

Employment

Freelance Medical Writer – [December 2004 – present]

- My freelance experience includes medical education, conferences and meetings, PR, clinical work, sales and promotion, training and education, competitor intelligence and pharmacy-focused writing. I write for the complete range of audiences from doctors and specialists, to nurses, pharmacists and patients.

Senior Medical Writer — MediTech Media [June 2003 – December 2004]

- As Senior Medical Writer at an international medical communications company, I wrote a diverse range of medical and scientific materials for major pharmaceutical clients such as GlaxoSmithKline (GSK), Roche, AstraZeneca & Eli Lilly.

Medical Copywriter — Luxford Advertising [December 2002 - June 2003]

- At Luxford, a boutique healthcare advertising agency, I wrote both creative and technical copy to fulfill all aspects of the client brief. Key clients included Pfizer and Sanofi Synthelabo.

Senior Science Editor — Thompson Current Drugs [August 2000 - December 2002]

- Working in a senior role for a major medical publishing company, I wrote news, features and articles for the pharmaceutical industry across the entire range of therapy areas. I also attended and reported on international scientific conferences, and played a key role in maintaining the world's leading pharmaceutical intelligence database.

Honorary Research Assistant — Christopher Ingold Laboratories [May 2000 – August 2000]

- This scientific role involved a mixture of pharmacology-based laboratory and literature work.

Medical writing experience

The following is a detailed overview of my medical writing experience up to and including January 2008:

Medical Education

- Educational meetings
 - Development of meeting content, slides and speaker briefs for:*
 - * 'Raising the Bar' – dermatology clinical nurse specialist study days (London, Leeds & Manchester, 2005-2007)
 - * 'CONNECT: Achieving More in Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Disorders' – pan-UK meeting programme spanning dermatology, gastroenterology and rheumatology (2005-2007)
 - * 'Expanding the Horizons for Individuals with Multiple Sclerosis' – Stand-alone meeting (Munich, Nov 2005)
 - * 'The X-Factor in IBD' – Symposium at British Society of Gastroenterology (BSG) annual meeting (Glasgow, Mar 2007)
 - * 'Aiming Higher, Achieving More in Multiple Sclerosis' – Stand-alone meeting (Barcelona, Mar 2007)
 - * 'Mission Control' – Satellite Symposium at British Society of Rheumatology (BSR) annual

- meeting (Birmingham, May 2007)
- * European AIDS Clinical Society (EACS) 11th European Conference (Madrid, October 2007)
- * Migraine Innovators V meeting (Prague, Mar 2005)
- * Remicade Patient Advocate Group Advisory Board meeting (Sep 2006)
- Product master slide set (Zoladex)
- Roundtable slide kits x2 (Remicade in psoriasis/Remicade in rheumatology)
- Inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) master slide deck
- KOL slide presentation on paediatric analgesia/antipyresis
- Other slide deck projects on:
 - * Pletal
 - * Breast cancer
 - * Hepatitis B
- Parliamentary briefing documents x5 – Psoriasis, psoriatic arthritis, RA, Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis
- Master Q&A resource (Avamys/Allermist)
- Best Practice Guidance document (Remicade in IBD)
- Consensus group guidelines – Fasturtec in the management of tumour lysis syndrome
- Delegate question development for European Association of Dermatology and Venereology (EADV) symposium (Remicade dermatology)

Clinical

- Panadol scientific database development
- Clinical trial summaries – Panadol
- Key paper summaries – Remicade (IBD)
- Abstracts and case studies – 'Migraine Innovators Meeting' (Prague, Mar 2005)
- Abstracts – 'Expanding the Horizons for Individuals with Multiple Sclerosis' (Stand-alone meeting – Munich, Nov 2005)
- Abstracts – 'Aiming Higher, Achieving More in Multiple Sclerosis' (Stand-alone meeting – Barcelona, Mar 2007)
- Abstracts - 'CONNECT: Achieving More in Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Disorders' (Pan-UK meeting programme)
- External core clinical summaries – Sensodyne
- Botox clinical paper summary slide deck

