
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2005 No. 564

The Misuse of Drugs and the Misuse of
Drugs (Notification of and Supply to Addicts)
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005

Amendment of the Misuse of Drugs Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

6. After regulation 6A there shall be inserted—

“Authority for Extended Formulary Nurse Prescribers to prescribe

6B. An extended formulary nurse prescriber may only prescribe—

- (a) diamorphine, diazepam, lorazepam, midazolam, morphine or oxycodone for use in palliative care;
- (b) buprenorphine or fentanyl for transdermal use in palliative care;
- (c) diamorphine or morphine for pain relief in respect of suspected myocardial infarction or for relief of acute or severe pain after trauma including in either case post-operative pain relief;
- (d) chlordiazepoxide hydrochloride or diazepam for treatment of initial or acute withdrawal symptoms caused by the withdrawal of alcohol from persons habituated to it;
- (e) codeine phosphate, dihydrocodeine tartrate or co-phenotrope.”.