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Product Monographs may be accessed through a search of the DPD by clicking on DPD Online Query.

The Product Monograph is a factual, scientific document on a drug product that is devoid of promotional material and describes the properties, claims, indications, and conditions of use of the drug product. It contains information that may be required for the optimal, safe and effective use of the product. Manufacturers are required to provide Health Canada a detailed Product Monograph with their drug submission. The drug manufacturer or sponsor uses it to inform physicians, pharmacists, dentists, nurses and other health care professionals about the appropriate use of the drug.

[http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/dhp-mpps/prodpharma/update-miseajour/index\\_e.html](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/dhp-mpps/prodpharma/update-miseajour/index_e.html)

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### 2007 American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists (AAPS) Outstanding Lipid-based Drug Delivery Award

Kishor M. Wasan, Ph.D. is a Distinguished University Scholar Professor and Chair of Pharmaceutics at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC, Canada. In the 12 years that Dr. Wasan has been an independent researcher at UBC, he has published over 160 peer-reviewed articles and 180 abstracts investigating the role of how lipids and lipoproteins modify the pharmacokinetics and biological activity of water-insoluble drugs. Dr. Wasan's ground-breaking research has convinced regulatory agencies to recommend that lipoprotein-drug distribution studies should be considered as part of any potential drug application filing.

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