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Costs and economic impacts of type-1 diabetes from the dominican patient perspective

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APPENDICES

A. Micro costing analysis

TABLE 1. FIXED DOSE TREATMENT: COST OF MEDICATIONS AND SUPPLIES

Product	Abbr.	Amount/day	Amount/month	Cost/unit.	Cost/month
NPH ^a	Nph	17.5 U	525 U*	110 DOP /10ml	110 DOP
Regular insulin ^a	Ri	17.5 U	525 U*	110 DOP /10ml	110 DOP
Syringes 1ml/6mm ^{a, b}	S1	2 units	60 units	12 DOP	720 DOP
Syringes 1ml/8mm ^{a, b}	S2	2 units	60 units	8 DOP	480 DOP
NPH ^b	Nph	17.5 U	525 U*	440 DOP/10ml	440 DOP
Regular ^b	Ri	17.5 U	525 U*	440 DOP/10ml	440 DOP
Test strips 1 ^a	Ts1	4 units	120 units	24.70 DOP	2,694 DOP
Test strips 2 ^a	Ts2	4 units	120 units	52.30 DOP	6,276 DOP
Test strips 3 ^a	Ts3	4 units	120 units	26.64 DOP	3,196 DOP
Test strips 4 ^a	Ts4	4 units	120 units	26.20 DOP	2,144 DOP
Generic lancets ^a	L	4 units	120 units	4.65 DOP	558 DOP

^a Cost from public perspective

^b Cost from private perspective

*This quantity is contained in a single 10 ml package

BOX 1. FIXED DOSE TREATMENT: MICROCOSTING ANALYSIS

Total Monthly Cost (TMC) = Σ [Monthly product amount(m) x Unitary cost(u)]

$$\text{TMC} = [(NPHm \times NPHu) + (Rim \times Riu) + (S2m \times S2u) + (Ts1m \times Ts1u) + (Lm \times Lu)]$$

TMC - Public Perspective

$$\text{TMC} = [(1 \times 110 \text{ DOP}) + (1 \times 110 \text{ DOP}) + (60 \times 8 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]]$$

$$\text{TMC} = [110 \text{ DOP} + 110 \text{ DOP} + \$480 + 2,964 \text{ DOP} + 558 \text{ DOP}]$$

$$\text{TMC} = 4,222.00 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 72.74$$

TMC - Private Perspective

$$\text{TMC} = [(1 \times 440 \text{ DOP}) + (1 \times 440 \text{ DOP}) + (60 \times 8 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC} = [440 \text{ DOP} + 440 \text{ DOP} + 480 \text{ DOP} + 2,964 \text{ DOP} + 558 \text{ DOP}]$$

$$\text{TMC} = 4,882.00 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 84.11$$

Ri: Regular; S2: Syringes 2; Ts1: Test strips1; L: Generic lancets

TABLE 2. MULTIPLE DAILY INJECTIONS TREATMENT: COST OF MEDICATIONS AND SUPPLIES

Product	Abbr.	Amount/day	Amount/Month	Cost/unit.	Cost/Month
Glargine (3ml/pen) ^a	IGlar	18 U	540 U (2 pen)	1,447 DOP/pen	2,894 DOP
Degludec (3ml/pen) ^a	IDeg	18 U	540 U (2 pen)	2,206 DOP/pen	4,412 DOP
Glulisine (3ml/pen) ^a	IGlu	15 U	450 U (2 pen)	1,559 DOP/pen	3,118 DOP
Aspart (3ml/pen) ^a	IAsp	15 U	450 U (2 pen)	1,315 DOP/pen	2,630 DOP
Detemir (3ml/pen) ^a	IDet	18 U	540 U (2 pen)	1,460 DOP/pen	2,920 DOP
Syringes 1 ^a	S1	6 units	180 units	20.30 DOP	3,654 DOP
Syringes 2 ^a	S2	6 units	180 units	21.09 DOP	3,780 DOP
Test strips 1 ^a	Ts1	7 units	210 units	24.70 DOP	5,187 DOP

