

Newsletter January 2019

For further information about HERPC documents go to:

<http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc>

For Joint Formulary go to

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Traffic Light Classification within HERPC:

RED – specialist prescriber only

AMBER – prescribed in accordance with approved shared care framework

BLUE (Guideline or Specialist Led) – prescribed on advice of specialist or in line with national / local guideline

GREEN – other items listed on formulary suitable for initiation and prescribing by any prescriber

ADDITIONS TO RED LIST

Cannabidiol Oil (Epidiolex) Unlicensed – Epilepsy that has proven intractable to treatment with conventional licensed antiepileptic drugs given at therapeutic doses

Nivolumab – Melanoma stage III and IV

NEW & UPDATED SCF

No new SCF this month

NEW & UPDATED GUIDELINES/SPECIALIST LED MEDICINES

Renavit Form (Update)

Good Practice in Self Blood Glucose Monitoring Type 1&2 (Update)

Gastroenterology Systemic Biological Therapy Pathway (Update)

Dermatology Systemic Biological Therapy Pathway (Update)

Rheumatology Systemic Biological Therapy Pathway (Update)

GREEN DRUGS

No new green drugs this month