



NPSA Medicines Shortages CSOD Supply Restriction under COVID-19 Working Group

AGENDA 28

Time & Date: 4pm – 4.30 pm Tuesday September 21 2021

Venue: Via Teams

Host: [REDACTED] – NPSA Executive Director

Attendees: [REDACTED], API
[REDACTED], Symbion
[REDACTED], Symbion
[REDACTED], Sigma Healthcare
[REDACTED], National Pharmacies

1	<p>Welcome – apologies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reminder of meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC temporary authorisation - Review of the previous minutes – refer to Attachment A 	EC ALL
2	<p>Trends in supply and demand of medicines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion by all members on trends and observations over the previous month with focus on any new spikes in cases 	ALL
3	<p>Specific medicines at risk – NEW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion by all members on any NEW medicines identified or have been placed on a watch list - Updates to DoH Written Directions - [REDACTED] 	ALL
4	<p>Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General discussion by all members on existing medicines placed on restriction: - [REDACTED] 	ALL
5	<p>Reporting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TGA Reporting - Update on ACCC Authorisation and associated reporting 	ALL EC



6.	Other Business <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Border closures – any impact on medicine supply- COVID Vaccine Distribution update	ALL EC
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Attachment A

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Minutes 27

Time & Date: 4.30 pm – 5 pm Tuesday August 31 2021

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Host: [REDACTED] – NPSA Executive Director

Attendees: [REDACTED], Symbion
[REDACTED], Symbion
[REDACTED] API
[REDACTED], NPD

Apologies: [REDACTED], Sigma Healthcare

ITEM	DISCUSSION AREA	ACTION AGREED
1	<p>Welcome</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC authorisation was discussed. - [REDACTED] - [REDACTED] was welcomed as the new representative for NPD. - Minutes from the July 27, 2021, meeting accepted 	<p>Noted and accepted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Minutes Accepted</p>
2	<p>Trends in supply and demand of medicines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All members commented that over the last four weeks there has been no abnormal demand or signs of concern regarding potential stockpiling behaviour nationally or locally however potential concerns with [REDACTED] were noted 	<p>All members to watch ordering behavior closely and report back into the group immediately if they detect any areas of concern</p>
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Specific medicines at risk – NEW - No new medicines at risk discussed 	<p>Noted</p>



4	<p>Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>	Noted
5	<p>Reporting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on TGA Reporting – members discussed updates to the TGA/NPSA Reporting protocol. - Update on ACCC Authorisation – - Work has commenced on NPSA’s request to the ACCC for an extension to their existing Authorisation as the COVID -19 environment continues to impact medicine supply. - Masks SOH – no further update 	<p>TH to update protocol and circulate for review</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p>
5	<p>Other Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Border Closures – [REDACTED] - COVID Vaccine Distribution – [REDACTED] 	<p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>Noted</p>
<p>Next meeting – Tuesday September 21, 2021, 4pm – 5 pm</p>		



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Apologies: N/A

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3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Specific medicines at risk – NEW - [REDACTED] 	<p>Noted and Actioned</p>
4	<p>Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING</p>	



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] █ [Redacted] 	<p>Noted and members will continue to monitor supply in the coming weeks</p> <p>Noted and actioned</p> <p>Noted</p>
5	<p>Reporting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on TGA Reporting – [Redacted] - Update on ACCC Authorisation – - Members were briefed that an interim extension to our Authorisation has been granted 	<p>[Redacted]</p> <p>Noted</p>
5	<p>Other Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Border Closures – [Redacted] - COVID Vaccine Distribution – - [Redacted] 	<p>[Redacted]</p> <p>Noted</p>
<p>Next meeting – Tuesday October 9, 2021, 4pm – 5 pm</p>		