

POISONS AND THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1966

Section 10(4)(d) *Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act 1966*

Authorisation to Supply Restricted Substances

I, Judith Mackson, Chief Pharmacist, NSW Ministry of Health, being a duly appointed delegate of the Director-General, NSW Ministry of Health do hereby issue an authority to the class of persons described in Schedule 1 below, to supply those restricted substances listed in the Schedule 2 below either singularly or in combination, pursuant to clauses 53, 170 and 171 of the *Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Regulation 2008* and subject to the following conditions:

- (1) The restricted substances are obtained only from the State Vaccine Centre, and
- (2) The restricted substances are securely stored at the residential facility in which residential care is provided within the meaning of section 41-3 of the *Aged Care Act 1997* ('Residential Facility') within the temperature range included on the manufacturer's pack, and
- (3) The administration of the restricted substances is only to residents of the Residential Facility, and
- (4) The restricted substances are administered by a registered nurse employed at the Residential Facility, an Authorised Nurse Immuniser, or a registered medical practitioner, and
- (5) An emergency kit containing adrenaline is available at the Residential Facility, and the administration of adrenaline is at all times undertaken in accordance with the procedures specified in the National Health and Medical Research Council's '*The Australian Immunisation Handbook*', as in force from time to time, and
- (6) The administration of the restricted substance and adrenaline by a registered nurse employed at the Residential Facility, other than an Authorised Nurse Immuniser, is in accordance with a written order, signed and dated by a registered medical practitioner, and
- (7) The person who administers the restricted substance or adrenaline records the administration on the patient's medication record.

SCHEDULE 1

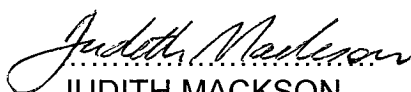
The Manager; or Care Manager; or Director of Nursing; or Nursing Unit Manager or; Operations Manager; or any person assigned with the role of managing a Residential Facility.

SCHEDULE 2

influenza vaccine
pneumococcal vaccine

This authorisation shall remain valid while an officer authorised under this instrument is employed in the position described in Schedule 1 or until earlier revoked.

4 February 2014
Date


JUDITH MACKSON
Chief Pharmacist
Delegate of the Director-General

Delegation: (PH427)