



BLA 761299/S-001

## SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Alvotech USA Inc.  
c/o PharmaLex US Corporation  
c/o Cencora  
Attention: Vandan Patel  
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Dear Vandan Patel:

Please refer to your supplemental biologics license application (sBLA), dated and received February 26, 2024, and your amendments, submitted under section 351(k) of the Public Health Service Act for Simlandi (adalimumab-ryvk) injection, for subcutaneous use, 40 mg/0.4 mL autoinjector.

This Prior Approval supplemental biologics application provides for the introduction of a Quick Reference Guide (QRG) on how to use the Simlandi autoinjector, and corresponding updates to the carton labeling.

### **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, via the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), the content of labeling [21 CFR 601.14(b)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format, as described at FDA.gov,<sup>1</sup> that is identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the Prescribing Information, Instructions for Use, Medication Guide, and Quick Reference Guide) and include the labeling changes proposed in any pending “Changes Being Effectuated” (CBE) supplements.

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

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.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that include labeling changes for this BLA, including pending “Changes Being Effected” (CBE) supplements, for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 601.12(f)] in Microsoft Word format that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes. To facilitate review of your submission(s), provide a highlighted or marked-up copy that shows all changes, as well as a clean Microsoft Word version. The marked-up copy should provide appropriate annotations, including supplement number(s) and annual report date(s).

### **CARTON LABELING**

Submit final printed carton labeling that are identical to the enclosed carton labeling 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 Labeling for approved BLA 761299/S-001.**” Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

### **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(s) in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

Because none of these criteria apply to your application, you are exempt from this requirement.

### **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved BLA (in 21 CFR 600.80 and in 21 CFR 600.81).

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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>.

Your product is a Part 3 combination product (21 CFR 3.2(e)); therefore, you must also comply with postmarketing safety reporting requirements for an approved combination product (21 CFR 4, Subpart B). Additional information on combination product postmarketing safety reporting is available at FDA.gov.

If you have any questions, call Saharat Patanavanich, Regulatory Project Manager, at (240) 402-0139.

Sincerely,

*{See appended electronic signature page}*

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ENCLOSURE(S):

- Content of Labeling
  - Prescribing Information (revised February 23, 2024)
  - Medication Guide (revised February 23, 2024)
  - Instructions for Use (revised February 23, 2024)
  - Quick Reference Guide
- Carton Labeling

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