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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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National Health Service (General Medical Services  
Contracts) (Prescription of Drugs etc.) Regulations 2004

**Drugs, medicines and other substances that may be ordered only in certain circumstances**

**3.** A drug, medicine or other substance specified in an entry in column 1 of Schedule 2 may not be ordered for a patient in the provision of medical services under a general medical services contract unless—

- (a) that patient is a person of a description mentioned in column 2 of that entry; and
- (b) that drug, medicine or other substance is prescribed for that patient only for the purpose specified in column 3 of that entry.