

Safety Data Sheets (SDS) – Pharmacy

Policy Statement

The dispensing pharmacy shall provide a copy of the safety data sheets (SDSs) for all hazardous medications dispensed by the dispensing pharmacy, as defined by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

Policy Interpretation and Implementation

1. The pharmacy shall provide SDSs and informational updates, as appropriate, for all medications that are considered hazardous.
2. An SDS must accompany the first delivery of the medication.
3. After the initial delivery, the SDS does not have to be redistributed unless there is a change in the SDS.

References	
OBRA Regulatory Reference Numbers	
Survey Tag Numbers	
Other References	OSHA Hazard Communications Standard at 29 CFR 1910
Related Documents	Some Common Drugs that are Considered Hazardous
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