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Attention All: Consultants
Medical Officers
Pharmacists
Pharmacy Technicians
Nurses

Re: Dimethyl Fumarate Capsules

Dimethyl Fumarate 120mg and 240mg gastro-resistant hard capsules have been approved for introduction onto the Government Formulary List for the treatment of adult patients with relapsing remitting multiple sclerosis.

Dimethyl Fumarate capsules are protocol-regulated with protocol number 60 (attached) and can be prescribed by Consultant Neurologists.

Dimethyl Fumarate 120mg and 240mg gastro-resistant hard capsules have been procured and are now available for use.

For your attention please

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Version 04

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Dimethyl Fumarate 120mg and 240mg Gastro-Resistant Hard Capsule

Prescriber Criteria: Consultant Neurologist

Out-patient and In-patient use:

1. Multiple Sclerosis

Reserved for the treatment of adult patients with relapsing remitting multiple sclerosis who have failed adequate therapeutic trials with a beta-interferon or teriflunomide for a minimum of 6 months.

Duration of Approval:

1 year