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Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Summary of opinion¹ (post authorisation)

Dupixent

dupilumab

On 28 February 2019, 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 Dupixent. The marketing authorisation holder for this medicinal product is sanofi-aventis groupe.

The CHMP adopted a new indication as follows:

“Asthma

Dupixent is indicated in adults and adolescents 12 years and older as add-on maintenance treatment for severe asthma with type 2 inflammation characterised by raised blood eosinophils and/or raised FeNO (see section 5.1), who are inadequately controlled with high dose ICS plus another medicinal product for maintenance treatment.”

For information, the full indications for Dupixent will be as follows:²

“Atopic Dermatitis

Dupixent is indicated for the treatment of moderate-to-severe atopic dermatitis in adult patients who are candidates for systemic therapy.

Asthma

Dupixent is indicated in adults and adolescents 12 years and older as add-on maintenance treatment for severe asthma with type 2 inflammation characterised by raised blood eosinophils and/or raised FeNO (see section 5.1), who are inadequately controlled with high dose ICS plus another medicinal product for maintenance treatment.”

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

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**



authorisation has been granted by the European Commission.