
PATIENT MATTERS MANUAL FOR PUBLIC HEALTH ORGANISATIONS
Amendment: 348

- Chapter 2 - Paediatrics
- Chapter 6 - Emergency Care
- Chapter 11 - Infectious Diseases, Immunisation and Related Matters
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This amendment reflects the provisions of the following Policy Directives and Information Bulletins included in chapters 2, 6, 11, 12, 17, 20 as indicated by the page number:

Document Number	Title	PDS Issue date	Chapter Page no
PD2023_035	Tiered Networking Arrangements for Perinatal Care in NSW	19 October 2023	2.26
PD2023_029	Syphilis in Pregnancy and Newborns	6 October 2023	2.129
IB2023_038	Managing non-fatal strangulation in the emergency department	4 September 2023	6.151
PD2023_032	Neonatal and Infant Hepatitis B Prevention and Vaccination Program	13 October 2023	11.18
PD2023_027	Authorised Nurse Immunisers and Authorised Midwife Immunisers	28 September 2023	11.19
PD2023_025	Infection Prevention and Control in Healthcare Settings	15 September 2023	11.86
PD2023_034	Open Disclosure	18 October 2023	12.2
PD2023_031	Maternity - Safety and Quality Essentials	12 October 2023	17.116
PD2023_032	Neonatal and Infant Hepatitis B Prevention and Vaccination Program	13 October 2023	17.171
PD2023_036	Visiting Endorsed Midwife Practice	30 October 2023	17.173
PD2023_021	Preparation of pharmaceutical and advanced therapeutic products	22 August 2023	20.15

The following content has been removed from Chapters 2, 11, 12, 17, 20

Document Number	Title	Reason to remove	Chapter/ page no
PD2020_014	Tiered Networking Arrangements for Perinatal Care in NSW	Rescinded by PD2023_035	2.26
IB2022_026	Cessation of NSW State-Wide Obstetric Consultant Service	Rescinded by PD2023_035	2.37
PD2017_036	Neonatal Hepatitis B Prevention and Vaccination Program	Rescinded by PD2023_032	11.26
PD2022_016	Authorised Nurse Immuniser and Authorised Midwife Immunisers	Rescinded by PD2023_027	11.39
PD2017_013	Infection Prevention and Control Policy	Rescinded by PD2023_025	11.110
PD2009_003	NSW Patient Safety and Clinical Quality Program - Maternity Clinical Risk Management Program	Rescinded by PD2023_031	17.116
PD2017_036	Neonatal Hepatitis B Prevention and Vaccination Program	Rescinded by PD2023_032	17.182
PD2022_018	Private Midwifery Practice	Rescinded by PD2023_036	17.197
PD2015_007	Pharmaceuticals – Preparation in NSW Public Health Facility Pharmacy Services	Rescinded by PD2023_021	20.15

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With this amendment the following pages have been updated online on 31 October 2023

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Chapter 6 – TOC and page 151	TOC and page 151 Chapter 6
Chapter 11 – TOC and all pages	TOC and all pages in Chapter 11
Chapter 12 – TOC and pages 2	TOC and page 2 in Chapter 12
Chapter 17 – TOC and pages 116-203	TOC and pages 116 to 179 in Chapter 17
Chapter 20 – TOC and all pages	TOC and all pages in Chapter 20

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