

NEXTGEN MEDICATION MODULE DEMONSTRATION

This demonstration reviews usage of the Medication Module, problem spots, and tips and tricks to work more efficiently.

This has been prepared with EHR 5.6.5.61 and KBM 7.9 & 7.91. There will be some cosmetic differences among the different specialties, and subsequent updates may display cosmetic and functional changes.

Use the keyboard or mouse to pause, review, and resume as necessary.



Before we get started...

- In practice, electronic prescribing (ERx) will be our primary method of dispensing medications.
- But ERx is not available in the TEST environment, and this affects the appearance of the Medication Module you will see in training, primarily by replacing what would typically be the ERx button with the Fax button.
- This lesson will demonstrate ERx as much as possible, but you will not be able to practice ERx until you are using the program live in the PRODUCTION environment.



Specialty Differences

The means of accessing the Medication Module will vary a bit by specialty in NextGen. But once you have the Med Module open, the appearance will be the same in all specialties.

This exercise will focus on the actual use of the Med Module regardless of specialty; the appearance of the background templates will not be emphasized unless they significantly impact function.





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Alert

NEXTGEN

Intake Histories Summary SOAP Finalize OV Checkout Protocols

This is the general appearance of the working templates for Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, and Pediatrics. (This is referred to as the "Advanced Template Set.")

Reason for visit: Onset: 3 Days. The severity of the problem is moderate. The problem has worsened. Symptoms are associated with history of allergies and sick family member. Symptoms are not associated with exposure to strep. Symptoms are relieved by throat lozenges.

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Assessment: Assessment: Status: 1 Pharyngitis, acute 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Comments: Update

Review of systems

ROS Defaults: All others negative

System	Neg/Pos	Findings
Cardio	Negative	Edema and irregular heartbeat/palpitations.
Constitutional	Negative	Chills and fever.
ENMT	Negative	Nasal drainage, pain in/around ear, sinus pressure and sore throat.
GI	Negative	Abdominal pain, diarrhea, nausea and vomiting.

Vital Signs

Date	Time	Temp F	Temp C	BP	Pulse	Rhythm	Respirat
10/10/2010	2:50 PM	99.0		124/74	88		16

Plan:

Comments:

Documents:

Ready

This is more representative of the appearance of the other specialties' working templates, shown here for OBGYN.

- Navigation
- HOME
- OBGYN Synopsis
- Demographics
- Chart Summary
- Record Vital Signs
- Allergies
- HPI
- Review of Systems
- Past Medical Hx
- Family History
- Social History

You can open the Medication Module by double-clicking on the medication grid...

- > GYN Office Visit
- Histories
- Exam/Proc
- Assess/Plan
- Finalize OV
- SOAP
- Pre-Operative Visit
- Post-Operative Visit

or by clicking on the Medication Module on the “tic-tac-toe board.”

History of Assessments		(Highlight row below and click "Add" button to add to today's assessment.)	
Encounter Date/Time	Assessment	Code	Status
10/11/2010 04:26 PM	Sinusitis, Acute	461.9	
10/10/2010 02:50 PM	Pharyngitis, Acute	462	

Today's Assessment			
Add Common Assessment	All Specialty Assessments	Re-sort Assessment	Assessment Comments
Assessment	Status	Assessment	Status
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Acute sinusitis, unspecified		<input checked="" type="radio"/> Diff DX	
<input type="radio"/>		<input type="radio"/> Diff DX	

A screenshot of a medical software interface. At the top, there is a menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'View', 'Tools', 'Help', and a 'New' button. Below the menu is a list of patient files. The first file is '10/19/2010 12:02 | Summary - C' (with 'FreeText' below it). The second file is '10/11/2010 04:26 | E&M History' (with 'GYN Assess', 'GYN Finalize', 'GYN History', 'GYN Office V', and 'GYN Exam/F' listed below it). Below these are 'Master IM', 'Nurse Docum', 'OBGYN - Ho', and '10/10/2010 02:51 |'. A search bar at the bottom contains the text 'king on'.

Regardless of specialty, you can adjust your preferences to have the Medication Module button appear on your toolbar as well.

General Usage

This is how a very simple prescription would go, as presented in the basic NextGen training.





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Navigation

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Say we've diagnosed our patient with sinusitis, and we wish to prescribe amoxicillin.

Open the Medication Module.

Physical exam

Comments: Carry forward comments

Assessment

Assessment: Status: Update

1 Pharyngitis, acute Diff. DX

2 Sinusitis, acute Diff. DX

Comments: My List Sort DX

Review of systems

ROS Defaults: All others negative Update

System	Neg/Pos	Findings
Cardio	Negative	Edema and irregular heartbeat/palpitations.
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Vital Signs

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Plan

My Plan/Orders Meds Order Management

Comments:

Documents

Chart Note Patient Plan Document Library CC Providers

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41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Patient Condition

Additional Prescription Detail

No Active Medications

Click Prescribe New.

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Status: Inactive (1 item)				
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Rx Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Sig: Change Sig...

Quantity: Units: Refills:

Dispense As Written

Accept

Cancel

Start: Stop: Duration:

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Comments: *This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.*

PRN

Reason:

Problem:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: Add Note...

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed:

Times Renewed:

Full History

Dispense History

Additional Prescription Detail

Medication Search

Find: Amox

Amoxapine
Amoxicil-Clarithromy-Lansopraz
Amoxicillin
Amoxicillin (Bulk)
Amoxicillin-Pot Clavulanate

Amoxicil-Clarithromy-Lansopraz
500-500-30 mg Oral Combo Pack

Amoxicillin
250 mg Capsule
500 mg Capsule
125 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Reconstit
200 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Reconstit
250 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Reconstit
400 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Reconstit
775 mg Oral Tab, Multiphasic Release 24 hr
500 mg Tablet
875 mg Tablet

Amoxicillin (Bulk)
100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powd

Amoxicillin-Pot Clavulanate
125-31.25 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Rec
200-28.5 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Rec
250-62.5 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Rec
400-57 mg/5 mL Oral Suspension for Rec

Description

Amoxicillin 875mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 20mg Tablet
Sig: 1 daily in AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Plavix(clopidogrel) 75mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (75MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Simvastatin 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day in the evening
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Select

Begin to type amoxicillin in the Find box. Listings will appear as you type.

Double-click on the formulation you want; here we'll take 875 mg Tablet.

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No Active Medications

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab			

Prescribe New Print Rx Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Amoxicillin appears, with the most common instructions in the SureScripts database. They're acceptable to you.

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: Units: Refills: 0

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/04/2011 Duration:

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

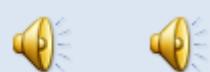
Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#)

You want him to have 10 days of meds, so click in the Duration box and type 10.



Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, RX Medications Templates Documents Orders Procedures Apps Close

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NextGen Grid Preferences

No Active Medications

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Inactive	Diflucan 100 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Rx Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: Units: Refills: Dispense As Written Accept

Start: Stop: Duration: Prescribed Elsewhere Site:
Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

PRN Reason: Problem:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History

NextGen calculates that he'll need 20 tablets, and that the Stop Date will be 10 days from now.

You don't want any refills, and you don't have anything else to add, so click the **Accept** button.



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Grid Preferences

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/13/2011	03/04/2011

Status: Active (1 item)
Active amoxicillin 875 mg Tab AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE 3/4/2011 03/13/2011
Status: Inactive (1 item)
Inactive Diflucan 150 mg Tab FLUCONAZOLE 3/13/2011 03/04/2011

Amoxicillin is moved to the Active Med list.

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Interactions | Stop | Education | Dose Range | Delete | Eligibility | Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route, every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0 Dispense As Written

Start: Stop: Duration: 10

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR PRN Reason:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Problem: [Add...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

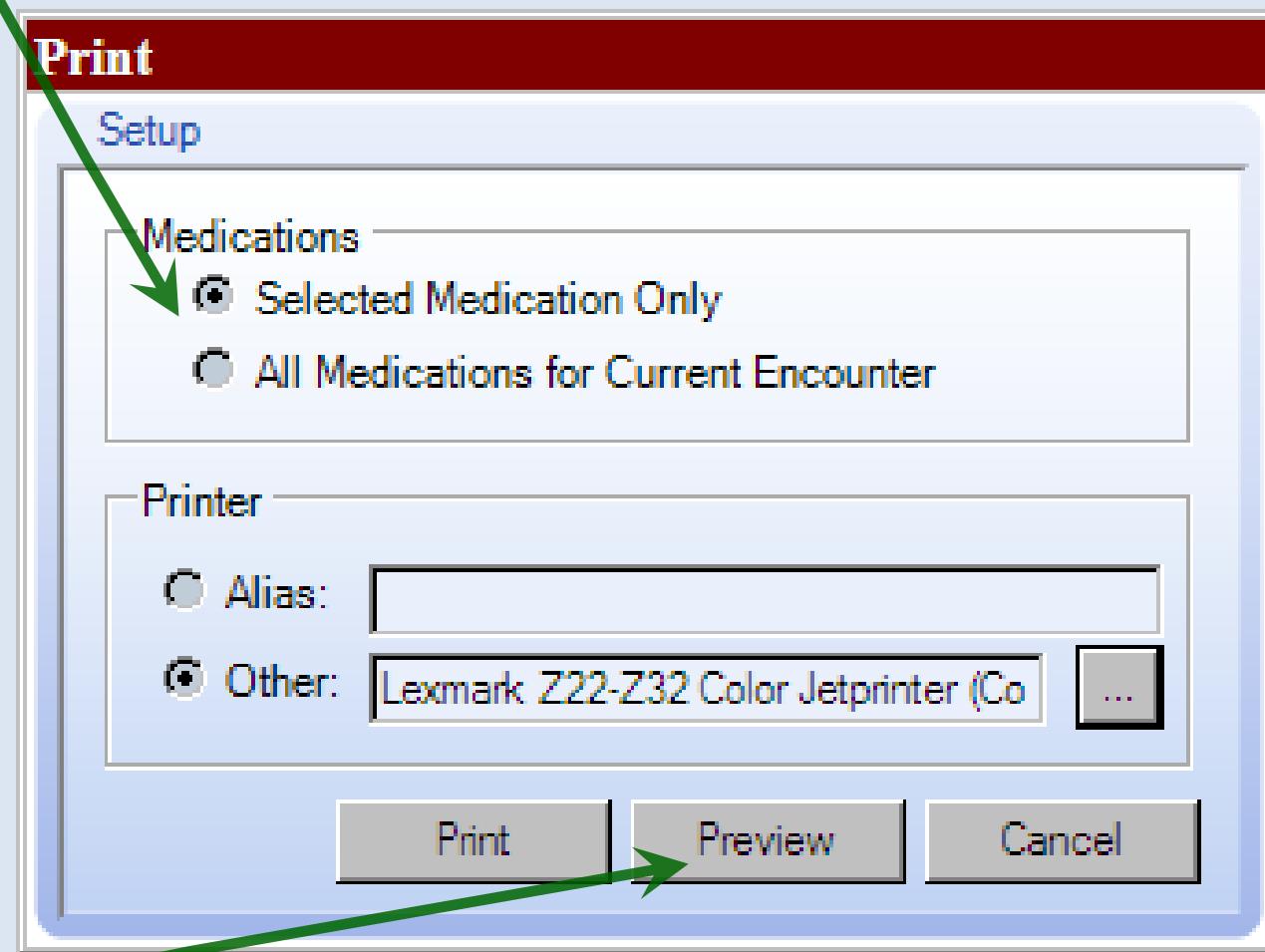
Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

Click Print to print the prescription.



You get the option to print all meds from today's visit, or just the one you highlighted.



You can preview the prescription by clicking Preview.





