

Important information for health professionals

## Parkinson's medication is time critical

Patients with Parkinson's are at risk of significant harm if they don't get their medication on time, every time. Even short delays can worsen symptoms such as rigidity, pain and tremors.

The resources below, developed by healthcare professionals, will help you deliver time critical medications on time for people with Parkinson's.

Scan the QR codes using the camera on your phone. Or explore all the resources by typing **parkinsons.org.uk/time-critical-medication-resources** into your browser.



Time critical medications in Parkinson's: Nurse in charge and ward staff guide



Screening swallowing problems in Parkinson's: Nurse in charge and ward staff guide



Hospital pharmacy time critical Parkinson's medication guide

## Did you know ...?

Over half of people with Parkinson's don't get their medications on time, every time in hospital. This leads to worse patient outcomes, longer recovery times and increased costs to the NHS.

Let's make hospitals safer for people with Parkinson's. We've got lots of tools and resources to help hospital staff deliver time critical medications on time.

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