



# Health Canada's upcoming changes to Antimicrobial access and how it affects you.

As many of you are aware, there are changes coming into effect later this year that will reduce producers' access to antibiotics. As of December 1st, 2018 all Medically Important Antimicrobials (MIAs) will be sold by prescription only, through a veterinarian. This move is said to promote the responsible use of MIAs (including antibiotics) in order to preserve their effectiveness and minimize antimicrobial resistance (AMR) as MIAs are needed to fight bacterial infections in humans and animals.

Some manufacturers have already begun to change labels and packaging in order to be prepared for the December deadline and we expect more will follow suit over the summer. Although we desire to have a good stock of the antibiotics that producers have been accustomed to finding at Farmers Farmacy, right up until the deadline, the reality is that supply and stock of these products could change at any point over the next several months. As manufacturers update their labels to comply with new regulations, some have already chosen to sell their products only through veterinarians, even though that is not actually required until December 1st.

We encourage you to buy early, while stock remains. Please take a look at the list on the reverse side of this page and see if you need to stock up on anything before these items are no longer available from Farmers Farmacy®.

We know this time of transition will be a challenging one so if you have any questions please feel free to contact the Farmers Farmacy team and we will do our best to help! Farmers Farmacy® is exploring other opportunities that could potentially allow us to supply Antimicrobials to producers in the future but nothing is confirmed at this time.



# Antimicrobial Products Affected

#CODE	PRODUCT	Size	Special Order
687568	Component TE-100 Implants with Tylan	20/pkg	
687569	Component TE-200 Implants with Tylan	20/pkg	
613542	Pen Vet 300	250mL	
613522	Penpro Penicillin	250mL	
613519	Penpro Penicillin	500mL	
674319	Blu-Kote	128g	
685298	Wound Clear Spray	500mL	
687570	Component E-H Implants with Tylan	20/pkg	
604860	Component E-S Implants with Tylan	20/pkg	
604880	Compudose	20/pkg	
616203	2 Sulfamed	10kg	✓
616209	3-Sulvit	450g	
605009	Lincomix 100	100mL	
606519	Lincomycin Spectinomycin 100 Soluble Powder	150g	
609159	Neo-Chlor	10kg	✓
609109	Neo-Chlor	400g	
609003	Neomed 325	1kg	
609001	Neomed 325	100g	
609049	Neotetramed	400g	
608510	Scour Suspension	400mL	
615823	Sulmed Plus	10kg	
615821	Sulmed Plus	450g	
613549	Superbooster	400g	
613569	Superbooster	10kg	✓
617131	Tetramed 250	400g	
917469	Tiamulin Water Soluble	152.5g	
621019	Tylosin Soluble Powder	500g	
621018	Tylosin Soluble Powder	100g	
616210	3-Sulvit	10kg	✓
600119	After-Calf Bolus	20/jar	
602541	Bloat-Eze	340mL	
602542	Bloat-Eze	4L	
605122	Lincomycin Soluble Powder	1.2kg	
609051	Neotetramed	10kg	
613714	Pot-Pen	15 Billion IU	
613709	Pot-Pen	305g (500,000,000 IU/Pouch)	
613829	Propen LA	500mL	
613819	Propen LA	250mL	
613809	Propen LA	100mL	
616259	Scour Calf	25/jar	
608469	Scour-Plug	25/jar	
615609	Spectam Scour-Halt	500mL	
617239	Triple Sulfa	20/jar	
605119	Lincomycin Soluble Powder	80g	
610100	Noromycin LA	250mL	
610102	Noromycin LA	500mL	
610112	Noromycin LP	500mL	
613530	Penicillin G Potasium USP Soluble Powder	15 Billion IU	
613529	Penicillin G Potasium USP Soluble Powder	500,000,000 I.U.	
616009	Sodium Sulfa Solution 25%	4L	
617160	Tetramed 1000	10kg	
617143	Tetramed 1000	2.5kg	
617141	Tetramed 1000	500g	
617133	Tetramed 250	10kg	