

# SPL Data Challenges with Medication Guide Extraction and Data Mining

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# Objectives

- **Learn about Medication Guides sourced from FDA Structured Product Labeling (SPL)**
- Discuss issues regarding incorrect SPL Section LOINC codification or missing Medication Guides
- Review issues with bulleted lists and formatting of content
- Review Feedback to the FDA
- Discuss the benefits of SPL and the importance of careful coding and content review

# My Background and AHFS Drug Information

- Pharmacist and Clinical Informaticist
- Early 2000's – Converted *AHFS Patient Medication Information* (PMI) and the *Handbook on Injectable Drugs* from text files to eXtensible Markup Language (XML)
- 2005 – 1<sup>ST</sup> SPL released on DailyMed (XML format)
- 2005 – Internal mapping for internal drug information updating via extracting SPL NDC and Product Information
- 2010 – Client need for Medication Guides
  - Familiar with SPL at DailyMed
  - Suitable format to extract Medication Guides for XML and PDF generation

# Raise your hand if you have ever bought a piece of furniture to put together?

- Have you ever been at the end and are missing a bolt, screw, washer?
- Had mislabeled pieces?
- Had missing pieces?

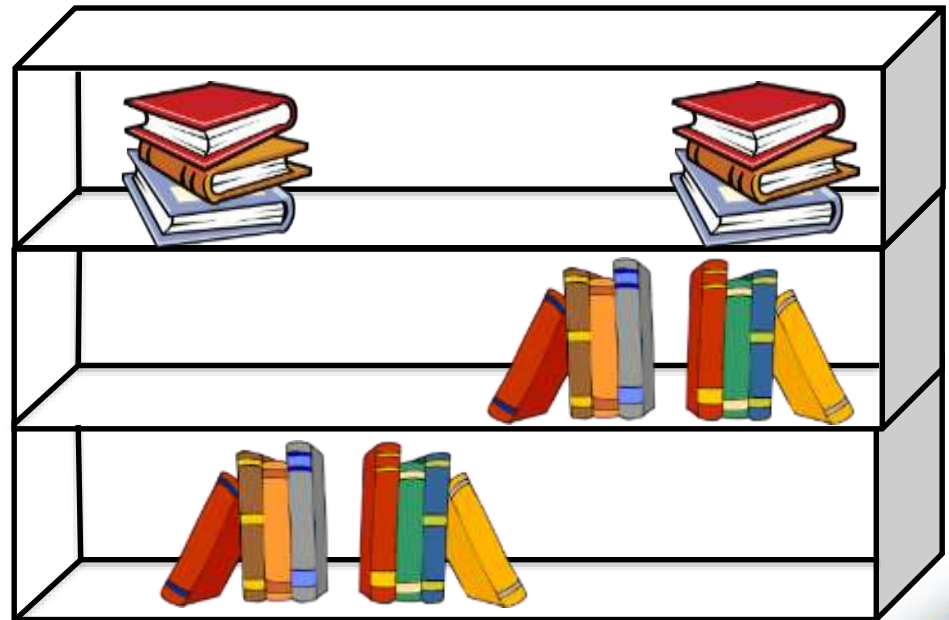


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X 30 (only 29 included)

Part B

X 4 (only 3 included)



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# Structured Product Labeling

- Remember the frustration of missing an item or a mislabeled piece?
- Contains important clinical information that a healthcare provider and patient needs to know
- Content that needs to be updated and correct for public consumption
- Importance of current and correctly codified SPL

# FDA Medication Guide Website

<https://www.fda.gov/Drugs/DrugSafety/ucm085729.htm>

## Medication Guides

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- **Need for PDF and XML version of Medication Guides**
- **Process that fits into pharmacy and clinician workflow**
- **Linking to NDCs**

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# DailyMed Hosted by the NLM

<https://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov/>



## NLM SPL RESOURCES

The following Structured Product Labeling (SPL) resources have been created to assist industry professionals.

### Download Data



[All Drug Labels](#)

[All Indexing & REMS Files](#)

[All Mapping Files](#)

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- Allows for process that fits into clinician workflow
- Allows extraction and linking to NDC codes

## NEWS

### DailyMed Announcements

Posted: October 06, 2017

#### Drug Listing Certification is Coming

Slides and recordings from the FDA's October 5, 2017 meeting titled Electronic Drug Registration & Listing Using CDER Direct are now available.

<http://nlm.events.com/edrlis-2017/>

### MORE INFO

#### Get RSS News & Updates



The DailyMed RSS feed provides updates and information about new drug labels approved by the FDA and published on NLM's DailyMed Web site.

## ABOUT DAILYMED

DailyMed provides trustworthy information about marketed drugs in the United States. DailyMed is the official provider of FDA label information (package inserts). This Web site provides a standard, comprehensive, up-to-date, look-up and download resource of medication content and labeling found in medication package inserts.

The National Library of Medicine (NLM) provides this as a public service and does not accept advertisements. The drug listing

## FDA GUIDANCES & INFORMATION

### Drug Guidance, Compliance & Regulatory Information



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### SPL Image Guidelines



Guidelines for SPL image files of oral solid dosage forms that are submitted to the FDA with SPL documents.

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Stay informed through recent SPL related articles, online workshops, presentations and more.

