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Dear Mrs., Mr.

This communication is intended to provide you with an overview of the public holidays and bridge days in Belgium, Netherlands, Luxembourg and Germany in 2023.

## **EASTER MONDAY: Monday, 10 April 2023**

"Easter Monday" will be celebrated in the Benelux on Monday, 10 April 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Friday, 7 April 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands and Germany on Monday, 10 April 2023.

#### KING'S DAY: Thursday, 27 April 2023

"King's Day" will be celebrated in the Netherlands on Thursday, 27 April 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in the Netherlands on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Wednesday, 26 April 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours (Friday, 28 April 2023).

Items destined for the Netherlands collected on King's Day will we delivered on Monday, 1 May 2023.

#### LABOUR DAY: Monday, 1 May 2023

"Labour Day" is celebrated in Belgium and Luxembourg on Monday, 1 May 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Friday, 28 May 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers outside Belgium \*\*

If you still require a pick-up, inform us before 1 April 2023 via pharmacare@postnl.be

## **EUROPE DAY: Tuesday, 9 May 2023**

"Europe Day" will be celebrated in Luxembourg on Tuesday, 9 May 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in Luxembourg and province Luxembourg on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Monday, 8 May 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours (Wednesday, 10 May 2023).

Items destined for Luxembourg and province Luxembourg collected on Europe Day will we delivered on Thursday, 11 May 2023.

## **ASCENSION DAY: Thursday, 18 May 2023**

Benelux celebrate Ascension Day on Thursday, 18 May 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items picked up by us on Wednesday, 17 May 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands or Germany on Thursday 18 May 2023. There will be linehauls on Wednesday, 17 May 2023.

# **BRIDGE DAY: Friday, 19 May 2023**

We will insert a bridge day on Friday, 19 May 2023 for shipments delivered to the pharmacies. We are doing this in response to experience we have gained in previous years.

Items that will be delivered on this day:

- All shipments to wholesalers
- All shipments to hospitals
- All pallet shipments

All other shipments will be subject to a delay of 48 hours

## WHIT MONDAY: Monday, 29 May 2023

All depots in Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg will be closed on Monday, 29 May 2023 due to "Whit Monday". There will be no deliveries or pick-ups on this day.

The extradition of items destined for the Benelux and Germany that are picked up by us on Friday, 26 May 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands and Germany on this day.

## NATIONAL DAY LUXEMBOURG: Friday, 23 June 2023

"National Day" will be celebrated in Luxembourg on Friday, 23 June 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in Luxembourg and province Luxembourg on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Thursday, 22 June 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours (Monday, 26 June 2023).

Items destined for Luxembourg and province Luxembourg collected on National Day will we delivered on Tuesday, 27 June 2023.

#### NATIONAL DAY BELGIUM: Friday, 21 July 2023

"National Day" is celebrated in Belgium on Friday, 21 July 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in Belgium on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Thursday 20 July 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours (Monday, 24 July 2023).

\*\* Information for customers outside Belgium \*\*

If you still require a pick-up, inform us before 1 June 2023 via pharmacare@postnl.be

## **BRIDGE DAY: Monday, 14 August 2023**

We will insert a bridge day on Monday, 14 August 2023 for shipments delivered to the pharmacies. We are doing this in response to experience we have gained in previous years.

Items that will be delivered on this day:

- All shipments to wholesalers
- All shipments to hospitals
- All pallet shipments

All other shipments will be subject to a delay of 48 hours

## **ASSUMPTION DAY: Tuesday, 15 August 2023**

"Assumption Day" is celebrated in Belgium and Luxembourg on Tuesday, 15 August 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Monday, 14 August 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers outside Belgium \*\*

If you still require a pick-up, inform us before 1 July 2023 via pharmacare@postnl.be

#### ALL SAINT'S DAY: Wednesday, 1 November 2023

"All Saint's Day" is celebrated in Belgium and Luxembourg on Wednesday, 1 November 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items collected by us on Tuesday, 31 October 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers outside Belgium \*\*

If you still require a pick-up, inform us before 1 October 2023 via pharmacare@postnl.be

## **CHRISTMAS DAY: Monday, 25 December 2023**

All depots in Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg will be closed on Monday, 25 December 2023 due to "Christmas". There will be no deliveries or pick-ups on this day.

The extradition of items destined for the Benelux and Germany that are picked up by us on Friday, 22 December 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands and Germany on this day.

#### **BOXING DAY: Tuesday, 26 December 2023**

Luxembourg and the Netherlands celebrate "Boxing Day" on Tuesday, 26 December 2023. Therefore, there will be no pick-ups or deliveries in those countries on this day.

The extradition of items destined for Luxembourg or the Netherlands that are collected on Friday, 22 December 2023, will be delayed by 48 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands and Germany on this day.

## **NEW YEAR: Monday, 1 January 2024**

All depots in Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg will be closed on Monday, 1 January 2024 due to "New Year's Day". There will be no deliveries or pick-ups on this day.

The extradition of items destined for the Benelux and Germany that are picked up by us on Friday, 29 December 2023 will be delayed by 24 hours.

\*\* Information for customers with a direct linehaul \*\*

There will be no linehaul to the Netherlands and Germany on this day.

# **Germany 2023**

Date	Public holiday
<b>06.01.2023</b> Friday	EPIPHANY (HI. drei Könige) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Bavaria, Baden-Wuerttemberg and Saxony-Anhalt)
<b>08.03.2023</b> Wednesday	INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY (Weltfrauentag) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Berlin)
<b>07.04.2023</b> Friday	GOOD FRIDAY (Karfreitag) Public holiday in Germany
<b>10.04.2023</b> Monday	EASTER MONDAY (Ostersonntag) Public holiday in Germany
<b>01.05.2023</b> Monday	LABOUR DAY (Tag der Arbeit) Public holiday in Germany
<b>18.05.2023</b> Thursday	ASCENSION DAY (Christi Himmelfahrt) Public holiday in Germany
<b>29.05.2023</b> Monday	WHIT MONDAY (Pfingstmontag) Public holiday in Germany
<b>08.06.2023</b> Thursday	CORPUS CHRISTI (Fronleichnam) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Bavaria, Baden-Württemberg, Hesse, North Rhine-Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate, Saarland and parts of Saxony and Thuringia)
<b>15.08.2023</b> Tuesday	ASSUMPTION DAY (Mariä Himmelfahrt) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Saarland and parts of Bavaria)
<b>20.09.2023</b> Wednesday	WORLD CHILDREN'S DAY (Weltkindertag) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Thuringia)
<b>03.10.2023</b> Tuesday	GERMAN UNITY DAY (Tag der Deutschen Einheit) Public holiday in Germany

<b>31.10.2023</b> Tuesday	REFORMATION DAY (Reformationstag) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Brandenburg, Bremn, Hamburg, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania-Lower Saxony, Schleswig-Holstein, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt and Thuringia)
<b>01.11.2023</b> Wednesday	ALL SAINTS' DAY (Allerheiligen) Regional public holiday in Germany (in Bavaria, Baden-Wuerttemberg, North Rhine-Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate and Saarland)
<b>25.12.2023</b> Monday	CHRISTMAS (1. Weihnachtstag) Public holiday in Germany
<b>26.12.2023</b> Tuesday	BOXING DAY (2. Weihnachtstag) Public holiday in Germany