
5 mg, TABS 30S	02370921	058341020195
5 mg, TABS 90S	02370921	058341020201

Jentadueto <sup>™</sup>			
Dose		DIN	UPC
Linagliptin	Metformin HCl		
2.5 mg	500 mg	02403250	058341020317
2.5 mg	850 mg	02403269	058341020324
2.5 mg	1000 mg	02403277	058341020331

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## FROM THE NEWSWIRE

**VANCOUVER:** The Canadian Foundation for Healthcare Improvement announced its support for 22 teams from healthcare organizations across Canada to partner with patients and families on quality improvement initiatives. Teams from six provinces and one territory will harness the tremendous potential of patient and family engagement to improve the quality and efficiency of health services.

Odan Labs wishes to remind you that **Adasept<sup>®</sup> Skin Cleanser** and **Tardan<sup>®</sup> Shampoo** are ideal therapeutic replacements for the discontinued products Tersaseptic<sup>†</sup> and Polytar<sup>†</sup>.

Product	Comparative	Sizes	Odan Code	Kohl & Frisch Code	McKesson Code	McMahon Code
Adasept <sup>®</sup> Skin Cleanser 00266507	Tersaseptic <sup>†</sup>	250 mL	020J	46307	115204	26623301
		500 mL	020L	46308	413062	26679101
Tardan <sup>®</sup> Shampoo 00266493	Polytar <sup>†</sup>	250 mL	170J	46311	115428	26723701
		500 mL	170L	46314	333633	

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Form	Strength	DIN	Size	UPC	Wholesaler			
					McKesson	K&F	Procurity	McMahon
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**OTTAWA:** The Honourable Rona Ambrose, Minister of Health, has announced that the Government of Canada has launched a pilot project targeting patient input from Canadians with rare diseases to help inform future reviews of orphan drugs. As announced in October of 2012, Health Canada has been developing an Orphan Drug Framework to spur innovation and research into new treatments for rare diseases and also to encourage patient participation. The Pilot Project will simulate how input from patients will be gathered and incorporated into the drug submission review process once the Orphan Drug Framework is in effect.

**DORVAL, QC:** Novartis recently announced that detailed results from two pivotal phase III studies evaluating the interleukin-17A (IL-17A) inhibitor investigational secukinumab (AIN457) were published online in the New England Journal of Medicine (NEJM). Investigational secukinumab met all primary and key secondary endpoints at Week 12. Superiority over placebo in both ERASURE and FIXTURE studies was demonstrated, while FIXTURE study also demonstrated superiority to Enbrel® (etanercept) in improving moderate-to-severe plaque psoriasis symptoms.