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Dear Pharmacist:

DUAC[®] Topical Gel (clindamycin, 1%-benzoyl peroxide, 5%) is **now only available** with SFC[™] Lotion (gentle soap-free cleanser) as Duac[®] Care System (CS).

The NDC number for Duac[®] CS is 0145-2367-01.

Beginning February 20, 2008 DUAC Topical Gel will only be available in Duac[®] CS.

About DUAC Topical Gel

- DUAC Topical Gel has a unique tolerability-enhancing vehicle of glycerin and dimethicone^{1,2}
- DUAC Topical Gel is designed to minimize irritation
- DUAC Topical Gel is the only clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide (BPO) medication FDA approved with QD dosing³
- DUAC Topical Gel has proven efficacy against inflammatory acne vulgaris^{3,4}

About SFC Lotion

- Soap-free cleansers are part of a physician-recommended skin care regimen
- A daily facial cleanser helps remove unwanted dirt, oil, and bacteria⁵
- To prepare the skin to better absorb topical medications, cleansers help remove dead surface cells⁵

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Wholesale Ordering Information

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Cardinal	4022455
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HD Smith	2101624
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Kinray	181446

Stiefel Laboratories is committed to bringing quality and value to the patients who use our products. Please contact us at 1-888-500-DERM with any questions.

For more information about Duac[®] CS, please contact your Stiefel sales representative or call 1-888-STIEFEL.

Important Safety Information

DUAC Topical Gel is indicated for the topical treatment of inflammatory acne vulgaris.

DUAC Topical Gel is well tolerated. Side effects include erythema, peeling, burning, and dryness.

DUAC Topical Gel is contraindicated in patients who have shown hypersensitivity to any of its components or lincomycin, and in those with a history of regional enteritis, ulcerative colitis, or antibiotic-associated colitis. Diarrhea, bloody diarrhea, and colitis have been reported with the use of topical clindamycin. Discontinuation is recommended if significant diarrhea develops.

Sincerely,

Chris Billis

Associate Director Rx Marketing

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Please see full Prescribing Information.

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