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Order approved radioactive medicinal products



Overview

This standard relates to the process of ordering approved radioactive medicinal products.

Users of this standard will need to ensure that practice reflects up to date information and policies.

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Performance criteria

You must be able to:

- P1 avoid exceeding specified stock levels or expiry dates of stock
- P2 correctly apply relevant standard operating procedures
- P3 obtain approved products from approved suppliers
- P4 calculate radioactivity required on day of use making use of decay calculations and reference date and radioactivity
- P5 check that holding limits specified by appropriate authorities for radioactive materials will not be exceeded

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Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 suppliers reference dating systems and how to use radioactive decay calculations to determine quantities required
- K2 relevant product specifications
- K3 product licence or marketing authorisation status
- K4 approved suppliers list – responsibility and access
- K5 registration certificate requirements and limits for the stockholding site according to current legislation
- K6 delivery methods, arrangements and associated costs
- K7 range of relevant standard operating procedures

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Additional Information

External links

This standard links with the following dimension within the NHS Knowledge and Skills Framework (October 2004):

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