



***USP <800>
Compliant**
*RJ Hedges & Associates (2019)

*Eyecon is USP <800> compliant per RJ Hedges based on the ability to prevent cross contamination by having all oral solids counted on one of Eyecon’s supplemental platters that is properly marked as intended for hazardous drugs.

As noted on Page 22 from the 2019 RJ Hedges Pharmacy Compliance Guide; ‘NOTE: All HDs are prohibited from being placed in automated medication machines (robots) or run through pill counters.’



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USP General Chapter <800> Hazardous Drugs—Handling in Healthcare Settings

USP General Chapter <800> provides standards for safe handling of hazardous drugs to minimize the risk of exposure to healthcare personnel, patients and the environment.

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) considers a drug to be hazardous if it exhibits one or more of the following characteristics in humans or animals: carcinogenicity, teratogenicity or developmental toxicity, reproductive toxicity, organ toxicity at low doses, genotoxicity, or structure and toxicity profiles of new drugs that mimic existing hazardous drugs.

USP General Chapter <800> describes requirements including responsibilities of personnel handling hazardous drugs; facility and engineering controls; procedures for deactivating, decontaminating and cleaning; spill control; and documentation. These standards apply to all healthcare personnel who receive, prepare, administer, transport or otherwise come in contact with hazardous drugs and all the environments in which they are handled.



USP <800> General
Information

<https://www.usp.org/compounding/general-chapter-hazardous-drugs-handling-healthcare>



USP <800>
FAQ

<https://www.usp.org/frequently-asked-questions/hazardous-drugs-handling-healthcare-settings>



NIOSH 2016 List of
Hazardous Drugs

<https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docs/2016-161/default.html>