Sales and promotional

- Detail aids:
 - * Fasturtec detail aid
 - * Remicade detail aid (spondyloarthropathies)
 - * Q3W Aranesp SureClick detail aid
 - * 'Healthcare at Home' detail aid
 - * Remicade detail aid outlines (inflammatory bowel disease)
- Leavepieces:
 - * Lustral SSRI switching leavepiece
 - * Pletal 'Star' leavepiece
 - * Reductil blood pressure leavepiece
 - * NICE/British Association of Dermatologists (BAD) guidelines leavepiece (Remicade dermatology)
 - * ACCENT I/II clinical summary leavepiece
 - * Reactive Xeomin defence leavepiece (Botox)
 - * PASI pocket leavepiece (Remicade)
- Pletal mailer (intermittent claudication)
- COMPEED Cold Sore Patch mailer
- 'Dear doctor' medical information letter (Reductil)

- Disease area factfile (Reductil)
- Orlistat/Reductil training manual – efficacy chapter
- Aprovel Brand Book – competitor landscape section
- Competitor 'talk track' training aids (Cimzia and Humira)
- Key claims/message generation (Remicade in psoriasis and spondyloarthropathies)
- AD2 claims support summary (Zanprol & OTC simvastatin)
- European Association for the Study of the Liver (EASL) – Training slides to accompany Hepsera conference panels
- Conference stand panels (Istin)
- Primary Care Rheumatology meeting – stand panels
- Advertorials ('Raising the Bar' meeting series)
- Roadshow flyer and rep calling card (Symbicort SMART)
- Buprenorphine highlights ppt (Suboxone)
- 2003 ICACC affiliate report (Fuzeon)
- New promotional campaign (Cardura XL)

Conferences and meetings

- Pariet Advisory Board Meeting (London, Feb 2006) – Strategic summary report + post-meeting 'consensus' publication
- 'Atorvastatin Investigators Meeting (AIM)' (Manchester, Oct 2005) – Conference highlights report
- 'HBV Resistance Forum' (Rome, Oct 2006) – Conference highlights report (+ pre-meeting interactive Q&A development)
- 'Functioning in Schizophrenia: The Way Forward' (Edinburgh, Oct 2006) – Article development from meeting
- Heroin Addiction Satellite Symposium: National Drugs Treatment Conference (London, Feb 2005) – Newsletter
- 'Individualisation of AVR Therapy for Long-Term Success' – Satellite Symposium at British HIV Association (BHIVA) Spring Meeting (Dublin, Apr 2005) – Symposium and speaker briefing summaries
- 'It's Time to Question: Achieving More in Ulcerative Colitis' – Satellite Symposium at British Society of Gastroenterology (BSG) Annual Meeting (Birmingham, Mar 2006) – Symposium reporter
- 'The Aging Barometer' – TENA global educational seminar (London, Mar 2006) – Newsletter
- 'Have Ultrasound and MRI Replaced Clinical Examination in Assessment of the Rapidly-Progressing Rheumatoid Patient?' – Satellite Symposium at British Society of Rheumatology (BSR) Annual Meeting (Glasgow, May 2006) – Newsletter and delegate workbooks
- 'Raising the Bar' – dermatology nurse study day (London, May 2006) – Meeting report + sponsored supplement published in the journal *Dermatological Nursing*
- 'The X-Factor in IBD' – Symposium at British Society of Gastroenterology (BSG) annual meeting (Glasgow, Mar 2007) – Faculty resource packs, slide presentation summaries + symposium summary piece
- 'Mission Control' – Satellite Symposium at British Society of Rheumatology (BSR) annual meeting (Birmingham, May 2007) – Newsletter + symposium summary piece
- 'Balance: The Art of Cholesterol Management' – Symposium at British Cardiovascular Society (BCS) meeting (Glasgow, Jun 2007) - Newsletter
- 'Psoriasis Matters' – Symposium at British Association of Dermatologists (BAD) annual meeting (Jul 2007) - Newsletter
- ASCO 2007 – Corporate booth and poster copy
- Serono Genetics Institute (SGI) multiple sclerosis (MS) media event (Mar 2005) – Reporting, on-site interviews and feature article generation
- Hepatitis B Advisory Board meeting (Sep 2006) – Executive summary report
- European Society of Organ Transplantation (ESOT) meeting (Venice, Sep 2003) – Competitor intelligence report and share of voice summary

