

POISONS AND THERAPEUTIC GOODS REGULATION 2008

AUTHORISATION

Approval of a form of a drug register

I, Bruce Battye, Deputy Chief Pharmacist, a duly appointed delegate of the Secretary, NSW Health, make this order pursuant to clause 111(4) of the *Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Regulation 2008* (NSW) [the Regulation] for the purposes of clause 111(2) and clause 111(3) of the Regulation, and pursuant to clause 112(3) for the purpose of clause 112(2) of the Regulation. Pursuant to clause 112(4) of the Regulation, the order made under clause 112(3) is granted subject to conditions.



BRUCE BATTYE
Deputy Chief Pharmacist
(Delegation Number PH368 & PH485)

Date: - 5 MAY 2021

Approval of a form of a drug register (Electronic Drug Register for Licensed Wholesalers) and exemption from requirements of the Regulation

1 Authorisation

- a. This instrument approves the keeping of a drug register in a form that is an electronic form, and that complies with the *Standards for Use of an Electronic Drug Register Requiring Single Signature by a Licensed Wholesaler* as currently published on the NSW Ministry of Health website.
- b. This instrument exempts the following class of persons from the requirement at clause 112(2) of the Regulation to sign each entry in a drug register, subject to conditions at section 2 of this Order.

Class of Persons	A person required to make an entry in a drug register at the premises of an entity licensed to supply drugs of addiction
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2 Conditions

- a. The person authorised to possess drugs of addiction must ensure that the Electronic Drug Register is at all times maintained and used in accordance with the *Standards for Use of an Electronic Drug Register Requiring Single Signature by a Licensed Wholesaler* as published on the NSW Ministry of Health website at the time of use of the register.
- b. The person authorised to possess drugs of addiction must ensure that each other person who is required to make entries in the Electronic Drug Register is fully instructed in how to do so in accordance with the *Standards for Use of an Electronic Drug Register Requiring Single Signature by a Licensed Wholesaler*.

3 Validity

This order commences on the day it is signed and dated, and expires on 31 May 2024, or otherwise on a date that this authority is cancelled.