

Transcript

SA HIV Clinicians Society Newsletter

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Notice of Annual General Meeting of the SA HIV Clinicians Society

The Southern African HIV Clinicians Society's 2010 Annual General Meeting (AGM) will take place at the Pharmaceutical Society of South Africa located at the Glenhove Conference Centre, 52 Glenhove Road, Houghton, Johannesburg on Thursday, 25 November 2010 at 18h00 -19h00. The AGM will be followed by a light finger supper at 19h00 and the Johannesburg Branch Meeting at 19h30 which will be held in honor of the late Professor Ruben Sher. Professor Malegapuru William Makgoba will present this year's Professor Ruben Sher memorial lecture. For more information, please contact Fatima at: 0113410162 or fatimas@sahivsoc.org

Message from the President

At the Vienna AIDS conference there was a renewed focus on the issue of 'donor fatigue' and decreased funding in a recessionary environment, despite the fact that we have many people who still need HIV care. There was justifiable anger at broken promises by certain political leaders, as well as a call for the world to acknowledge that AIDS remains a huge problem, particularly in sub-Saharan Africa.

In his plenary Bill Clinton made a good point: we need to do better with the money we have. We could work smarter, faster and more effectively with the human resources that exist in our health system. We could use our current antiretrovirals and TB drugs better, decreasing the need for migration to expensive regimens for resistant organism. We can look at where wastage and duplication occur, and stop it.

We cannot let donors or governments off the hook. But in a recessionary environment, the Society has had to take a hard look at how we ensure our own sustainability. Whilst we have a large membership, very few members pay their annual subscription fees. The Society continues to be donor funded, but these funds have decreased and donors are asking organizations to diversify their funding streams. *Hence as of 01st January 2011, only members who are up to date in their subscription fees will receive CPD certificates for Society branch meetings*. The Society branch meetings are still open to both members and non members, and for the time being all members will continue to receive the *Southern African Journal of HIV Medicine*.

In an attempt to reduce wastage please also ensure that your contact details are up to date so we can cut down on returned postage due to incorrect postal addresses. You can update your details online (http://www.sahivsoc.org/) or by calling us at 083 305 5673 (Patrick) or 073 192 4365 (Kerry). Thank you for doing your part to help us stretch every rand, pula and kwacha as far as possible so that the Society can continue to support your efforts to fight HIV.

Warmest Regards

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Branch Meeting Dates 2010

Please note that the below dates are provisional and may be subject to change. For more information, please contact the relevant branch coordinator

PROVINCE /CITY	DATE	VENUE	TIME	COORDINATOR CONTACT DETAILS
EASTERN CAPE				
East London	1 December	Drs du Buisson & Partners, Ampath Laboratory, 58 St James Rd, Southernwood.	19:00	Daphne Gernetzky: tel: 043 703 4300 email: gernetzkyd@ampath.co.za
Mthatha	To be confirmed			Dr L. Nojoko: tel: (041) 485 3985 cell: 072 786 0207 email: lungisa@iafrica.com
Port Elizabeth	To be confirmed	The President's Suite, St George's Cricket Ground	19:00	Dr Kas Kasongo: tel: (041) 451 4423 email: kasongo@pathcare.co.za
FREE STATE				
Bloemfontein	16 November	The Doctors Club, Medi-Clinic, Kellner Street, Bloemfontein	18:30	Dr Riaan van Coller: e-mail: <u>rvc@neuro.bfnmcc.co.za</u>
Welkom				Dr Mandla Mphuthi
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East Rand	To be confirmed			Dr Nana or Dr Sarang: tel: (011) 421 1589 email: <u>blinds@iafrica.com</u>
Johannesburg	25 November	Glenhove Conference Centre, 52 Glenhove Rd, Houghton	19:00 (subject to change)	Natalie Martyn: tel: 079 393 4793 email: nataliem@afrihost.co.za
Pretoria	To be confirmed	Muelmed Hospital Boardroom, Pretorius St, between Hamilton and Leyds Streets	18:30	Dr Mariette Botes: tel: 012 440 0758 email:mariette@hivpractice.co.za; Dr Lynne Webber: email:webberl@lancet.co.za Elizabeth Malela: cell: 082 631 1588
POLOKWANE			<u> </u>	30 302 301 1333
Pietersburg (New Branch)	To be confirmed	To be confirmed		Dr Sizeka Maweya
KWAZULU NATAL				
Durban	To be confirmed			Natalie Martyn: tel: 079 393 4793 email: nataliem@afrihost.co.za
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Nelspruit	To be confirmed	Nou's Toeka, Nelspruit	18:00	Dr Ebby Mkhabela: tel: (013) 755 1458 email:ebby.mkhabela@righttocare.org
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Gaborone	Meetings are	Boehringer Institute	18:00	Dr Tafireyi Marukutira:
(Southern Branch)	held on the first Thursday of every month			email:sahivcs@gmail.com
Francistown	Meetings held	Conference Room, Nyangabgwe	19:00	Dr KF Mompati:
(Northern Branch)	on the first	Hospital		tel: (00) 267 713 09897
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If you are interested in starting up a Branch in your area please contact Fatima at (+27) 11 341 0162 or fatimas@sahivsoc.org
Please note that branch coordinators are volunteers and do not receive a salary or stipend from the Society.

