

Midazolam for Emergency Kits PHC Remote Information

Midazolam is designated as a Restricted Schedule 4 (RS4) Medicine by Primary Health Care (PHC) Remote and therefore has a clear policy and process for storage and documentation of Midazolam, including the transfer of Midazolam into Emergency Kits.

Note: Midazolam may legally be kept in the standardised kits. The legal requirement under the NT [Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act](#) for the accountability and security of a drug safe, only applies to Schedule 8 Medicines. The system of accountability used for RS4 Medicines is a PHC Remote requirement / policy.

The [Fit Kit](#) and [Emergency Outreach Drug Box](#) contents lists provide the stock levels of Midazolam to be held in each standardised emergency kit. The procedure for the stocking Midazolam in the Emergency Kits includes:

- document in the S8 and RS4 Register, the quantity of Midazolam placed in each emergency kit, ie separate entry for Fit Kit – 2 ampoules, and Emergency Outreach Medicines Box - 4 ampoules. See the S8 and RS4 Drug Register example below.
- as the Midazolam is recorded as 'out' in the S8 and RS4 Drug Register, Midazolam placed in emergency kits are no longer included in the medicine count for the Register, however Midazolam held in the emergency kits is to be checked fortnightly according to the required quality assurance checks
- When Midazolam from an emergency kit is used, document the name of the client and the quantity of Midazolam used in the S8 and RS4 Drug Register, and restock the emergency kit with the Midazolam recorded for that client
- In the event there is a discrepancy in the number of Midazolam ampoules in emergency kits (due to broken or missing ampoules), follow the process described in [Schedule 8 and Restricted Schedule 4 Medicines PHC Remote Guideline](#) Section 2.7.3, including completion of an incident report.

Reference: Schedule 8 and Restricted Schedule 4 Drug Register Example PHC Remote [CAHS](#) / [TEHS](#).

DATE	TIME	HRN	Patient's name, supplier or ward borrowing from		PRESCRIBERS NAME	DOSE	NUMBER IN	NUMBER OUT	BALANCE	Signature and name of person accepting delivery or administrating drug		Signature and name of person checking delivery or administrating drug		COMMENTS, INVOICE NUMBER, DISCARD DETAILS (amount and method)
			SURNAME	GIVEN NAME(S)						SIGN	PRINT NAME	SIGN	PRINT NAME	
15.1.2018	0900	Balance brought forward from Book		No.....	Page.....				10	Kay Page	K Page	Brad Hande	B Hande	
16.1.2018	1300		To Emergency Outreach Drug Box				2	8		P Gates	P Gates	B Hande	Brad Hande	
16.1.2018	1300		To Fit kit				2	6		P Gates	P Gates	B Hande	Brad Hande	
17.1.2018	1530	0874126	Day	Brenda	Dr Smithe	5mg	1	5		B Hande	Brad Hande	P Gates	P Gates	Replacing Fit Kit stock
19.1.2018	1245		Received Stock from pharmacy				10	15		Kay Page	K Page	P Gates	P Gates	Ref. 1723

Place in Fit Kit

Place in Emergency Outreach Drug Box