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01/11/21	EMPAGLIFLOZIN, 25 MG, TAB, UNIT DOSE	30'S	Boehringer Ingelheim (Canada) Inc.	As a result of product concerns and HealthPRO advocacy with ISMP, Health Canada and the supplier, Boehringer Ingelheim (Canada) Inc. has updated the blisters to include the generic.	Image 1	
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12/01/22	CISATRACURIUM BESYLATE, 2 MG/ML (20 MG/10 ML), INJ	10 ML VIAL	Omega Laboratories Ltd.	The product was temporarily supplied with a red ferrule (metal seal) instead of teal ferrule. The colour of the ferrule (metal seal) has now been switched from Red to Teal.	Supplier Letter 1	
17/01/22	TINZAPARIN - INNOHEP, 20,000 ANTI-XA UNITS/ML (40,000 ANTI-XA UNITS/2 ML), INJ, WITH PRESERVATIVE	2 ML VIAL	Leo Pharma Inc.	The product has a new vendor code (069002) and a new McKesson code(169735)		
19/01/22	DIHYDROERGOTAMINE MESYLATE, 1 MG/ML (1 MG/1 ML), INJ	1 ML AMP	SteriMax Inc.	The label of the outer box and ampoule has been updated to be in line with Health Canada's Plain Language Labelling requirements.	Supplier Letter 1	

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19/01/22	CSTD, CAP, ADAPTOR, SYRINGE, MALE LUER LOCK, STERILE, PURPLE, (CHEMOCLAVE)	50'S	ICU Medical	The label is being updated to remove the CE mark. The new overwrap is bigger in size but there are no changes to the case size, quantity,	Supplier Letter 1	
31/01/22	CROMOLYN SODIUM, 2%, OPHTH SOL	5 ML	Pendopharm, Division of Pharmascience Inc.	The product has a new vendor code (5760609182) and a new McKesson code(164096)		
31/01/22	CROMOLYN SODIUM, 2%, OPHTH SOL	10 ML	Pendopharm, Division of Pharmascience Inc.	The product has a new vendor code (5760609183) and a new McKesson code(164094)		
31/01/22	VARENICLINE TARTRATE, 1 MG, TAB, BLISTER PACK	56'S	Apotex Inc.	The product has a new vendor code (69483) and a new McKesson code(166411)		
02/02/22	LIDOCAINE, 10 MG/DOSE, ENDOTRACHEAL, TOPICAL NON-AEROSOL SPRAY, BANANA, WITH 10 CM PLASTIC NOZZLE	50 ML	Aspen Pharmacare Canada Inc.	The product has a new vendor code (CAD2XY011C1).		
03/02/22	LOPINAVIR & RITONAVIR, 100 MG/25 MG, TAB	60'S	Abbvie Corporation	There will be a change in tablet colour and marking. Previously it had logo and the Code KC and now the tablet will be debossed with the logo and the Code AC. The colour of the tablet will be changed from "Yellow" to "Pink". Please refer to the Image. New GTIN code and new vendor code.	Supplier Letter 1	
03/03/23	LOPINAVIR & RITONAVIR, 200 MG/50 MG, TAB	120'S	Abbvie Corporation	There will be a change in tablet colour and marking. Previously it had logo and the Code KA and now the tablet will be debossed with the logo and the Code AL. The colour of the tablet will be changed from "Yellow" to "Red". Please refer to the Image. New GTIN code and new vendor code.	Supplier Letter 1	
01/12/22	DEXMEDETOMIDINE HCL, 100 MCG/ML (200 MCG/2 ML), INJ	2 ML VIAL	Auro Pharma Inc.	In response to member look-alike concerns and HealthPRO advocacy, Auro is changing the cap colour of Auro dexmedetomidine from blue to brown. Members should see vials with the new caps starting in December 2022.	Image 1	
01/06/22	MORPHINE SULFATE, 50 MG/ML (500 MG/10 ML), INJ, HIGH POTENCY, PRESERVATIVE FREE	10 ML VIAL	Sandoz Canada Inc.	Sandoz has changed the package dimensions. The new package dimensions will be 124 mm x 52 mm x 62 mm.		
15/04/22	ISOPROTERENOL HCL, 0.2 MG/ML (0.2 MG/1 ML), INJ	1 ML VIAL	Marcan Pharmaceuticals Inc.	As a result of product concerns and HealthPRO advocacy, to address a look-alike issue, Marcan has changed their isoproterenol labels and cartons (font colours on both and direction of text on the vial have changed). Please refer to the attached images.	Image 1	
10/02/22	ELTROMBOPAG OLAMINE, 25 MG, TAB, BLISTER PACK	28'S	Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc.	New vendor code (751277)		
10/02/22	ELTROMBOPAG OLAMINE, 25 MG, TAB, BLISTER PACK	14'S	Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc.	New vendor code (751276)		
10/02/22	ELTROMBOPAG OLAMINE, 50 MG, TAB, BLISTER PACK	28'S	Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc.	New vendor code (751280)		
10/02/22	ELTROMBOPAG OLAMINE, 50 MG, TAB, BLISTER PACK	14'S	Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc.	New vendor code (751279)		
01/04/22	MULTI VITAMIN, ORAL SOL, ALCOHOL FREE, HIGH POTENCY, UNIT DOSE, SACHET	15 ML	Seaford Pharmaceuticals Inc.	In response to product concerns and HealthPRO advocacy, after depletion of current inventory, Seaford is replacing the QR code on this product with a GS1 compliant DataMatrix barcode encoded with GTIN, lot number and expiry date on the individual sachets. In addition, Seaford has added the description "Oral Multivitamin and Mineral Supplement" to each sachet.	Image 1	
18/02/22	CIPROFLOXACIN & DEXAMETHASONE, 0.3%/0.1%, OTIC SUSP	7.5 ML	Sandoz Canada Inc.	New vendor code (44098348)		
05/03/21	AMLODIPINE, 1 MG/ML (5 MG/5 ML), ORAL SOL	150 ML	Pendopharm, Division of Pharmascience Inc.	The stability of this product after opening has been extended from 30 days to 60 days. The product monograph has also been updated to reflect this change.	Supplier Letter 1	

