



NDA 210933

**NDA APPROVAL**

Kala Pharmaceuticals, Inc.  
Attention: Patrick Foster  
Senior Director, Regulatory Affairs  
490 Arsenal Street  
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Watertown, MA 02472

Dear Mr. Foster:

Please refer to your new drug application (NDA) dated and received October 15, 2018, and your amendments, submitted pursuant to section 505(b)(2) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for EYSUVIS (loteprednol etabonate ophthalmic suspension) 0.25%. We acknowledge receipt of your amendment dated April 30, 2020, which constituted a complete response to our August 7, 2019, action letter.

We also refer to our approval letter dated October 26, 2020, which contained the following error:

The product was incorrectly identified in the cover letter as an ophthalmic solution instead of an ophthalmic suspension.

This replacement approval letter incorporates the correction of the error. The effective approval date will remain October 26, 2020, the date of the original approval letter.

This new drug application provides for the use of EYSUVIS (loteprednol etabonate ophthalmic suspension) 0.25% for the short-term (up to two weeks) treatment of the signs and symptoms of dry eye disease.

### **APPROVAL & LABELING**

We have completed our review of this application, as amended. It is approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed agreed-upon labeling.

### **CONTENT OF LABELING**

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, submit the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at FDA.gov.<sup>1</sup> Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the

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<sup>1</sup> <http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm>

Prescribing Information and Instructions for Use) as well as annual reportable changes not included in the enclosed labeling. Information on submitting SPL files using eLIST may be found in the guidance for industry *SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As*.<sup>2</sup>

The SPL will be accessible via publicly available labeling repositories.

### **CARTON AND CONTAINER LABELING**

Submit final printed carton and container labeling that are identical to enclosed carton and container labeling submitted on October 23, 2020, as soon as they are available, but no more than 30 days after they are printed. Please submit these labeling electronically according to the guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format — Certain Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications*. For administrative purposes, designate this submission “**Final Printed Carton and Container Labeling for approved NDA 210933.**” Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

### **MARKET PACKAGE**

Please submit one market package of the drug product when it is available to the following address:

Dheera Semidey  
Food and Drug Administration  
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research  
White Oak Building 22, Room: 6345  
10903 New Hampshire Avenue  
Silver Spring, Maryland  
*Use zip code **20903** if shipping via United States Postal Service (USPS).*  
*Use zip code **20993** if sending via any carrier other than USPS (e.g., UPS, DHL, FedEx).*

### **REQUIRED PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENTS**

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients (which includes new salts and new fixed combinations), new indications, new dosage forms, new dosing regimens, or new routes of administration are required to contain an assessment of the safety and effectiveness of the product for the claimed indication in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

We are waiving the pediatric study requirement for this application because necessary studies are impossible or highly impracticable due to the low incidence of dry eye in the pediatric population.

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<sup>2</sup> We update guidances periodically. For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA Guidance Documents Database <https://www.fda.gov/RegulatoryInformation/Guidances/default.htm>.

### **PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS**

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. For information about submitting promotional materials, see the final guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic and Non-Electronic Format—Promotional Labeling and Advertising Materials for Human Prescription Drugs*.<sup>3</sup>

As required under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i), you must submit final promotional materials, and the Prescribing Information, at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253. Form FDA 2253 is available at FDA.gov.<sup>4</sup> Information and Instructions for completing the form can be found at FDA.gov.<sup>5</sup>

### **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved NDA (21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81).

If you have any questions, call Dheera Semidey, PharmD, Regulatory Project Manager, at 301-796-3009.

Sincerely,

*{See appended electronic signature page}*

Wiley A. Chambers, MD  
Director (Acting)  
Division of Ophthalmology  
Office of Specialty Medicine  
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

#### ENCLOSURES:

- Content of Labeling
  - Prescribing Information
  - Instructions for Use
- Carton and Container Labeling

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<sup>3</sup> For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA guidance web page at <https://www.fda.gov/media/128163/download>.

<sup>4</sup> <http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM083570.pdf>

<sup>5</sup> <http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM375154.pdf>

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