Test strips 2 ^a	Ts2	7 units	210 units	52.30 DOP	10,983 DOP
Test strips 3 ^a	Ts3	7 units	210 units	26.64 DOP	3,196 DOP
Test strips 4 ^a	Ts4	7 units	210 units	26.20 DOP	5,594 DOP
Generic lancets ^a	L	7 units	210 units	4.65 DOP	976 DOP

^a Cost from private perspective

BOX 2. MULTIPLE DAILY INJECTIONS TREATMENT: MICROCOSTING ANALYSIS

$$\text{Total Monthly Cost (TMC)} = \sum [(\text{Monthly Product Amount}(m) \times \text{Unitary cost}(u))]$$

$$\text{TMC Option #1} = [(IAspm) \times IAspu) + (IDegm \times IDegu) + (S1m \times S1u) + (Ts1m \times Ts1u) + (Lm \times Lu)]$$

$$\text{TMC #1} = [(2 \times 1,315 \text{ DOP}) + (2 \times 2,206 \text{ DOP}) + (180 \times 20.30 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #1} = [(2,630 \text{ DOP}) + (4,412 \text{ DOP}) + (3,654 \text{ DOP}) + (5,187 \text{ DOP}) + (976.50 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #1} = 16,859.50 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 290.47$$

$$\text{TMC Option #2} = [(IGlum} \times IGluu) + (IGlarm \times IGlaru) + (S1m \times S1u) + (Ts1m \times Ts1u) + (Lm \times Lu)]$$

$$\text{TMC #2} = [(2 \times 1,559 \text{ DOP}) + (2 \times 1,447 \text{ DOP}) + (180 \times 20.30 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #2} = [(3,118 \text{ DOP}) + (2,894 \text{ DOP}) + (3,654 \text{ DOP}) + (5,187 \text{ DOP}) + (976.50 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #2} = 15,829.50 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 272.73$$

$$\text{TMC Option #3} = [(IGlum} \times IGluu) + (IDetm + IDetu) + (S1m \times S1u) + (Ts1m \times Ts1u) + (Lm \times Lu)]$$

$$\text{TMC #3} = [(2 \times 1,559 \text{ DOP}) + (2 \times 1,460 \text{ DOP}) + (180 \times 20.30 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (210 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #3} = [(3,118 \text{ DOP}) + (2,920 \text{ DOP}) + (3,654 \text{ DOP}) + (5,187 \text{ DOP}) + (976.50 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$\text{TMC #3} = 15,855.50 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 273.18$$

IAsp: Aspart; IDeg: Degludec; IDet: Detemir; S1: Syringes 1; Ts1: Test strips 1; L: Generic Lancets; IGLu: Insulin Glu; IGLar: Insulin Glargine

TABLE 3. CONTINUOUS SUBCUTANEOUS INSULIN INFUSION: COST OF MEDICATION AND SUPPLIES

Product	Abbr.	Amount/day	Amount/month	Cost/unit.	Cost/month
Insulin pump ^a	Pump	-	-	337,480 DOP	-
Sensor transmitter ^a	Tran	-	-	45,430 DOP	-
Sensors (disposable) ^a	Sen	-	1 package	41,890 DOP	41,890 DOP
Reservoir (disposable) ^a	Res	-	1 package	10,841 DOP	10,841 DOP
Insulin ^a	IGlu	-	1 vial - IGlu	1,559 DOP	1,559 DOP
Test strips 1 ^a	Ts1	4 units	120 units	24.70 DOP	2,694 DOP
Test strips 2 ^a	Ts2	4 units	120 units	52.30 DOP	6,276 DOP
Test strips 3 ^a	Ts3	4 units	120 units	26.64 DOP	3,196 DOP
Test strips 4 ^a	Ts4	4 units	120 units	26.20 DOP	3,144 DOP
Generic lancets ^a	L	4 units	120 units	4.65 DOP	558 DOP

