



Queensland

Medicines and Poisons (Medicines) Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2023

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Medicines and Poisons Act 2019

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1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Medicines and Poisons (Medicines) Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2023*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on 1 July 2023.

3 Regulation amended

This regulation amends the *Medicines and Poisons (Medicines) Regulation 2021*.

4 Insertion of new s 6A

After section 6—

insert—

6A Exemption for S3 naloxone treatment programs—Act, s 7

- (1) For section 7(1) of the Act, each of the following activities with the following substances is prescribed—
 - (a) supplying, by wholesale, stock of S3 naloxone for a naloxone treatment program;
 - (b) giving 1 or more doses of S3 naloxone obtained under a naloxone treatment program to a person;
 - (c) administering S3 naloxone obtained under a naloxone treatment program to a person.
- (2) However, subsection (3) applies to an activity mentioned in subsection (1)(b) carried out by a person performing a function under a naloxone treatment program.
- (3) The activity is prescribed only to the extent—
 - (a) the person is appropriately qualified; and

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- (b) the person, when carrying out the activity, gives instructions about—
- (i) how to recognise signs and symptoms of suspected opioid overdose; and
 - (ii) how to administer the S3 naloxone.
- (4) In this section—

naloxone treatment program means a program set up by an entity of the State or Commonwealth to make S3 naloxone widely available for treating opioid overdose.

S3 naloxone means naloxone in a manufacturer's pack for the treatment of opioid overdose, other than naloxone that is an S4 medicine.

5 **Amendment of s 161 (Selling S3 medicine with instructions for use)**

Section 161(3), example, from 'naloxone'—

omit, insert—

an adrenaline (epinephrine) autoinjector to treat an anaphylactic reaction.

6 **Amendment of sch 1 (Extended practice authorities and departmental standards)**

- (1) Schedule 1, part 1, entry for Registered nurses, '2'—

omit, insert—

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- (2) Schedule 1, part 2, entry for Secure storage of S8 medicines, '1'—

omit, insert—

2

[s 7]

7 Amendment of sch 2 (Categories of medicines)

Schedule 2, part 1, division 1—

insert—

alefacept
follitropin delta
MDMA
psilocybine
sitaxentan

8 Amendment of sch 6 (Medical practitioners and assistants)

(1) Schedule 6, section 20, items 1 to 4, ‘macitentan or riociguat’—

omit, insert—

macitentan, riociguat or sitaxentan

(2) Schedule 6, section 22, items 1 to 4, before ‘bexarotene’—

insert—

alefacept,

(3) Schedule 6, section 26, items 1 to 4, before ‘luteinising hormone’—

insert—

follitropin delta,

(4) Schedule 6, section 30, items 1 to 4, before ‘luteinising hormone’—

insert—

follitropin delta,

(5) Schedule 6, section 50, items 1, 4 and 5, ‘clozapine’—

omit, insert—

clozapine, MDMA or psilocybine

- (6) Schedule 6, section 50, item 6, ‘clozapine, amfetamine or methylphenidate’—

omit, insert—

a medicine mentioned in this column

- (7) Schedule 6, section 52, items 1 to 4, ‘riociguat’—

omit, insert—

riociguat, sitaxentan

- (8) Schedule 6, section 54, items 1 to 4, ‘riociguat’—

omit, insert—

riociguat, sitaxentan

- (9) Schedule 6, section 58, items 1 to 4, before ‘teriparatide’—

insert—

sitaxentan,

9 Amendment of sch 12 (Other health practitioners)

Schedule 12, section 12, ‘*Public Service Act 2008*, section 24’—

omit, insert—

Public Sector Act 2022, section 276

10 Amendment of sch 22 (Dictionary)

Schedule 22—

insert—

MDMA means the substance N, α -dimethyl-3,4-(methylenedioxy)phenylethylamine.

Endnotes

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 15 June 2023.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 16 June 2023.
- 3 The administering agency is Queensland Health.

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