

From: [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: OTC products containing codeine [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]
Date: Tuesday, 11 August 2015 2:33:42 PM

No it isn't – codeine is an opioid in its own right.

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Sent: Tuesday, 11 August 2015 2:30 PM
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Thanks [REDACTED]. I am hoping to have a 1st draft to you this afternoon. I question I had was: is codeine a derivative of an existing Schedule 9 substance?

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Sent: Tuesday, 11 August 2015 2:08 PM
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[REDACTED]
Numbers of OTC products with codeine.

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From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: OTC products containing codeine [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Dear [REDACTED]
Here is the info you requested.
Regards

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Sent: Thursday, 6 August 2015 12:00 PM
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Dear [REDACTED]

As requested, I have completed a Reporter search for OTC products that contain codeine.
The findings are as follows

- There are 284 OTC products currently on the ARTG that contain codeine phosphate as an active ingredient
- 126 products have the '*Manufacture of dosage form*' step at an Australian site of manufacture
- 190 products have one or more of the manufacturing steps at an Australian site of manufacture
[The six steps of manufacture are '*Manufacture of dosage form*', '*Packaging and labelling*', '*Release for supply*', '*Secondary packaging*', '*Testing chemical & physical*' and '*Testing microbial*']

Please let me know if further information is required.

Regards

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