



PharmEcology's Industry Leading Database Now Includes Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs)

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PharmEcology is pleased to announce that its industry leading database now includes references to Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) for most drugs categorized as federally hazardous under RCRA or PharmE Hazardous® under PharmEcology's initiative to encourage best management practices for pharmaceutical waste.

In developing this significant enhancement to its services, PharmEcology worked closely with [MSDSonline](#), a leading provider of MSDS management and compliance solutions. Working together, PharmEcology and MSDSonline contacted the manufacturers and labelers for all potentially hazardous pharmaceuticals, retrieved the current MSDS documents whenever they were available, and cross-referenced them to PharmEcology's database. Under a long-term agreement, PharmEcology and MSDSonline will work together to add MSDS information for new products and to assure that this information is kept up-to-date.

As a result, PharmEcology now provides links for over 13,000 products to almost 5,000 current MSDSs. In addition, for another 1,000 products, we note that the manufacturer indicated that an MSDS was not required. In those instances, we include the manufacturers' supporting information whenever they provided it.

This information is available online today through PharmEcology's patented PharmE® Waste Wizard. In addition, the PharmE® Inventory Analysis now includes these links and supporting information.

If you are a current subscriber to the PharmE® Waste Wizard, you can view this information in several ways. If you look up a specific product by its unique NDC code, the MSDS information will appear on the detail result screen and on the additional information screen. In addition, if you browse a list of NDCs by brand name, generic name, or ingredient, the list of NDCs will indicate if an MSDS is available and you can select that particular NDC to view the desired MSDS. This last feature is particularly useful if an MSDS is not available for a particular product from a re-packager or distributor and you want to look up the MSDS from the original manufacturer.

If you have any questions about this enhancement, please contact us at info@pharmecology.com, call us at 414-292-3959, or visit our web site at www.pharmecology.com.

ABOUT PHARMECOLOGY, A WASTE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

PharmEcology was founded in 2000 to help healthcare facilities identify and manage pharmaceutical waste. PharmEcology works closely with the healthcare and regulatory communities to insure cost-effective and compliant pharmaceutical waste management programs.

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