



NDA 200678/S-007

SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Bristol-Myers Squibb Company
Attention: Pamela J. Smith, M.D.
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Dear Dr. Smith:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Application (sNDA) dated and received October 7, 2011, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Kombiglyze XR (saxagliptin/metformin hydrochloride extended-release) tablets 5 mg/500 mg, 5 mg/1000mg, and 2.5mg/1000 mg.

We acknowledge receipt of your amendments dated January 27 and March 9, 2012.

This “Prior Approval” supplemental new drug application proposes reconfiguration of the Kombiglyze XR 2.5/1000 mg physician sample pack from 6 tablets to 12 tablets.

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.

CARTON AND IMMEDIATE CONTAINER LABELS

Submit final printed carton and container labels that are identical to the enclosed carton and immediate container labels as soon as they are available, but no more than 30 days after they are printed.

Please submit these labels electronically according to the guidance for industry titled “Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format – Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications (June 2008).” Alternatively, you may submit 12 paper copies, with 6 of the copies individually mounted on heavy-weight paper or similar material. For administrative purposes, designate this submission “**Product Correspondence – Final Printed Carton and Container Labels for approved NDA 200678/S-007.**” Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

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
Office of Prescription Drug Promotion (OPDP)
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 <http://www.fda.gov/opacom/morechoices/fdaforms/cder.html>; instructions are provided on page 2 of the form. For more information about submission of promotional materials to the Office of Prescription Drug Promotion (OPDP), see <http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDER/ucm090142.htm>.

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 Raymond Chiang, Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-1940.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURE:

Carton and Container Labeling

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/s/

MARY H PARKS
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