

## LonDIS RESOURCES

LonDIS staff have access to a wide range of resources to meet your needs. These include:

- Comprehensive current and archival holdings of pharmacy and medical journals
- Core therapeutic and specialty texts
- Comprehensive files on drugs and disease related topics
- Online access to many pharmacy and medical journals
- Database of responses to previously asked questions
- Online drug information databases (Micromedex, Lexicomp, UpToDate)
- Natural and Complementary Health Care Resources
- Drug interaction databases
- Hospital based service giving access to current clinical practice
- Patient drug information resources

## HOURS OF SERVICE

Monday –Friday 0830-1630

Messages left on voice mail or email after hours will be answered the next working day.

## CONTACT US



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## ABOUT LonDIS

London Drug Information Service (LonDIS) is located in the Pharmacy Department at London Health Sciences Centre in London, Ontario, Canada. LonDIS has been serving the drug information needs of a wide range of clients for over thirty years. The pharmacists of LonDIS are clinically trained licensed pharmacists with broad experience in both hospital and community pharmacy practice. LonDIS meets the standards for Drug Information practice as approved by the Ontario College of Pharmacists and the Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists.

## WHAT LonDIS PROVIDES

LonDIS responds to the need for accurate, evidence based data about the comparative effectiveness, safety, and expense of drugs and complementary health care products.

Current literature can be time consuming to assemble and promotional materials from the manufacturers may not be unbiased. Drug information questions can be answered electronically or verbally, with reprints and faxes as required.

## WHY CHOOSE LonDIS?

- Calls answered personally by a pharmacist
- Quick turnaround time – calls returned same day if possible
- Many years of clinical and drug information experience
- Located in a hospital with access to expertise in medical and pharmacy practice
- Access to broad range of drug information databases and online resources
- Approved by Ontario College of Pharmacists as provider of subscription drug information services.
- We also provide the following for a fee
  - Intravenous compatibility charts
  - Parenteral drug stability charts
  - Chemotherapy drug stability chart
  - Transplant anti-rejection drug videos for patient teaching

## SERVICES INCLUDE

Our clients include health professionals in hospitals, community pharmacies, nursing homes, community health care agencies, insurers, medical lawyers, health care consultants. Our services are not provided to the public.

Services include:

- Answers to drug information questions provided in verbal, written, or electronic format
- Newsletters featuring updates on new drugs and other topics of interest
- Literature searches on specific medications and therapeutic topics
- Reprints of articles and resource material as required
- Training to undergraduate pharmacy students, residents and PharmD candidates

## SUBSCRIPTIONS

- LonDIS services are provided free to LHSC staff.
- A variety of fees available to clients based on type of facility and individual needs.
- Contact LonDIS for more detail