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USA FAMILY MEDICINE
1504 SPRINGHILL AVE STE 1800
MOBILE, AL 366043273
Phone: (251) 123-4567
Fax: (251) 456-7890



Patient Name: Quincy Quagmire

DOB: 07/25/1948

Address: 2 Q Street
Mobile, AL 36604

Prescription Date: August 18, 2010
Date:

Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

QTY: 20 (twenty)

REFILLS: 0 (zero)

take 1 tablet (875MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours

Generic Substitution Permissible

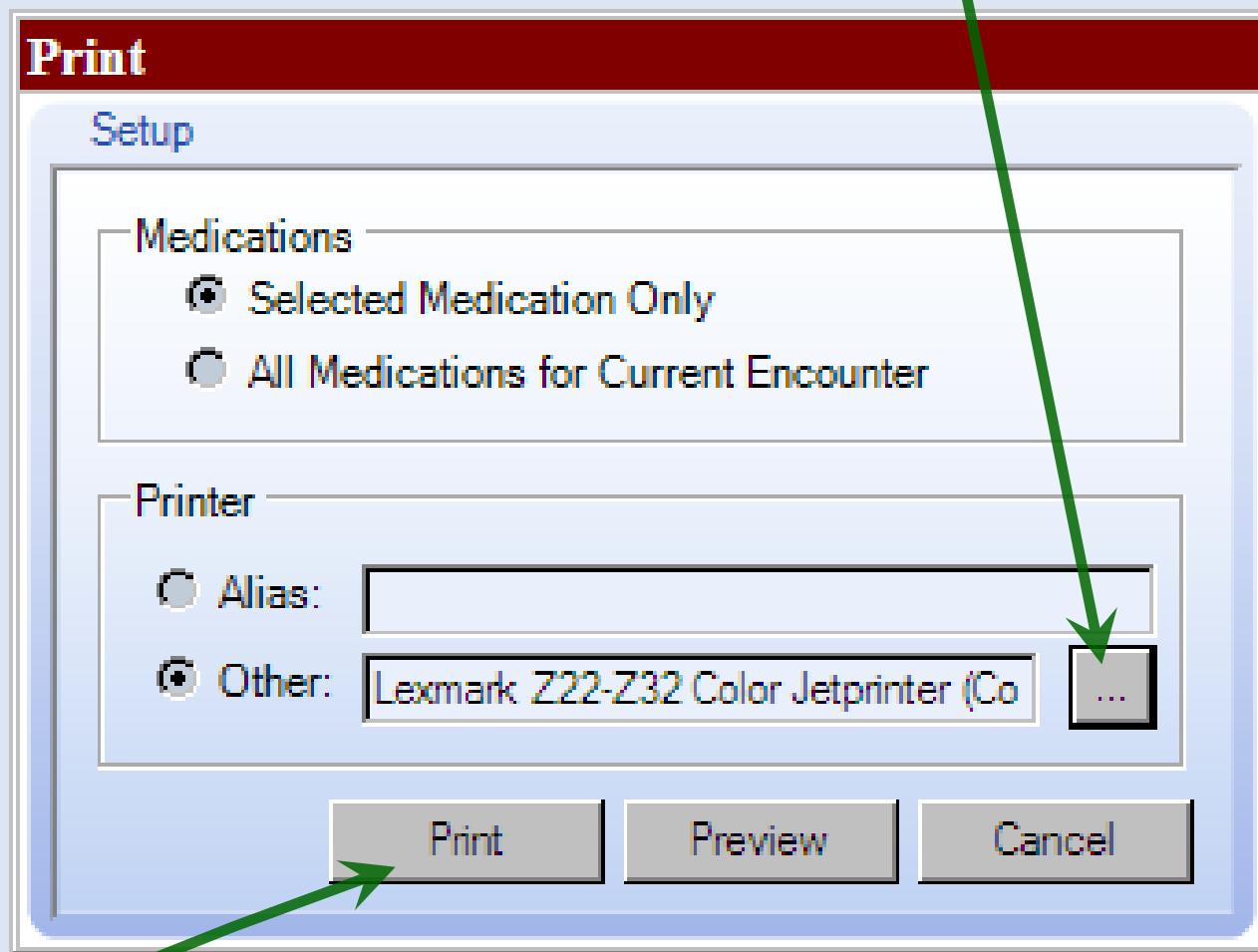
Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Lamar Duffy'.

ROBERT LAMAR DUFFY, MD

Your scanned signature can be set to display on a prescription that is to be faxed. (It won't display on a prescription that is to be printed.)

You can select your printer; most clinics will set up a specific prescription printer loaded with security paper.



Then print the prescription by clicking Print.



Medication Module: Popup vs Tab

Some notes about the two different ways you can open the Medication Module.





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Assess/Plan

Office Visit

Histories

Exam/Proc

Assess/Plan

Finalize OV

Assessment

History of Assessments

(*Highlight row below and click "Add" button to add to today's assessment.)

Add

Encounter Date/Time	Assessment	Code	Status
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Sinusitis, Acute	461.9	
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	354.0	
01/18/2010 08:58 PM	Sprains and strains of knee and leg	844	
01/18/2010 08:58 PM	Hypertrophy of breast	611.1	

Today's Assessment

Add Common Assessment

Add or Update Assessment

Recall that in some templates you can open the Medication Module by double-clicking on the medication grid...

Adult Plan Custom Plan

Plan Details

Tobacco Cessation

Document Library

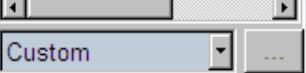
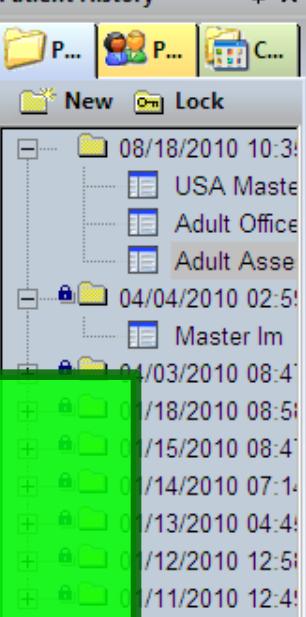
Additional Orders

Medications

(Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.)

Encounter Date/Time	Medication	Dose	Form	Sig Description
01/11/2010 12:49 PM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou...

or by clicking on the Medication Module on the "tic-tac-toe board."





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Patient History



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Finalize OV

Navigation
HOME
Demographics
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Nurse Data
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Order Management

> Allergies
Immunizations
Past Medical Hx
Family History
Social History
Confidential Soc Hx
Tobacco Cessation
HPI
Problem List
Review of System
Physical Exam
Procedures
Assessment
Health Maintenance
Disease Mgmt
Tuberculin Skin Test
Orders
Plan
Document Library
E&M Coding

> Adult OV
Nutrition
Anticoagulation

What is the difference, and why would you choose one method over the other?

To find out, double-click on the medication grid, and see what we get.

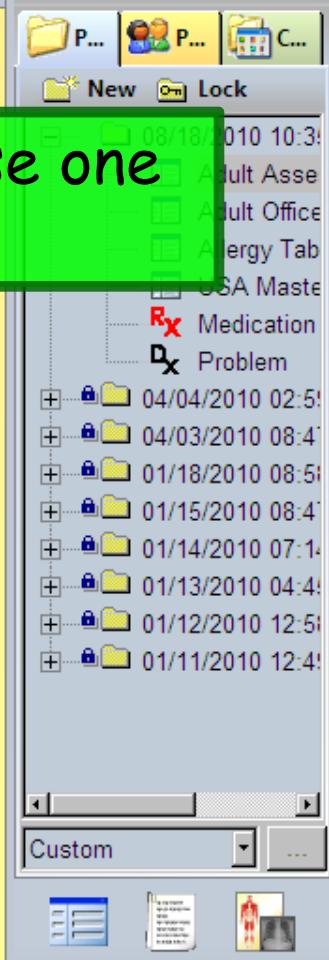
Plan (Caution: Do not use the Adult Plan and the Custom Plan popup within the same encounter.)
Adult Plan Custom Plan Plan Details Tobacco Cessation Document Library Additional Orders

Medications (Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.) Print Rx Patient Education

Encounter Date/Time	Medication	Dose	Form	Sig Description
01/11/2010 12:49 PM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou...

Instructions and Orders for this Encounter (Highlight Patient Edu. order and click the Print button) Print Document

Status	Order	Diagnosis	ICD9 Code	Date	Timeframe	Reason





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Navigation

Alert

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Medication Module

NextGen Grid Preferences 41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligi

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Dispense As Written Accept Cancel

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [Add...](#)

The medication module is in a popup, floating on top of your main NextGen screen.



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Assess/Plan

Office Visit

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Finalize OV

Assessment

History of Assessments

(*Highlight row below and click "Add" button to add to today's assessment.)

Add

Encounter Date/Time	Assessment	Code	Status
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Now look at what happens when you click on the Medication Module in the "tic-tac-toe" board, more correctly called the Module Button Area.

Medications

(Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.)

Print Rx Patient Education

Encounter Date/Time	Medication	Dose	Form	Sig Description
01/11/2010 12:49 PM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou

Instructions and Orders for this Encounter (Highlight Patient Edu. order and click the Print button)

Print Document

Status	Order	Diagnosis	ICD9 Code	Date	Timeframe	Reason

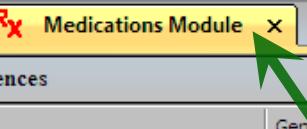
Patient History



New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3...
Adult Asse
Adult Office
Allergy Tab
USA Master
Rx Medication
Dx Problem
04/04/2010 02:5...
04/03/2010 08:4...
01/18/2010 08:5...
01/15/2010 08:4...
01/14/2010 07:1...
01/13/2010 04:4...
01/12/2010 12:5...
01/11/2010 12:4...



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Patient Condition

Additional Prescription Detail

Medications Module Content:

The Medication Module appears in its own tab, and you can easily go back and forth from your working templates.

This is particularly helpful during visits where patients are interjecting comments about their medications throughout the visit, while you're talking about other things.

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg tab

Sig: take 1 tablet(875MG) by oral route every 12 hours Remove Sig

Quantity: 10

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10 days

Comments: Prescribed Elsewhere Site: PRN Problem: Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)



Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Interactions | Stop | Education | Dose Range | Delete | Eligibility | Medication History

Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab, take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route, every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

PRN Reason:

Problem: [Add...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)



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Assess/Plan Office Visit Histories Exam/Proc Assess/Plan Finalize OV

Assessment
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Today's Assessment Add Common Assessment Add or Update Assessment

Assessment	Status
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Sinusitis, unspecified, acute	
<input type="radio"/> Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	
<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/>	

Assessments Add Common Assessment Add or Update Assessment Add Selected Assessment to Chronic Problem List Add

Plan (Caution: Do not use the Adult Plan and the Custom Plan both during the same encounter.)

Adult Plan Custom Plan Plan Details Tobacco Cessation Document Library Additional Orders

Medications (Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.) Print Rx Patient Education

Encounter Date/Time	Medication	Dose	Form	Sig Description
01/11/2010 12:49 PM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou...

Amoxicillin does not appear on the Medication Grid. Why is that?

Closing the Medication tab does not send a trigger to update this template, so amoxicillin doesn't show here. The med has been prescribed, though. If you move away from this template and come back to it, it will show up:



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Inactive (1 item)	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

If you prescribe it from the popup, then close the popup, however:

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10

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Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Dispense As Written Accept Cancel

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [Add...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)



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DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD



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Today's Assessment

Add Common Assessment

Add or Update Assessment

Assessment	Status
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Sinusitis, unspecified, acute	
<input type="radio"/> Carpal tunnel syndrome	
<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/>	

Assessment	Status

Add Selected Assessment to Chronic Problem List **Add**

Assessment Comments

Plan (Caution: Do not use the "Plan" and the "Assessment" buttons within the same encounter. This will cause the system to ignore the "Assessment" button.)

Adult Plan

Custom

Medications

(Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.)