Emerging Issues Meetings

Please note that we have broadened the scope of the Nutrition Focus Group meetings to include other emerging issues in the field of HIV.

The Emerging Issues meetings will take place on alternate months, at 18:00, immediately prior to the Johannesburg Branch meetings, at the Glenhove Conference Centre. Dates for the 2011 meetings will be available in the next edition of Transcript.

Important Information on CPD Points

Meetings

All Society branch and focus group meetings held in South Africa are CPD accredited by SAMA, and health care workers who attend meetings will receive one CPD point for each hour of the presentation.

We are now using an automated system for distributing CPD certificates, based on our membership database, so please remember to include your **Society membership number** on the meeting registers (for your convenience, your membership number will be e-mailed to you with the meeting

invitations). If any of your colleagues who are not members of the Society would like to attend the meetings, they are most welcome to do so, but please ask them to first apply for membership on-line at: www.sahivsoc.org

Questionnaires

Three points are awarded for the completion of each multiple choice questionnaire in the Journal of HIV Medicine, with a pass rate of 70%.

Questionnaires must be submitted online at: www.cpdjournals.org.za

If you experience any problems with on-line questionnaire system, please contact Gertrude Fani at: 021 681 7216.

Please note that the Society is no longer able to issue certificates for faxed or posted questionnaires from current or back-issues of the Journal.

Publications

The Society is always willing to accept articles for consideration for inclusion in the *Journal of HIV Medicine*. Articles should be submitted to the editor online at www.sajhivmed.org.za. Once an article has been submitted, the author will receive an acknowledgement of receipt, and the article will be subject to a peer review. The authors of all published articles will be awarded 15 CPD points, and co-authors will receive 5 CPD points. Reviewers of published articles will receive 3 CPD points. We are happy to accept articles from people writing for publication for the first time, and will provide support to first-time authors.

The latest edition of the Journal can be viewed online at: http://www.sajhivmed.org.za/index.php/sajhivmed/issue and previous editions are available on the Journal website: go to www.sajhivmed.org.za and click on "Archives".

HIV/AIDS Management Course, Diploma and Other Courses

1. <u>CLINICAL HIV MANAGEMENT COURSE OFFERED BY THE WITS INSTITUTE</u>, OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND (7-18 MARCH 2011)

This full time, Johannesburg based two week course includes:

Module 1: Overview - History of HIV to palliative care

Module 2: Basic science

Module 3: TB and other opportunistic infections – prevention, diagnosis and treatment

Module 4: ARVs

Both adult and paediatric treatment and care are covered during the course. Field trips to leading Johannesburg ARV clinics are also part of the 10 day learning experience. 36 CPD points are awarded to participants attending every session and the course provides sound preparation for doctors planning to take the College of Medicine's HIV Management Diploma examination.

Fees are R6 000 or \$US 723.00 for non-South African residents with limited bursaries available.

