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Prescribing and Issuing of Morphine for Cancer Pain Management

Pain is a significant symptom among cancer patients. Causation of cancer pain is multifactorial including physical, mental, social & spiritual dimensions. According to scientific eveldence, pain prevalence ranges from 33% in cancer patients after curative treatment to 59% in patients on anticancer treatment and to 64% in patients with metastatic, advanced or terminal phase. Moreover, another systematic review of the literature showed that nearly half of cancer patients were under-treated for pain. Recent studies conducted showed that pain was not adequately treated in a significant percentage of patients, ranging from 56% to 82.3%. (Ref. Annals of Oncology, 2012; Vol. 23: 139-154)

Morphine is an essential drug used for advanced cancer pain management. The Consultant Oncologists raised existing limitations on prescribing & issuing of morphine for advanced cancer pain management at hospitals on several occasions. This issue was discussed at the meeting of National Advisory Committee on Prevention & Control of Cancers held on 15.09,2014 and National Steering Committee on Palliative Care for Cancer Patients held on 16.12,2014.

Following decisions were made at the 'National Steering Committee on Palliative Care for Cancer Patients' meeting for prescribing and issuing of morphine for cancer pain management.

By virtue of the powers vested in me under section 66(1) of the Poison, Opium & Dangerous Drugs Ordinance as amended this circular is issued.

The schedule mentioned below should be adhered to when prescribing and issuing morphine at government hospitals giving due consideration for potential misuse. The patient and the caregiver have to be educated on the importance of morphine for cancer pain management, adverse effects and the precautions to be adopted for prevention of misuse.

Clinic setting	Officers in charge of prescribing	Duration
Cancer Clinics, Palliative Care & Pain Clinics	Consultant Oncologists, Consultant Physicians, Consultant Aneasethetists	Upto one month
Other clinics conducted by consultants	Consultant in Charge	Upto two weeks
Non specialist clinics .	Grade medical officers (Under the guidance of a shared care plan of a consultant)	Upto one week

The following measures have to be adopted to prevent misuse of morphine.

- Routine monitoring of morphine usage at the hospital level through a special prescription form filled by the prescribing consultant or medical officer (Draft of the prescription form is herewith attached. Annex:1)
- Educate the caregiver to maintain the "Home Based Monitoring of Management of Cancer Pain Management Chart" from the first instance of prescribing morphine (Annex:2)
- Compliance of morphine use has to be documented by refering to the above chart when prescribing morphine at every subsequent clinic visit

(It is a good practice to follow the patients who are on morphine by the same medical team in subsequent clinic visits.)

4. Advice the care giver to inform the hospital and return the remaining stock of morphine in the event of death of the patient.

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