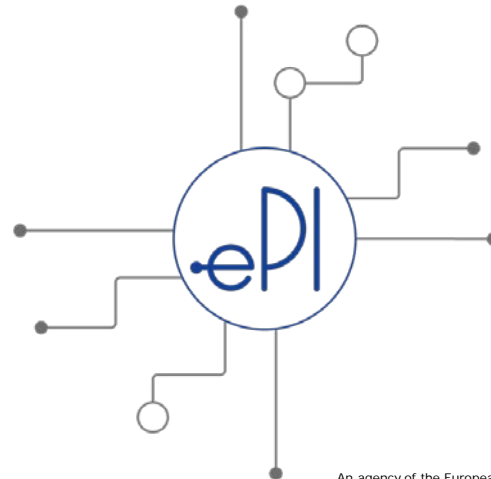


Collaboration with the Norwegian Pharmaceutical Compendium

Electronic structured data is key to successful dissemination of medicinal product information

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The Norwegian Pharmaceutical Compendium (Felleskatalogen)

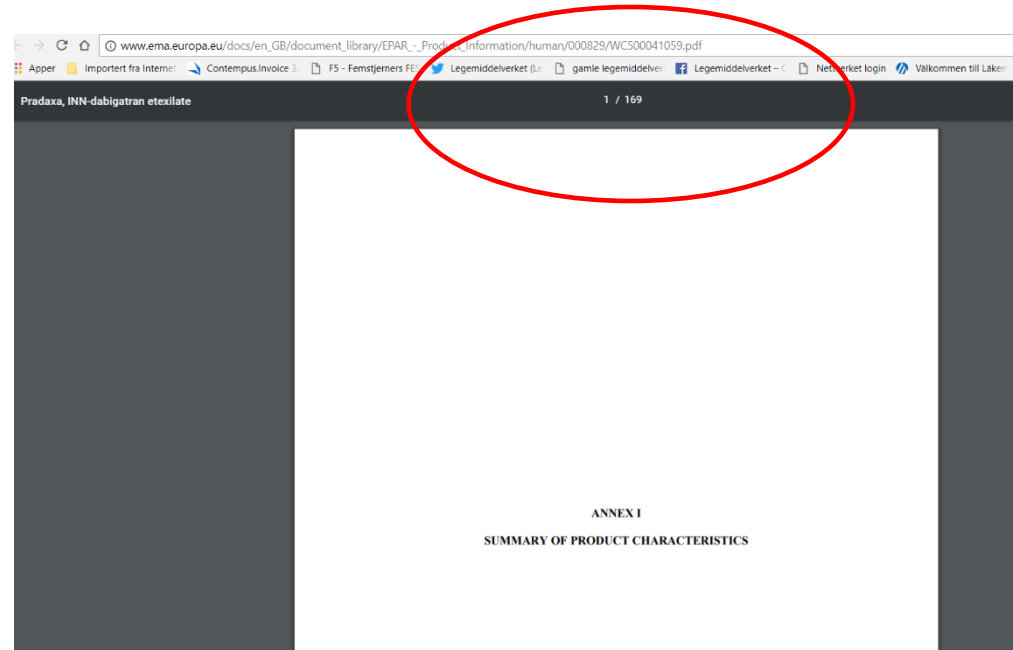
- The compendium is the most used source to information on medicinal products among HCPs and patients in Norway.
- Information about all medicinal products in Norway (including generics & medicinal products without MA used in compassionate use programs).
- The compendium refines the SmPC and presents it in a user-friendly structured format, allowing the information to “talk” to other electronic health systems. Free to use.
- It is the only source to PIL in Norway.

The Norwegian Pharmaceutical Product Compendium



A PDF can not compete with electronic structured data

- The Norwegian Medicines Agency has a «search for medicines» web-page – we link to EMA's website with pdfs of the SmPCs.
- We know that HCPs do not use this as a tool- it is too comprehensive – impossible to navigate a pdf.
- The ePI project enables the NCAs to offer information about medicinal products in a relevant format.

