



Press Release

MSN Group launches Vigabatrin Powder for Oral Solution for treatment of infantile spasm (epilepsy) under the brand name VIGANEXT™.

Hyderabad, 17 November 2021: Subsequent to the successful launch of its third generation anti-epileptic drug, BRIVANEXT™, MSN Labs has announced the launch of yet another anti-epileptic and India's first generic Vigabatrin Powder for Oral Solution **under the brand name VIGANEXT™**.

Vigabatrin is recommended as the first-line therapy for Infantile Spasm, a form of epilepsy that affects 1 in 2,000 children. Previously, the availability of Vigabatrin was wholly dependent on grey market imports which were severely disrupted during the Covid-19 lockdowns impacting thousands of patients. Appreciating the scarcity of the medicine, MSN Labs reached out to DCGI for necessary approval to serve epilepsy patients in India with an uninterrupted supply of affordable Vigabatrin.

A therapeutic equivalent, the drug approved by the Drugs Controller General of India (DCGI), is indicated for Infantile Spasms - monotherapy in infants 1 month to 2 years of age - and as adjunctive therapy for Refractory Complex Partial Seizures in patients 2 years of age and older who have responded inadequately to several alternative treatments.

Speaking on the launch, MSN group said, "Besides being a remarkable addition to our ever-expanding product basket, this drug benefits the patients in India by expanding the choice of affordable therapeutic options available to them."

VIGANEXT™, available in 500 mg sachet with 30 sachets per pack, is manufactured at our state-of-the-art US FDA and EU approved finished dosages manufacturing campus at Hyderabad. Both BRIVANEXT™ & VIGANEXT™ are available in Pharmacies as affordable therapeutic options.

For more information on VIGANEXT™ and BRIVANEXT™ reach out to customercare@msnlabs.com.

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MSN Group is one of the fastest-growing, research-based and fully integrated pharmaceutical companies based out of Hyderabad, India. It was founded in the year 2003 with a mission to make high-quality medicines affordable and accessible to the world. The organization presently has 16 state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities (twelve API and four finished dosage facilities) established across India and USA. The Group has an integrated R&D center for both API and formulation under one roof, dedicated to research and development of pharmaceuticals. With its core focus on speed and consistency in delivery, MSN has more than 823 national and international patents filed, over 130 ANDAs, and emerged as world no. 1 in active US DMF filings. The company, with a product portfolio of 450+ APIs and 300+ formulations spanning 35 major therapies, has won the trust of more than 40 million patients in 65 countries across the world.

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