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### Resources to Get the Most Out of DailyMed



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# Background

- Utilize basic programming languages and technology to mine Structured Product Labeling (SPL) data from DailyMed
- Incorporation of extracted SPL data into database tables
- Mine the extracted SPL data for updating internal databases
- Computer “looks” for coded SPL sections
  - Correct codification is VERY IMPORTANT (LOINC Section Codes)
- Generation of Medication Guide documents mapped to NDCs extracted from SPL

# Medication Guides Sourced from SPL by the Numbers

- Weekly provision of SPL Medication Guides since 2010 to a client

Year	Medication Guides	Mapped NDCs
2010	> 900 documents	> 5,300
2017	> 6800 documents	> 28,000

- SPL Medication Guide code *Missing/Miscoded* or content needs to be included within the SPL
  - Majority are Repackagers and Relabelers

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# LOINC Codes

- Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes (LOINC)
- Universal code to identify medical terminology
- Section heading LOINC codes provide automation in matching section title with content

<https://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/ucm162057.htm>

# LOINC Codes for Sections/Subsections that Only Appear in Non-PLR Format

Part of Labeling	LOINC Code
WARNINGS SECTION	34071-1
PRECAUTIONS SECTION	42232-9
GENERAL PRECAUTIONS SECTION	34072-9
INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS SECTION	34076-0
LABORATORY TESTS SECTION	34075-2
DRUG & OR LABORATORY TEST INTERACTIONS SECTION	34074-5
HOW SUPPLIED SECTION	34069-5



# No LOINC Codes for Several Popular Subsections/Sections (PLR format)

Section/ Subsection	Part of Labeling	LOINC Code
<b>PRESCRIBING INFORMATION (PLR format)</b>		
<b>6</b>	<b>ADVERSE REACTIONS section</b>	34084-4
<b>6.1</b>	<b>Clinical Trials Experience subsection</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>6.2</b>	<b>Immunogenicity subsection</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>6.2 or 6.3</b>	<b>Postmarketing Experience subsection</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS section</b>	43684-0
<b>8.6, 8.7 or 8.8</b>	<b>Renal Impairment subsection</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>8.6, 8.7 or 8.8</b>	<b>Hepatic Impairment subsection</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING section</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION section</b>	<b>No LOINC Code</b>
<b>LABELING PART NOT CLASSIFIED</b>		
<b>N/A</b>	<b>SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION</b>	42229-5

# What LOINC Code Do You Use for Patient Counseling Information Section?

Part of Labeling	LOINC Code
<b>PATIENT LABELING</b>	
INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE SECTION	59845-8
SPL MEDGUIDE SECTION	42231-1
SPL PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT SECTION	42230-3
PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION SECTION	68498-5
<b>PRESCRIBING INFORMATION</b>	
Patient Counseling Information	No LOINC Code
<b>LABELING PART NOT CLASSIFIED</b>	
SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION	42229-5





# LOINC Codes Options for Patient Labeling

Choose “SPL MEDGUIDE” LOINC Code for Medication Guides  
(do not choose “SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION”)

Part of Labeling	LONIC Code
<b>PATIENT LABELING</b>	
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# Section Heading LOINC Codes

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42231-1

SPL MEDGUIDE SECTION

(MEDICATION GUIDE)

*Has been coded as:*

42229-5

SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION

68498-5

PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION SECTION

34076-0

INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS SECTION

34069-5

HOW SUPPLIED SECTION

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42230-3

SPL PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT SECTION

34067-9

INDICATIONS & USAGE SECTION

34068-7

DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION SECTION

34073-7

DRUG INTERACTIONS SECTION

34082-8

GERIATRIC USE SECTION



# Medication Guide coded as 42231-1 Generates DailyMed Hyperlink...

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**DRUG LABEL INFORMATION** Updated August 31, 2017

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VIEW ALL SECTIONS

DailyMed - CHLORDIAZEPO x Chlordiazepoxide Hydrochloride x +

https://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov/dailymed/

**CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE HYDROCHLORIDE- chlordiazepoxide hydrochloride capsule, gelatin coated**

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This Medication Guide has been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Issued: 8/2016

Revised: 8/2017

**Medication Guide content is MISSING**

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(non-PLR format)

# Coded as having a Medication Guide

[CLOSE](#)

Contains LOINC code = 42231-1



## MEDICATION GUIDE

But... Medication Guide content is MISSING

This Medication Guide has been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Issued: 8/2016

[CLOSE](#)



## PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 10 MG

R<sub>x</sub> only

Chlordiazepoxide Hydrochloride USP CIV

10 mg 30 Capsules

Each capsule contains 10 mg of chlordiazepoxide hydrochloride USP.

See enclosed package insert for dosage information.

Keep this and all drugs out of reach of children.

Store at 25° C (77° F); excursions permitted to 15-30° C (59-86° F)

Dispense in a tight, light-resistant container, with a child resistant closure, as defined in USP/NF.

(non-PLR format)

# Coded as having a Medication Guide (...but Content is Missing)

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← RECENTLY updated

(non-PLR format)

# Not Coded for Required Medication Guide and Content Missing

**LABEL:** risedronate sodium tablet, film coated

LABEL RSS SHARE

Category: HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL  
DEA Schedule: None  
Marketing Status: New Drug Application

**DRUG LABEL INFORMATION** Updated March 24, 2010

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No Hyperlink to indicate Medication Guide  
*DOES NOT* Contain LOINC code = 42231-1  
Medication Guide content is MISSING

(PLR format)

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# Not Coded for Required Medication Guide and Content is Missing

## + 14 CLINICAL STUDIES

14.1 Treatment of Osteoporosis in Postmenopausal Women - The fracture efficacy ..... mg  
daily in the treatment of postmenopausal osteoporosis was demonstrated ...