For further details and application forms visit www.rhru.co.za or contact course co-ordinator Mercy Mopedi:

Tel: 011 358 5353 or e-mail: mmopedi@rhru.co.za

2. TOGA AND KIMERA MASTERCLASS PROGRAMME IN HIV MEDICINE 2010

Time: 08:00 - 10:00

Venue: The Upstairs Boardroom, Toga Laboratory, Meadowdale Office Park, Edenvale, Johannesburg

Coordinator: Dr Dave Spencer, Senior Physician, Toga Laboratory

Contact: Ms Marie du Bois: tel: 011 663-6503

The classes are offered free of charge but space is limited. Those interested in attending should call to reserve a place.

MONTH	DATE	TOPIC	SPEAKER
January	14.01.2011	Epidemiology of HIV: Gender Issues. Why still women and children?	Rachel Jewkes
February	04.02.2011	Basic Science and HIV: Update on Immunology	Marcelle Erasmus
March	04.03.2011	Clinical HIV Medicine: The CNS. New Developments.	Dave Spencer
April	01.04.2011	Epidemiology: South Africa. What are the Issues and what is the Future?	Francois Venter
May	06.05,2011	The Virus. Current Developments in the Field.	Lynn Morris
June	03.06.2011	ART: Simplifying HIV Treatment.	Dave Spencer
July	01.07.2011	The Politics of HIV Care in Africa	Nicola Nattrass
August	05.08,2011	HIV and the Respiratory Tract. What can we learn?	Mervyn Mer

September	02.09.2011	HIV and Ethics Part I: Lessons from Non-disclosure. The Virus Speaks.	Joyce Marshall
October	07.10.2011	HIV and Ethics Part II: Failure to Seek Care. Failure to Remain in Care.	Dave Spencer
November	04.11.2011	Clinical HIV: The Skin and the HIV – Infected Patient.	Unconfirmed: Nella Grilo. Provisional dermatologist from Bara.

3. COLLEGES OF MEDICINE: DIPLOMA IN HIV MANAGEMENT - DIP HIV MAN (SA):

Examination Structure: Exit Examination: 2 written papers, no oral examination.

Requirements: 6 months supervised training at a teaching or CMSA-approved hospital OR 6 months in an HIV Clinic PLUS 10 day's attendance of HIV Management courses.

For more information on fees, examination dates, syllabus and candidate requirements, please contact the Colleges of Medicine:

Tel: 011 726 7037

Website: http://www.collegemedsa.ac.za

4. FOUNDATION FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES 2010/11:

For more information please contact the Foundation for Professional Development:

Contact person: Stacey Dias

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E-mail: <u>staceyd@foundation.co.za</u> or <u>foundation@foundation.co.za</u>

Website: www.foundation.co.za

Conferences 2011

4th Annual Workshop on Advanced Clinical Care (AWACC) - AIDS (30 Sept -1 October 2010)

The 4th AWACC Conference was a great success. The final report and all the presentations are available on: https://www.givengain.com/cgi%2Dbin/giga.cgi?cmd=cause_dir_news_item&cause_id=1285&news_id=86508&cat_id=1401

The conference is provisionally set to take place on the 6-7 October 2011 in Durban.

Conference on retroviruses and opportunistic infections (CROI 2011)

Date: 27 February – 02 March Venue: Boston, Massachusetts

Conference info: http://www.retroconference.org/2011/

5TH SA AIDS Conference

Date: 7 – 10 June 2011

Venue: International Convention Centre, Durban

For more Information: http://www.saaids.com

Local contact number: 0861 115 182

Local Fax: 0861 115 181 / 5 / 0 International Tel: +27 (0)12 816 9000 International Fax: +27 (0)12 807 7191/7153

6th IAS Conference on HIV Pathogenesis, Treatment and Prevention (IAS 2011)

Date: 17–20 July 2011

Venue: Rome

For more Information: http://ias2011.org

Services Available

Contact details for the Hotline:

Tel: 0800 212 506 or 021 406 6782

E-mail: pha-mic@uct.ac.za
Fax: 021 448 0503

Alternatively, send a SMS or "Please Call Me" to 071 840 1572, and someone will call you back.

The hotline operates from Mondays to Fridays 8:30 - 16:30.

