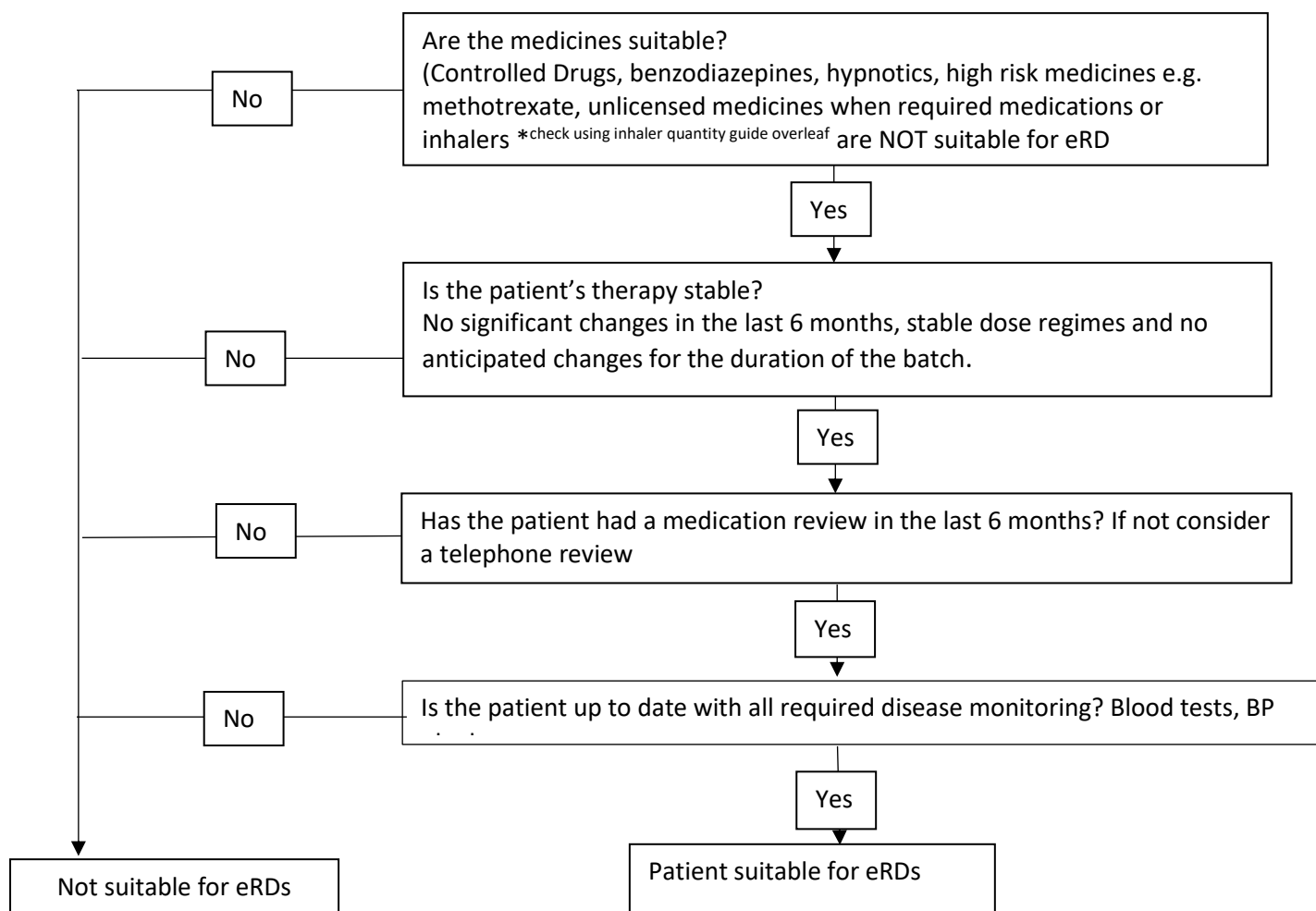


Quick how to on identifying patients suitable for

Electronic Repeat Dispensing (eRD) for prescription clerks and dispensers



Once you have determined the patient is suitable for eRD complete the following:

1. Synchronise medicines – tally issues with the next medication review date
2. If patient is on 'PRN' medicines set these up as separate batch.
3. Obtain patient consent, can be verbal - Record read code on SystemOne (read code: XaKRX)
4. Raise/Task eRD referral to the prescriber for authorisation

Any medicines issues should be highlighted and discussed with the prescriber and resolved before requesting the authorisation of any eRD batch prescription.

For the continuation of eRDs

1. Medication reviewed and re-authorised by prescriber.
2. Prescriber sends task to prescription clerk/dispenser suggested wording "I authorise you to issue 12 issues on eRD" – (Recommendation nationally is 12 issues)
3. Prescription clerk/dispenser issue eRD

*Inhaler quantity guide

Number of doses per day	Number of doses in inhaler	Number of days the inhaler should last
1 puff twice a day	200	100 days
2 puffs twice a day	200	50 days
2 puffs four times a day	200	25 days
1 puff twice a day	120	60 days
2 puffs twice a day	120	30 days
1 puff twice a day	100	50 days
2 puffs twice a day	100	25 days
1 puff twice a day	60	30 days
2 puffs twice a day	60	15 days
1 puff once a day	30	30 days
2 puffs once a day	60	30 days