## 16 HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING

..... is available as follows: mg film-coated, ..... mg  
on the other.

## 17 PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION

[See FDA-Approved Patient Labeling (17.1)] The patient should be informed to pay particular attention on  
to the dosing instructions as clinical benefits may be compromised by failure to ...

## PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT

Patient Information - ..... (risedronate sodium) tablets mg,  
..... (risedronate sodium) tablets ..... (risedronate sodium) tablets ...

## PACKAGE LABEL PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 5 MG LABEL



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(risedronate sodium) [2015 version]

- Accutane (isotretinoin) [2010 version]
- Ademira (tocilizumab) [8/2017 version]
- Actiq (fentanyl citrate) [2015 version]
- Actonel (risedronate sodium) [2015 version]
- Actonel with Calcium (risedronate sodium and calcium carbonate) [2015 version]
- Actoplus Met (metformin hydrochloride and pioglitazone hydrochloride) [2014 version]
- Actoplus Met XR (metformin hydrochloride and pioglitazone hydrochloride) [2015 version]
- Actos (pioglitazone hydrochloride) [2016 version]
- Adasuve (loxapine) [2016 version]
- Adderall (Dextroamphetamine Saccharate, Amphetamine Aspartate, Dextroamphetamine Sulfate and Amphetamine

- resina (gabapentin) [4/2010 version]
- Neurontin (gabapentin) [9/2015 version]
- Nexium (esomeprazole magnesium) [3/2014 version]
- Nizoral (ketoconazole) [2014 version]
- Noctiva (desmopressin acetate) [3/2017 version]
- Nolvadex (tamoxifen) [2006 version]
- Noroxin (norfloxacin) [2016 version]
- Norpramin (desipramine hydrochloride) [2014 version]
- Novantrone (mitoxantrone) [2012 version]
- Nplate\* (romiplostim) [4/2016 version]
- NSAID (Nonsteroidal Anti-inflammatory Drugs) [3/2017 version]
- Nucynta (buprenorphine hydrochloride) [11/2016 version]

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# Medication Guide Included, but coded as 42229-5 - “SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION”

OXYCODONE HYDROCHLORIDE- oxycodone hydrochloride tablet

LABEL RSS



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PACKAGE PHOTOS

MORE

Warnings

Adverse Events

Safety Recalls

Use in Breast Milk

Category: HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL

DEA Schedule: CII

Marketing Status: Abbreviated New Drug Application

## DRUG LABEL INFORMATION

Updated July 13, 2017

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BOXED WARNING [\(WHAT IS THIS?\)](#)

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# Medication Guide Included, but coded as 42229-5 - “SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION”

➔ SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION

## Medication Guide

Oxycodone Hydrochloride Tablets USP, CII

(ox" i koe' done hye" droe klor' ide)

### Oxycodone hydrochloride tablets are:

- A strong prescription pain medicine that contains an opioid (narcotic) that is used to manage pain severe enough to require an opioid pain medicine, when other pain treatments such as non-opioid pain medicines do not treat your pain well enough or you cannot tolerate them.
- An opioid pain medicine that can put you at risk for overdose and death. Even if you take your dose correctly as prescribed you are at risk for opioid addiction, abuse, and misuse that can lead to death.

# Medication Guide Included, but coded as 42229-5 - "SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION"

Should be 42231-1

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# Coded as 68498-5 - “PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION SECTION”

**LABEL: OXYCODONE AND ACETAMINOPHEN- oxycodone and acetaminophen tablet**

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VIEW MORE

**SAFETY**

Boxed Warnings

Report Adverse Events

NDC Code  
Packager:  
Category: HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL  
DEA Schedule: CII  
Marketing Status: Abbreviated New Drug Application

**DRUG LABEL INFORMATION**

Updated January 17, 2012

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(non-PLR format) (*Medication Guide*)





# Coded as 68498-5 - “PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION SECTION”

[CLOSE](#)



## PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION

### Medication Guide

Oxycodone Hydrochloride (ox\* i koe' done hye' droe klor' ide) and Acetaminophen (a seet\* a min' oh fen)

Tablets, CII

**Oxycodone Hydrochloride and Acetaminophen Tablets are:**

- A strong prescription pain medicine that contains an opioid (narcotic) that is used to manage pain, severe enough to require an opioid analgesic and for which alternative treatments are inadequate and when other pain treatments such as non-opioid pain medicines do not treat your pain well enough or you cannot tolerate them.
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**Important information about Oxycodone Hydrochloride and Acetaminophen Tablets:**

- **Get emergency help right away if you take too much Oxycodone Hydrochloride and Acetaminophen Tablets.**

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# Coded as 68498-5 - "PATIENT MEDICATION INFORMATION SECTION"

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# Medication Guide Coded as 34076-0 – “INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS”

**LABEL:** LEVETIRACETAM- levetiracetam solution

LABEL RSS  SHARE    

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## SAFETY

[Report Adverse Events](#)

[FDA Safety Recalls](#)

[Presence in Breast Milk](#)

**Category:** HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL

**DEA Schedule:** None

**Marketing Status:** Abbreviated New Drug Application

## DRUG LABEL INFORMATION

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# Coded as 34076-0 - “INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS” Buried within this Section of SPL

## 17 PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION

Advise the patient to read the FDA-approved patient labeling (Medication Guide).