PR

- Media backgrounders
 - Topics as follows:
 - * *Disease area backgrounders*
 - COPD
 - Prostate Cancer
 - Understanding Migraine
 - Migraine: Facts & Figures
 - Migraine Management Options
 - Migraine Prevention: The Future of Treatment
 - Circadian Rhythm Disruption in Depression
 - Stable Angina
 - I_f Inhibition and Exclusive Heart Rate Reduction
 - Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA)
 - AAA Surgery and Stents
 - Type I Diabetes
 - Adjuvant Endocrine Therapy (Breast Cancer)
 - Breast Cancer
 - Breast Cancer Recurrence
 - Psoriasis Comorbidities
 - Adult ADHD
 - * *Clinical trial backgrounders*
 - Almirall Clinical Trials
 - Topamax Clinical Trials Overview
 - The PREAMI Study
 - The EUROPA Trial and New Sub-study Findings
 - The Topamax PROMPT Trial
 - The LAMDA Trial
 - * *Product-specific backgrounders*
 - Zoladex
 - Zoladex Body of Evidence
 - Procoralan
 - Coversyl
 - Coversyl New Indication
 - Zanprol
 - * *Corporate backgrounders*
 - Almirall Respiratory Franchise
 - The RTOG
 - Janssen-Cilag
 - Servier in Cardiovascular Medicine
 - Lombard Medical
- Factsheets
 - * Procoralan key clinical trials factsheet
 - * Diabetes Fast Facts
 - * Topamax Factsheet
- Press releases
 - Including:*
 - * Full set of PRs for 13th European Cancer Conference (ECCO 13)
 - * Valdoxan ECNP international launch [*Approval of the first melatonergic antidepressant*

- signals a significant step forward in treating depression}*
- * Raptiva phase III trial data [*Raptiva excels in clinical practice with efficacy that equals, and even exceeds, phase III trials*]
- * Acridinium preclinical→phase II data presented at European Respiratory Society (ESR) 2007 [*Acridinium bromide demonstrates rapid and long-acting bronchodilatory effects in COPD*]
- * ADHD European survey findings [*New pan-European survey highlights importance of full-day treatment of ADHD*]
- * ADHD White Paper publication [*Extending symptom control beyond the school day brings important benefits for children with ADHD*]
- * Topamax phase III data [*New study shows Topamax provides sustained efficacy in migraine prevention over 12 months*]
- * Aorfix ARBITER study findings – lay and medical media versions [*Aorfix offers aneurysm reduction combined with freedom from mortality, endoleak, rupture, migration and fracture in AAA bifurcated stent graft trials*]
- * Puricase phase II EULAR data [*Puricase shows promise in treatment-failure gout*]
- * NICE hypertension guidance update [*NICE promotes ACE inhibitors and calcium channel blockers to the front-line in fight against hypertension*]
- * Aorfix 2-year data – lay and medical media versions
- * Topamax 'CHROME' study data [*Topamax shines in CHROME chronic migraine prevention study*]
- * Results from the LAMDA trial [*New study shows Concerta significantly improves symptoms in adults with ADHD*]
- Reckitt Benckiser 'Hygiene for the 21st Century' roadshow – Germ protection media materials
- ADVANCE ('Action in Diabetes and Vascular disease: PreterAx and DiamicroN MR Controlled Evaluation study') – Media kit comprising disease & study backgrounders and Fast Facts
- PCT newsletter – CFC inhaler phase-out

