

Expression of Interest sought for Don't Rush to Crush

The SHPA Publications team are about to commence work on updating Don't Rush to Crush. We are seeking expressions of interest from members for:

Membership of the Editorial Committee

There are two positions available:

1. a clinical pharmacist with current or recent experience working with patients who have enteral feeding tubes or swallowing difficulties
2. an early-career pharmacist.

The Editorial Committee will meet once a month from February 2024 for approximately 12 months. Members are required to:

- consider and set the scope of the resource
- consider global changes
- review and update the front sections as required
- review any issues that arise from the review of the monographs, or from error or omission within the handbook.

A willingness to be involved in the review of monographs will be an advantage when considering membership of the Editorial Committee.

Reviewers

Reviewers are responsible for appraisal of the information and recommendations provided for a therapeutic category of their preference (approximately 20–30 medicines).

Work will be required to be completed between 1 April and 30 June 2024, or earlier if more convenient for the reviewer.

A reviewer guide with instructions will be supplied. The review process will include:

- Checking the current information and recommendations for accuracy, currency, and relevance
- Searching for any new information, in databases and primary literature
- Drawing on your own practical experience with the challenges associated with enteral feeding tubes or people with swallowing difficulties.

An honorarium of \$500–750 is available, depending on the size of the allocation, and your contribution is acknowledged in both the print and online formats. You may also claim points in accordance with your CPD Learning Plan.

Please send a brief description of your interest and experience to publications@shpa.org.au.

Assistance with dispersion testing

To refresh and expand our tablet dispersion database, we are looking for some help with either a suitable space or premise to conduct dispersion testing and/or members willing and able to conduct testing. Testing methodology will be provided, and the cost of tablets and consumable will be re-imbursed.

For further information please contact [Keli Symons](#), SHPA Publications Manager.