### Suicidal Behavior and Ideation

Counsel patients, their caregivers, and/or families that antiepileptic drugs (AEDs), including levetiracetam, may increase the risk of suicidal thoughts and behavior and advise patients to be alert for the emergence or worsening of symptoms of depression; unusual changes in mood or behavior; or suicidal thoughts, behavior, or thoughts about self-harm. Advise patients, their caregivers, and/or families to immediately report behaviors of concern to a healthcare provider.

### Psychiatric Reactions and Changes in Behavior

Advise patients that levetiracetam may cause changes in behavior (e.g. aggression, agitation, anger, anxiety, apathy, depression, hostility, and irritability) and psychotic symptoms.

### Effects on Driving or Operating Machinery

Inform patients that levetiracetam may cause dizziness and somnolence. Inform patients not to drive or operate machinery until they have gained sufficient experience on levetiracetam to gauge whether it adversely affects their ability to drive or operate machinery.

### Dermatological Adverse Reactions

Advise patients that serious dermatological adverse reactions have occurred in patients treated with levetiracetam and instruct them to call their physician immediately if a rash develops.

### Pregnancy

Advise patients to notify their healthcare provider if they become pregnant or intend to become pregnant during levetiracetam therapy. Encourage patients to enroll in the North American Antiepileptic Drug (NAAED) pregnancy registry if they become pregnant. This registry is collecting

## MEDICATION GUIDE

### Levetiracetam Oral Solution

(lee' va tye ra'se tam)

Read this Medication Guide before you start taking levetiracetam oral solution and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This information does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment.

What is the most important information I should know about levetiracetam oral solution?

Like other antiepileptic drugs, levetiracetam oral solution may cause suicidal thoughts or actions

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# Coded as 34076-0 – “INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS” Buried within this Section of SPL

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(PLR format)



# Coded as 34069-5 – “HOW SUPPLIED SECTION” Buried within this Section of SPL

**LABEL: METHYLPHENIDATE HYDROCHLORIDE - methylphenidate hydrochloride tablet**

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**NDC Code(s)**  
**Packager:**

**Category:** HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL  
**DEA Schedule:** CII  
**Marketing Status:** Abbreviated New Drug Application

**DRUG LABEL INFORMATION**  
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Updated February 1, 2010

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No Hyperlink to indicate Medication Guide

Because it contains LOINC code = 34069-5 (*How Supplied Section*), instead of code = 42231-1 (*Medication Guide*)

(non-PLR format)



# Coded as 34069-5 – “HOW SUPPLIED SECTION”

## Buried within this Section of SPL

### HOW SUPPLIED

(Methylphenidate Hydrochloride 10 mg Tablets USP) are available as follows:

Protect from light.

Dispense in a tight, light-resistant container, as defined in the USP, with a child-resistant closure.

**Storage:** Store at 20° to 25°C (68° to 77°F) [see USP Controlled Room Temperature.

Protect from moisture.

Do not store above 30°C (86°F).

Manufactured By:

Distributed By:

### MEDICATION GUIDE CII

(methylphenidate HCl tablets USP)

methylphenidate HCl extended-release tablets USP

Read the Medication Guide that comes with and : before you or your child starts taking it and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This Medication Guide does not take the place of talking to your doctor about your or your child's treatment with and

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(non-PLR format)

# Coded as 34069-5 – “HOW SUPPLIED SECTION” Buried within this Section of SPL

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(methylphenidate HCl extended-release tablets USP)</content>
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  <paragraph>Read the Medication Guide that comes with -----
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# Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs)

## Medication Guide Coded as 34069-5 – “HOW SUPPLIED SECTION”

### HOW SUPPLIED

Indomethacin capsules are supplied containing 25 mg or 50 mg of indomethacin, USP.

The 25mg capsule is a hard-shell gelatin capsule with an  
debossed with on both the body and cap. They are supplied in bottles of 15 and 30 as follows:

Store at 20° to 25°C (68° to 77°F). [See USP Controlled Room Temperature].

Protect from light.

**Rx Only**

Dispense in a tight, light-resistant container as defined in the USP using a child-resistant closure.

PHARMACIST: Dispense a Medication Guide with each prescription.

Manufactured for:

Manufactured by:

Repackaged by:

### Medication Guide for Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs)

(See the end of this Medication Guide for a list of prescription NSAID medicines.)

What is the most important information I should know about medicines called non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs)?

NSAID medicines may increase the chance of a heart attack or stroke that can lead to death. This chance increases:

(non-PLR format)

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# Objectives

- Learn about Medication Guides sourced from FDA Structured Product Labeling (SPL)
- Discuss issues regarding incorrect SPL Section LOINC codification or missing Medication Guides
- **Review issues with bulleted lists and formatting of content**
- Review feedback to the FDA
- Discuss the benefits of SPL and the importance of careful coding and content review

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Correctly coded <title>:

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# Forced Bulleted Lists

**Gabapentin can cause serious side effects including:**

**1. Suicidal Thoughts.** Like other antiepileptic drugs, gabapentin may cause suicidal thoughts or actions in a very small number of people, about 1 in 500.

