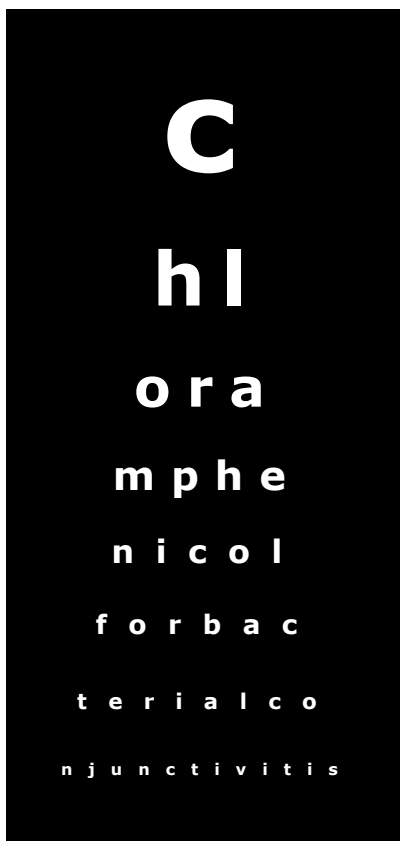


Chloramphenicol for Bacterial Conjunctivitis Workbook

A workbook to meet the training requirements for the reclassification of chloramphenicol for ophthalmic use to Pharmacist-Only

The reclassification of chloramphenicol for ophthalmic use to pharmacist-only is imminent. Order this NOW to be prepared for supplying chloramphenicol when it is Gazetted early in the New Year!

Incorporating the 2008 Eye Care Audioconference and associated reading materials, with specific resources around the assessment and treatment of conjunctivitis, this workbook will provide the pharmacist with:



An overview of the anatomy of the eye

The questions to ask patients when assessing eye problems

The common causes of a red eye

An explanation of the different types of conjunctivitis and the signs/symptoms which will allow you to differentiate between them

An explanation of the criteria and signs/symptoms to distinguish whether or not a patient requires referral to an optometrist or doctor

What to recommend when your patient wears contact lenses, and how this changes your approach to treatment

The signs of a potentially dangerous red eye

Information on the efficacy and safety of chloramphenicol

Patient education points including specific patient information leaflet



Completing this workbook will help to ensure you have the information you need to appropriately assess conjunctivitis and supplying chloramphenicol as a pharmacist-only medicine.

Register your order now to receive this workbook which includes:

- A CD recording of the College of Pharmacists 2008 Eye Care Audioconference
- The Pre-reading booklet associated with the Eye Care Audioconference
- Reference pack focussed specifically on conjunctivitis and the use of chloramphenicol
- An algorithm for the differential diagnosis and treatment of conjunctivitis
- Patient information leaflet on 'Eye Care and Conjunctivitis'

All pharmacists successfully passing the assessment quiz (pass mark 70%) will receive a Certificate of Completion of Training. PSNZ / NZCP Members will also be awarded 5 College Credits AND receive a suggested ENHANCE CPD template sheet.

