



Cost Sensitive Prescribing Your HIV Treatment

In NHS Grampian all prescribers have been asked to review medication prescriptions to ensure that we are being as responsible as possible when using public money for the care we provide to you.

What does this mean for me?

This may mean you are asked to move from a branded medication to a generic medication or to take two tablets instead of one. This will be discussed with you in advance and you will never be moved to a less effective treatment regimen.

Branded medications often cost significantly more than generic medications. Generic medications are a copy of the branded medication and contain the same drug.

They are subject to the same control and safety regulations. If you have any questions or concerns please speak to your pharmacist or your doctor.

Thank you for supporting NHS Grampian in making the best use of the public money we receive to provide healthcare to you, your family and community.

