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You can utilize the Global Data Sycnchronization Network (GDSN) when entering Pharmaceutical(RX) products into ABSetUp

Dear Valued Partner.

In an effort to provide you with support in making your operations as efficient as possible, we'd like to provide you with information regarding the use of the Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN) when entering pharmaceutical (RX) products into ABSetUp.

GDSN is an internet-based network that can be used for pharmaceutical products to increase efficiency across the supply chain for manufactures and wholesalers. Manufacturers and wholesalers supply data to assist in automating the system. GDSN is governed by GS1 Standards which allows companies around the globe to exchange product master data with their trading partners. Utilizing the GDSN when you submit new products to ABSetup will make the process easier and more efficient.

1WorldSync, the leader in Product Content Orchestration, simplifies the creation and distribution of impactful content that's accurate, consistent, and relevant everywhere commerce happens. 1WorldSync GDSN solution is utilized by more than 15,000 brands and their trading partners to exchange product content in a automated manner. Visit 1worldsync.com to learn more.

As an AmerisourceBergen partner, 1WorldSync receives the data fields from suppliers, then shares the information to the supplier's approved network, providing the benefits mentioned. This allows suppliers and wholesalers to obtain accurate and complete logistical product information, supports lower material handling costs, and reduces wait time and manual efforts by all parties.

Trade representatives should use their products' Global Location Number (GLN) in submissions to ABSetUp. The GLN is the GS1 Identification Key that needs to be identified for use in the supply chain. This provides physical, operational, and legal information for each product. The GLN is also a globally unique number that can be used to access master data.

Process

- 1. If not already subscribed to a GDSN data pool, contact 1WorldSync to begin onboarding process: businessdevelopment@1worldsync.com
- 2. Supplier will setup GLN subscription in ABSetUp
- 3. Supplier will publish via the GDSN the designated items for set up in AB master catalog
- 4. Supplier will access the GDSN data in ABSetUp portal and perform the data top-off
- 5. ABSetUp portal will feed the new item information to AB for item review and setup

We highly recommend you visit <u>AmerisourceBergen GDSN program site</u> to access reference materials that will help you in completing the steps outlined above.

If you are not currently a GDSN publisher or share data to a GDSN data pool, we are providing you with this high-level overview for your information or if you anticipate utilizing the tool/process in the future.

If you have any questions, please reach out to your AmerisourceBergen representative.