Dear Ms. Gulley:

Please refer to your supplemental new drug applications dated April 28, 2008, received April 28, 2008, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for Viracept® (nelfinavir mesylate) 50 mg/g oral powder, 250 mg tablets, and 625 mg tablets.

We also acknowledge receipt of your submission dated October 14, 2008.

These “Changes Being Effected in 30 days” supplemental new drug applications provide for updates in the Patient Prescribing Information (PPI). The “Who should not take Viracept®?” section will include further details concerning patients with liver disease and the “Medicines you should not take with Viracept®” will include Crestor® and PDE5 Inhibitors.

We completed our review of these applications, as amended. These applications are approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed labeling.

**CONTENT OF LABELING**
The final printed labeling (FPL) must be identical to the enclosed labeling (package insert and patient prescribing information).

**PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS**
You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. To do so, submit, in triplicate, a cover letter requesting advisory comments, the proposed materials in draft mock-up form with annotated references, and 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  
Beltville, MD 20705-1266
As required under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i), you must submit final promotional materials, and the package insert(s), at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253. For instruction on completing the Form FDA 2253, see page 2 of the Form. For more information about submission of promotional materials to the Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications (DDMAC), see [www.fda.gov/cder/ddmac](http://www.fda.gov/cder/ddmac).

**LETTERS TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS**

If you 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 an electronic copy of the letter to both this NDA and to the following address:

MEDWATCH  
Food and Drug Administration  
Suite 12B05  
5600 Fishers Lane  
Rockville, MD 20857

Please submit one market package of the drug product when it is available.

**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 Robert G. Kosko, Jr., Pharm.D., M.P.H., Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-3979.

Sincerely,

[See appended electronic signature page]

Debra Birnkrant, M.D.  
Director  
Division of Antiviral Products  
Office of Antimicrobial Products  
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

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