



## Rights and Obligations of patients participating in the CDAP programme

Patients bearing prescriptions for CDAP items have a right to:

- The same attention and service from the Pharmacist as all other persons
- Thirty days supply of medicines each time their prescription is filled if authorized by the doctor.
- A supply of needles consistent with their Insulin needs as indicated by the doctor.
- 100 BGM strips (Two cans) every 6 weeks.
- Have their prescription for CDAP items filled at any CDAP participating pharmacy.
- A copy of their prescription if written on a CDAP form; or
- The original prescription returned to them, if the CDAP medicines are written on a prescription from either a public or private institution.
- To select another Pharmacy to obtain medicines or strips (if eligible), at any time, for any personal reason.

Obligations of Patients bearing CDAP prescriptions

Patients must provide:

- A valid prescription i.e. a prescription that is <u>current</u>; bearing the patient's name and the doctor's signature.
- National Identification Card or electronic Birth Certificate.

Persons submitting CDAP prescriptions on behalf of patients must provide:

- The patient's National Identification Card or electronic Birth Certificate.
- One form of National Identification of themselves.

Patients should bear in mind that there may be occasions when, despite the best efforts to ensure a continuous supply of medicines to the Nation; stock may be in short supply or not available. During these periods, the National Insurance Property Development Company Limited (NIPDEC) Central Stores would ration the supply of medicines to the Pharmacies; Pharmacies in turn are expected to ration the supply to each patient. Therefore, there are times that you may receive less than thirty days supply of medicines because of limited supply from the Government.

NIPDEC would like to assure the Public that all medicines supplied on the CDAP Programme are of sound quality.