**Public Health Service** 

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration Rockville, MD 20857

#### NDA 20-746/S-026

#### SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

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Attention: Patricia Neall Director, Regulatory Affairs

Dear Ms. Neall:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Application (sNDA) dated June 29, 2010, received June 29, 2010, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Rhinocort Aqua® (budesonide) Nasal Spray

We acknowledge receipt of your amendments dated December 2, 17, 21, and 23, 2010.

This "Prior Approval" supplemental new drug application proposes revisions to the Prescribing Information for Rhinocort Aqua®, the format of which has been revised in accordance with the labeling content and format requirements in 21 CFR 201.56(d) and 201.57.

We have completed our review of this supplemental application, as amended. It is approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed, agreed-upon labeling text.

## **CONTENT OF LABELING**

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, submit, using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(1)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format, as described at <a href="http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm">http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm</a>, that is identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert and patient information sheet submitted December 23, 2010) and include the labeling changes proposed in any pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements and any annual reportable changes not included in the enclosed labeling. Information on submitting SPL files using eLIST may be found in the guidance for industry titled "SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As" at <a href="http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf">http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf</a>.

The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications for this NDA, including CBE supplements for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)(1)(i)] in MS Word format that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application.

## PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. To do so, submit the following, in triplicate, (1) a cover letter requesting advisory comments, (2) the proposed materials in draft or mock-up form with annotated references, and (3) the package insert(s) to:

Food and Drug Administration Center for Drug Evaluation and Research Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications 5901-B Ammendale Road Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

You must submit final promotional materials and package insert(s), accompanied by a Form FDA 2253, at the time of initial dissemination or publication [21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i)]. Form FDA 2253 is available at <u>http://www.fda.gov/opacom/morechoices/fdaforms/cder.html</u>; instructions are provided on page 2 of the form. For more information about submission of promotional materials to the Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications (DDMAC), see <u>http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDER/ucm090142.htm</u>.

# LETTERS TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

If you decide to issue a letter communicating important safety-related information about this drug product (i.e., a "Dear Health Care Professional" letter), we request that you submit, at least 24 hours prior to issuing the letter, an electronic copy of the letter to this NDA to the following address:

MedWatch Program Office of Special Health Issues Food and Drug Administration 10903 New Hampshire Ave Building 32, Mail Stop 5353 Silver Spring, MD 20993

# **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved NDA (21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81).

If you have any questions, call Colette Jackson, Senior Regulatory Health Project Manager, at (301) 796-1230.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

Badrul A. Chowdhury Division Director Division of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Rheumatology Products Office of Drug Evaluation II Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

ENCLOSURE: Approved Labeling

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