

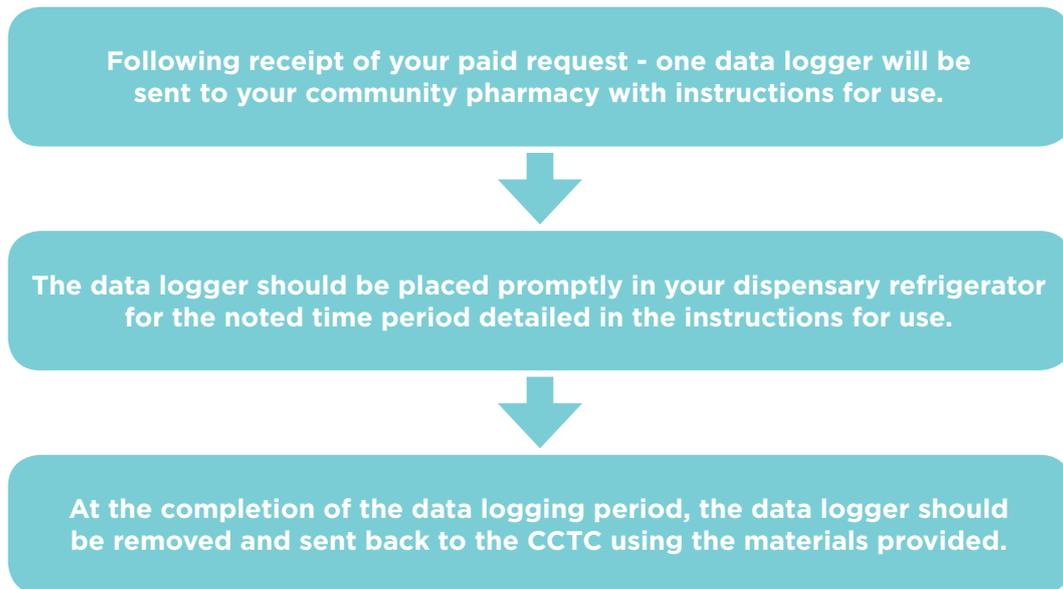
DATA LOGGING PROCEDURE

The Pharmacy Guild of Australia NSW Branch manages the operations of the Cold Chain Testing Centre (CCTC).

General Information

The CCTC will independently test pharmacy dispensary refrigerators using the Thermocron temperature logger.

CCTC Data Logging Procedure



Please note that the data logging procedure which includes the provision of your results, can take up to four (4) weeks to complete.

What will I receive from the Cold Chain Testing Centre?

The CCTC will produce and provide a report for your community pharmacy containing the results of the Thermocron reading.

Community pharmacies that have dispensary refrigerators independently tested and verified by the CCTC will be recorded on the CCTC's dedicated database, and a verification certificate will be provided for sighting by appropriate authorities inspecting community pharmacy premises.

The results of these tests produced by the CCTC are recognised by Australia's community pharmacy's accreditation program, QCPP.

What happens if my dispensary refrigerator does not meet the testing requirements?

The CCTC is committed to assisting community pharmacies in achieving best practice principles in relation to cold chain management.

If in the event the Thermocron results show a deviation from the recommended 2 to 8 degrees Celsius, community pharmacies will be advised to actions necessary to seek to meet best practice cold chain management principles.

A subsequent paid data logging service provided by the CCTC will be conducted to seek to ensure that actions taken to achieve cold chain management principles are appropriate.

Who do I contact for more information?

Please contact the Cold Chain Testing Centre on coldchain@nsw.guild.org.au or (02) 9467-7140.