







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

AGENDA 24

Time & Date: 4pm – 4.30 pm Tuesday June 1 2021

Venue: Via Teams

Host: – NPSA Executive Director

Attendees: Sigma Healthcare

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1	Welcome – apologies	EC
	- Reminder of meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC temporary	
	authorisation	
	- Review of the previous minutes – <i>refer Attachment A</i>	ALL
2	Trends in supply and demand of medicines	ALL
	- General discussion by all members on trends and observations over the	
	previous week with focus on any new spikes in cases	
3	Specific medicines at risk – NEW	ALL
	- General discussion by all members on any NEW medicines identified or	
	have been placed on a watch list	
4	Specific medicines at risk – EXISTING	
	- 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	ALL
	- Update on ACCC Authorisation and associated reporting	EC
	- Update on Mask weekly report for	EC
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6.	Other Business	
	 Border closures – any impact on medicine supply COVID Vaccine Distribution update 	ALL EC









Attachment A

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Minutes 23

Time & Date: 4pm – 4.15 pm Tuesday May 4, 2021

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Host: – NPSA Executive Director

Attendees: , Symbion , Symbion

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Apologies: NPD

ITEM	DISCUSSION AREA	ACTION AGREED
1	 Welcome meeting purpose and conduct as per ACCC authorisation was discussed. Minutes from the April, 2021 meeting accepted 	Noted and accepted Minutes Accepted
2	Trends in supply and demand of medicines - All members commented that over the last four weeks there has been no abnormal demand or signs of concern regarding potential stockpiling behaviour nationally.	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 No medicines at risk flagged by members 	All members to watch ordering behavior 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	Reporting - 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
6	Other Business - Border Closures – no further update - COVID Vaccine Distribution – no further update	Noted Noted
	Next meeting – Tuesday June 1st, 2021 4pm – 5 pm	









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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	Trends in supply and demand of medicines - 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









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	