

APPENDIX III

Comparison of Selected Pharmaceutical Prices - 19711/
(Bottles of 100)

Product	USA	Australia	New Zealand	India
<u>Analgesic:</u>				
Propoxyphene HCL (65mg.)	\$ 7.02 Darvon Lilly	\$ 3.24 Doloxene Lilly	\$ 2.50 ¹¹ / Official Price	\$ 4.75 Doloxene Lilly
<u>Antibiotics:</u>				
Ampicillin (250 mg.)	22.75 AWP Polycillin Bristol	12.29 Penbritin Beechan	10.06 ¹² / Official Price	26.81 ²³ / Ampicillin CIPLA
Demethylchlorotetracycline HCL (150mg.)	19.79 AWP Declomycin Lederle	9.53 Ledermycin Lederle	4.16 Official Price	12.32 Demethylchlorotetracycline Tablets PVT LTD
Erythromycin (250mg.)	26.12 AWP Erythrocin Abbott	11.83 ³ / Erythrocin Abbott	13.60 Official Price	15.80 Erythrocin Abbott
Oxytetracycline HCL (250mg.)	20.48 AWP Terramycin Pfizer	6.99 ⁴ / Terramycin Pfizer	3.76 Official Price	7.82 Terramycin Pfizer
Potassium phenoxymethyl penicillin (250mg.)	8.95 V. Cillin K Lilly	6.13 ⁵ / Pencillin VK Knoll	3.18 Official Price	3.08 Pencillin V Tablets PVT LTD
Tetracycline HCL (250mg.)	5.27 Achromycin-V Lederle	6.99 ⁶ / Achromycin-V Lederle	4.16 Official Price	7.56 Achromycin-V Lederle
<u>Antidepressant:</u>				
Amiriptryline HCL (25mg.)	8.55 Elavil Merck	2.95 Tryptanol Merck	2.82 ¹³ / Official Price	— — —
<u>Antidiabetic:</u>				
Tolbutamide (500mg)	8.70 AWP ² / Orinase Upjohn	3.26 Rastinon Hoechst	3.19 Official Price	1.93 Rastinon Hoechst
<u>Antihistamine:</u>				
Diphenhydramine (50 mg.)	2.92 AWP Benadryl Park-Davis	1.72 ⁷ / Benadryl Park-Davis	1.55 ¹⁵ / Official Price	1.80 ²⁵ / Benadryl Park-Davis
<u>Sedatives:</u>				
Chlordiazepoxide HCL	7.02 AWP Librium Roche	4.01 Librium Roche	2.06 ¹⁶ / Official Price	1.99 ²⁶ / Librium Roche

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