**Call a healthcare provider right away if you have any of these symptoms, especially if they are new, worse, or worry you:**

- thoughts about suicide or dying
- attempts to commit suicide
- new or worse depression
- new or worse anxiety
- feeling agitated or restless
- panic attacks

# Correctly Coded Bulleted List

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    .....
  </list>
```

# Poorly Formatted Table and Bulleted Lists

- if you are pregnant. **NSAID medicines should not be used by pregnant women late in their pregnancy.**
- if you are breastfeeding. **Talk to your doctor.**

**What are the possible side effects of Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs)?**

Serious side effects include:		Other side effects include:	
•	heart attack	•	stomach pain
•	stroke	•	constipation
•	high blood pressure	•	diarrhea
•	heart failure from body swelling (fluid retention)	•	gas
•	kidney problems including kidney failure	•	heartburn
•	bleeding and ulcers in the stomach and intestine	•	nausea
•	low red blood cells (anemia)	•	vomiting
•	life-threatening skin reactions	•	dizziness
•	life-threatening allergic reactions		
•	liver problems including liver failure		
•	asthma attacks in people who have asthma		

**Get emergency help right away if you have any of the following symptoms:**

- shortness of breath or trouble breathing

# Poorly Reviewed Blank Space in Content

**MEDICATION GUIDE**

Aripiprazole Tablets

(air-eh-PIP-rah-zole)

Read this Medication Guide before you start taking aripiprazole tablets and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This Medication Guide does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment.

What is the most important information I should know about aripiprazole tablets?

(For other side effects, also see "What are the possible side effects of aripiprazole tablets?").

Serious side effects may happen when you take aripiprazole tablets, including:

- Increased risk of death in elderly patients with dementia-related psychosis:

- Extra line breaks  
<br/> in content
- Causes printing issues
- Difficult to comprehend the content

# Poorly Reviewed Extra Line Breaks <br/> within Content

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# Poorly Reviewed Extra Line Breaks <br/> within Content



## Medication Guide

### Fluoxetine Capsules, USP

(floo-ox-e-teen)

Read the Medication Guide that comes with fluoxetine capsules before you start taking it and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This Medication Guide does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment. Talk with your healthcare provider if there is something you do not understand or want to learn more about.

#### What is the most important information I should know about fluoxetine capsules?

Fluoxetine capsules and other antidepressant medicines may cause serious side effects, including:

##### 1. Suicidal thoughts or actions:

• Fluoxetine capsules and other antidepressant medicines may increase suicidal thoughts or actions in some children, teenagers, or young adults within the first few months of treatment or when the dose is changed.

# Poorly Reviewed Extra Line Breaks <br/> within Content

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# Text Overlay Display Issue and Confusing Bullets

## Medication Guide

### Oxycodone Hydrochloride (ox'' i koe' done hye'' droe klor' ide) Tablets USP, CII

#### Oxycodone hydrochloride tablets are:

- A strong prescription pain medicine that contains an opioid (narcotic) that is used to manage pain severe enough to require
- An opioid pain medicine that can put you at risk for overdose and death. Even if you take your dose correctly as prescribed

#### Important information about oxycodone hydrochloride tablets:

- **Get emergency help right away if you take too much oxycodone hydrochloride tablets (overdose).** When you first start taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets, lead to death may occur.
- Taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets with other opioid medicines, benzodiazepines, alcohol, or other central nervous system depressants can increase the risk of overdose and death.
- Never give anyone else your oxycodone hydrochloride tablets. They could die from taking it. Store oxycodone hydrochloride tablets safely.

#### Do not take oxycodone hydrochloride tablets if you have:

- severe asthma, trouble breathing, or other lung problems.
- a bowel blockage or have narrowing of the stomach or intestines.
- allergy to oxycodone.

#### Before taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets, tell your healthcare provider if you have a history of:

- head injury, seizures • liver, kidney, thyroid problems
- problems urinating • pancreas or gallbladder problems
- use of alcohol, sedatives, or other drugs, alcohol addiction, or mental health problems
- **pregnant or planning to become pregnant.** Prolonged use of oxycodone hydrochloride tablets during pregnancy can cause harm to your unborn child.
- **breastfeeding.** Oxycodone hydrochloride tablets pass into breast milk and may harm your baby.
