



Stoma Product Assessment Panel Public Summary Documents Ainscorp Pty Ltd- 2 May 2023

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Ainscorp Salts Confidence Gold – AI#01MAY2023

Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Ainscorp Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of the entire product range (one variant) of the current listing of Ainscorp Salts Confidence Gold (SAS Code 9758N) in subgroup 3(a) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product is currently listed at a unit price of \$4.674 with a maximum monthly quantity of 40 units.

Substitute products

Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Advance (Company code: NUA25)

Variant to be deleted

Product Code	Description
UNW25	Ainscorp Salts Confidence Gold

Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 3(a) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is therefore unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting this product.

Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the *SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of the entire product range (one variant) for Ainscorp Salts Confidence Gold (SAS Code 9758N) in subgroup 3(a) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat's recommendation at the May 2023 meeting.

Ainscorp is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (2 May 2023) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.



Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the *SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

Applicant's Comment

Ainscorp agrees with the Stoma Product Assessment Panel recommendations.



Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base– AI#02MAY2023

Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Ainscorp Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of the entire product range (one variant) of the current listing of Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base (SAS Code 9769E) in subgroup 4(d) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product is currently listed at a unit price of \$5.005, including a price premium of \$0.227, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

Substitute products

Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base with Flexifit and Aloe (Company code: FHD32)

Variants to be deleted

Product Code	Description
HD32	Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base

Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 4(d) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting this product.

Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the *SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of the product range (one variant) for Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base (SAS Code 9769E) listed in subgroup 4(d) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat's recommendation at the May 2023 meeting.

Ainscorp is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (2 May 2023) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.



Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the *SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

Applicant's Comment

Ainscorp agrees with the Stoma Product Assessment Panel recommendations.



Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base – AI#03MAY2023

Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Ainscorp Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of the entire product range (2 variants) of the current listing of Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base (SAS Code 9771G) in subgroup 4(d) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as it is being discontinued. The product is currently listed at a unit price of \$5.005, including a price premium of \$0.227, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

Substitute products

Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat base with Flexifit and Aloe (Company code: FHD32 and 35)

Variants to be deleted

Product Code	Description
HDF32	Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base
HDF35	Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base

Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 April 2011.

Clinical Place for the Product

Not applicable.

Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 4(d) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting this product.

Recommendation

As this was an administrative change, this application was considered by the Panel secretariat in line with the SAS *Application and Assessment Guidelines*. The Panel secretariat, noting equivalent products remained on the Schedule, recommended the deletion of the entire product range (2 variants) for Ainscorp Salts Harmony Duo Flat Base (SAS Code 9771G) listed in subgroup 4(d) of the SAS Schedule. The Panel noted the secretariat's recommendation at the May 2023 meeting.

Ainscorp is to advise stoma associations, ostomates, stomal therapy nurses and the Australian Council of Stoma Associations of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the date of the recommendation (2 May 2023) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.



Context for Recommendation

The Panel secretariat, in accordance with the *SAS Application and Assessment Guidelines*, usually processes deletions to products. This includes consideration of whether appropriate alternative products remain available on the SAS Schedule. Suggested alternative products are noted by the secretariat but not referenced in the SAS Schedule.

Applicant's Comment

Ainscorp agrees with the Stoma Product Assessment Panel recommendations.