



Australian Government
Department of Health
Therapeutic Goods Administration

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Special Access Scheme – Category B

Important Information

Email completed form to SAS@health.gov.au (preferred) or fax to 02 6232 8112.

The SAS Category B application form should be completed if guidance for use of an unapproved good will be met and the SAS Category A or SAS Category C pathways are not applicable.

Privacy Information

For general privacy information, go to <<https://www.tga.gov.au/privacy>>.

The TGA is collecting personal information in this form in order to:

- Assess the application.
- Contact the medical practitioner and discuss the application where necessary.
- The personal information of the medical practitioner may be disclosed to State and Territory authorities with responsibility for therapeutic goods or medical practitioner registration.

Patient details (minimum of 3 (three) identifiers required)

Diagnosis(es) or Medical Condition(s): Non-ketotic hyperglycinemia

Indication: Non-ketotic hyperglycinemia

Clinical justification for use of product: (e.g. Include seriousness of condition, details of previous treatment including reasons why a therapeutic good currently listed on the ARTG cannot be used for the treatment of this patient in this circumstance)

This medication conjugates glycine, a neurotransmitter, to normalise levels in plasma and CSF

Product details (attach efficacy and safety data to support proposed use of the product and details of intended monitoring)

Therapeutic good type Medicine Biological Medical device

Medicine/biological		Medical device	
Trade Name (if known)	Sponsor / Supplier	Trade name	
Active ingredient(s) Sodium benzoate		Product description (including variant ²)	
Dosage form (e.g. tablet) tablet	Strength (e.g., 1 mg/ml) 500mg	No of units	Sponsor / Supplier
Route of administration (e.g., IV) PO	Dose & frequency (1 tds) 4g tds	Proposed duration of treatment	Intended date of use
Quantity ¹ required for treatment or duration 12 months			

Treating health practitioner details

Submitter details (if different)

¹ The health practitioner type is any of the following: Medical practitioner; ATSI health practitioner; dentist; radiographer; nurse; midwife; occupational therapist; optometrist; pharmacist; podiatrist; psychologist.

¹ For substances captured by the Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956 the quantity must be provided.

² Variant means a medical device the design of which has been varied to accommodate different patient anatomical requirements (for example, relating to the shape, size, length, diameter or gauge of the device).