HIV SUPPORT WEBSITE

www.hivsupport.co.za is a new website for people living with HIV and AIDS (PLWHA) in South Africa - and is aimed at the South African audience. The purpose is two-fold: to offer an information-portal to South Africans LWHA and to provide a *free* 24/7 online support group for PLWHA, families and supporters. Featured topics will include PMTCT, children with HIV, TB and HIV, state drugs and other locally applicable information. Currently the site provides some basic information, with plans to grow and add the support group within the next couple of months.

Please feel free to refer your patients to the website.

BACK ISSUES OF THE JOURNAL OF HIV MEDICINE

The Society has a limited number of back issues of the Journal of HIV Medicine, available free of charge to members on a first come, first served basis. To order back issues, please contact 011 341 0162 or email: sahivsoc.org

UNAIDS NEWSLETTER

The UNAIDS Quarterly Newsletter provides useful summaries of recent studies on HIV in developing countries. Subscribe online for free at: http://www.unaids.org/Services/Subscribe.aspx?displaylang=en

GUIDE TO PAIN MANAGEMENT IN LOW RESOURCE SETTINGS

Practitioners in settings with limited resources will benefit from easy-to-read information about simple and cost-effective approaches that can provide maximum effects in managing pain in their patients.

A print version is not available, the complete book (or individual chapters) may be downloaded, printed, and distributed for educational purposes free of charge. Visit the IASP website now to download this valuable resource:

www.iasp-pain.org/LowResourceGuide

PROBONO.ORG HIV / AIDS LEGAL CLINIC

ProBono.Org, a non-profit clearing house for public interest law matters currently operating in Gauteng, provides a weekly legal clinic offering free legal advice and services to people experiencing HIV/AIDS related discrimination. The clinic is staffed by attorneys who make themselves available on a *pro bono* basis, and assist clients with legal advice, opinions, non-litigation interventions, alternative dispute resolution, and/or litigation. As far as possible, attorneys will attempt to resolve the problems immediately. Where this is not possible, the client will become a client of the relevant firm, and the attorney will finalise the matter on a *pro bono* basis.

When: 9h00 - 12h00 every Tuesday

Where: 1st Floor, West Wing

Women's Jail, Constitution Hill 1 Kotze Street, Braamfontein

Contact: Tel: 011 339 6080

E-mail: phumi@probono-org.org

The Society Guidelines

The Society has published the following guidelines in the *Journal of HIV Medicine*:

- Displaced Populations: Published in 2007 (Issue 26)
- Nutrition: Chapters 1 & 2 published in June 2007 (Issue 27). Chapters 3 6 published in April 2008 (Issue 29)
- Cryptococcal Meningitis: Published in December 2007, with poster (Issue 28)

- Adult ART: Published in April 2008 (Issue 29)
- **Prisoners:** Published in June 2008, with poster (Issue 30)
- Renal Replacement Therapy: Published in June 2008 (Issue 30)
- Post-Exposure Prophylaxis: Published in November 2008 (Issue 31)
- Criteria for Expedited ARV Initiation: Published in March 2009 (Issue 33)
- ARV therapy in Children: Published in December 2009 (Issue 36)

The above guidelines are available from the Society (contact: 011 341 0162 or e-mail: sahivsoc@sahivsoc.org). They can also be downloaded from the Society website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of HIV Medicine website: www.sahivsoc.org or the SA Journal of

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Recommended Reading

<u>Handbook of HIV Medicine (2nd Edition)</u> edited by Douglas Wilson, Mark Cotton, Linda-Gail Bekker, Tammy Meyers, Francois Venter, and Gary Maartens, published by Oxford University Press. The second edition of the handbook is now available from: Oxford University Press: Tel: 021 5961222, e-mail: orders.za@oup.com or website: http://www.oxford.co.za

The Clinical Practice of HIV Medicine by Dr David C Spencer. (Out of print – second edition will be available in early 2011.)