- taking prescription or over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, or herbal supplements. Taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets with certain medicines can cause dangerous interactions.

#### When taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets:

- Do not change your dose. Take oxycodone hydrochloride tablets exactly as prescribed by your healthcare provider. Use the lowest effective dose for the shortest duration possible.
- Take your prescribed dose every 4 to 6 hours. Do not take more than your prescribed dose. If you miss a dose, take your next dose at the next scheduled time. Do not double the dose.
- Call your healthcare provider if the dose you are taking does not control your pain.
- If you have been taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets regularly, do not stop taking oxycodone hydrochloride tablets without your healthcare provider's advice. Stopping suddenly can cause withdrawal symptoms.

# Coding as a Caption and List Item

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# Use Specific SPL LOINC Section Codes Whenever Available Instead of 42229-5 - "SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION"

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# Section Heading LOINC Codes

<https://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/ucm162057.htm>

42231-1	SPL MEDGUIDE SECTION	(MEDICATION GUIDE)
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34069-5	HOW SUPPLIED SECTION
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34076-0	INFORMATION FOR PATIENTS SECTION
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59845-8	INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE SECTION
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42229-5	SPL UNCLASSIFIED SECTION
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42230-3	SPL PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT SECTION
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34067-9	INDICATIONS & USAGE SECTION
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34068-7	DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION SECTION
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34073-7	DRUG INTERACTIONS SECTION
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34082-8	GERIATRIC USE SECTION
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# Drug Interactions Listed Under Precautions

## PRECAUTIONS

### General

The possibility of suicide is inherent in any severely depressed patient and persists until a significant remission occurs. When a patient with a serious suicidal potential is not hospitalized, the prescription should be for the smallest amount feasible.

In schizophrenic patients activation of the psychosis may occur and require reduction of dosage or the addition of a major tranquilizer to the therapeutic regimen.

Manic or hypomanic episodes may occur in some patients, in particular those with cyclic-type disorders. In some cases therapy with \_\_\_\_\_ must be discontinued until the episode is relieved, after which therapy may be reinstituted at lower dosages if still required.

Concurrent administration of \_\_\_\_\_ and electroshock therapy may increase the hazards of therapy. Such treatment should be limited to those patients for whom it is essential. When possible, discontinue the drug for several days prior to elective surgery.

\_\_\_\_\_ should be used with caution in patients with impaired liver function.

Chronic animal studies showed occasional occurrence of hepatic congestion, fatty infiltration, or increased serum liver enzymes at the highest dose of 60 mg/kg/day.

Both elevation and lowering of blood sugar have been reported with tricyclic antidepressants.



# Uncoded Drug Interactions subsection under Precautions

## Drug Interactions

### *Cimetidine*

There is evidence that cimetidine inhibits the elimination of tricyclic antidepressants. Downward adjustment of dosage may be required if cimetidine therapy is initiated; upward adjustment if cimetidine therapy is discontinued.

### *Alcohol*

Patients should be warned that the concomitant use of alcoholic beverages may be associated with exaggerated effects.

### *Catecholamines/Anticholinergics*

It has been reported that tricyclic antidepressants can potentiate the effects of catecholamines. Similarly, atropine-like effects may be more pronounced in patients receiving anticholinergic therapy. Therefore, particular care should be exercised when it is necessary to administer tricyclic antidepressants with sympathomimetic amines, local decongestants, local anesthetics containing epinephrine, atropine or drugs with an anticholinergic effect. In resistant cases of depression in adults, a dose of 2.5 mg/kg/day may have to be exceeded. If a higher dose is needed, ECG monitoring should be maintained during the initiation of therapy and at appropriate intervals during stabilization of dose.

