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Dear Wholesaler

**Discontinuation of  
Lariam® (Mefloquine) 250mg x 8 Tablets**

Roche Products (New Zealand) Limited ('Roche') would like to advise you that Lariam is being discontinued in New Zealand effective immediately. The last orders were supplied on the 13<sup>th</sup> of August, there is no more stock available in the country.

Lariam has been divested by Roche internationally to Cheplapharm Arzneimittel GmbH, Germany ('Cheplapharm').

Following a review of the Lariam market and taking into consideration the availability of other antimalarial products in New Zealand, Cheplapharm has elected to discontinue the supply of Lariam into New Zealand.

Cheplapharm's agent in New Zealand is Pharmaco (NZ) Ltd. Any queries regarding Lariam can be directed to Pharmaco on 0800 804079.

Roche would like to thank you for your past support of this product.

Status	Product	Pharmacode
Discontinued	Lariam 250mg tablets	769886

Please feel free to share this with your customers.

Yours sincerely

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