

25 February 2016 EMA/CHMP/137174/2016 Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Summary of opinion¹ (post authorisation)

Ruconest

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On 25 February 2016, 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 Ruconest. The marketing authorisation holder for this medicinal product is Pharming Group N.V.

The CHMP adopted an extension to the existing indication as follows²:

"Ruconest is indicated for treatment of acute angioedema attacks in adults **and adolescents** with hereditary angioedema (HAE) due to C1 esterase inhibitor deficiency."

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