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Tēnā koe

Proposal to list medical devices supplied by Cardinal Health Australia Limited

Tōpūtanga Tapuhi Kaitiaki o Aotearoa, New Zealand Nurses Organisation (NZNO) welcomes the opportunity to comment on the above proposal.

NZNO has consulted its members and staff, in particular members of; College of Stomal Therapy Nursing, College of Gerontology Nursing, Perioperative Nurses College, College of Respiratory Nurses, College of Critical Care Nurses (NZCCCN), professional nursing and policy advisers. NZNO is the leading professional nursing association and union for nurses in Aotearoa New Zealand, representing 51,000 nurses, midwives, students, kaimahi hauora and health workers on professional and employment matters. NZNO embraces Te Tiriti o Waitangi and contributes to the improvements of the health status and outcomes of all people of Aotearoa New Zealand through influencing health, employment and social policy development.

NZCCCN supports PHARMAC'S proposal to list 113 Medical Devices supplied by Cardinal Health in the following categories on the basis on a non-exclusive purchase agreement for the supply of:

- Urology products
- Continence products
- Surgical suction chest and wound drainage, and
- Non-dedicated and consumable infusion devices.

Nāku noa nā

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