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CHAPTER 12

Prescription and Non-Prescription Products

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Prescription and non-prescription products

PRESCRIPTION PRODUCTS

Require an appropriate prescription for retail supply under the applicable law.

They need professional assessment because diagnosis, monitoring, adverse effects or misuse risk may be important.



Prescriber

Pharmacist

NON-PRESCRIPTION PRODUCTS

May be supplied without a prescription where the specific product and legal conditions permit.

Absence of a prescription requirement does not mean absence of risk.



Customer (self-care)

Pharmacist

Both categories require correct identification, appropriate advice and compliance with applicable sale and quality requirements.

Indian prescription controls



SCHEDULE H

Prescription restriction for listed drugs under the Drugs Rules.



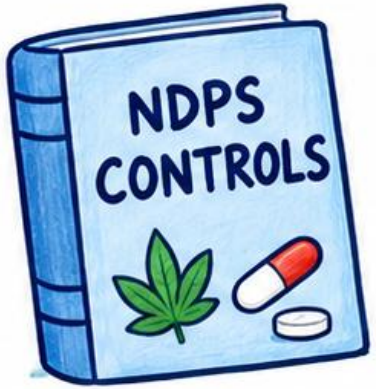
SCHEDULE H1

Prescription restriction with additional warning and record requirements.



SCHEDULE X

Special licensing, storage and prescription-record controls.



NDPS CONTROLS

Separate narcotic and psychotropic requirements may also apply.



Check the ingredient, strength, preparation, schedule entry and applicable exemption.

A medicine's familiar brand name does not determine its legal supply category.

These categories are not interchangeable.

Before dispensing a prescription medicine

VERIFY

Check patient and prescriber details and prescription validity.

REVIEW

Assess the medicine, strength, dose instructions and potential problems.

CLARIFY

Resolve uncertainty or suspected error before supply.

SUPPLY

Dispense the correct product with clear directions and relevant counselling.

RECORD

Complete the records required for the product category.



Do not supply simply because the patient has used the medicine before.
Previous use does not replace a currently required prescription or professional review.

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