

Nicardipine Hydrochloride Injection

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In accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the Council of Experts, the Small Molecules 2 Expert Committee has revised the Nicardipine Hydrochloride Injection monograph. The purpose of this revision is to widen the *pH* upper limit from 3.0–3.9 to 3.0–4.2, to remove the sorbitol requirement in the *Definition*, and to also add "If present" to the *Content of Sorbitol* test to allow flexibility and to accommodate FDAapproved drug products with different formulations using different excipients. In addition, based on comments received, the acceptance criteria for sorbitol are deleted from the *Definition*.

The Nicardipine Hydrochloride Injection monograph Revision Bulletin supersedes the currently official monograph.

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