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Attention All: Consultants
Medical Officers
Pharmacists
Pharmacy Technicians
Nurses

Re: Trametinib 2mg Tablets

It is being brought to your attention that as part of Government's policy to increase the number of oncology medicines on the Government Formulary List, another new oncology medicine is being introduced.

Trametinib 2mg tablets are now available on the Government Formulary List with **immediate effect** for in-patient and out-patient use.

Trametinib 2mg tablets can be prescribed by Consultant Oncologists for advanced melanoma in combination with dabrafenib and are protocol regulated by protocol 304 (Annex I).

For your attention please.

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Chief Medical Officer

Trametinib 2mg Tablets

Prescriber Criteria: Consultant Oncologist

Out-patient and In-patient use:

1. Malignant Diseases

For use in combination with dabrafenib for the treatment of adult patients with advanced (unresectable or metastatic) melanoma with a BRAF V600 mutation.

Duration of Approval:

1year