## palliativedrugs.com Syringe Driver Survey Database (SDSD)

# Guidelines for submitting observational compatibility data

### SDSD objective

To collate observational compatibility data on syringe driver drug combinations in clinical use for the benefit of all members of www.palliativedrugs.com.

# Submitting data

A data collection form can be downloaded from the SDSD to facilitate collecting compatibility information at ward level.

To enter data onto the SDSD:

- 1. Login to www.palliativedrugs.com.
- 2. Select SDSD from the horizontal menu above the red line.
- 3. Scroll down to the bottom of the SDSD welcome page and select 'continue to SDSD search page'.
- 4. Select 'submit an entry' (not 'submit a survey entry', this is for specific surveys and requires a centre number).
- 5. Complete all fields required.
- 6. Click on 'submit'.
- 7. Check the entry and confirm or re-edit as appropriate.

The entry will not appear on the live website until a pharmacist has had chance to review it.

#### Additional notes

- doses must be entered as numbers only (no units) and as milligrams (mg)
- final volume should be in millilitres (mL)
- infusion duration documented should be the actual time that the infusion ran for (rather than the prescribed time) to enable an accurate record of observational stability data.
- data type is **observational**
- the data should be submitted after the **end of the infusion** to enable accurate documentation of duration of infusion, compatibility problems and site reactions
- the number of full 24h periods that have been administered can be recorded in the comments section
- the reference section can be left blank.

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