<u>HIV/AIDS in South Africa</u> edited by SS Abdool Karim and Q Abdool Karim, published by Cambridge University Press. This book covers all aspects of HIV/AIDS in SA from epidemiology, prevention strategies, basic science, medicine, sociology, economics, politics and treatment. To order a copy, contact Cambridge University Press: tel: (021) 412 7800, fax: (021) 419 0594, email: orders@cambridge.org or website: www.cambridge.org

<u>Medical Management of HIV Infection (South African Edition)</u> by John G. Bartlett, MD, Joel E. Gallant, MD MPH and Dr FM Conradie, published by TheraSim in cooperation with the Foundation for Professional Development, 2008. For an electronic version of the international edition of this book, go to: <u>www.bartletthiv.org</u>

<u>Adult HIV: A learning programme for professionals</u> by the Desmond Tutu HIV Foundation, published by Electric Book Works, 2008. For more information on downloading or ordering a copy, go to: <u>www.EBWhealthcare.com</u>

Primary HIV/AIDS Care by Dr Clive Evian, published by Jacana Media: www.jacana.co.za

Witness to AIDS by Judge Edwin Cameron, published by Tafelberg. To order a copy, go to: www.witnesstoaids.com

<u>Health & Democracy - a guide to human rights, health law and policy in post apartheid South Africa</u> by Adila Hassim, Mark Heywood and Jonathan Berger, Published by Siber Ink, 2007. To order a copy, contact Section 27: tel: (011) 356 4100.

<u>The Virus, Vitamins and Vegetables</u> edited by Kerry Cullinan and Anso Thom of Health-e News Service, published by Jacana Media.

A collection of essays by some of South Africa's foremost HIV / AIDS writers, doctors and activists, examining the tragedy of AIDS denialism in South Africa. To order a copy of the book contact: editor@health-e.org.za

<u>Changing the Course of AIDS: Peer Education in South Africa and its lessons for the Global Crisis</u> by David Dickinson, Published by Cornell University Press, 2009. To order a copy of the book contact <u>marketing@blueweaver.co.za</u> or call 021 701 4477

<u>HIV & the Criminal Law</u> by Edwin J. Bernard, Published NAM, 2010. To order a copy of the book email <u>info@nam.org.uk</u> alternatively access the book online at <u>www.aidsmap.com/law</u>

<u>Clouds Move</u> by Derrick Fine, Published by the Openly Positive Trust, 2007. To order a copy of the book email <u>opositive@iafrica.com</u> or visit <u>www.kalahari.net</u>

Internet-based Discussion Groups

The Society currently operates three extremely successful internet based discussion groups, which assist health care workers to build their capacity to deal with HIV-related clinical and ethical questions through the use of case studies:

• Paediatric Discussion Group (Manager/Moderator: Dr Leon Levin):

To join please send your e-mail address to Dr Leon Levin: leonlevin@54.co.za

• Adult HIV Discussion Group (Manager/Moderator: Dr Francesca Conradie):

To join please send your first name, surname and email address to Dr Francesca Conradie: addhiv@witshealth.co.za

HIV Policy and Ethics Discussion Group (Manager: Ms Marlise Richter):

To join please send your name, surname and e-mail address to Marlise at: ethics.policy@gmail.com

(To view past debates: http://groups.google.com/group/policy-ethics?hl=en)

The latest Antiretroviral (ART) SEP Prices Direct from the Manufacturer

WARNING: additional fees may be incurred when purchasing per prescription, per month, for dispensing and door-to-door delivery from pharmacies. Prices are accurate at time of going to press.

