

August 11, 2011

Dear Pharmacist:

Although there may have been some confusion about the availability of **PULMICORT RESPULES**® (budesonide inhalation suspension) and **PULMICORT FLEXHALER**® (budesonide inhalation powder) within the past few months, AstraZeneca assures you that both products are available to meet the needs of your patients.

PULMICORT RESPULES 0.25 mg, 0.5 mg, and 1 mg strengths, and PULMICORT FLEXHALER 90 mcg and 180 mcg strengths are available through your wholesale distributor for immediate ordering.

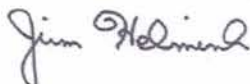
The following details should be helpful when placing your order:

<u>Product</u>	<u>Dosage Strength</u>	<u>NDC</u>
PULMICORT RESPULES	0.25 mg/2 mL	00186198804
PULMICORT RESPULES	0.5 mg/2 mL	00186198904
PULMICORT RESPULES	1 mg/2 mL	00186199004
PULMICORT FLEXHALER	90 mcg	00186091706
PULMICORT FLEXHALER	180 mcg	00186091612

I encourage you to make us aware of any concerns you have regarding the availability of AstraZeneca products. For questions related to ordering PULMICORT RESPULES and PULMICORT FLEXHALER, you can contact your wholesale distributor or call the AstraZeneca Information Center at 1-800-236-9933, Monday through Friday, between 8 AM and 6 PM ET (excluding holidays). You may also contact the AstraZeneca Information Center if you have any clinical questions regarding PULMICORT RESPULES or PULMICORT FLEXHALER.

Thank you for your dedication to ensuring that your patients receive the AstraZeneca medication they are prescribed when they need it.

Sincerely,



Jim Helmink

Managed Markets Sales Director



PULMICORT RESPULES and PULMICORT FLEXHALER are registered trademarks of the AstraZeneca group of companies.

©2011 AstraZeneca. All Rights Reserved. 1296306 7/11