**CD Monitoring**

**Drug List Specification**

There are currently 23 drug topics for which reports have been developed. These drug topics apply to both the reports available via the website (bar charts) and those available via the Information Services Portal (funnel plots)

Each report will be based upon defined groups of drugs as specified below.

All of the reports are confined to Schedule 2 or Schedule 3 CD drugs.

As methadone accounts for a large proportion of Schedule 2 prescribing, reports which have Schedule 2 CD drugs as either the numerator or denominator have been presented as both with and without methadone.

The list below shows the drug groups for which a report has been developed. Further details are found in the tables, which specify which drugs contribute to the numerator and denominator of each report.

NB In all cases, the denominator is per 1,000 items.

Drug lists contain all presentations included in the category as of the end of a quarter. For example, tramadol was classififed as a Schedule 3 Controlled Drug with effect from 10 June 2014. This means that tramadol will not be included within reports concerning Schedule 3 prescribing for 2013/14 Quarter 4 (i.e. quarter to March 2014), but will be included for 2014/15 Quarter 1 (quarter to June 2014).

**List of CD Monitoring drug groups**

1. Sched 2 CD items per 1000 Total items

2.Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone per 1000 Total items

3. Sched 3 CD items per 1000 Total items

4. Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

5. Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

6. Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

7. Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

8. Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

9. Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

10. Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

11. Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

12. Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

13. Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

14. Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excl Methadone

15. Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

16. Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

17. Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

18. Temazepam items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items

19. Buprenorphine items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items

20. Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

21. Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

22. Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

23. Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone

Content specification – see tables 1 to 23 below.

1 .Sched 2 CD items per 1000 Total items

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| **Comparator** | **Sched 2 CD items per 1000 Total items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs per 1,000 total number of all prescription items i.e. all BNF. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items prescribed within all BNF divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Total BNF i.e. all BNF codes | All | |  |  | |
| **Comments** |  |

2.Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone per 1000 Total items

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| **Comparator** | **Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone per 1000 Total items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs (excluding methadone items) per 1,000 total number of all prescription items i.e. all BNF. |
| Numerator | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD  excluding |  |   **Excluding**  Methadone hydrochloride 0309010S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items prescribed within all BNF divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Total BNF i.e. all BNF codes | All | |  |  | |
| **Comments** |  |

3. Sched 3 CD items per 1000 Total items

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| **Comparator** | **Sched 3 CD items per 1000 Total items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 3 Controlled Drugs per 1,000 total number of all prescription items i.e. all BNF. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 3 Controlled Drugs   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 3 CD |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items prescribed within all BNF divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Total BNF i.e. all BNF codes | All | |  |  | |
| **Comments** |  |

4 .Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items

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| **Comparator** | **Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for diamorphine injections per 1,000 total number of Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for diamorphine injections   |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of Diamorphine  Denominator includes methadone |

5. **Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine injections per 1,000 total number of Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine injections   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of morphine  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Numerator includes Epidural  Denominator includes methadone |

6. **Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone injections per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone injections   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of oxycodone  Denominator includes methadone |

7. **Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for Diamorphine, morphine and oxycodone  injections per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for Diamorphine, morphine and oxycodone injections.   |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | |  | | |  |  | | | | |  | |  | |  |  | | | | |  |  | | | | |  |  | | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of morphine, diamorphine or oxycodone.  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Numerator includes Epidural  Denominator includes methadone |

8. **Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine oral presentations   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all oral presentations of morphine that are classified as Schedule 2 CD.  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Denominator includes methadone |

9. **Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone oral presentations   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator incldues all oral presentations of oxycodone classified as Schedule 2 CD.  Denominator includes methadone |

10. **Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine and oxycodone oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine and oxycodone oral presentations   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | |  | |  |  | | | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |  | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all oral presentations of morphine or oxycodone that are classified as Schedule 2 CD  Numerator includes morphine/cyclizine  Denominator includes methadone |