NAME	STRENGTH	NAPPI CODES	COMPANY	QUANTITY	PRICE	GSK ACCESS PRICE
KALETRA SYRUP		700924	ABBOTT	300ML	R 305.49 INC VAT	
NORVIR CAPSULES	100MG	836095	ABBOTT	84	R 71.27 INC VAT	
NORVIR SYRUP	80MG/ML	838527	ABBOTT	90ML	R 61.01 INC VAT	
ALUVIA TABS		710028	ABBOTT	120	R 305.49 INC VAT	
ADCO-EFAVIRENZ	600MG	709545001	ADCOCK	30	R 165.10 INC VAT	
ADCO-LAMIVUDINE	150MG	707962001	ADCOCK	60	R 96.51 INC VAT	
ADCO-LAMIVUDINE SOL	10MG/1ML	708708001	ADCOCK	240ML	R 76.82 INC VAT	
ADCO-LAMIVUDINE alcohol and sugar free ADCO-NEVIRAPINE	10MG/1ML	708713001	ADCOCK	240ML	R 76.82 INC VAT	
(blister)	200MG	707961001	ADCOCK	60	R 181.20 INC VAT	
ADCO-ZIDOVUDINE	300MG	707960001	ADCOCK	60	R 243.60 INC VAT	
ADCO-ZIDOVUDINE SYR	50MG/5ML	708709001	ADCOCK	200ML	R 81.57 INC VAT	
ADCO-ZIDOVUDINE alcohol and sugar free	50MG/5ML	708711001	ADCOCK	200ML	R 81.57 INC VAT	
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ASPEN LAMZID ASPEN ABACAVIR	150/300MG	703627001	ASPEN	60	R 310.60 INC VAT	
SOLUTION	20MG/ML	713758001	ASPEN	240ML	R 254.35 INC VAT	
ASPEN LAMIVUDINE	150MG	703716001	ASPEN	60	R 98.37 INC VAT	
ASPEN LAMIVUDINE SYR	10MG/ML	703715001	ASPEN	240ML	R 75.22 INC VAT	
ASPEN ZIDOVUDINE	100MG	705452001	ASPEN	100	R139.66 INC VAT	
ASPEN ZIDOVUDINE	250MG	705455001	ASPEN	60	R 278.98 INC VAT	
ASPEN ZIDOVUDINE	300MG	703712002	ASPEN	60	R243.79 INC VAT	
ASPEN ZIDOVUDINE	10MG/ML	703713001	ASPEN	200ML	R 81.99 INC VAT	
ASPEN NEVIRAPINE	200MG	703718001	ASPEN	60	R181.24 INC VAT	
ASPEN NEVIRAPINE	10MG/ML	704731001	ASPEN	240ML	R127.32 INC VAT	
ASPEN DIDANOSINE	25MG	703330001	ASPEN	60	R 108.41 INC VAT	

