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Subject: RE: shortages in France

Dear Francois,

Caelix was the biggest problem in the field of Oncology. It looks like the shortage will end in April/May.

We have problems with 5-FU, a standard oncology drug. Big problems with Fosfomycin (an antibiotic agent). Just 2 examples
Best regards

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Dear Jurate, Toni, Roberto and Richard,

The documents you've sent (your respective statements on supply shortages in 2012) are highly appreciated and have initiated a high interest at Eurordis and in other organisations in France.

I was wondering if any of you had examples of specific shortages that are a concern for public health currently. I don't even know if the Caelyx shortage is over or not, and some are talking about other cancer drugs but nobody has really clear information.

Would you know?

Thank you in advance,

Best regards,

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