Print Rx | Patient Education

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08/18/2010 10:35 AM	AMOXICILLIN	875 mg	TABLET	1 twice daily till gone
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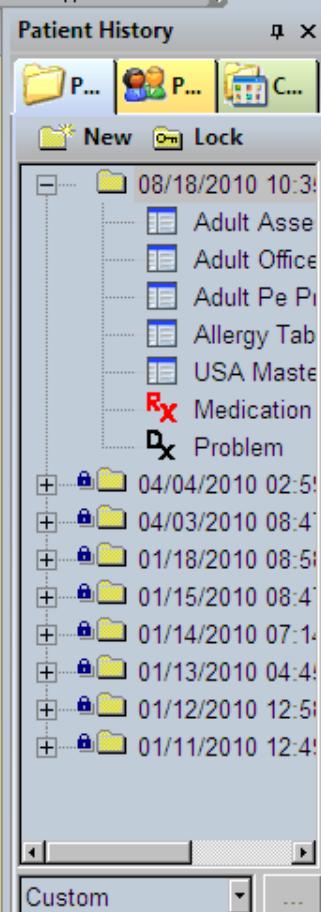
Instructions and Orders for this Encounter (Highlight Patient Edu. order and click the Print button)

Print Document

Status	Order	Diagnosis	ICD9 Code	Date	Timeframe	Reason

Amoxicillin displays immediately.

875 mg



Medication Popup vs Tab: What should I do?

- The tab has some workflow advantages, and may display better on some computers.
- Some users may prefer the appearance of the popup, especially on devices with small screens.
- Bottom line: Pick whichever you like; the tab is probably the better choice, as long as you remember the medication grid won't immediately update on your base template.
- Also, the difference is less noticeable in the Advanced Template Set.



Prescription Instructions: Using the SIG Builder

A demonstration of the virtues and vices of the Medication Module SIG Builder, NextGen's recommended way of creating medication SIGs.

The following screens have some minor cosmetic differences from the KBM 7.9.1 medication module, but they have no effect on this illustration.



Say you've searched for and located erythromycin 250 mg, and you want to create the patient's instructions. The most common SIQ in the databank will display by default.

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0 Sample

Reason: Lot #: Exp: Limit Renewals

Instructions:

Prescribed Elsewhere: Site: For Allergies: with ID: Dispense As Written: Units:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense History: Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History: Dispense History:

Accent: Cancel: Ready: 08/18/2010

Begin by clicking [Remove Sig](#).

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	1/11/2010		take 1
Status: Inactive (1 item)					
Inactive	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	8/18/2010	08/18/2010	take 1
Status: Temporary (1 item)					
Temporary	Erythromycin 250 mg Tab		8/18/2010		take 1

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew - Edit Rx | Stop | Interactions | Education | Dose Range | Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: [Add Sig...](#) 

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date: PRN Reason:

Quantity: Duration: Refills: Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prescribed Elsewhere Site: Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Patient History

08/18/2010 10:34:39: Adult Assess Plan

08/18/2010 10:34:39: Adult Office

08/18/2010 10:34:39: Allergy Tab

08/18/2010 10:34:39: USA Master Medication

08/18/2010 10:34:39: Medication Problem

04/04/2010 02:51:51:

04/03/2010 08:41:51:

01/18/2010 08:51:51:

01/15/2010 08:41:51:

01/14/2010 07:11:51:

01/13/2010 04:41:51:

01/12/2010 12:51:51:

01/11/2010 12:41:51:

Custom

Accept Cancel



USA FAMILY MEDICINE

DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD



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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	1/11/2010		take 1
Status: Inactive (1 item)					
Inactive	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	8/18/2010	08/18/2010	take 1
Status: Temporary (1 item)					
Temporary	Erythromycin 250 mg Tab		8/18/2010		take 1

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew - Edit Rx | Stop | Interactions | Education | Dose Range | Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every 6 hours [Duration] additional text ... Accept Cancel

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0 Sample

Reason: Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Limit Renewals

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Next, click the ellipsis (...).

Patient History

New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3:30 AM

- Adult Assess Plan
- Adult Office
- Allergy Tab
- USA Master Medication
- Problem
- 04/04/2010 02:51
- 04/03/2010 08:41
- 01/18/2010 08:51
- 01/15/2010 08:41
- 01/14/2010 07:11
- 01/13/2010 04:41
- 01/12/2010 12:51
- 01/11/2010 12:41

Custom

Ready

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Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpact...

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

For many meds, a list of alternative SIGs will appear. Just click on one to select it.

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every 6 hours [Duration] additional text ... Accept Cancel

Problem: Note: Start Date: Quantity: Instructions: Provider: Location: Formulary: Last Renew: Accept

Sig: take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours

Key Sig

First Databank Default

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours

First Databank

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 4 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 3 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day for 10 days
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours for 10 days
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route 4 times every day
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours

Exp: / / Date: / / Done Cancel

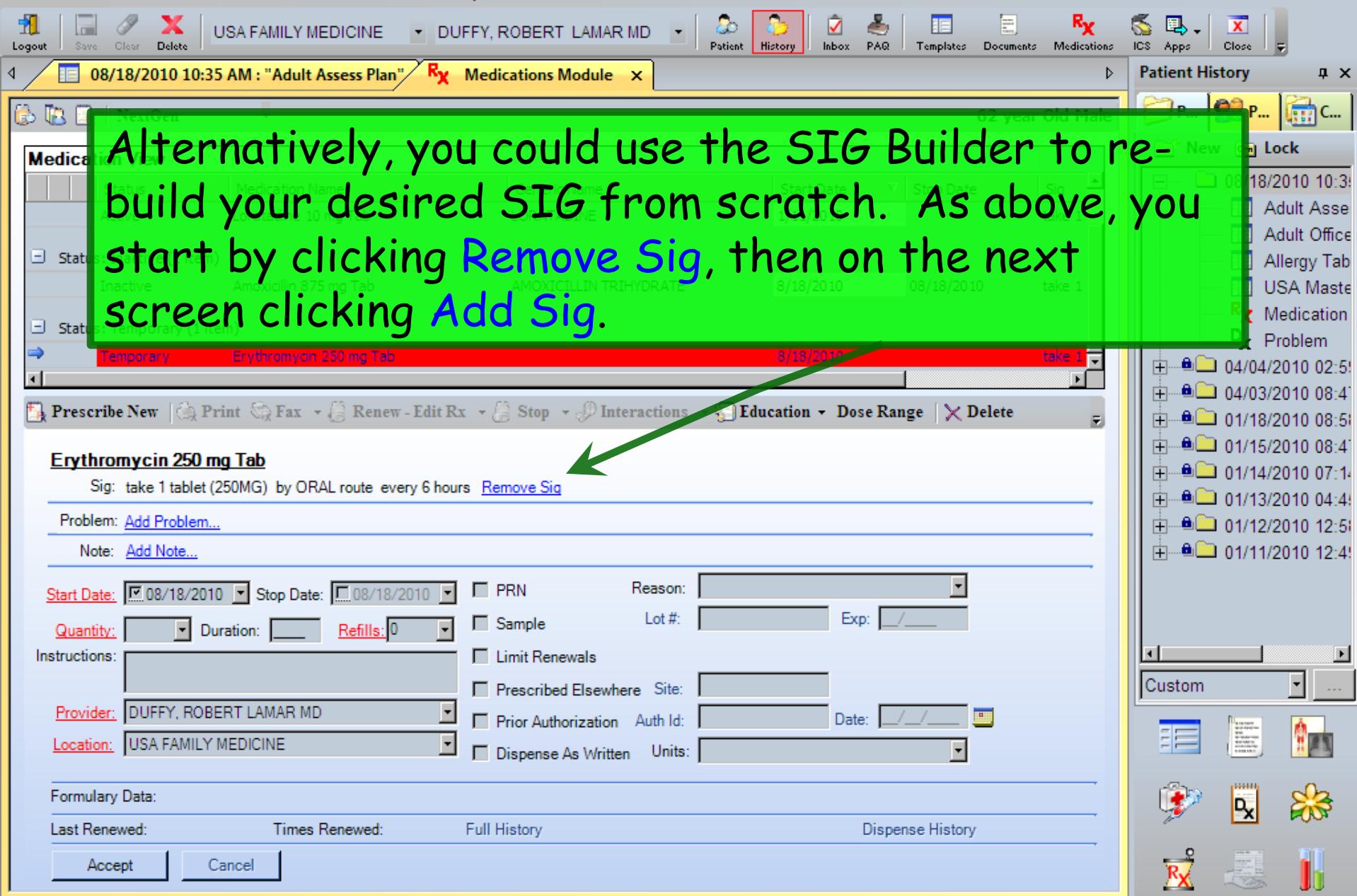
Dispense History

P... P... C... New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3: Adult Asse Adult Office Allergy Tab USA Master Medication Problem 04/04/2010 02:5: 04/03/2010 08:4: 01/18/2010 08:5: 01/15/2010 08:4: 01/14/2010 07:1: 01/13/2010 04:4: 01/12/2010 12:5: 01/11/2010 12:4: Custom

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Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpac... 2:02 P...



Alternatively, you could use the SIG Builder to rebuild your desired SIG from scratch. As above, you start by clicking **Remove Sig**, then on the next screen clicking **Add Sig**.



Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status: Active Loratadine 10 mg Tab LOCATADINE 1/11/2010

Status: Inactive Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab AMOXICILLIN TRIhydrate 8/18/2010 8/18/2010 take 1

Status: Temporary (1 item)

Temporary Erythromycin 250 mg Tab 8/18/2010 take 1

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every 6 hours [Duration] additional text

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date: PRN Reason:

Quantity: Duration: Refills: Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Limit Renewals

Prescribed Elsewhere Site: Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Dispense As Written Units:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Custom

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Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpac... 2:00 PM

On this screen, you would specify each component of the SIG one at a time. Begin by clicking take.

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Medication View

Status: Active

Status: Inactive (1 item)

Inactive

Status: Temporary (1 item)

Temporary Erythromycin 250 mg Tab 8/18/2010 take 1

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: **take** Choose an Admin method below.

Problem: Add P Note: Add N

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Duration: additional text ... Accept Cancel

Quantity: PRN Reason:

Instructions: apply Sample Lot #: Exp:

apply
chew
infuse
inhale
inject
instill
place
spray

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Reason:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Lot #: Exp:

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Specify a method to get the drug in or on your patient. Here, we'll scroll down and re-select take.

P... P... C... New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3:30 AM

- Adult Assess Plan
- Adult Office
- Allergy Tab
- USA Master Rx Medication
- Problem
- 04/04/2010 02:51
- 04/03/2010 08:41
- 01/18/2010 08:51
- 01/15/2010 08:41
- 01/14/2010 07:11
- 01/13/2010 04:41
- 01/12/2010 12:51
- 01/11/2010 12:41

Custom

Rx

Next click on 1 tablet, revealing this popup. You can use this to specify the unit (tablets, teaspoons, etc.) and how many (1, 1-2, etc.).

This can be pretty confusing, and it takes some experimentation to learn how to create anything beyond the simplest of instructions.

Here we'll stick with 1 tablet.

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010

Quantity:

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT

Location: USA FAMILY MED

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed:

Accept Cancel

Choose a Low/High quantity amount.

