

NDA 202344/S-015

SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

ASCEND Therapeutics US, LLC Attention: Suzanne Strang, PhD Executive Director, Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance 15 Mount Kemble Avenue Morristown NJ, 07960

Dear Dr. Strang:

Please refer to your supplemental new drug application (sNDA), dated December 12, 2019, received December 13, 2019, and your amendments, submitted pursuant to section 505(b)(2) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Binosto (alendronate sodium) effervescent tablets for oral solution.

This Prior Approval supplemental new drug application provides for revisions to the Prescribing Information (PI) to align with the manufacturer company core data sheet (CCDS).

APPROVAL & LABELING

We have completed our review of this application, as amended. It is approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed agreed-upon labeling with minor editorial revisions listed below and reflected in the enclosed labeling.

- The RECENT MAJOR CHANGES date for Dosage and Administration (2.3) and Warning and Precautions (5.7) have been updated to reflect the date of approval of this supplement (10/2020).
- The revision date on the PI and the issue date on the Medication Guide (MG) have been updated to reflect the date of approval of this supplement (10/2020).

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(I)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at FDA.gov.¹ Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the Prescribing Information and Medication Guide), 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 SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As.²

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 supplemental 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).

¹ <u>http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm</u>

² We update guidances periodically. For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA Guidance Documents Database <u>https://www.fda.gov/RegulatoryInformation/Guidances/default.htm</u>.

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If you have any questions, call Dana Smith, Regulatory Project Manager, at 1-240-402-9906.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURES:

- Content of Labeling
 - Prescribing Information
 - Medication Guide

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