Strategic

- 'Spotlight on Influenza: Separating Fact from Fiction in the Fight against Influenza' –business market report on influenza
- Issues management resources
 - Researched and written for:*
 - * Portfolio of oral care products
 - * Leading migraine prophylactic
 - * OTC analgesic
 - * Zanprol
- KOL development and sphere of influence mapping (European obesity stakeholders)
- KOL profiling and mapping (Asacol higher-dose line extension)
- Biogen online speaker bureau
- Competitive 'war games' primer (Remicade in RA)
- Objection handler (Remicade in IBD)
- Defensive leavepiece (Reductil)
- Talking points document (pazopanib)
- Lipitor information dossier and medical information initiatives
- Sphere of influence mapping project (Ivax)
- Qvar strategic support pack
- Symbicort SMART advocacy development
- Rebuttal letters to journals (paracetamol)

Websites

- Practice Health website – trio of disease education and treatment modules on oral care, cold sores and sleep
- ADHD parent website – diagnostic questionnaire development
- Cilest website – Segments on 'The History of the Pill' and 'Pill: Myths & Facts'
- Series of articles for CDEF (Lily) website on diabetes

Pharmacy and OTC

- Series of continuing professional development (CPD) articles for *Pharmacy Magazine* – including drug digests (subjects: osteoporosis and ulcerative colitis)
- Full raft of POM-to-P switch materials (Cysticlear, Zanol, Curanail and Zomig Rapimelt)
 - * Cysticlear sales presenter slides + sales force presentation
 - * Cysticlear POM-to-P switch articles x2
 - * Zomig pharmacist training module
 - * Zomig MCA training module
 - * Zomig POM-to-P switch articles x2
 - * Curanail POM-to-P switch articles x2
 - * Curanail sales presenter slides + sales force presentation
 - * Curanail pharmacy detail aid and leavepiece
 - * Pharmacy quick reference card (Curanail)
 - * Pharmacy assistant training programme (Zanol)
 - * Rep Q&A resource (Zanol)
 - * Forum slide kit (Zanol)
- Pharmacy detail aids
 - * Zomig detail aid
 - * Cysticlear detail aid
- WOW promotion article (*Training Matters*) – penciclovir switch
- Pharmacist training support page (*Pharmacy Magazine*) – penciclovir switch
- Pharmacy module – Compeed Cold Sore Patch (CPS)
- Pharmacy leavepiece and mailer (Compeed CPS)
- Educational pharmacy module + slide deck: topical analgesics
- Pharmacist and MCA pain training modules (Nurofen)
- Pharmacist and MCA headache training modules (Nurofen)
- Zoladex pharmacist leavepiece
- CEE dental pain guidance card

Patient materials

- Patient education booklets and filofax (hepatitis C – ViraferonPeg)
- Customer brochure – ConvaTec stoma care
- Remicade patient leaflet
- Remicade patient treatment booklet
- Curanail customer leaflet
- Cysticlear customer leaflet

Specialist

- Ghost-written guide for psychiatrists on set-up of specialist bipolar clinics
- 'Angiotensin Receptor Blockers In Perspective' – *Heart2Heart* issue 5 magazine for cardiology reps
- 'Oncology Thymes' (GSK internal newsletter) – Stop the Press Tyverb Special Edition (Sep 2007)
- Professional relationship managers (PRM) resource manual (Schering-Plough)
- Executive speeches and speaking notes (ASCO 2007)

Regulatory

- Sri Lankan lobbying dossier for OTC approval of Panadol Extra
- Response document to Sri Lankan government guidelines on combination product registration
- Slide presentation for Sri Lankan Expert Advisory Panel meeting
- Slide presentation for Sri Lankan symposium on paracetamol/self-medication

