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**MEDICAL AND KINDRED PROFESSIONS ORDINANCE
(CAP. 31)**

Oral Retinoid Medicinal Preparations Regulations, 1993

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Medical and Kindred Professions Ordinance, the Minister for Home Affairs and Social Development, after consulting the Council of Health, has made the following regulations:

Citation.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Oral Retinoid Medicinal Preparations Regulations, 1993.

Authorization
to prescribe
preparation.

2. (1) No medical practitioner, dental surgeon or dentist may prescribe any oral retinoid medicinal preparation to any patient unless he has in respect of that patient a written authorisation so to prescribe from the Superintendent of Public Health.

(2) The Superintendent of Public Health shall grant such authorisation if he is so advised by a panel made up of Government medical consultants appointed by him for the purpose. For the purposes of making their recommendations the panel shall have the right to examine the patient in respect of whom a request for approval of such prescription has been made.

(3) Any authorisation issued by the Superintendent of Public Health for the purposes of this regulation shall include an Authorisation Number which shall be quoted on the prescription issued by the medical practitioner, dental surgeon or dentist who has been authorised accordingly.

(4) The provisions of this regulation shall not apply to any prescription for such preparations issued by a consultant dermatologist in the employment of Government when such prescription is issued from a Government hospital or clinic.