



DH Circular 74/2018
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Attention All: Consultants
Medical Officers
Pharmacists
Pharmacy Technicians
Nurses

Re: Validity Period of Schedule V Cards

In order to simplify procedures, decrease unnecessary hardship on patients and reduce the workload on our professional staff, all new Schedule V cards, as well as, those, which expire and require renewal, will now be valid for 10 years, with the exceptions listed below:

Schedule V Condition	Card Validity
Addiction Disorders	5 years
Endometriosis & Adenomyosis	6 months
Enzyme Disorders (MTHFR* Deficiency with enoxaparin sodium injection only)	up to 6 weeks postpartum
Gestational Diabetes	up to 6 weeks postpartum
Hepatitis B & C	1 year
Hospital Acquired Infections	6 months
Malignant Diseases	5 years
Precocious Puberty	5 years
Tuberculosis	1 year

*Methylenetetrahydrofolate Reductase

For your attention please.

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