### *Drugs Metabolized by P450 2D6*

# Drug Interactions Coded as 42229-5 - “SPL Unclassified Section”

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# Geriatric Use Coded as 34082-8 - “Geriatric Use Section” (same SPL)

## Geriatric Use

Clinical studies of subjects aged 65 and over were not adequate to determine whether subjects respond differently from younger subjects.

The pharmacokinetics of were not substantially altered in the elderly (see [CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY](#)).

is known to be substantially excreted by the kidney. Clinical circumstances, some of which may be more common in the elderly such as hepatic or renal impairment, should be considered.

(non-PLR format)



# Geriatric Use Coded as 34082-8 - “Geriatric Use Section” (same SPL)

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(non-PLR format)



# Drug Interactions Coded as 34073-7 – “Drug Interactions Section” (different SPL)

## 7 DRUG INTERACTIONS

### 7.1 Central Nervous System Depressants

The concomitant use of fentanyl transdermal system with other CNS depressants, including sedatives, hypnotics, tranquilizers, general anesthetics, phenothiazines, other opioids, and alcohol, can increase the risk of respiratory depression, profound sedation, coma and death. Monitor patients receiving CNS depressants and fentanyl transdermal system for signs of respiratory depression, sedation and hypotension.

When combined therapy with any of the above medications is considered, the dose of one or both agents should be reduced [*see Dosage and Administration (2.2) and Warnings and Precautions (5.5)*].

### 7.2 Drugs Affecting Cytochrome P450 3A4 Isoenzymes

#### Inhibitors of CYP3A4

Because the CYP3A4 isoenzyme plays a major role in the metabolism of fentanyl, drugs that inhibit CYP3A4 activity may cause decreased clearance of fentanyl which could lead to an increase in fentanyl

# Drug Interactions Coded as 34073-7 – “Drug Interactions Section” (different SPL)

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(PLR format)



# Kit Products with Incomplete SPLs

**LABEL** diclofenac sodium, capsaicin

LABEL RSS SHARE

VIEW PACKAGE PHOTOS

**SAFETY**

- Report Adverse Events
- FDA Safety Recalls
- Presence in Breast Milk

**RELATED RESOURCES**



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- Clinical Trials
- + PubMed
- Biochemical Data Summary

**MORE INFO FOR THIS DRUG**

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- RxNorm
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**VIEW ALL SECTIONS**

- + PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT**  
DICLOFENAC SODIUM- diclofenac sodium solution  
HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION - These highlights do not include all the information ...
- + STORAGE AND HANDLING**  
Keep away from heat and flame. Store at 20C to 25C (68 to 77F). (See USP - Controlled Room Temperature)
- + WARNINGS**  
Keep this and all medication out of reach of children.
- + QUESTIONS**
- INGREDIENTS AND APPEARANCE**

diclofenac sodium, capsaicin kit

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(non-PLR format)



# Reuse of ANDA Packaged with Another Product



(non-PLR format)

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# Reuse of ANDA Packaged with Another Product

Drugs@FDA <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/daf/index.cfm>

CSV Excel Print

Drug Name ▲	Active Ingredients ▲	Strength ▲	Dosage Form/Route ▲	Marketing Status ▲	TE Code
DICLOFENAC SODIUM	DICLOFENAC SODIUM	1.5%	SOLUTION;TOPICAL	Prescription	AT

Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries

Approval Date(s) and History, Letters, Labels, Reviews for

Therapeutic Equivalents for ANDA :

DICLOFENAC SODIUM

SOLUTION;TOPICAL; 1.5%

TE Code = AT

CSV Excel Print

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# Virtually Empty SPLs

Category: [HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABEL](#)  
DEA Schedule: CII  
Marketing Status: unapproved drug other

DISCLAIMER: This drug has not been found by FDA to be safe and effective, and this labeling has not been approved by FDA. [For further information about unapproved drugs, click here.](#)

**DRUG LABEL INFORMATION** Updated April 9, 2014

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☯ LABEL

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**fentaNYL Citrate 10 mcg/mL**  
**in 0.9% Sodium Chloride 60 mL\* Bag**  
**10 mcg/mL Total Dose: (0.6 mg/60 mL)**

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**BUD: Lot: xxxxx Rx Only**

**Store at Room Temperature. Eq. to Base.**  
**Preservative Free. Protect from Light.**  
**Single-Dose Bag. For Slow IV or Epidural Use.**

\* Prefilled  
50 mL Bag  
with 60 mL  
Total Volume  
**60 mL\***

**C-II**

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☯ INGREDIENTS AND APPEARANCE

**FENTANYL CITRATE**  
fentanyl citrate injection, solution

PRODUCT INFORMATION		
Product Type	HUMAN PRESCRIPTION DRUG	Item Code (Source)

**Question #1: Which additional LOINC Names (and Codes) for PLR format subsections should be added? (can select one or more)**

- 1) Hepatic Impairment subsection**