PRN Reason:

Sample Lot #: Exp:

Limit Renewals

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

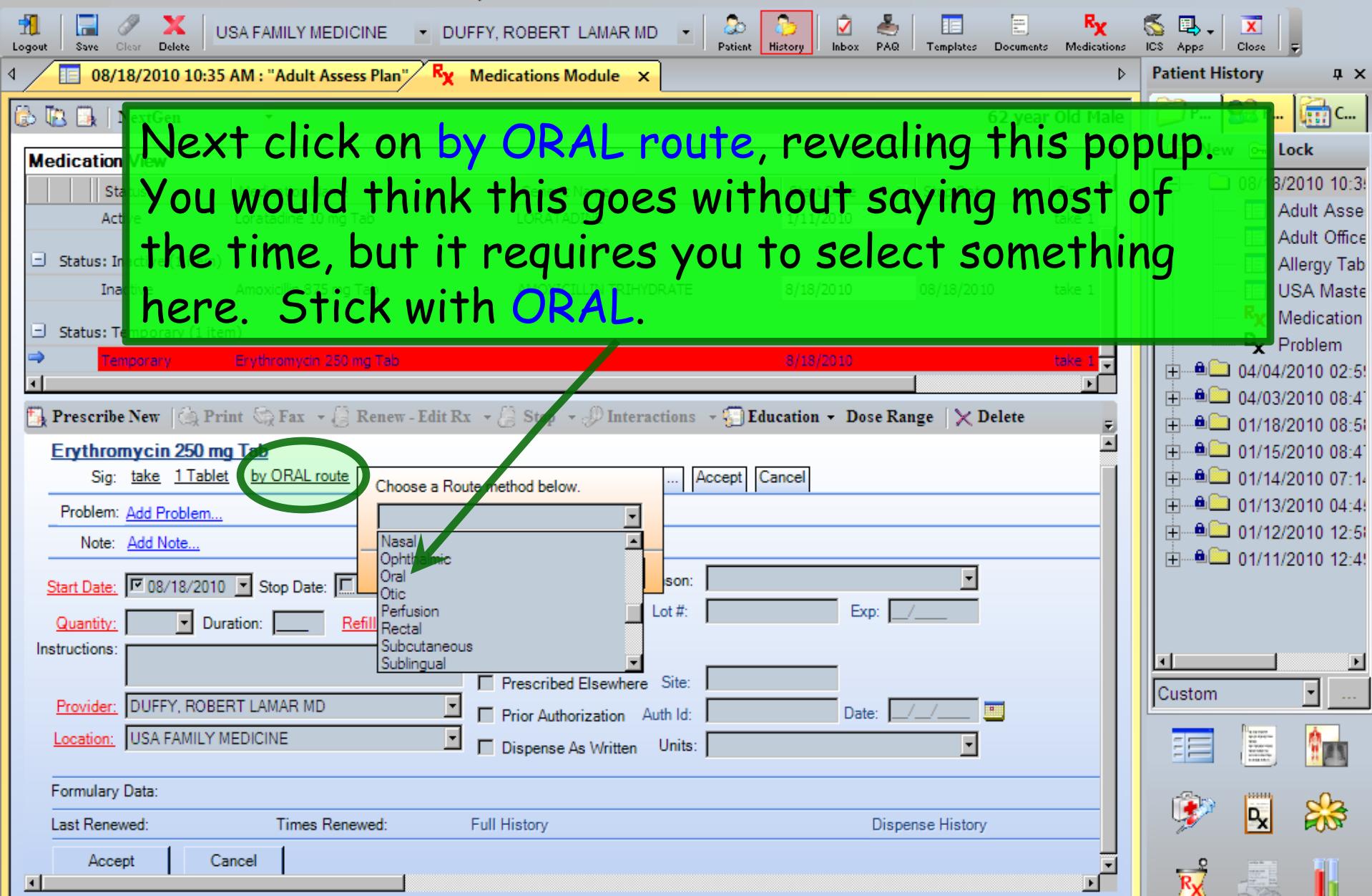
Interval: Times

Units:

Packet
Pint
Suppository
Syringe
Tablespoon
Tablet
Teaspoon
Transdermal Patch

History Dispense History





Next click on **by ORAL route**, revealing this popup.
You would think this goes without saying most of the time, but it requires you to select something here. Stick with **ORAL**.

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Patient History ICS Apps Close

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62 year Old Male

Medication Module

Medication Name: Generic Name: Start Date: Stop Date: Sig:

Status: Active (1 item) Status: Inactive (1 item) Status: Temporary (1 item)

Temporary Erythromycin 250 mg Tab 8/18/2010 08/18/2010 take 1

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 Tablet by Oral route **every 6 hours**

Problem: Add Problem... Note: Add Note...

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Choose a Low/High Every amount.

6

7 8 9
4 5 6
1 2 3
0 . /

7 8 9
4 5 6
1 2 3
0 . /

Exp: / /

Interval: Every

Units: hour

OK Cancel

Next click on every 6 hours. This can be very confusing, and you'll probably have to play with it to figure out how it works.

8/2010 10:34:38 AM: Adult Assess Plan

8/2010 10:34:38 AM: Adult Office

8/2010 10:34:38 AM: Allergy Tab

8/2010 10:34:38 AM: USA Master Medication Problem

4/2010 02:51:45 AM: 04/04/2010 02:51:45

4/2010 08:41:45 AM: 04/03/2010 08:41:45

1/2010 08:51:45 AM: 01/18/2010 08:51:45

1/2010 08:47:45 AM: 01/15/2010 08:47:45

1/2010 07:11:45 AM: 01/14/2010 07:11:45

1/2010 04:44:45 AM: 01/13/2010 04:44:45

1/2010 12:51:45 AM: 01/12/2010 12:51:45

1/2010 12:44:45 AM: 01/11/2010 12:44:45

Custom

OK Cancel

Accept Cancel

Ready

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Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpac... 2:40 PM

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	1/11/2010		take 1

Status: Active (1 item)
Inactive (0 items)
Problem (0 items)

Status: Pending (0 items)
Rejected (0 items)

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 Tablet by Oral route every 6 hours

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

OK Cancel

Choose a Low/High Every amount.

Interval: Times Units: day

7 8 9 7 8 9
4 5 6 4 5 6
1 2 3 1 2 3
0 . / 0 . /

Exp:
Date:

Custom

OK Cancel

Here it has been changed from every 6 hours to 3 times every day.

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Duration and additional text are optional, so we'll skip them. Click the Accept button.

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 Tablet by Oral route 3 times every day [Duration] additional text ... Accept Cancel

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN Reason:
Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0 Sample Lot #: Exp:
Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:
Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:
Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Patient History

3/18/2010 10:3: Adult Asses Adult Office Allergy Tab USA Master Rx Medication Dx Problem 04/04/2010 02:5: 04/03/2010 08:4: 01/18/2010 08:5: 01/15/2010 08:4: 01/14/2010 07:1: 01/13/2010 04:4: 01/12/2010 12:5: 01/11/2010 12:4: Custom

Ready USA Health Services Foundation rlduffy CAP NUM SCRL 08/18/2010

Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpac... 2:45 PM

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan" Rx Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	ORATADINE	1/11/2010		take 1
Inactive	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	8/18/2010	08/18/2010	take 1
Status: Temporary (1 item)					
Temporary	Erythromycin 250 mg Tab				

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 Tablet by Oral route 3 times every day [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0

Reason: Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense to:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Your new SIG displays here.

If you need to add something else you couldn't figure out how to say, you can just type it here.

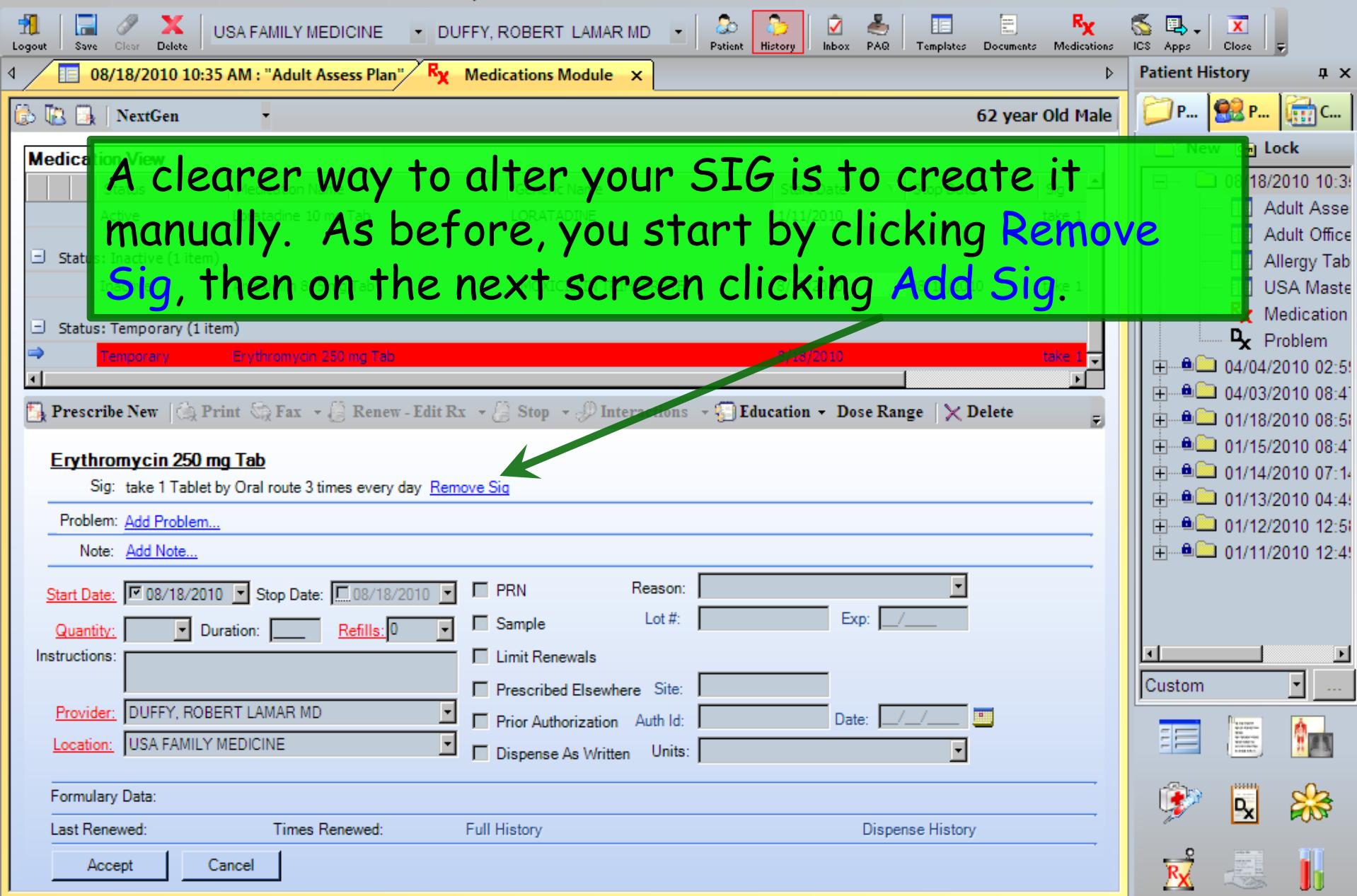
That was fun, wasn't it?

Prescription Instructions: Manually creating a SIG

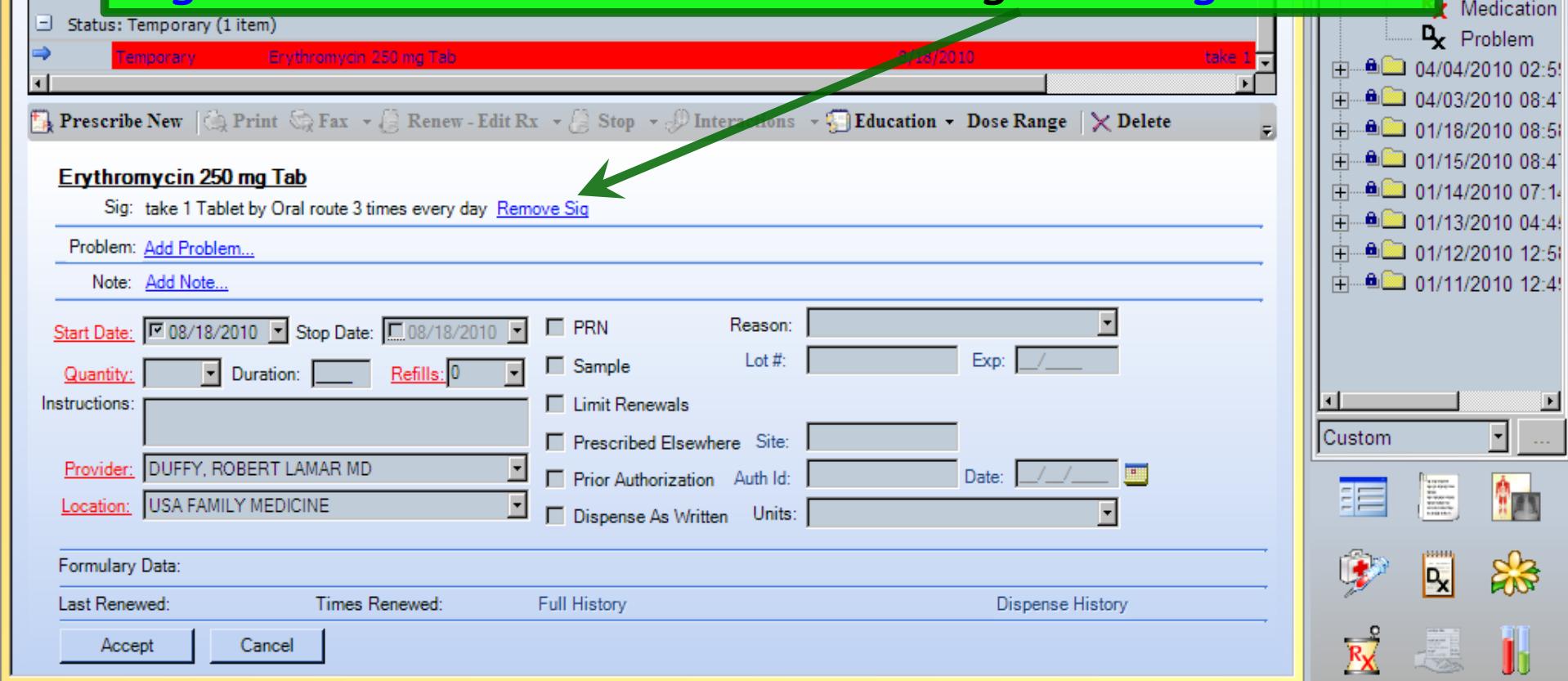
Surely there is a better way to create SIGs? Mercifully, the answer is YES.

