

## Information for Vermont Prescribers of Prescription Drugs

### **FACTIVE® (gemifloxacin mesylate) Tablets**

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**Price Comparison:** Marketed product and lowest dosage of other products in the same therapeutic class.\*

**Marketed Product:**

Factive® 320 mg Tab                   \$ 18.78

**Other Products:**

Avelox® 400 mg Tab                   \$ 10.70

Cipro XR® 500 mg TER               \$ 8.66

Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab             \$ 4.59

Levaquin® 250 mg Tab               \$ 9.81

Tequin® 200 mg Tab                   \$ 9.85

\*Prices shown are for the lowest dosage of each product. Prices for multi-source products have been averaged. Multiple forms of the same product (e.g. tabs and caps) have been considered one product, and the prices have been averaged. Chewable forms of the product are not included.

For additional price comparison information see: <http://www.factive.com>

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Product Name	Manufacturer	NDC or UPC	AWP		
			Pkg Size	Pack	Tab
<b>Marketed Product</b>					
Factive® 320 mg	Oscient Pharmaceuticals	67707-320-05	5	\$ 93.20	\$ 18.78
Factive® 320 mg	Oscient Pharmaceuticals	67707-320-07	7	\$ 131.46	\$ 18.78
<b>Other Products</b>					
Tequin® 200 mg Tab	Bristol-Myers Squibb	00015-1117-50	30	\$ 295.37	\$ 9.85
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Barr	00555-0694-02	100	\$ 459.35	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Eon	00185-0442-01	100	\$ 459.41	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Ivax Pharmaceuticals	00172-5311-60	100	\$ 458.89	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Mylan	00378-1322-01	100	\$ 458.90	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Par	49884-0637-01	100	\$ 459.37	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Sandoz	00781-1763-01	100	\$ 459.40	\$ 4.59
Ciprofloxacin 250 mg Tab	Teva	00093-0863-01	100	\$ 459.41	\$ 4.59
Levaquin® 250 mg Tab	Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical	00045-1520-50	50	\$ 490.38	\$ 9.81
Avelox® 400 mg Tab	Bayer Corporation	00026-8581-41	5	\$ 53.51	\$ 10.70
Tequin® 400 mg Tab	Bristol-Myers Squibb	00015-1177-60	50	\$ 492.28	\$ 9.85
Cipro® XR 500 mg TER	Bayer Corporation	00026-8889-50	50	\$ 433.13	\$ 8.66
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Barr	00555-0695-02	100	\$ 537.69	\$ 5.38
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Eon	00185-0451-01	100	\$ 537.75	\$ 5.38

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Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Ivax Pharmaceuticals	00172-5312-60	100	\$ 537.15	\$ 5.37
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Mylan	00378-1323-01	100	\$ 537.15	\$ 5.37
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Par	49884-0638-01	100	\$ 537.72	\$ 5.38
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Sandoz	00781-1765-01	100	\$ 537.75	\$ 5.38
Ciprofloxacin 500 mg Tab	Teva	00093-0864-01	100	\$ 537.75	\$ 5.38
Levaquin® 500 mg Tab	Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical	00045-1525-50	50	\$ 562.02	\$ 11.24
Levaquin® 750 mg Tab	Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical	00045-1530-20	20	\$ 421.04	\$ 21.05

### Quinolones Cost Comparison for AECB Course of Therapy

Product	At WAC	At Discount from WAC of:				
		15%	17%	20%	25%	30%
Levaquin 500 mg	84.33	71.68	70	67.46	63.25	59.03
Levaquin 750 mg	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Avelox 400 mg	62.44	53.07	51.83	49.95	46.83	43.71
Tequin 400 mg	65.6	55.76	54.45	52.48	49.2	45.92

### Quinolones Cost Comparison for CAP Course of Therapy

Product	At WAC	At Discount from WAC of:				
		15%	17%	20%	25%	30%
<b>Factive</b>	109.55	93.12	90.93	87.64	82.16	76.69
Levaquin 500 mg	93.7	79.65	77.77	74.96	70.28	65.59
Levaquin 750 mg	87.7	74.55	72.79	70.16	65.78	61.39
Avelox 400 mg	80.28	68.24	66.63	64.22	60.21	56.2
Tequin 400 mg	82	69.7	68.06	65.6	61.5	57.4

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