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ASPEN DIDANOSINE	50MG	703332001	ASPEN	60	R 107.14 INC VAT	
ASPEN DIDANOSINE	100MG	703333001	ASPEN	60	R 113.98 INC VAT	
ASPEN DIDANOSINE	150MG	703392001	ASPEN	60	R 159.58 INC VAT	
ASPEN STAVUDINE	15MG	704885001	ASPEN	60	R 31.09 INC VAT	
ASPEN STAVUDINE	20MG	701172001	ASPEN	60	R 34.70 INC VAT	
ASPEN STAVUDINE	30MG	701174001	ASPEN	60	R 39.90 INC VAT	
ASPEN STAVUDINE	40MG	701175001	ASPEN	60	R 44.44 INC VAT	
ASPEN EFAVIRENZ	600MG	710019001	ASPEN	60	R154.86 INC VAT	
VIREAD (TENOFOVIR)	300MG	708253001	ASPEN	30	R 258.05 INC VAT	
TRUVADA		708254001	ASPEN	30	R 427.15 INC VAT	
AURO-EFAVIRENZ	50MG	710592001	AUROBINDO	30	R 31.19 INCL VAT	
AURO-EFAVIRENZ	200MG	710593002	AUROBINDO	90	R 297.98 INCL VAT	
AURO-EFAVIRENZ	600MG	710594001	AUROBINDO	30	R 164.93 INCL VAT	
AURO-LAMIVUDINE	150MG	710602001	AUROBNIDO	60	R 97.29 INCL VAT	
AURO-LAMIVIDINE						
ORAL SOLUTION	10MG/ML	710603001	AUROBINDO	240ML	R 77.62 INCL VAT	
AURO-LAMIZIDO	150MG/300MG	710596001	AUROBINDO	60	R 325.70 INCL VAT	
AURO-NEVIRAPINE AURO-NEVIRAPINE	200MG	710606001	AUROBINDO	200	R 189.53 INCL VAT	
ORAL SUSPENSION	50MG/5ML	710604001	AUROBINDO	240ML	R 128.89 INCL VAT	
AURO-STAVUDINE POWDER FOR ORAL SOLUTION	1MG/ML	710591001	AUROBINDO	200ML	R 27.44 INCL VAT	
AURO-STAVUDINE	30MG	710589001	AUROBNIDO	60	R 41.31 INCL VAT	
AURO-ZIDOVUDINE	100MG	710597002	AUROBINDO	100	R 221.76 INCL VAT	
AURO-ZIDOVUDINE	300MG	710600001	AUROBINDO	60	R 261.78 INCL VAT	
AURO-ZIDOVUDINE ORAL SOLUTION	50MG/5ML	710634001	AUROBINDO	240ML	R 83.02 INCL VAT	
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VIDEX TABLETS	50MG	842961	BMS	60	R 138.86 INC VAT	
VIDEX TABLETS	150MG	793205	BMS	60	R 203.87 INC VAT	
VIDEX POWDER	2G	847518	BMS	1	R 137.13 INC VAT	
VIDEX EC TABLETS	250MG	704783	BMS	30	R 199.90 INC VAT	
VIDEX EC TABLETS	400MG	703785	BMS	30	R 257.97 INC VAT	
ZERIT CAPSULES	15MG	841315	BMS	60	R 54.36 INC VAT	
ZERIT CAPSULES	20MG	837458	BMS	56	R 54.26 INC VAT	
ZERIT CAPSULES	30MG	841323	BMS	60	R 54.26 INC VAT	
ZERIT CAPSULES	40MG	837407	BMS	60	R 54.26 INC VAT	
ZERIT SOLUTION	1MG/ML	846074	BMS	200ML	R 16.09 INC VAT	
REYATAZ	150MG	708257	BMS	60	R 345.50 INC VAT	
REYATAZ	200MG	708258	BMS	60	R 434.72 INC VAT	
HYDREA CAPSULES	500MG	731706	BMS	100	R 223.97 INC VAT	
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VIRAMUNE TABLETS	200MG	840645	INGELHEIM	60	R 189.55 INC VAT	
VIRAMUNE SYRUP	10MG/ML	861855	BOEHRINGER- INGELHEIM	240ML	R 131.64 INC VAT	
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CIPLA-ABACAVIR	300MG	714098001	CIPLA	60	R 715.92 INC VAT	