The following screens have some minor cosmetic differences from the KBM 7.9.1 medication module, but they have no effect on this illustration.





A clearer way to alter your SIG is to create it manually. As before, you start by clicking Remove Sig, then on the next screen clicking Add Sig.



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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Click the ellipsis to again reveal this screen.

Start Date Stop Date Sig
1/11/2010 take 1
8/18/2010 08/18/2010 take 1

Status: Inactive (1 item)
Status: Temporary (1 item)
Temporary Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every 6 hours [Duration] additional text ... Accept Cancel

Problem: Note: Start Date: Quantity: Instructions: Provider: Location: Formulary Last Renew:

Sig: take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours

Key Sig

First Databank Default

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours

First Databank

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 4 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 3 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day for 10 days
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours for 10 days

Done Cancel

Dispense History

But instead of the list, take note of this space. You can highlight this text and just type over it.

Custom

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Start C:\MSODat... NextGen NGLessonN... Medication... NextGen E... PhotoImpac... 2:58 PM



08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan"

You can type things that are briefer than the SIG Builder, or add further details. Here, since erythromycin so commonly causes stomach upset, we added the directions to take it with a full glass of water.

Click **Done** when you're done.

Medication View

	Status	Medication Name
	Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab
	Status: Inactive (1 item)	
	Inactive	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Prescribe New

Erythromycin 250 mg Tab
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every 6 hours **Duration** additional text ... Accept Cancel

Problem:

Sig: 1 tab 3 times daily with full glass of water

Note:

Start Date:

Quantity:

Instructions:

Provider:

Location:

Formulary

Last Renew

Key Sig

First Databank Default

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route every 6 hours

First Databank

take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 4 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 3 times every day
take 1 tablet (250MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day for 10 days
take 2 tablet (500MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours for 10 days

Done

Cancel

Dispense History

SIG Builder vs Manual

Advantages of the SIG Builder:

- If the original instructions are OK with you, you can just accept them (but then you're not actually *using* the SIG Builder).
- If you use the SIG Builder and specify the duration of treatment, it will calculate the amount needed.
 - You would usually only do this for short-time prescriptions, like antibiotics.
 - Manually-created SIGs *will not* calculate the amount by duration.

Disadvantages of the SIG Builder:

- Cumbrous, slow, confusing, and frankly painful.
- Creates SIGs that are awkwardly-worded.
- Difficult to create complex instructions.
- May create SIGs over 140 characters long, which cannot be ERxd.



Searching by Formulary

The methods and caveats of formulary-specific medication searches.



Medication Search

Find: Search | Class | Filter | Use Formulary | Options...

All HTN DM-Lipids Antimicrobials

Description

amoxicillin 875mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes Duration: 0

Cozaar(losartan) 50mg Tablet
Sig: 1 daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

metformin 500mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily

You can search by the patient's formulary by choosing Use Formulary.

Select



File Edit View Tools Admin Utilities Window Help

Logout Save Clear

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Medication Status: Active

Medication History Consent

Active	FreehandRx-See Special Inst
Active	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab
Active	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab
Active	Miralax 17 gram Oral Powder
Active	Tylenol 325 mg Tab
Active	FreehandRx-See Special Inst

Document Builder

Document Export

Document Import

Eligibility

Top Toolbar

Preferences

Medication History Consent

General Main Toolbar Medical Records Templates Medications Formulary Documents

General

Use Formulary as default medication search

View Options

Notes

Formulary Status

Drug Information

Display (Chemical Name)

Display Only Drugs

Display OTC Meds

On Formulary Only

Formulary Status

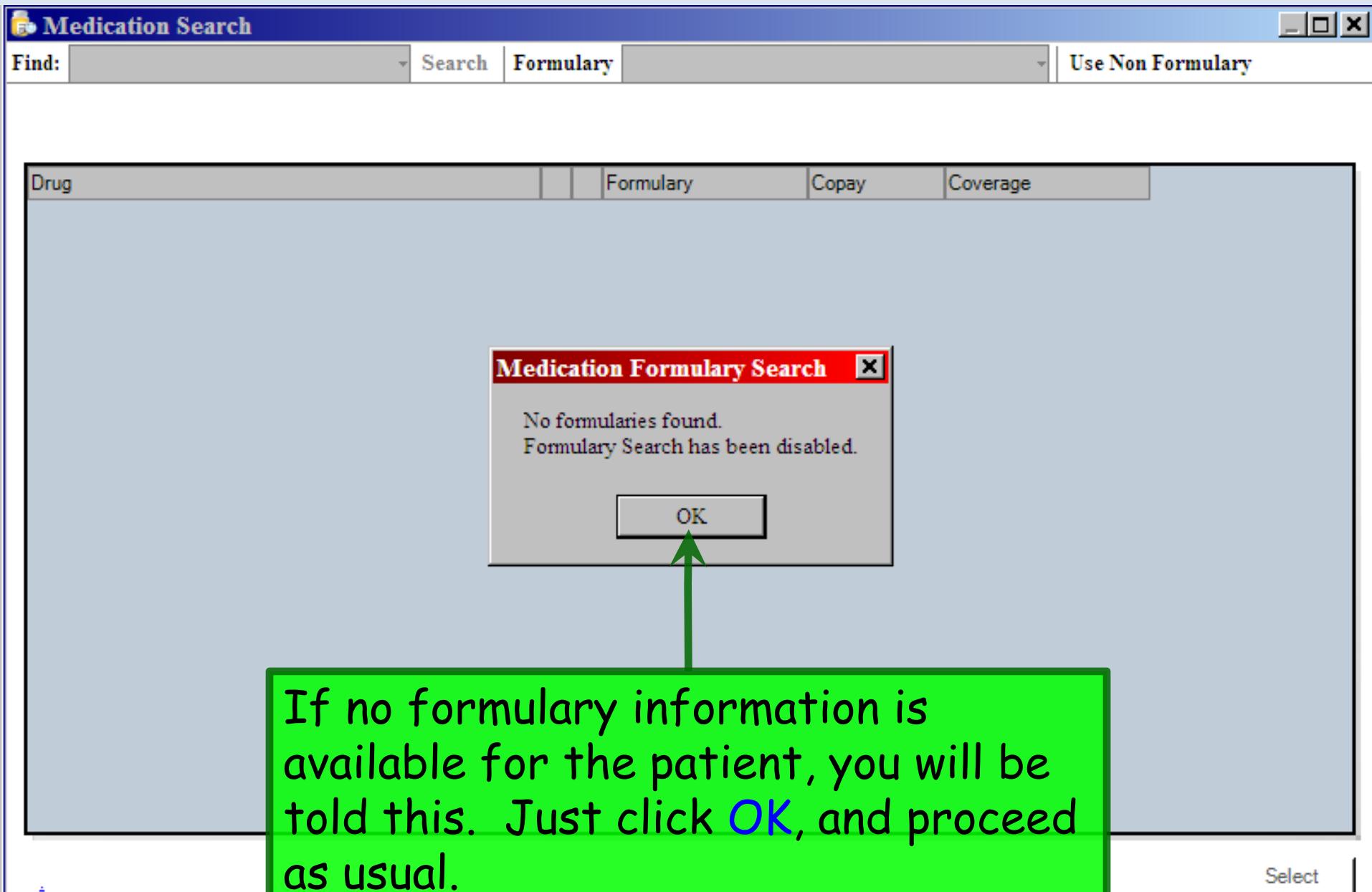
Text & Images

Images Only

Text Only

OK Cancel Apply

You can also make formulary search your default search method, through Tools|Preferences|Formulary tab.



Find: alves Search Formulary BCBSAL (10-25-35SPNP30/90-3TIER-D) Use Non Formulary



Drug

Alvesco Inhl (ciclesonide)

80 mcg/Actuation Inhl HFAA

Pr Preferred

160 mcg/Actuation Inhl HFAA

Pr Preferred

Alternatives for Alvesco Inhl (GLUCOCORTICOID INHALER)**Aerobid Inhl**

Aerobid 250 mcg/Actuation Aerosol Inhaler A...

✓ On Formulary

Aerobid-M Inhl

Aerobid-M 250 mcg/Actuation Aerosol Inhaler...

✓ On Formulary

Aristospan Intra-Articular Inj

Aristospan Intra-Articular 20 mg/mL Susp for I...

✓ On Formulary

Aristospan Intralesional Inj

Aristospan Intralesional 5 mg/mL Susp for Inje...

✓ On Formulary

Budesonide Inhl (Generic)

Budesonide 0.25 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension B...

Pr Preferred

Budesonide 1 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension Bud...

NR Not Reimbursed

Budesonide 0.5 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension Bu...

Pr Preferred

NR Not Reimbursed

Formulary Note:**Copay:****Coverage:**

If formulary information is available, perform your search as usual, and you will see formulary information on the drug specified. You may also see information about formulary alternatives for that drug class.



Drug

Alvesco Inhl (ciclesonide)

80 mcg/Actuation Inhl HFAA

Pr Preferred

160 mcg/Actuation Inhl HFAA

Pr Preferred

Alternatives for Alvesco Inhl (GLUCOCORT...**Aerobid Inhl**

Aerobid 250 mcg/Actuation Aerosol Inhaler A...

✓ On Formulary

Aerobid-M Inhl

Aerobid-M 250 mcg/Actuation Aerosol Inhaler...

✓ On Formulary

Aristospan Intra-Articular Inj

Aristospan Intra-Articular 20 mg/mL Susp for I...

✓ On Formulary

Aristospan Intralesional Inj

Aristospan Intralesional 5 mg/mL Susp for Inje...

✓ On Formulary

Budesonide Inh (budesonide)

Budesonide 0.25 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension B...

Pr Preferred

Budesonide 1 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension Bud...

NR Not Reimbursed

Budesonide 0.5 mg/2 mL Neb Suspension Bu...

Pr Preferred

Budesonide 90 mcg/Inhalation Breath Activat...

NR Not Reimbursed

Budesonide 180 mcg/Inhalation Breath Activ...

NR Not Reimbursed

Formulary Note:**Copay:****Coverage:**

If your search had come up empty, you could click Use Non Formulary to view more search results.

