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Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Summary of opinion¹ (post authorisation)

Kaftrio
ivacaftor / tezacaftor / elexacaftor

On 11 November 2021, 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 Kaftrio. The marketing authorisation holder for this medicinal product is Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Ireland) Limited.

The CHMP adopted an extension to the existing indication as follows:²

Kaftrio is indicated in a combination regimen with ivacaftor for the treatment of cystic fibrosis (CF) in patients aged 12 years and older who have at least one F508del mutation in the cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) gene (see section 5.1).

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