

Public summary document

Product: Omnigon BBraun Flexima Active

Applicant: Omnigon Australia Pty Ltd

Date of SPAP Meeting: 26 April 2022

1. Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Omnigon Australia Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of one variant in existing product range of Omnigon BBraun Flexima Active (SAS Code 80165F) in subgroup 3(b) of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule, as the product has been discontinued due to never being manufactured. The product, including 2 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of \$6.373 with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units. The applicant has not sought deletion of the remaining one variant.

2. Substitute products

Not applicable.

3. Variants to be deleted

Product Code	Description
4642715	non-return valve single chamber, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 640ml, low headspace, adapter for connection to drainage bag, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 6mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, medium convexity, firm baseplate material, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, hexagon, cut-to-fit, 15mm, release tabs, 35mm

4. Background

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule on 1 May 2018.

5. Financial Analysis

Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 3(b) 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.

6. Panel Recommendation

The Panel, noting an equivalent product remained on the Schedule recommended the deletion of one variant from the product range for Omnigon BBraun Flexima Active (SAS Code 80165F) listed in subgroup 3(b) of the SAS Schedule at the unit price of \$6.373 with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

The Panel also noted that Omnigon Australia Pty Ltd is to advise Stoma Associations, ostomates, Stomal Therapy Nurses and ACSA of the deletion. A period of approximately 6 months from the Panel recommended date (26 April 2022) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable stoma associations to manage their stock levels.

7. Context for Recommendation

The Panel provides advice on whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. Applications are considered in this context. Panel advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final Panel view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the Panel following advice not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The Panel is an

advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All Panel recommendations are subject to Government approval.

8. Applicant's Comment

The applicant noted the SPAP recommendation.