11. **Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Diamorphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for diamorphine injections per 1,000 total number of Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| Numerator | Number of prescription items for diamorphine injections   |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  | | |  | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs (excluding methadone) divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | |  | |  | | | **Excluding**: |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of diamorphine  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

12. **Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine injections per 1,000 total number of Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine injections   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs (excluding methadone) divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | |  | |  | | | **Excluding**: |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of morphine  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Numerator includes Epidural  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

13. **Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone injections per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone injections   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | |  | | |  | |  | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | |  | |  | | | **Excluding**: |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of oxycodone.  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

14. **Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excl Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Diamorphine, Morphine & Oxycodone injection items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excl Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for Diamorphine, morphine and oxycodone  injections per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for Diamorphine, morphine and oxycodone injections.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | | | | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | | | |  | | |  | | | |  | |  | | | |  | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | | | |  | | | | |  | | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | | |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all injectable presentations of morphine, diamorphine or oxycodone.  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Numerator includes Epidural  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

15. **Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine oral presentations   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |  |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | | |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator incldues all oral presentations of morphine classified as Schedule 2 CD.  Numerator includes Cyclimorph (morphine/cyclizine)  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

16. **Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for oxycodone oral presentations   |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | | |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all oral presentations of oxycodone classified as Schedule 2 CD.  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

17. **Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Morphine & Oxycodone oral presentation items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for morphine and oxycodone oral presentations per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for morphine and oxycodone oral presentations   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  | | | |  | |  |  | | | | | |  | | | |  | | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all oral presentations of morphine or oxycodone classified as Schedule 2 CD.  Numerator includes morphine/cyclizine  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

18. **Temazepam items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Temazepam items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for temazepam per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 3 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for temazepam   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | temazepam | 0401010T0 | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 3 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 3 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Following changes to the classification of Controlled Drugs in June 2014, tramadol presentations will be included in the denominator from 2014/15 Quarter 1 ie. quarter to June 2014 |

19.  **Buprenorphine items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Buprenorphine items per 1000 Sched 3 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for buprenorphine per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 3 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for buprenorphine   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | buprenorphine | 0407020B0 |   buprenorphine (opioid dependence) 0410030A0  buprenorphine hcl/naloxone hcl 0410030B0 |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 3 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 3 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Following changes to the classification of Controlled Drugs in June 2014, tramadol presentations will be included in the denominator from 2014/15 Quarter 1 ie. quarter to June 2014 |

20. **Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl patches per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl patches   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  |  | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all fentanyl patch presentations.  Denominator includes methadone |

21. **Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items**

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| **Comparator** | **Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl lozenges per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl lozenges   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs divided by 1,000.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | |  |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all fentanyl lozenge presentations.  Denominator includes methadone |

22. **Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Fentanyl patch items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **Comparator Description** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl patches per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl patches   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  | | --- | | **BNF Name** | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD |  | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |  | |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all fentanyl patch presentations.  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |

23.  **Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone**

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| **Comparator** | **Fentanyl lozenge items per 1000 Sched 2 CD items excluding Methadone** |
| **omparator Description** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl lozenges per 1,000 total number of all Schedule 2 CD items excluding methadone. |
| **Numerator** | Number of prescription items for fentanyl lozenges   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |  | | |
| **Denominator** | Number of prescription items for Schedule 2 Controlled Drugs excluding methadone divided by 1,000.   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **BNF Name** | | **BNF Code** | | | | Items classified as Schedule 2 CD | |  | | | |  | |  | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Excluding**: |  | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 | | | |  | | | **BNF Name** | **BNF Code** | |   Methadone hydrochloride 03090100S0  Methadone hydrochloride 0407020M0  Methadone hydrochloride 0410030C0 |
| **Comments** | Numerator includes all fentanyl lozenge presentations.  Denominator excludes Schedule 2 CD methadone presentations. |