

Fentanyl patch label change



The label on your fentanyl patch has changed

Sandoz has changed how it writes the dose for the 12.5 mcg fentanyl patch.

12.5 mcg will now be written 12 mcg.

Why is this changing?

This approach aligns with what other similar products do and helps avoid confusion with a potential prescribed dose of 125 mcg.

Medsafe asked Sandoz to make this change.

Old patch sachet



Note: The old patch was also over-labelled as Controlled drug B1

Dose remains the same

The patches still release 12.5 mcg of fentanyl every hour.

More information

Find more information about this change on our website.

www.pharmac.govt.nz/fentanyl/

New patch sachet



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No data? No problem!

- Go to www.zero.govt.nz
- Select Pharmac
- Browse the site without using any mobile data.

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