

USFDA approves Strides Shasun's HIV drug

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Bengaluru based pharmaceutical company Strides Shasun has received approval from the US health regulator for its generic Efavirenz tablet USP, 600mg used for treatment of HIV Type-1 infected adults and adolescents.

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Efavirenz Tablet is a generic version of Sustiva Tablets of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

According to IQVIA data, the US market for Efavirenz Tablets USP, 600 mg is approximately \$115 million and Strides is only the second generic company to get the approval for the product under the para IV route.