- 2) Renal Impairment subsection**
- 3) Postmarketing Experience subsection**
- 4) Immunogenicity subsection**
- 5) Clinical Trials Experience subsection**
- 6) All**
- 7) None**

# LOINC Codes for Sections/Subsections that are Common to PLR and non-PLR Format

Would it be helpful to distinguish between PLR sections/subsections from non-PLR subsections/sections (e.g., PLR DRUG INTERACTIONS section vs. non-PLR Drug Interactions subsection in PRECAUTIONS section)?

Part of Labeling	LOINC Code
BOXED WARNING SECTION	34066-1
DESCRIPTION SECTION	34089-3
CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY SECTION	34090-1
INDICATIONS & USAGE SECTION	34067-9
CONTRAINDICATIONS SECTION	34070-3
DRUG INTERACTIONS SECTION	34073-7
CARCINOGENESIS & MUTAGENESIS & IMPAIRMENT OF FERTILITY SECTION	34083-6
PREGNANCY SECTION	42228-7
LABOR & DELIVERY SECTION	34079-4
NURSING MOTHERS SECTION	34080-2
PEDIATRIC USE SECTION	34081-0
GERIATRIC USE SECTION	34082-8
ADVERSE REACTIONS SECTION	34084-4
DRUG ABUSE AND DEPENDENCE SECTION	42227-9
OVERDOSAGE SECTION	34088-5
DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION SECTION	34068-7

**Question #2: Would it be helpful for the LOINC Names to state whether or not the section/subsection is in PLR and/or non-PLR format?**

**For example:**

**“PLR format/Non-PLR format: Drug Interactions”**

**“Non-PLR format: How Supplied section”**

**“PLR format: Warnings and Precautions section”**

**1) Yes**

**2) No**

# Objectives

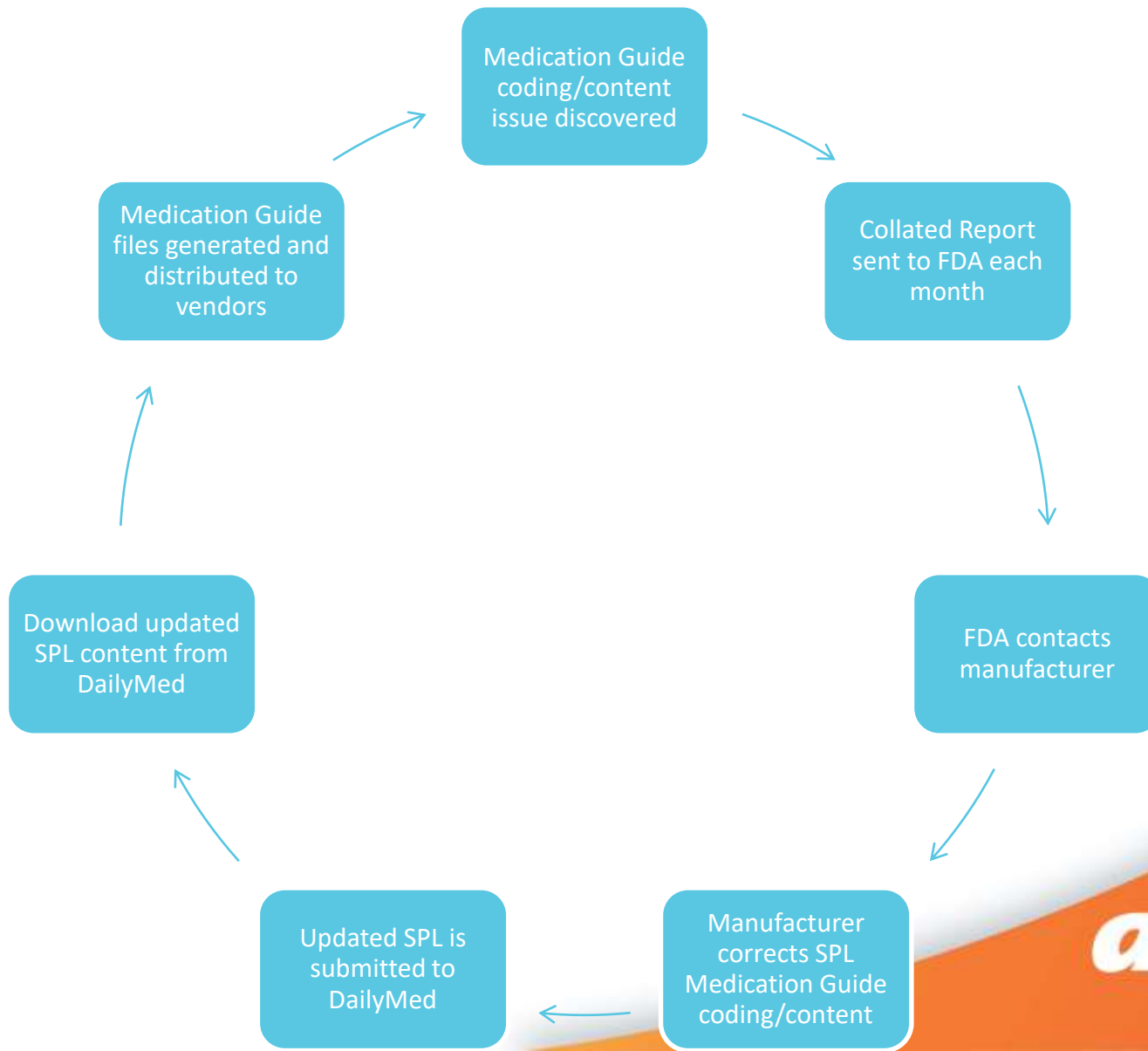
- Learn about Medication Guides sourced from FDA Structured Product Labeling (SPL)
- Discuss issues regarding incorrect SPL Section LOINC codification or missing Medication Guides
- Review issues with bulleted lists and formatting of content
- **Review feedback to the FDA**
- Discuss the benefits of SPL and the importance of careful coding and content review



# Feedback to FDA and Progress

- Reporting SPL issues to the FDA since 2010
- Over 600 Medication Guides have been updated or corrected as manufacturers update content
- Over the past year we have been reporting SPL issues bimonthly to the FDA
- Progress has been made, but continue to find issues with data integrity and incorrect coding
  - Most often Repackagers and Relabelers

# Feedback Process to FDA



# Good News! Delisting of Outdated SPLs

New! 21 CFR 207 published August 2016 and implemented November 2016.

***21 CFR 207.57 (b)(2)** For each listed drug, certify that no changes subject to reporting under paragraph (b)(1)(iv) of this section have occurred **if no such changes have occurred since the last review and update.** If a drug is discontinued and FDA has received the information required under paragraph (b)(1)(ii) of this section, no further certifications are necessary for the discontinued drug. After initial electronic listing, registrants may satisfy the listing update requirement with respect to unchanged listing information by making a single “no changes” certification during the annual registration update under §207.29(b) applicable to all of the registrant's listed drugs for which no changes have been made since the previous annual registration update.*

Beginning in 2017, there is now an annual requirement to update listing or certify that no changes have occurred.

This could help with valid SPL data.



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# Benefits of Carefully Codified SPL Sections

- **Correctly codified SPLs:**
  - Increases SPL reliability
  - Increases confidence in SPL
  - Drives more users to adopt SPL
  - Provides more feedback (crowd review) and usage of SPL with regard to clinical content
  - Allows for richer data mining and dissemination of clinical information

# Benefits of Carefully Codified SPL Sections

- **REMS SPL will be a driving force for future SPL usage**
- **Goal of all clinically important content to safely prescribe, dispense, and administer a medication in one easily discoverable location**
  - SPL MedWatch
    - Recalls
    - Alerts
    - Drug Shortage Information
  - SPL Warning Letters
  - SPL Indexing of Content

# Summary

- Missing or incorrect coding is mainly an issue with Repackagers and Relabelers
- Codification of SPL is JUST as important as the content of labeling
- In some instances, codification is more useful than the PDF of labeling for data mining purposes
- Review all SPL content as carefully as PDFs and documents available at Drugs@FDA



# Summary

- **Ensure all sections are coded as specifically as allowed by the SPL Guidance documents**
  - Refer to SPL Section Headings (LOINC)
  - <https://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/ucm162057.htm>
- **Ensure a clinician is reviewing the SPL for errors**
- **Ensure a technical person who understands SPL and eXtensible Markup Language (XML) reviews**
- **Review your SPLs at DailyMed: <https://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov>**
- **Update, Update, Update**
  - No less frequently than submission to the Drugs@FDA website and corporate website

Thank you!  
Questions?

