

Department of Health Approval no: C-FILE-21962-28

Approved alternative way (to complying with the Poisons Standard, Part 2) of labelling a package containing a medicine (labelling exemption)

Medicines and Poisons (Medicines) Regulation 2021- section 237

I, Gregory Perry, Director, Healthcare Approvals and Regulation Unit and delegate of the Chief Executive, Queensland Health, do hereby approve the following alternative way of labelling a package containing a medicine:

The Alternative Way

In Queensland, the products in Table 1 labelled as Schedule 4 medicines with the signal words 'Prescription Only Medicine' can be supplied by Galderma Australia Pty Ltd as Schedule 3 (Pharmacist Only Medicine) products, provided all other aspects of the labelling other than the incorrect signal headings are compliant with the Poisons Standard.

Table 1: Product to which label exemption applies:

ARTG ID	Description
53918	DIFFERIN adapalene 1mg/g gel tube, 1x1/Acne treatment
66174	DIFFERIN adapalene 1mg/g cream tube, 1x1/Acne treatment

Conditions of certification

- 1. Retail supply is to be from pharmacies only and the incorrectly labelled products will need to be stored in pharmacies as Schedule 4 products.
- 2. Each supply to a consumer must include the Consumer Medicine Information approved by the Commonwealth Therapeutic Goods Administration for the medicine.
- 3. This certification is effective from 27 November 2023.
- 4. This certification expires on 30 April 2024 or until existing stock of Schedule 4 labelled product is exhausted, whichever is the earlier.

Approved at Brisbane this 10 day of November 2023 by Greg Perry Delegate of the Chief Executive Healthcare Approvals and Regulation Unit Queensland Health

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