Select



Find: **Namenda**

Search

Formulary

BCBSAL (10-25-35SPNP30/90-3TIER-D)

Use Non Formulary

Drug		Formulary	Copay	Coverage	Formulary Note:
Namenda (memantine hcl)					
5 mg Oral Tab		✓ On Formulary			
10 mg Oral Tab		✓ On Formulary			
10 mg/5 mL Oral Soln		✓ On Formulary			
Alternatives for Namenda (ALZHEIMER'S T...					
Namenda Titration Pak		✓ On Formulary			Copay:
Namenda Titration Pak 5 mg-10 mg Tabs in a...					
Memantine (Generic)					

Other notes on formulary searches:

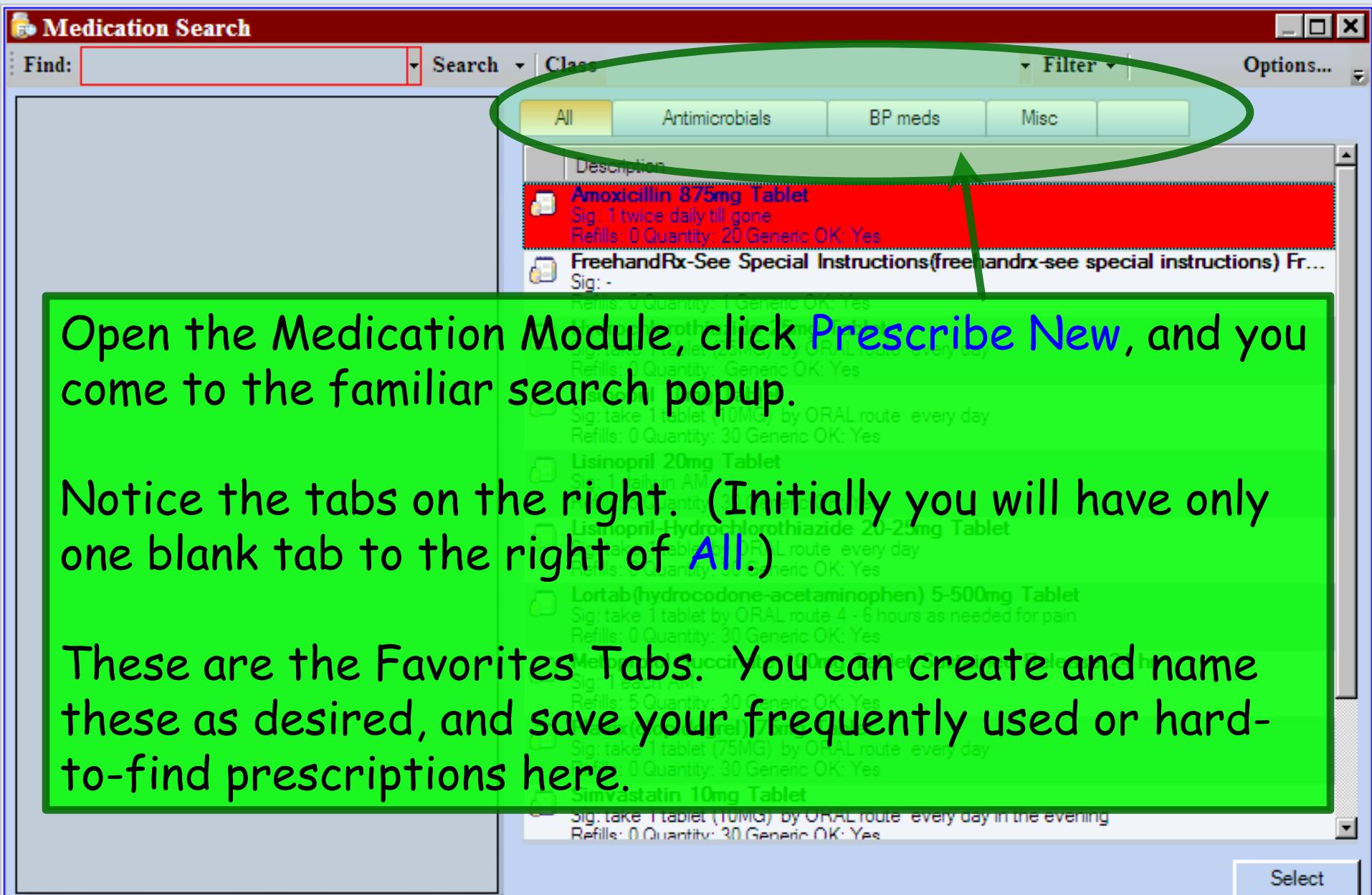
- 1) Complete information may not display on all meds for all insurances. Note that there is a space for copay, but nothing is shown there.
- 2) Not all insurances publish formulary data in a manner compatible with NextGen's search methods. As of this writing, Alabama Blue Cross, United Healthcare, and Medicare formulary searches work, while Tricare and Alabama Medicaid do not.



Using the Favorites Tabs

Some helpful shortcuts for medications that you use often, or you find hard to search for.





Medication Search

Find:

Search | Class

Filter |

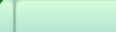
Options...

All

Antimicrobials

BP meds

Misc



Description

Anoxicillin 875mg Tablet

Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 20 Generic OK: Yes

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions(freehandrx-see special instructions) Fr...

Sig: -
Refills: 0 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (25MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Sig: 1 daily in AM

Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr

Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Plavix(clopidogrel) 75mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (75MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Simvastatin 10mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day in the evening
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

To create a new tab, click on the blank tab to the right.

Select





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Medication Search

Find: Search Class Filter Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc Favorites 1

Favorites 1

Refresh Rename Group Delete Group Make Group Default

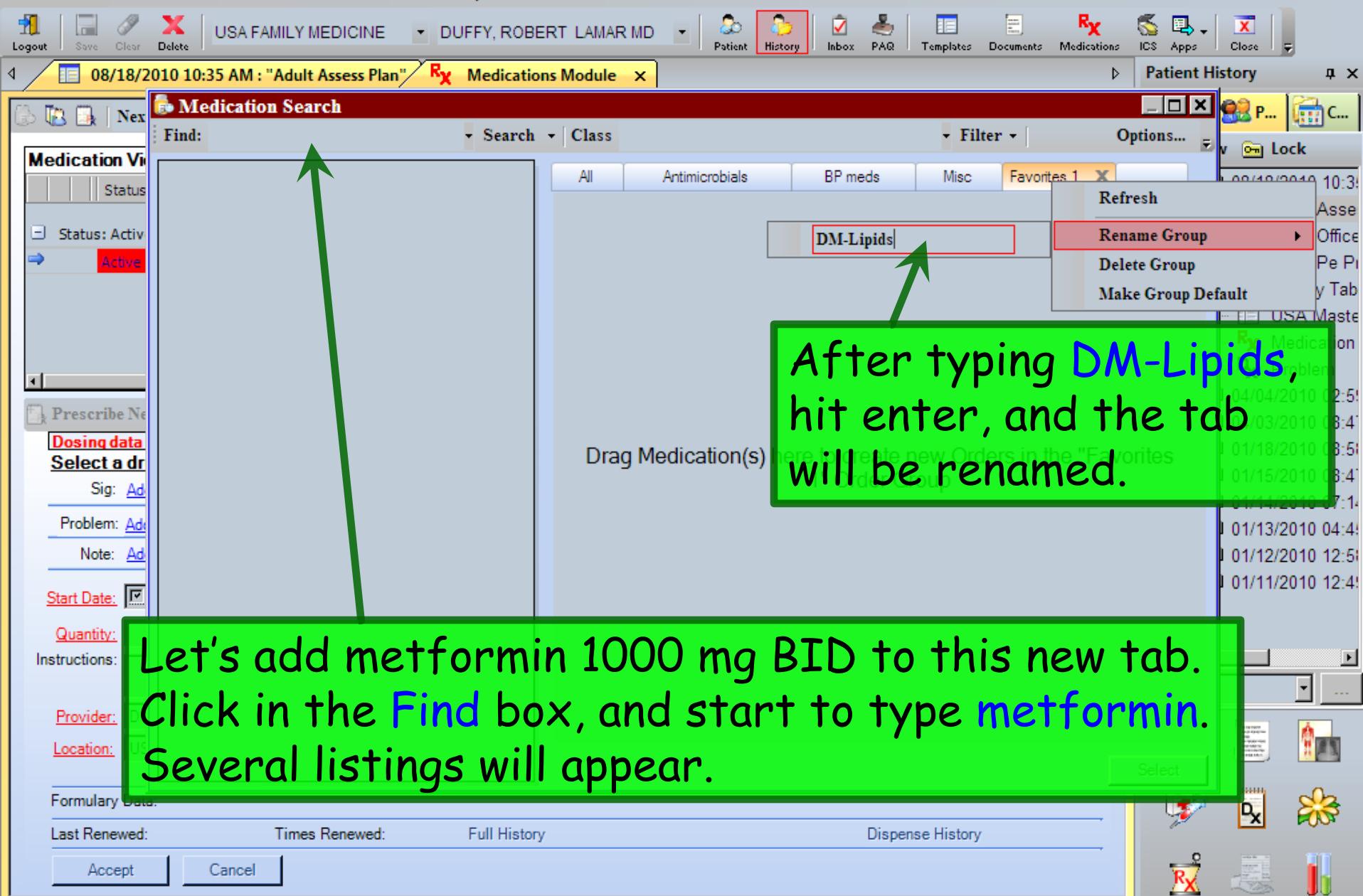
Drag Medication(s) here to create new Orders in the "Favorites 1" Order Group

You've created a new tab named **Favorites 1**.

To rename this tab, right-click on it, click **Rename Group**, then type a new name over **Favorites 1**.

Let's call it **DM-Lipids**.

A green callout box highlights the "Favorites 1" tab and the context menu. A green circle highlights the "Favorites 1" tab. A green arrow points from the "Rename Group" option in the context menu to the "Favorites 1" tab. The entire screenshot is overlaid with a large green rectangle.



Medication Search

Find: Metformin

Search | Class | Filter | Options...

Metformin

- 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
- 1,000 mg Tablet
- 500 mg Tablet
- 850 mg Tablet
- 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 750 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 1,000 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr

Metformin (Bulk)

- 99.2 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Crystals
- 100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powder

Metformin-AA7-Herbal125-Cholin

- 500-383.5-41 mg Oral Combo Pack

Metformin-Caff-AA7-Hrb125-Chol

All | Antimicrobials | BP meds | Misc | **DM-Lipids** | X

Drag Medication(s) here to create new Orders in the "DM-Lipids" Order Group

Click on 1,000 mg Tablet, and drag it into the space under your new DM-Lipids tab.

Select



Medication Search

Find: Metformin

Search Class

Filter

Options...

- Metformin
 - 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
 - 1,000 mg Tablet
 - 500 mg Tablet
 - 850 mg Tablet
 - 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
 - 750 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
 - 1,000 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
- Metformin (Bulk)
 - 99.2 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Crystals
 - 100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powder
- Metformin-AA7-Herbal 125-Cholin

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Prescribe
Edit (circled)
Remove
Add To
External Reference...
Refresh

Now let's modify this to read exactly the way you want it. Right-click on the Metformin 1,000mg Tablet line, and select Edit.

Select

Medication Search

Find: **Metformin** Search Class Filter Options...

Metformin

- 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
- 1,000 mg Tablet
- 500 mg Tablet
- 850 mg Tablet
- 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 750 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 1,000 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr

Metformin (Bulk)

- 99.2 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Crystals
- 100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powd

Metformin-AA7-Herbal125-Cholin

- 500-383.5-41 mg Oral Combo Pack

Metformin-Caff-AA7-Hrb125-Chol

- 500-40-267-101 mg Oral Combo Pack

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals

Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Save Cancel

Click on the SIG line.

Select



Medication Search

Find: Metformin

Search | Class | Filter | Options...

Metformin

- 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
- 1,000 mg Tablet
- 500 mg Tablet
- 850 mg Tablet
- 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 750 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
- 1,000 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr

Metformin (Bulk)

- 99.2 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Crystals
- 100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powder

Metformin-AA7-Herbal 125-Cholin

- 500-383.5-41 mg Oral Combo Pack

Metformin-Caff-AA7-Hrb 125-Chol

- 500-40-267-101 mg Oral Combo Pack

All | Antimicrobials | BP meds | Misc | **DM-Lipids**

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet

Sig: take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals

Sig: take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals

Key	Sig
Most Used	
take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals	
First Databank Default	
take 1 tablet (1000MG) by ORAL route 2 times every day with morning and evening meals	

Done | Cancel

This should look familiar. Highlight/delete the wording in the SIG line, and type your own instructions.