General

- Editing – freelance meetings editor for leading online publishing company for the past 3 years
- Referencing
- Meeting resources
 - * Agenda development
 - * Speaker briefing documents
 - * Invitation letters
 - * Biographies
 - * Questionnaires
 - * Objective setting tools

Publications

	Publication	Area
Articles		
"Seeking New Treatments for Endocrine Disorders"	<i>Current Drug Discovery</i> (Oct 2001 issue, p: 36-39)	Endocrinology
"Cannabinoids: a Tale of Use and Abuse"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2001; Vol 4, Issue 10, p: 1096-1099)	Cannabinoids
"American Academy of Asthma, Allergy and Immunology (AAAAI) – 58 th Annual Meeting"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2002; Vol 5, Issue 4, p: 303-306)	Allergy
"Rituximab and alefacept"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2002; Vol 5, Issue 4, p: 307-309)	Allergy
"Facing the Ragweed Challenge"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2002; Vol 5, Issue 4, p: 310-311)	Allergy
"ThromboWatch"	<i>Cascade</i> –the journal of thrombosis management (2004; Issue 1, p: 10-11)	Thrombosis
"Allergy – An Everyday Anguish"	<i>Community Pharmacy Magazine</i> (July 2005 issue, p: 20-23)	Allergy
"Maximising the Diabetes Opportunity"	<i>Pharmacy Products Review</i> (Sep 2005 issue, p: 21-22)	Diabetes
"Making No Bones About Osteoporosis"	<i>Training Matters</i> (Nov 2005 issue, p: 32-33)	Osteoporosis
"Pharmacy Guide – Osteoporosis"	<i>Training Matters & Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Nov 2005 issue, insert)	Osteoporosis
"Osteoporosis – the Silent Epidemic"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Nov 2005 issue, p: 38-39)	Osteoporosis
"Sharing the Burden of Care"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Nov 2005 issue, p: 40)	Osteoporosis
"Drug Digest: Profiling Protelos"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Nov 2005 issue, p: 41)	Osteoporosis

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"New Guidelines to Help ADHD Navigate Choppy Waters"	<i>Community Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Nov 2005 issue, p: 18-20)	ADHD
"Time Flies"	<i>Chemist & Druggist</i> (Winter Remedies Supplement 2005, p: 14-15)	Influenza
"Harnessing the Therapeutic Potential of GLP-1 in Diabetes"	<i>Merchant Healthcare Magazine</i> (2005)	Diabetes
"Pharmacies Welcome Walking Wounded"	<i>Community Pharmacy Magazine</i> (Feb 2006 issue, p: 18-20)	Wound care
"Pharmacy Practice in Focus – Amorolfine Switch"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (May 2006 issue, p: 14)	Onychomycosis
"Tackling a Complicated Issue"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (May 2006 issue, p: 36)	Ulcerative colitis
"Pharmacy Guide – Ulcerative Colitis"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (May 2006 issue; insert)	Ulcerative colitis
"Drug Digest – Profiling Asacol"	<i>Pharmacy Magazine</i> (May 2006 issue, p: 37)	Ulcerative colitis
"Clinical Management of Type II Diabetes"	<i>Pharmacy Today</i> (July 2006 issue, p: 8-10)	Diabetes
"The Allergic March to Asthma"	<i>Action Against Allergy's Allergy Newsletter</i> (2007 – Issue 89, p: 22-23)	Asthma and allergy
"Summer Health"	<i>Chemist & Druggist</i> (2007 – Vol 267, Issue 6592, p: 34-36)	Hayfever
"MRSA: Four Letters, Big Problem"	<i>Over the Counter (OTC)</i> (April 2007 issue, p: 20-23)	MRSA
"Peptic Ulcer Treatment"	<i>Chemist & Druggist</i> (2007 – Vol 268, Issue 6604, p: 21-24)	Peptic ulcer
Business/pharmaceutical		
"Business Insight: The Man from NicOx – he say 'NO'"	<i>Current Drug Discovery</i> (March 2001 issue, 42-44)	Drug discovery
"American Chemical Society – 222 nd National Meeting: Highlights from the Oral Sessions"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2001; Vol 4, Issue 10, p: 1100-1103)	Drug discovery
"American Chemical Society – 222 nd National Meeting: Highlights from the Poster Sessions"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2001; Vol 4, Issue 10, p: 1104-1107)	Drug discovery
"American Chemical Society – 222 nd National Meeting: Symposium Highlights"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2001; Vol 4, Issue 10, p: 1093-1095)	Drug discovery
"Evolution 2002 Summit"	<i>IDrugs</i> – the investigational drugs journal (2002; Vol 5, Issue 10, p: 979-981)	Pharmaceutical industry
"Global Drug Development"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2002; Vol 5, Issue 10, p: 982-985)	Pharmaceutical industry
"A New Era in Pharma"	<i>IDrugs</i> (2002; Vol 5, Issue 10, p: 986-989)	Pharmaceutical industry
"Dealing with the Generic Threat"	<i>PharmaFocus</i> (2005; Vol 7, Issue 9, p: 25-26.	Pharmaceutical industry
"Winning CROs Look East for Expansion"	<i>PharmaFocus</i> (2005, Vol 7, Issue 10, p: 24-25)	Clinical trials
"Spotlight on Influenza" – 40 page commercially-available business strategy report	<i>Pharmaventures</i> (2006)	Influenza

