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Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Summary of opinion[1] (post authorisation)

Sovaldi

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On 30 April 2020, the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP) adopted a positive opinion recommending a change to the terms of the marketing authorisation for the medicinal product Sovaldi. The marketing authorisation holder for this medicinal product is Gilead Sciences Ireland UC.

The CHMP adopted an extension to the indication for Sovaldi as follows:[2]

> Sovaldi is indicated in combination with other medicinal products for the treatment of chronic hepatitis C (CHC) in adult and **paediatric patients** ~~in adolescents~~ aged **3**~~12 to <18~~ years **and above.**

The CHMP also recommended the addition of a new 200 mg strength for the film-coated tablets and the introduction of a new pharmaceutical form, coated granules, which will be available in 150 mg and 200 mg strengths.

Detailed recommendations for the use of this product will be described in the updated summary of product characteristics (SmPC), which will be published in the revised European public assessment report (EPAR), and will be available in all official European Union languages after a decision on this change to the marketing authorisation has been granted by the European Commission.

[1] Summaries of positive opinion are published without prejudice to the Commission decision, which will normally be issued 67 days from adoption of the opinion

[2] New text in bold, removed text as strikethrough.

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