Here, we'll simplify it to **1 twice daily**. When you're done, click **Done**.

Medication Search

Find: Metformin

Search Class

Filter

Options...

- Metformin
 - 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
 - 1,000 mg Tablet
 - 500 mg Tablet
 - 850 mg Tablet
 - 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
 - 750 mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
 - 1,000 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
 - 500 mg Tablet,SR,Gast.Retention,24 hr
- Metformin (Bulk)
 - 99.2 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Crystals
 - 100 % Misc.(Non-Drug; Combo Route) Powder
- Metformin-AA7-Herbal 125-Cholin
 - 500-383.5-41 mg Oral Combo Pack
- Metformin-Caff-AA7-Hrb 125-Chol
 - 500-40-267-101 mg Oral Combo Pack

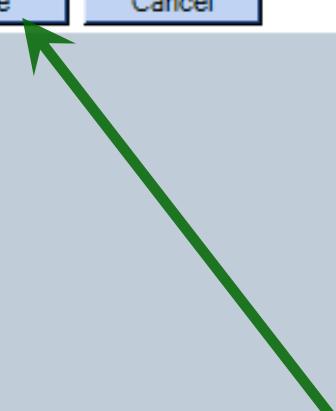
All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily

Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Save Cancel



Change Refills to 5, and Quantity to 60.
When you're done, click Save.

Select

Medication Search

Find: Metformin

Search | Class | Filter | Options...

Metformin

- 500 mg/5 mL Oral Solution
- 1,000 mg Tablet
- 500 mg Tablet
- 850 mg Tablet
- 1,000 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr
- 500 mg Tablet Extended Rel 24 hr

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic Only Yes

Your prescription now reads just the way you want it.

If you also wanted to add metformin 500 mg twice daily, you could drag that over, too.

You can spend some time creating your Favorites tabs, or you can just build them on the fly while you're seeing patients and noticing the meds you commonly use. Don't waste time making your perfect lists in TEST, though; you'll have to recreate them in the PROD environment.



Medication Search

Find: Search Class Filter Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids X

Description

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

To prescribe this med in the future, click **Prescribe New** from the Medication Module. But instead of typing in the Find box, click the **DM-Lipids** tab, and double-click on your selection.

Select

03/04/2011 11:02 AM : "USA Intake - OV" RX Medications Module

NextGen Grid Preferences

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab			
Temporary	metformin 1,000 mg Tab		3/4/2011	

Patient Condition

Additional Prescription Detail

Your metformin is queued up, ready to click **Accept**. Of course, you can modify it further if desired, so this is still useful even if you don't want everybody to get this exact same prescription.

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Max. daily dose not checked - Unable to calculate from FDB data.

metformin 1,000 mg Tab

Sig: 1 twice daily [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 60 Units: Refills: 5

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/04/2011 Duration:

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Accept Cancel

Dispense As Written

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [Add...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

Medication Search

Find: Search | Class | Filter | Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Anoxicillin 875mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 20 Generic OK: Yes

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (25MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metformin 1.000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Plavix(clopidogrel) 75mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (75MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Select

The first tab, labeled All, contains the meds from all of your tabs.

You can create as many tabs as desired.

Medication Search

Find: Search Class Filter Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds **Misc** X

Description

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions(freehandrx-see special instructions) Free...
Sig: -
Refills: 0 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (25MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 20mg Tablet
Sig: 1 daily in AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 3

Lisinopril-Hydrocodone 10mg/200mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by mouth every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5mg/325mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Plavix(clopidogrel) 75mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Simvastatin 10mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day in the evening
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Sig: take 1 tablet (40MG) by ORAL route every day in the evening
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Prescribe
Edit
Remove
Add To
External Reference...
Refresh

You can reorganize the meds on your tabs. Here, we notice that hydrochlorothiazide on the **Misc** tab actually belongs on the **BP meds** tab. Right-click on it, click **Add To**, and select **BP meds**. In a similar manner, you can click **Remove** to remove it from the **Misc** tab.

Medication Search

Find: Search Class Filter Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions(freehandrx-see special instructions) Fr...

Sig: -
Refills: 0 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Imatinib 100mg Tablet
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Plavix(clopidogrel) 75mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (75MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Prednisone 5mg Tablet
Sig: 8x2 days, 7x2 days, 6x2 days, 5x2 days, 4x2 days, 3x2 days, 2x2 days, 1x2 days
Refills: 0 Quantity: 72 Generic OK: Yes

Simvastatin 10mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Simvastatin 20mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (20MG) by ORAL route every day in the evening
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Select

While commonly used drugs are logical candidates for your Favorites tabs, you may also want to add drugs that you have trouble searching for, or have long/complicated instructions, so they'll always be at your fingertips.

Your Favorites tabs can really save you a lot of time and nuisance.



Medication Histories

The medication module is not only used for prescribing, but also for recording a patient's drug history.

The following screens have some minor cosmetic differences from the KBM 7.9.1 medication module, but they have no effect on this illustration.



Medication Module is for history-taking, too.

- The medication module is used by all the staff to record the history of medications taken by the patient.
- Non-MD staff needs to understand not to be afraid of the **Prescribe New** button when recording drug histories; it is also used just to add drugs to the medication list.



The nurse takes a history that the patient is on Lortab-5 from Dr. Jones, his pain management specialist.

She adds this to the medication list using **Prescribe New**, just as if we were to prescribe the medication anew.

But she clicks the **Prescribed Elsewhere** box, and adds an explanation indicating that another doctor is giving him the Lortab.

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | [Rx](#)

Lortab 5 mg-500 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN

Quantity: Duration: Refill: 0 Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Given by Dr. Jones, his pain management doctor Limit Renewals

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010	Take 1 Tab	
Temporary	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab	LISINOPRIL			1 daily in AM

Prescribe New Print Fax

Lisinopril 20 mg Tab 

Sig: 1 daily in AM [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/19/2010 Stop Date:

Quantity: 30 Duration:

Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site: Prior Authorizations Dispense As Written Units:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

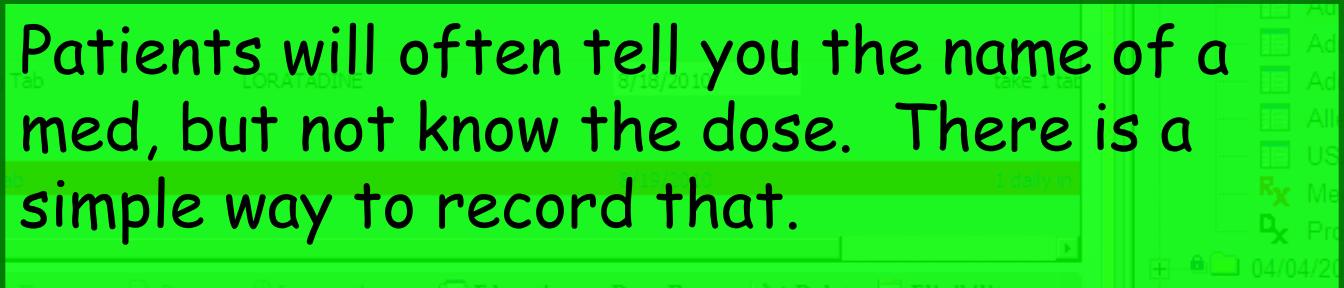
Accept Cancel

Patient History

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Medication View

Prescribe New Print Fax

Lisinopril 20 mg Tab 

In this example, our patient has told us he takes lisinopril, but doesn't know the dose. We clicked Prescribe New, added any dose of lisinopril, and now we're back to here.

Click on Lisinopril 20 mg Tab.



USA FAMILY MEDICINE

DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD



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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010		take 1 tab
Temporary	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab				

Prescribe New

Lisinopril 2.5 mg Tab

Lisinopril 2.5 mg Tab (highlighted)

Lisinopril 5 mg Tab

Lisinopril 10 mg Tab

Lisinopril 20 mg Tab

Lisinopril 30 mg Tab

Lisinopril 40 mg Tab

<Unknown Strength>

Quantity: 30 Duration:

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

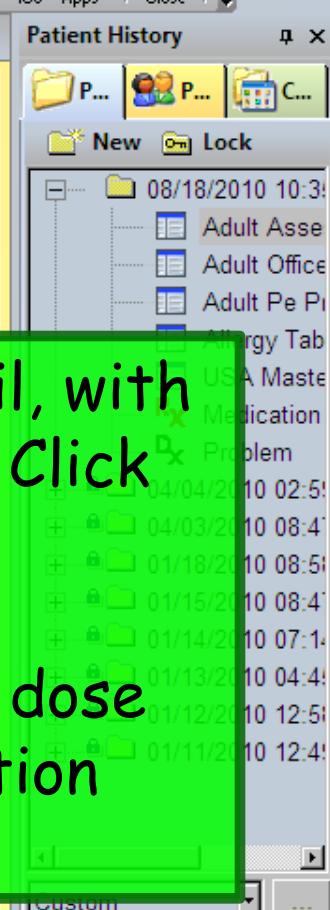
Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

You see a list of all doses of lisinopril, with <Unknown Strength> at the bottom. Click on that.

This is also a simple way to change a dose without having to delete the medication and add it back all over again.





USA FAMILY MEDICINE

DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD



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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010		take 1 tab
Temporary	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab				

Prescribe New Print Fax

Lisinopril 20 mg Tab Remove Sig

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date: PRN Reason:

Quantity: Duration:

Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:
 Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

What if the patient knew the dose was 20 mg, but didn't know how many times a day he was supposed to take it?

Just click Remove Sig, and no instructions will display.

P... P... C...

New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3:30 AM

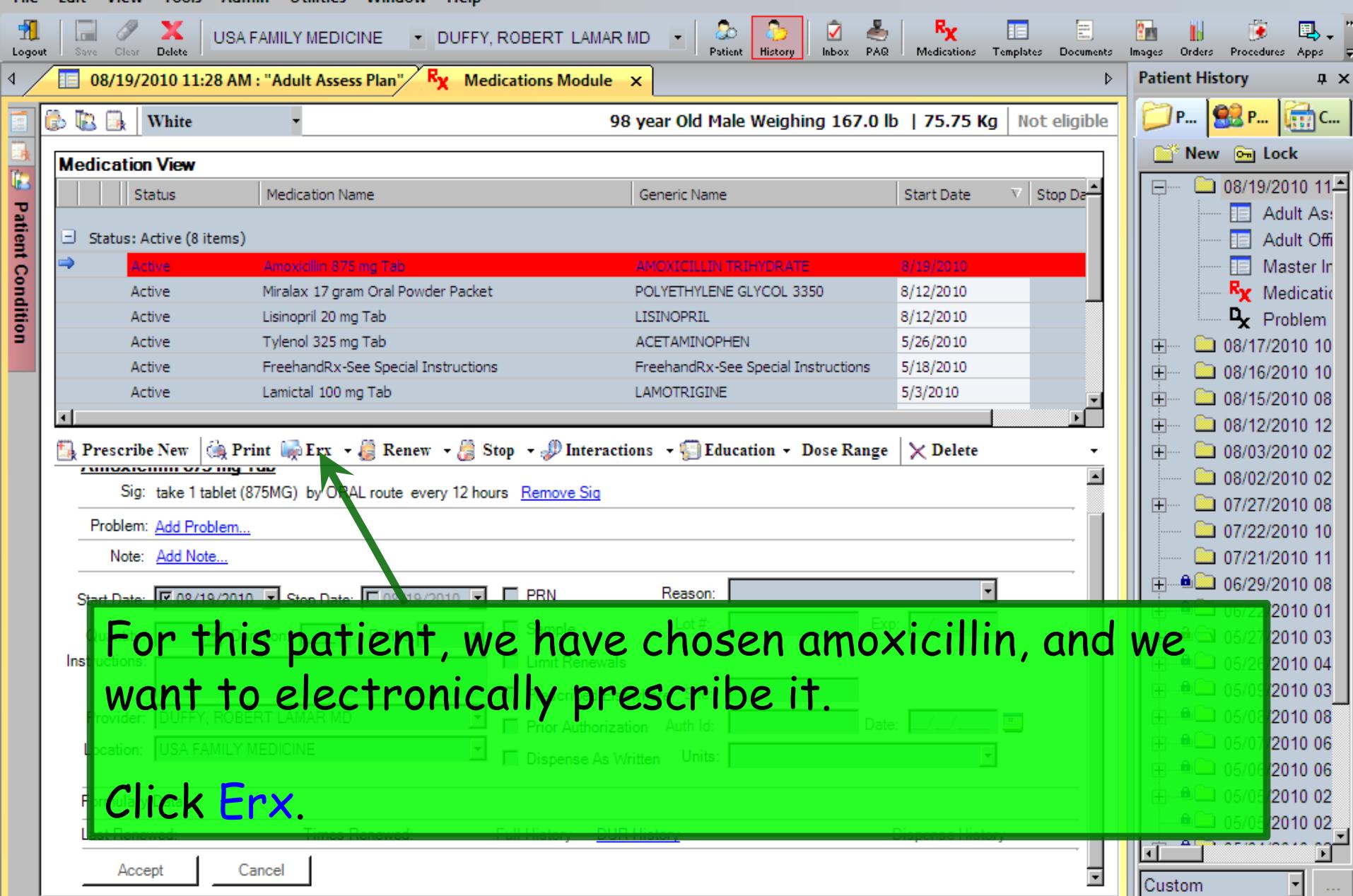
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- Adult Office
- Adult Pe P
- Allergy Tab
- HCA Maste
- Medication Problem
- 10/04/2010 10:02:51
- 10/03/2010 10:08:41
- 01/18/2010 10:08:51
- 01/15/2010 10:08:41
- 01/14/2010 10:07:11
- 01/13/2010 10:04:41
- 01/12/2010 10:12:51
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Electronic Prescribing and Pharmacy Selection