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CIPLA-DUOVIR		707300001	CIPLA	60	R 310.61 INC VAT	
CIPLA-DUOVIR AND EFAVIRENZ 600 Tabs Co-Pack		712993001	CIPLA	30 x tabs 3's	R 379.62 INC VAT	
CIPLA -EFAVIRENZ	600MG	709331001	CIPLA	30	R 164.92 INC VAT	
CIPLA-LAMIVUDINE Tabs	150MG	701282003	CIPLA	60	R 103.08 INC VAT	
CIPLA-LAMIVUDINE	300MG		CIPLA	30		
Tabs CIPLA-LAMIVUDINE		709337001			R 103.08 INC VAT	
Oral Sol CIPLA-LAMIVUDINE	50MG/5ML	704041001	CIPLA	100ML	R 31.59 INC VAT	
Oral Sol CIPLA-NEVIRAPINE	50MG/5ML	704041002	CIPLA	240ML	R75.81 INC VAT	
Tabs	200MG	704036001	CIPLA	60	R 189.54 INC VAT	
CIPLA-NEVIRAPINE Oral Susp	50MG/5ML	704040001	CIPLA	240ML	R 122.32 INC VAT	
CIPLA-TENOFOVIR	300MG	714097001	CIPLA	30	R 210.90 INC VAT	
CIPLA-ZIDOVUDINE Capsules	100MG	704037001	CIPLA	100	R 173.18 INC VAT	
CIPLA-ZIDOVUDINE	100MG	704037002	CIPLA	120	R 207.81 INC VAT	
CIPLA-ZIDOVUDINE Tabs	300MG	704038001	CIPLA	60	R 275.97 INC VAT	
CIPLA-ZIDOVUDINE						
Oral Sol CIPLA-ZIDOVUDINE	50MG/5ML	704039001	CIPLA	100ML	R 40.25 INC VAT	
Oral Sol	50MG/5ML	704039002	CIPLA	200ML	R 80.51 INC VAT	
STAVIR 30	30MG	701342001	CIPLA	60	R 39.90 INC VAT	
TRIOMUNE -30		707970001	CIPLA	60	R 284.49 INC VAT	
TRIOMUNE -40		705968001	CIPLA	60	R 251.32 INC VAT	
3TC TABLETS	150MG	821632019	GSK	60	R 120.48 INCL VAT	
3TC SYRUP	50MG/5ML	821640003	GSK	240ML	R 85.51 INCL VAT	
COMBIVIR TABLETS		875821006	GSK	60	R 365.94 INCL VAT	
HIV STARTER PACK		842346008	GSK		R 43.68 INCL VAT	
KIVEXA TABLETS		707321001	GSK	30	R 922.26 INCL VAT	
RETROVIR CAPSULES	100MG	784265003	GSK	100	R 230.18 INCL VAT	
RETROVIR TABLETS	250MG	837350026	GSK	60	R 315.88 INCL VAT	
RETROVIR TABLETS	300MG	885317002	GSK	60	R 344.17 INCL VAT	
RETROVIR INFUSION	20MG/1ML	825018005	GSK	INF 200MG X 5's	R 343.11 INCL VAT	
RETROVIR SYRUP	50MG/5ML	794236006	GSK	200ML	R 90.05 INCL VAT	
TELZIR	700MG	712478001	GSK	60	R 1 481.48 INCL VAT	
TELZIR SUSPENSION	50MG/ML	713582001	GSK	225ML	R 494.89 INCL VAT	
TRIZIVIR		703537001	GSK	60	R 1 630.03 INCL VAT	
ZIAGEN TABLETS	300MG	898531003	GSK	60	R 961.67 INCL VAT	
ZIAGEN SYRUP	100MG/5ML	898538009	GSK	240ML	R 364.22 INCL VAT	
CRIXIVAN CAPSULES	200MG	827258003	MSD	360	R 580.24 INC VAT	
CRIXIVAN CAPSULES	400MG	824445007	MSD	180	R 576.14 INC VAT	
CRIXIVAN CAPSULES	400MG	824445023	MSD	120	R 384.09 INC VAT	
STOCRIN TABLETS	50MG	712069001	MSD	30	R 39.10 INC VAT	
STOCRIN TABLETS	200MG	712070001	MSD	90	R 370.42 INC VAT	
STOCRIN TABLETS	600MG	703318001	MSD	30	R 217.67 INC VAT	

INVIRASE CAPSULES	200MG	825697	ROCHE	270	R 797.18 INC VAT
BACTRIM DS		706442	ROCHE	10	R 69.17 INC VAT
BACTRIM INFUSION		706418	ROCHE	AMPULES	R 221.41 INC VAT
BACTRIM		706434	ROCHE	20	R 64.79 INC VAT
VIRACEPT POWDER	50 MG/G	857211	ROCHE	144	R 350.31 INC VAT
SONKE LAMIVUDINE	150MG	703378001	SONKE	60	R 44.40 INC VAT
SONKE TENOFOVIR	300MG	714993001	SONKE	60	R 204.06 INC VAT
SONKE NEVIRAPINE	200MG	709533001	SONKE	60	R 171.00 INC VAT
SONKE ZIDOVUDINE	300MG	709531001	SONKE	60	R 228.00 INC VAT
SONKE LAMI+ZIDO	150MG+300MG	707971001	SONKE	60	R 250.80 INC VAT
SONKE LAMI NEV STAV	150MG+200MG+30MG	709840001	SONKE	60	R 231.19 INC VAT
SONKE DIDANOSINE	25MG	709870001	SONKE	60	R 89.92 INC VAT
SONKE DIDANOSINE	50MG	709871001	SONKE	60	R 100.55 INC VAT
SONKE DIDANOSINE	100MG	709872001	SONKE	60	R 110.31 INC VAT
SONKE STAVUDINE	30MG	709530001	SONKE	60	R 34.18 INC VAT
SONKE EFAVIRENZ	200MG	709529001	SONKE	90	R207.94 INC VAT
SONKE EFAVIRENZ	600MG	709528001	SONKE	30	R 134.52 INC VAT

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