

## SUSPECTED ADVERSE DRUG REACTIONS

If you are suspicious that an adverse reaction may be related to a drug or combination of drugs please complete this Yellow Card. For reporting advice please see over. Do not be put off reporting because some details are not known.

**PATIENT DETAILS**      Patient Initials: \_\_\_\_\_      Sex: M / F      Weight if known (kg): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age (at time of reaction): \_\_\_\_\_      Identification number (Your Practice / Hospital Ref.): \_\_\_\_\_

### SUSPECTED DRUG(S)

Give brand name of drug and batch number if known      Route      Dosage      Date started      Date stopped      Prescribed for

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

### SUSPECTED REACTION(S)

Please describe the reaction(s) and any treatment given:

			<b>Outcome</b>
	Recovered		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Recovering		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Continuing		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other		<input type="checkbox"/>

Date reaction(s) started: \_\_\_\_\_      Date reaction(s) stopped: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you consider the reactions to be serious?      Yes / No

If *yes*, please indicate why the reaction is considered to be serious (please tick all that apply):

Patient died due to reaction	<input type="checkbox"/>	Involved or prolonged inpatient hospitalisation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Life threatening	<input type="checkbox"/>	Involved persistent or significant disability or incapacity	<input type="checkbox"/>
Congenital abnormality	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medically significant; please give details: _____	

### OTHER DRUGS (including self-medication & herbal remedies)

Did the patient take any other drugs in the last 3 months prior to the reaction?      Yes / No

If *yes*, please give the following information if known:

Drug (Brand, if known)	Route	Dosage	Date started	Date stopped	Prescribed for
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**Additional relevant information**      e.g. medical history, test results, known allergies, rechallenge (if performed), suspect drug interactions. For congenital abnormalities please state all other drugs taken during pregnancy and the last menstrual period.

### REPORTER DETAILS

Name and Professional Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Post code: \_\_\_\_\_      Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Speciality: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_      Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### CLINICIAN (if not the reporter)

Name and Professional Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Post code: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_      Speciality: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like information about other adverse reactions associated with the suspected drug, please tick this box

\* This is to enable you to identify the patient in any future correspondence concerning this report  
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**SUSPECTED ADVERSE DRUG REACTIONS REPORTING ADVICE**

New Black Triangle (▼) Drugs - report ALL suspected adverse reactions  
(New medicinal drugs can be identified by the presence of a black triangle (▼)  
both on the product information for the drug and in the BNF and MIMS)

Other Drugs - only report SERIOUS suspected adverse reactions  
For instance those which are:

- Fatal
  - Life threatening
  - Involves or prolongs inpatient hospitalisation
  - Involves persistent or significant disability or incapacity
  - Congenital abnormality
  - Medically significant (please exercise your judgement)
- Please remember the areas of particular concern- delayed drug effects, the elderly, congenital abnormalities, children (including offlabel use of medications) and any herbal remedies*
- For more information contact:
- The National Yellow Card Information Service on Freephone 0800-7316789
  - The MHRA website <http://mhra.gov.uk>
  - Reporters can send suspected adverse drug reaction reports by electronic Yellow Card, via the MHRA website.
  - More detailed guidelines are given in the BNF

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