



April 30, 2007

**Product Backorder
BUMEX[®] (bumetanide)**

Dear Customer:

Please be advised that Roche Laboratories Inc. is currently experiencing a supply shortage of **BUMEX[®] (bumetanide)** .5mg Tablets, Bottle of 100 (NDC 0004-0125-01), 1mg Tablets, Bottle of 500 (NDC 0004-0121-14), and 2mg Tablets, Bottle of 100 (NDC 0004-0162-01).

At this time we are canceling all backorders for these products.

Please continue to sell all existing stock of **BUMEX[®]** tablets in all strengths until your inventories have been depleted as returns to reduce inventory will not be accepted.

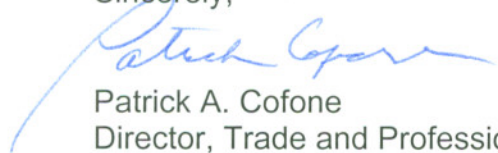
Please note, however, that the following product in the **BUMEX[®]** line will continue to be available.

National Drug Code (NDC)	Description	Unit of Sale
BUMEX[®] (bumetanide)		
0004-0121-01	Tablets, 1 mg	Bottle of 100

We ask that you notify your customers and all appropriate personnel within your organization of this change.

Thank you for your continued support and assistance. If you have any questions, please contact your Trade and Professional Relations Manager or call our Order Fulfillment Organization at 1-800-526-0625.

Sincerely,



Patrick A. Cofone
Director, Trade and Professional Relations