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	REPACKAGING OF MEDICINE CHECKLIST	

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Here is a clear and compliant **Observation Checklist** to assess whether **medicine repackaging** is occurring at the practice, in line with:

- **Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965**
- **General Regulations 22(4)(d)**
- **Assessment Type:** Observation
- **Risk Rating:** Vital Measure

Repackaging of Medicines Checklist

Objective: Confirm that medicines are **not being repackaged** on the premises for dispensing purposes, as this is only allowed under specific legal conditions (e.g. by a licensed pharmacist in an approved pharmacy).

Observation Criteria

Observation Point	Compliant (1) / Non-Compliant (0)	Comments
1. No evidence of loose medicines repackaged into non-original containers		
2. All medicines observed are in original manufacturer packaging or legally dispensed pharmacy packaging		
3. No tools, containers, or labelling materials indicating repackaging activity		
4. Staff confirm that no repackaging is done on-site		

Scoring Summary

Total Score Max Score Compliance %

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Regulatory Reference

Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 – General Regulations 22(4)(d):

"No person may manipulate or repackage any medicine for sale unless authorised to do so in terms of the Act."

Conclusion

If all criteria score "1", the practice is compliant. If **any evidence of repackaging** is found, the facility is in **violation of the Act** and must immediately cease such activities and notify the responsible pharmacist or regulatory authority.

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Receipt Acknowledgement for this SOP

I have read and been informed about the content, requirements, and expectations of this policy for this practice. I understand that if I have questions, at any time, regarding this policy, I will consult with my immediate supervisor or my Human Resources staff members. Please read the policy/procedure carefully to ensure that you understand the policy/procedure before signing this document.

Employee Signature	Employee Printed Name	DATE	Employee Signature	Employee Printed Name	DATE