

**Compliant with Controlled Drug Legislation** the eCDR has revolutionised the way Controlled Drugs are dispensed and recorded. Eliminating paper records, this new system computerises all transactions helping with stock control and auditing.

## Why use an Electronic CD Register?

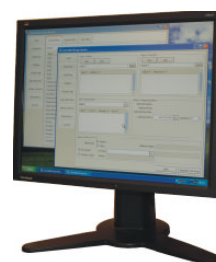
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**The register includes a complete controlled drug database with Type, Form and Strength and is regularly updated.**

- No more paper records
- Save time
- Easy to use
- Regular updates
- Easy Audits
- Full automatic balancing function
- Printable Controlled Drug registry
- Drug inspector's log
- Methadone scheduling



## Testimonial 1

"The electronic CD register has allowed me to better manage my controlled drug register whilst complying with the current controlled drug legislation.

The audit facility enables me to quickly reconcile actual stock with that held in the electronic CD register and identify any errors or omissions. Over the last year the volume of controlled drugs dispensed has increased and the eCDR has offered me convenience and speed in making entries. No more searching pages of separate books in the paper version of the CD book and writing the details for entries. A few keystrokes record all the details.

The register allows me to spot check stock for any mistakes using the current stock feature. This is useful as I can:

- Tell when to order in more stock
- Find out whether I have enough stock to dispense to patients
- Print off my stock lists to make stock taking easier
- Search specifically for a drug to view our stock
- Save a full or single drug stock list onto the computers hard drive.

The eCDR has been set up to allow certain people different privileges so a pharmacist can dispense, receive and transfer drugs whereas an Inspector cannot change stock or dispense but does have privileges to destroy expired stock. The eCDR software is regularly updated so we always have the latest drugs and features in place.

I would recommend the eCDR for any busy pharmacy that does not have the time for all the additional paper work that go with the provision of Controlled Drugs."

## Testimonial 2

"We have a large pharmacy with over 70 Methadone patients. The electronic CD register saves me around an hour a day on paperwork-I don't have to write out patients' details, formulations and dosages of drugs repeatedly. It has also helped us keep a close eye on the running stock totals using current stock features that allows pharmacists to view the stock available for dispensing in the pharmacy. Additionally it ensures the smooth running of the pharmacy by saving time on scheduling and dispensing so patients are never kept waiting."

"The most useful feature to our pharmacy is the Methadone scheduling feature because it saves us time on:

- Entering patient details
- Deciding schedule length
- Writing out drug doses for particular days
- Preventing errors from occurring with misspellings and wrongly entered data.

With regular updates being made to the software of the electronic CD register we always have the latest drugs and features in place."