

Webinar: A Look at Current and Future S4S Medication Lists: Where Are We Now? (#2 in series)

Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022 from 12:30-1:00pm Eastern

Answered Questions

Will ASHP create a similar checklist for the oral med concentrations (since it's not from pump data, of course)?

The check list for oral compounded medications is available as one of the options in the Standardize 4 Safety Checklist.

For checklist, if part of an IDN, do you want this completed for each institution or system?

How an institution or health-system decides to fill out the checklist is dependent on their needs. The checklist was designed so that a multi-hospital health system has the option to complete the checklist as the entire health-system, or as the health system and each of its individual hospitals. The checklist provides institutions the capability to see progress over time. Once you sign into the system you can create a list of hospitals for which you may individually complete a checklist. Although we will use the checklist for collection of data, we understand the data has its limitations. The main purpose of the checklist is to serve as a tool to assist users in adopting the standards.

Can we include bag/syringe sizes where pertinent? Perhaps those that are not standard conc. may be beneficial from Bainbridge.

Including bag/syringe sizes was not within the scope of the original initiative. It also would be difficult to maintain. This has been requested for the intermittent standards. We are considering adding this information and will determine its feasibility based on the resources needed to maintain the information and its accuracy over time.

Has there been consideration of cross comparing the adult and pediatric S4S concentrations for organizations that care for both populations to minimized total # of concentrations?

Cross-comparing between adult and pediatric populations has been considered by all the panels thus far in their deliberations. An attempt to have synergy when possible is considered. Often that is not possible with the concentrations needed to accommodate the wide expanse of needs from very small neonates to adults.