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28/02/22	IRON (FERRIC DERISOMALTOSE) 100 MG/ML (500 MG/5 ML), INJ	5 ML VIAL	Pfizer Canada ULC	The label is updated with the new generic name and has graphic modifications resulting in different placement of text. Note: the other formats are also undergoing the same packaging artwork changes; however, Pfizer has not provided an availability date yet.	Supplier Letter 1	Image 1
11/04/22	INDOCYANINE GREEN, 25 MG PWD, INJ, WITH DILUENT	25 MG VIAL KIT	Seaford Pharmaceuticals Inc.	This product will no longer include vials of sterile water. The product has a new DIN (02485796), new vendor code (PICG0025CA), and a new GTIN (10774536236505 on the outer package). The outer box dimensions have been changed. The HealthPRO product description has also changed to reflect the removal of the diluent.	Image 1	Image 2
07/05/22	FOLIC ACID, 1 MG, TAB	90'S	JAMP Pharma Corporation	The label is updated with the new brand name and has graphic modifications resulting in different placement of text. The product has a new GTIN.	Supplier letter 1	
08/03/22	TRACE ELEMENTS (CHROMIUM 1 MCG/ML, COPPER 38 MCG/ML, IRON 110 MCG/ML, MANGANESE 5.5 MCG/ML, IODINE 13 MCG/ML, FLUORIDE 95 MCG/ML, MOLYBDENUM 1.9 MCG/ML, SELENIUM 7.9 MCG/ML, ZINC 500 MCG/ML), INJ, CONCENTRATE, PRESERVATIVE FREE, PLASTIC AMP	10 ML PLASTIC AMP	Fresenius Kabi Canada Ltd.	New McKesson code(161119)		
01/10/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX HP, 120 MG/0.8 ML, INJ, PFS	0.8 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, starting in October 2022, this product will have a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) on the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
01/10/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX HP, 150 MG/1 ML, INJ, PFS	1 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, starting in October 2022, this product will have a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) on the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
01/02/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX, 100 MG/1 ML, INJ, PFS	1 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, effective Feb 2022, a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) was added to the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
01/05/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX, 30 MG/0.3 ML, INJ, PFS	0.3 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, starting in May 2022, this product will have a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) on the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
01/04/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX, 40 MG/0.4 ML, INJ, PFS	0.4 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, starting in April 2022, this product will have a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) on the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
01/02/22	ENOXAPARIN - INCLUNOX, 60 MG/0.6 ML, INJ, PFS	0.6 ML PFS	Sandoz Canada Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, effective Feb 2022, a DataMatrix barcode (encoded with the GTIN) was added to the overwrap (syringe blister).	Image 1	
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18/03/22	ATROPINE SULFATE, 1 MG/5 ML, INJ, PFS	5 ML PFS	Aguettant Canada Inc.	This product has been rebranded from Biosyent to Aguettant. The label is updated to include Aguettant logo. The product has a new McKesson code(171425), a new GTIN 3700567702818 on the outer package, new GTIN 3700567702801 on the unit of use and new GTIN 03700567703716 on the case.	Image 1	
17/03/22	GLIMEPIRIDE, 2 MG, TAB, UNIT DOSE	30'S	Sandoz Canada Inc.	New vendor code (44092605)		
17/03/22	GLIMEPIRIDE, 4 MG, TAB, UNIT DOSE	30'S	Sandoz Canada Inc.	New vendor code (44092575)		
01/07/22	SENNOSIDES A & B, 8.6 MG, TAB	500'S	JAMP Pharma Corporation	Jamp is changing its JAMP Senna formulation. The tablet dimensions remain the same, but the tablets are now uncoated and lighter in colour. The labels are updated to reflect the new non-medicinal ingredients. The barcode is now placed vertically versus horizontally at the bottom of the right side panel.	Supplier letter 1	

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29/04/22	VANCOMYCIN, 250 MG, CAP, UNIT DOSE	20'S	JAMP Pharma Corporation	As a result of a change in manufacturer, the datamatrix barcode with variable data was removed from the box. The box and blister label has been updated. The information in English and French is combined on the same panel on the label of the box and blister has been updated. The color of the capsules have been changed. New GTIN code on the box and the blister.	Supplier letter 1	
25/03/22	VITAMIN B12 (CYANOCOBALAMIN), 1000 MCG/ML (30,000 MCG/30 ML), INJ	30 ML VIAL	SteriMax Inc.	The barcode has been moved from the top panel to the bottom panel.		
29/03/22	BETAMETHASONE VALERATE, 0.1%, OINTMENT	454 G	Taro Pharmaceuticals Inc.	In response to HealthPRO advocacy, Taro has added a DataMatrix barcode encoded with GTIN, lot expiry and serial number to this product label.	Image 1	