

Drug Pricing & DPCO Guide

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Explains drug pricing and DPCO — scheduled-drug price ceilings by NPPA, the non-scheduled annual increase cap, and the National List of Essential Medicines — with compliance (ceiling price, price display, revisions) and pricing freedom for non-scheduled drugs within the cap. Use this to price within drug price control. DPCO and NPPA rules change; confirm current ceiling prices.

Purpose of this tool & output

Price within drug price control

How the output is used

Use it to check whether a product falls under DPCO price control and to set a compliant ceiling or market price.

Who should vet it

A regulatory or pricing consultant against current NPPA/DPCO notifications before you fix the price.

Important cautions

AI-generated guide; DPCO and NPPA rules change, confirm current ceiling prices and rules.

Companion documents

- [Pharma Business Case / Loan Note](#)
- [Pharma Business P&L Builder](#)
- [Product Costing Calculator](#)
- [Pharma GST Guide](#)
- [Pharma KPI Dashboard](#)
- [Working Capital Planner](#)

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