^a Cost from private perspective

BOX 3. CONTINUOUS SUBCUTANEOUS INSULIN INFUSION: MICROCOSTING ANALYSIS

$$\text{Total Fixed cost (TFC)} = \sum [(Device(u) \times Cost\ of\ device)]$$

$$TFC = [(Pumpu \times Pump\$) + (Tranu \times Tran\$)]$$

$$TFC = [(1 \times 337,480 \text{ DOP}) + (1 \times 45,430 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$TFC = 382,910.00 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 6,597.35$$

$$\text{Total Monthly cost (TMC)} = \sum [(Monthly\ Product\ Amount(m) \times Unitary\ cost(u))]$$

$$TMC = [(Senm \times Senu) + (Resm \times Resu) + (IGlum \times IGluu) + (Ts1m \times Ts1u) + (Lm \times Lu)]$$

$$TMC = [(1 \times 41,890 \text{ DOP}) + (1 \times 10,841 \text{ DOP}) + (1 \times 1,559 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 24.70 \text{ DOP}) + (120 \times 4.65 \text{ DOP})]$$

$$TMC = 57,812.00 \text{ DOP} / \text{USD } 996.07$$

Pump: Insulin Pump, Tran: Sensor transmitter, Sen: Sensors (disposable), Res: Reservoir (disposable),
IGlu: Glulisine, Ts1: Test strips1, L: Generic lancets

B. List of abbreviations

ABBR.	MEANING	ABBR.	MEANING
Σ	Summation (symbol)	NPH	NPH insulin®
CSII	Continuous subcutaneous insulin infusion	NPHm	NPH Insulin - monthly product amount
DOP	Dominican pesos	NPHu	NPH Insulin - Unitary cost
DQoL	Diabetes Quality of life	PUMP	Insulin pump
DR	Dominican Republic	QoL	Quality of Life
FD	Fixed dose	Res	Reservoir (dischargeable)
GDP	Gross domestic product	Resm	Reservoir - monthly product amount
HbA1c	Glycated hemoglobin	Resu	Reservoir - Unitary cost
HEOR	Health Economics and Outcomes Research	Ri	Regular insulin
HMO	Health maintenance organization	Rim	Regular insulin - monthly product amount
HRQoL	Health-related quality of life	Riu	Regular insulin - Unitary cost
HTA	Health technology assessment	S1	Syringe option 1
IAsp	Insulin aspart	S1m	Syringe option 1 - monthly product amount
IAspm	Insulin aspart - monthly product amount	S1u	Syringe option 1 - Unitary cost
Iaspu	Insulin aspart - Unitary cost	S2	Syringe option 2
IDeg	Insulin degludec	S2m	Syringe option 2 - monthly product amount
IDegm	Insulin degludec - monthly product amount	S2u	Syringe option 2 - Unitary cost
IDegu	Insulin degludec - Unitary cost	SD	Standard deviation
IDet	Insulin detemir	Sen	Sensors (dischargeable)
IDetm	Insulin detemir - monthly product amount	Senm	Sensors - monthly product amount
IDetu	Insulin detemir - Unitary cost	Senu	Sensors - Unitary cost
IGlar	Insulin glargine	T1D	Type-1 diabetes
IGlarm	Insulin glargine - monthly product amount	TFC	Total Fixed costs
IGlaru	Insulin glargine - Unitary cost	TMC	Total Monthly cost
IGlu	Insulin glulisine	Tran	Sensor transmitter
IGlum	Insulin glulisine - monthly product amount	Ts1	Test strips option 1
IGluu	Insulin glulisine - Unitary cost	Ts1m	Test strips option 1 - monthly product amount
L	Generic lancets	Ts1u	Test strips option 1 - Unitary cost
LATAM	Latin-American	Ts2	Test strips option 2
Lm	Generic Lancets - monthly product amount	Ts2u	Test strips option 2 - Unitary cost
Lu	Generic Lancets - Unitary cost	Ts3	Test strips option 3
MDI	Multiple daily injections	Ts4	Test strips option 4
MHI	Mean household income	USD	United States dollar
NMW	National minimum wage	WB	World Bank