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"Personalising Medicine"	<i>PharmaFocus</i> (2006; Vol 7, Issue 8, p: 17-18)	Pharmaceutical industry
"From Surgery to Pharmacy"	<i>PharmaFocus</i> (2006; Vol 8, Issue 9, p: 28-29)	OTC switches
"Broadband for Beginners"	<i>The Business</i> (June 2006 issue, p: 27-28)	Electronic prescribing
"A Bitter PIL"	<i>The Business</i> (June 2006 issue, p: 41)	Pharmacy
"Pharma's Eastern Promise"	<i>PharmaFocus</i> (2007; Vol 8, Issue 7, p: 16-17)	Clinical trials
Supplements and reviews		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exploring the evidence for early, aggressive therapy in RA" • "Delivering New Therapy Paradigms in RA" • "New Imaging Modalities as the Ideal Diagnostic, Prognostic and Disease Monitoring Tools in RA" 	British Society of Rheumatology – series of 3 supplements (2006)	Rheumatology
"Biologic therapies in psoriasis – the key role of the dermatology nurse specialist"	<i>Dermatological Nursing</i> (2007 – Vol 6, Issue 1, p: S1-S11)	Psoriasis
Ghost written		
"A Drug is Born"	<i>Chemistry and Industry</i> (2005; Issue 11, p: 20-22)	Drug discovery and development
"Industry Insights into Advances in Biotechnology Manufacturing"	<i>European Biotechnology News</i> (2005)	Technology
"Evolution Not Revolution – Adopting the High-Throughput Screening Philosophy"	<i>European Biotechnology Review</i> (Autumn 2005 issue, p: 78-80)	Technology
"Biologics and Psoriasis" (CPD article)	<i>Primary Health Care</i> (2007)	Psoriasis
"Breathing New Life into Asthma Management"	<i>Primary Health Care</i> (2007)	Asthma
"Inflammation in Asthma: Why Are We Only Treating the Tip of the Iceberg?"	<i>Doctor</i> (2007)	Asthma
"Controlling Asthma: Nothing Less Than Best"	<i>Nursing Times</i> (2007)	Asthma
"Reshaping the Landscape of Cancer Drug Discovery and Development"	<i>Drug Discovery World (DDW)</i> (2007 – Vol 8, Issue 4, p: 9-18)	Cancer
Note: Ghost-written articles have included interviews and on-site visits		

