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Director of Nursing/Chief Nurse District Health Board

**Dear Colleagues** 

The Nursing Council is reviewing the list of medicines able to be prescribed by designated nurse prescribers. We propose that there will be medicines that will need to be added to the list.

Please find with this letter, further information along with an application to inform the medicine list recommendations to us. We are also seeking information from nurse prescribers. There may be some suggested medicines that are considered out of scope due to the diagnostic or prescribing complexity.

All applications to consider additional medicines to the medicine list are required by 30 January 2020.

The Nursing Council Registration Manager (Ana Shanks) is available via email at <a href="mailto:ana@nursingcouncil.org.nz">ana@nursingcouncil.org.nz</a> if you have any specific queries.

Ngā mihi

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