



NDA 21487/S-025

**SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL**

Allergan Sales, LLC  
Attention: Nicola Walters, MBA, MPH  
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Dear Ms. Walters:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Application (sNDA) dated May 3, 2018, received May 3, 2018, and your amendments, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Namenda (memantine hydrochloride) Tablets 5 mg and 10 mg.

This Prior Approval supplemental new drug application provides for the following revisions to the labeling:

- To conform to the PLLR format, consistent with recommendations in the draft Guidance for Industry entitled, "*Pregnancy, Lactation, and Reproductive Potential: Labeling for Human Prescription Drug and Biological Products- Content and Format*" (December 2014)
- To provide an additional content in Subsection 8.4 Pediatric Use to align the Namenda labeling with the approved Namenda XR and Namzaric labeling
- To remove references to the discontinued Namenda (memantine HCl) Oral Solution

**APPROVAL & LABELING**

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 the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at <http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm>. Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the Prescribing Information, Patient Information), with the addition of any labeling changes in pending “Changes Being Effected” (CBE) supplements, as well as 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 <http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf>.

The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that include labeling changes 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 Microsoft Word format, that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes. To facilitate review of your submission(s), provide a highlighted or marked-up copy that shows all changes, as well as a clean Microsoft Word version. The marked-up copy should provide appropriate annotations, including supplement number(s) and annual report date(s).

## **REQUIRED PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENTS**

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients (which includes new salts and new fixed combinations), new indications, new dosage forms, new dosing regimens, or new routes of administration are required to contain an assessment of the safety and effectiveness of the product for the claimed indication in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

Because none of these criteria apply to your application, you are exempt from this requirement.

## **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 Teresa Wheelous, Regulatory Project Manager, at 301-796-1161.

Sincerely,

*{See appended electronic signature page}*

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ENCLOSURES:

Content of Labeling  
Prescribing Information  
Patient Package Insert

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**This is a representation of an electronic record that was signed electronically. Following this are manifestations of any and all electronic signatures for this electronic record.**  
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