Human growth hormone (somatropin) approved by the Therapeutic Goods Administration and on the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme

Human growth hormone, known as somatropin is available in various brands in Australia. Regulatory approval for multiple biosimilars pre-dated the TGA biosimilar pathway and the current PBAC approach to advice on ‘a’ flagging brands of biological medicines for pharmacy level substitution.

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| **Brand name** | **Sponsor** |
| ZOMACTON  | Ferring Pharmaceuticals |
| NORDITROPIN | Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals |
| SAIZEN | Merck Serono Australia |
| HUMATROPE | Eli Lilly Australia |
| GENOTROPIN  | Pfizer Australia |
| NUTROPIN AQ | Ipsen |
| OMNITROPE | Sandoz |
| SCITROPIN A (Not PBS listed) | SciGen Australia |