







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

AGENDA 25

Time & Date: 4pm – 4.30 pm Tuesday June 29 2021

Venue: Via Teams

Host: – NPSA Executive Director

Attendees: AP

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1	Welcome – apologies	EC
	- Reminder of meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC temporary authorisation	011
	- Review of the previous minutes – <i>refer to Attachment A</i>	ALL
2	Trends in supply and demand of medicines - General discussion by all members on trends and observations over the previous week with focus on any new spikes in cases	ALL
3	- General discussion by all members on any NEW medicines identified or have been placed on a watch list - Specific medicines at risk – NEW - General discussion by all members on any NEW medicines identified or have been placed on a watch list	ALL
4	- General discussion by all members on existing medicines placed on restriction noting there are currently no existing medicines as risk.	ALL
5	Reporting - TGA Reporting - Update on ACCC Authorization and associated reporting - Update on Mask weekly report for	ALL EC EC









6.	Other Business	
	 Border closures – any impact on medicine supply COVID Vaccine Distribution update 	ALL EC









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ITEM	DISCUSSION AREA	ACTION AGREED
1	Welcome - meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC authorisation was discussed	Noted and accepted
		Noted
		GW to advise
	- Minutes from the May 2021 meeting accepted	Minutes Accepted
2	- 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 despite the current lockdown in Victoria.	All members to watch ordering behavior closely and report back into the group immediately if they detect any areas of concern









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3	 Specific medicines at risk – NEW No medicines at risk flagged by members 	All members to watch ordering behaviour closely and report back into the group immediately if they detect any areas of concern
4	Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING	
	- No further update	Noted
5	- Update on TGA Reporting – no further update in terms of reporting requests relevant to COVID-19 - Update on ACCC Authorisation - no further update - Masks SOH – no further update	Noted Noted Noted
5	Border Closures – no further update on any areas of concern about the current Victorian lockdown COVID Vaccine Distribution – no further update	Noted Noted
	Next meeting – Tuesday June 29th, 2021, 4pm – 5 pm	









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	 Minutes from the June 1, 2021, meeting accepted 	Minutes Accepted
2	- 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 despite current lockdowns.	All members to watch ordering behavior closely and report back into the group immediately if they detect any areas of concern
3	- Specific medicines at risk – NEW -	









4	Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING	
	- No further update	Noted
5	- Update on TGA Reporting – no further update in terms of reporting requests relevant to COVID-19 - Update on ACCC Authorisation - - Masks SOH – no further update	Noted
5	Other Business - Border Closures – no further update on any areas of concern about the current Victorian lockdown - COVID Vaccine Distribution – no further update	Noted Noted
	Next meeting – Tuesday July 27th, 2021, 4pm – 5 pm	

NPSA fortnightly operational update table for fortnight ending 9 July 2021 (includes updates up to 15 July 2021)