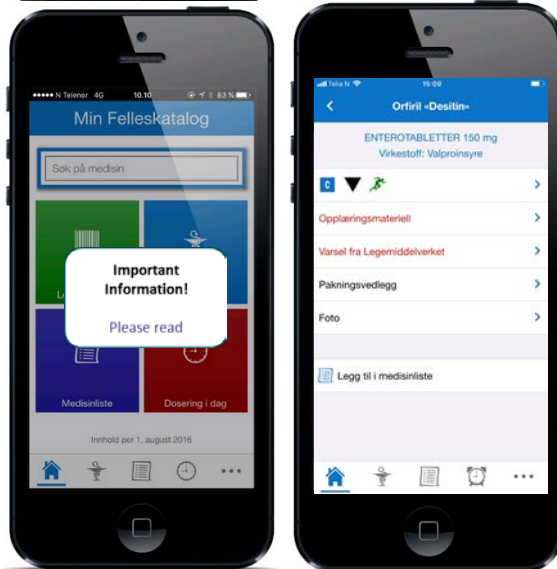


While waiting for the ePI..

- NOMA collaborates with the compendium - added value for both.
- NOMAs information is easily integrated into the compendium which structures the SmPCs & PILs into xml-format, making it easy for the user to get an overview of the content.
- NOMA makes sure that the information accurately presents the most important content of the SmPCs.
- The compendium uses standardised vocabularies.
- Supports accessibility formats (videos, graphics, audible formats).

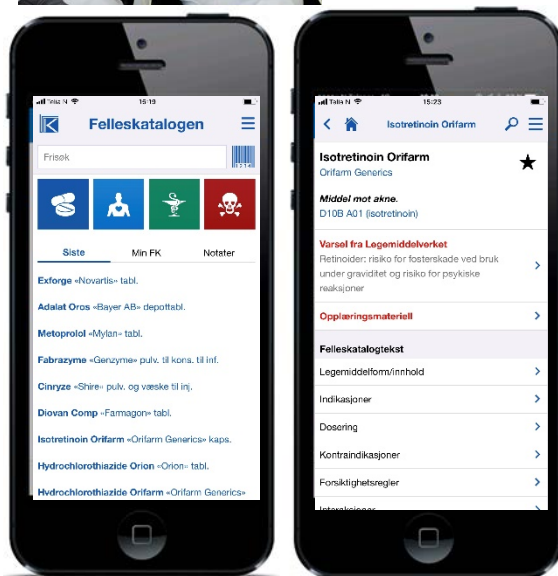
The screenshot shows the 'Felleskatalogen' (Common Catalogue) website. The main header includes a search bar with the text 'Frisøk i Felleskatalogen:' and a 'Søk' button. Below the search bar are links for 'Interaksjonsanalyse', 'Identifikasjonssøk', and 'Avansert søk'. The navigation bar includes tabs for 'Legemidler', 'Spesialtema', 'Forskrifter', 'Adresser', 'Pasienter', and 'Info og hjelp'. The left sidebar lists various categories under 'Legemidler', with 'Preparater A-Z' selected. The main content area displays the product page for 'Isotretinoin Orifarm' by 'Orifarm Generics'. The product is identified as 'Middel mot akne' with ATC-code 'D10B A01'. It includes a warning about WADA doping list status and a link to the doping search. There are also links to the 'Legemiddelverket' for more information on RMP-material, a 'Brosjyre helsepersonell' (healthcare professional brochure), and a 'Brosjyre pasient' (patient brochure). The page also lists 'Indikasjoner' (indications), 'Dosering' (dosage), and 'Kontraindikasjoner' (contraindications).

Patients



- Search for medicines
- Barcode reading
- Personalized medicines list
- My daily dose
- Package leaflets imported from EMA & NOMA
- Photos of tablets/capsules
- Instruction videos (patient content RMP)
- Real time alerts from NOMA on important safety issues, shortage situations etc.

Health Care Professionals



- Prescription texts (mainly based on the approved summaries of product characteristics (SmPCs))
- Risk Management Plans (RMP) from NOMA
- Real time alerts from NOMA on important safety issues, shortage situations etc.
- Drug interactions from NOMA's database

Any questions?

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