Therapy area and product experience

Therapy areas	Products
Cardiovascular	
Hypertension	Gopten (trandolapril) Preterax (perindopril-indapamide) Aprovel (irbesartan) Coversyl (perindopril) Istin (amlodipine) Cardura XL (doxazosin)
Angina	Procoralan (ivabradine)
Hypercholesterolaemia	Lipitor (atorvastatin) Simvastatin Ezetrol (ezetimibe)
Obesity	Reductil (sibutramine)
Peripheral arterial disease	Pletal (cilostazol)
Respiratory	
Asthma	Qvar (HFA beclomethasone dipropionate) Symbicort (budesonide + formoterol)
COPD	Acclidinium bromide Mucodyne (carbocysteine)
Allergic rhinitis	Avamys/Allermist (fluticasone furoate)
Psychiatric	
Bipolar disorder	Depakote (divalproex sodium)
Heroin addiction	Subutex (buprenorphine) Suboxone (buprenorphine + naloxone)
Depression	Valdoxan (agomelatine) Lustral (sertraline)
ADHD	Concerta (methylphenidate)
Schizophrenia	–
Cancer	
Prostate cancer	Zoladex (goserelin acetate)
Renal cell carcinoma (RCC)	Pazopanib
Metastatic breast cancer	Tyverb (lapatinib) GAEA Initiative
Tumour lysis syndrome (TLS)	Fasturtec (rasburicase)
Neurology	
Multiple sclerosis	Tysabri (natalizumab) Avonex (interferon beta-1a)
Migraine	Topamax (topiramate) Zomig (zolmitriptan)
Blepharospasm Hemifacial spasm Cervical dystonia Spasticity	Botox (Clostridium botulinum type A neurotoxin)
Gastroenterology	
Dyspepsia	Pariet (rabeprazole) Zanprol (omeprazole)
Crohn's disease	Remicade (infliximab)
Ulcerative colitis	Asacol (mesalamine) Remicade (infliximab)

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Infectious diseases	
Hepatitis B	Hepsera (adefovir)
Hepatitis C	ViraferonPeg (peginterferon alpha-2b)
HIV	Kaletra (lopinavir/ritonavir) Fuzeon (enfuvirtide)
Onychomycosis	Curanail (amorolfine)
Herpes	Penciclovir Compeed Cold Sore Patch (CPS)
Haemaology	
Chemotherapy-induced anaemia	Aranesp (darbepoetin alfa)
Thrombosis	Exanta (ximelagatran)
Metabolic	
Diabetes	–
Rheumatology	
Rheumatoid arthritis	Remicade (infliximab)
Psoriatic arthritis	Anti-TNF agents (biologics) as a class
Ankylosing spondylitis	
Gout	Puricase (PEG-uricase)
Dermatology	
Psoriasis	Remicade (infliximab) Raptiva (efalizumab)
Allergy	
Allergic rhinitis	Avamys/Allermist (fluticasone furoate)
Hayfever	Pollinex Gravax
Pain	
Headache	Nurofen (ibuprofen) Panadol (paracetamol)
Musculoskeletal pain	Panadol (paracetamol) Topical analgesics
Dental pain	Panadol (paracetamol)
Dysmenorrhoea	
Osteoarthritis	
Devices	
Stoma	ConvaTec
Aneurysm	Aorfix (stent graft)
Genitourinary	
Incontinence	TENA
Cystitis	Cysticlear (trimethoprim)
Other	
Osteoporosis	Protelos (strontium ranelate)
Organ transplantation	CellCept (mycophenolate mofetil)
Oral care	Sensodyne
Contraception	Cilest

Skills

- Proficient in: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint; Reference Manager; Use of online medical & scientific resources (e.g. PubMed)
- RSA typing level I qualified
- Experienced editor and proof-reader
- Fully APBI trained

Accreditations

- Member of the European Medical Writers Association (EMWA)

Freelance resources

- Fully-equipped home office – colour printer, scanner, fax machine, photocopier, laptop (if remote work is required)
- Broadband internet access plus easy contactability via telephone, email and fax
- Extensive library of medical reference books

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