How to electronically prescribe, and some tips on picking out the pharmacy the patient wants to use.

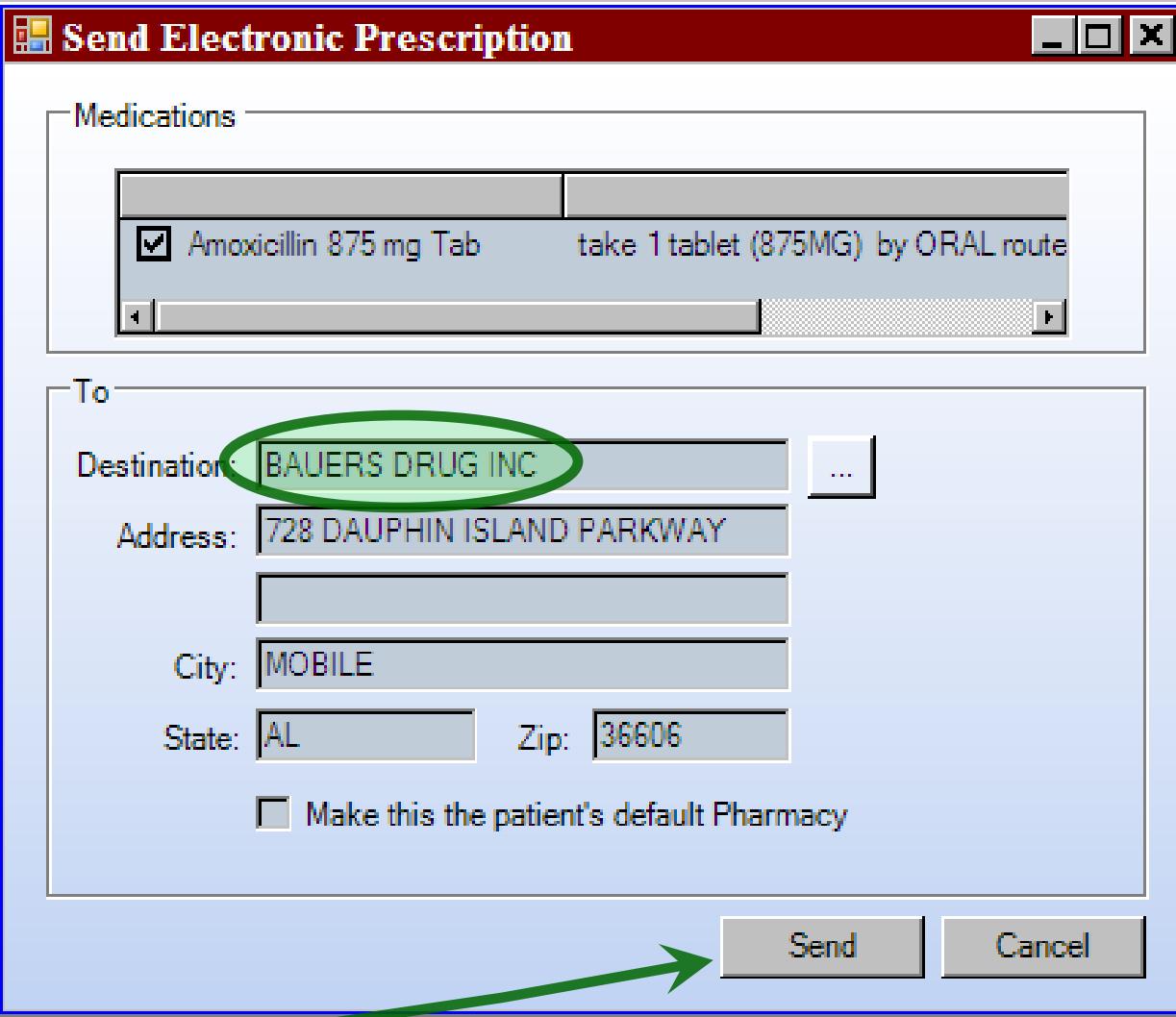
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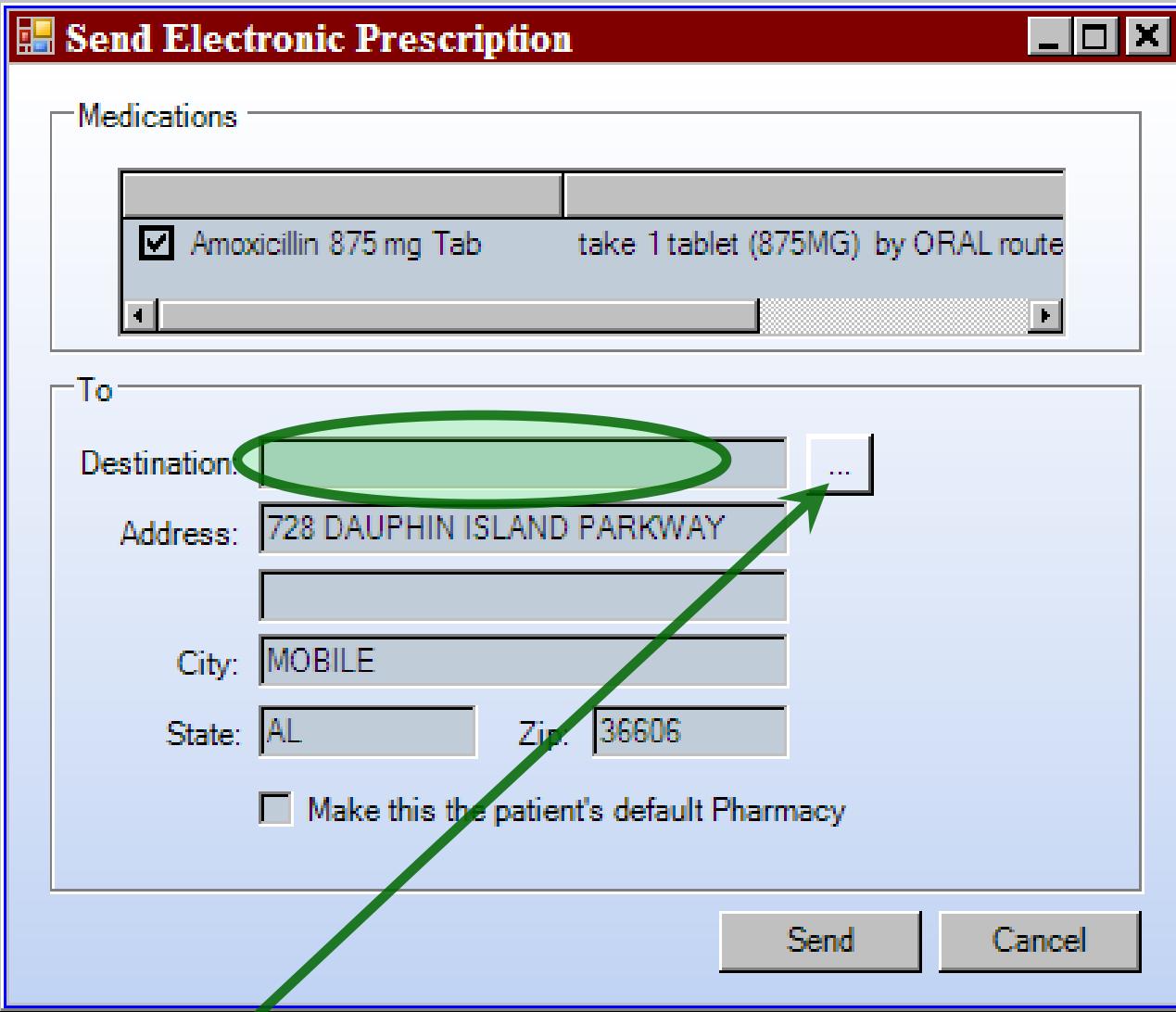


For this patient, we have chosen amoxicillin, and we want to electronically prescribe it.

Click Errx.



If we have previously selected the pharmacy for this patient, it will display. It's always good to confirm the patient hasn't changed pharmacies, but if this remains correct, just click **Send**, and the prescription is done.



If we haven't previously selected the pharmacy the destination will be blank. Click the **ellipsis** to select the patient's pharmacy.



A list of pharmacies within about 100 miles is displayed. You can scroll through this, or use the search function, which often speeds things up.

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Our patient wants to use Walgreens.

Type **Wal**, then click the **Search** button.
A long list of Walgreens will appear.

Pharmacy Search

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<input type="text" value="walg"/>		
Address		
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Walgreens Drug Store 01777		3948 Airport Blvd.
Walgreens Drug Store 05151		5705 Cottage Hill Rd.
Walgreens Drug Store 05151		2440 Bellinger Rd., S.
Walgreens Drug Store 05653		3800 Market St.
Walgreens Drug Store 06084		2 S. Greeno Rd.
Walgreens Drug Store 06085		5530 Three Notch Rd.
Walgreens Drug Store 06639		3700 Schillinger Rd., S.
Walgreens Drug Store 06955		3023 Allison-Bonnell Memo...
Walgreens Drug Store 07045		6001 1/2 Ave., S.W.

How do you pick the right Walgreens?

There are several strategies to employ.



Pharmacy Search

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 Walgreens Drug Store 07962			12 Shelton Beach Rd.	

Include the city in your search. If this is one of the smaller surrounding towns, this is particularly helpful. Even a partial name suffices. Here we've found the only Walgreens in Saraland.

Note that searching for a partial address, however, isn't very good. Searching for **Airport** under address won't pull up a store at **3948 Airport Blvd.**



If the patient has a prescription bottle with them, the store number will usually be on it.

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Chief Pharmacist		
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Walgreens Drug Store 05606		3025 Highway 98
Walgreens Drug Store 05653		3800 Market St.
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Walgreens Drug Store 06085		5530 Three Notch Rd.
Walgreens Drug Store 06507		1320 Government St.
Walgreens Drug Store 06639		370 Schillinger Rd., S.
Walgreens Drug Store 06955		3023 Allison-Bonnett Memo...
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The bottle will also have the phone number, and the patient may know the phone number.

Note that you have to scroll to the right to see phone and fax numbers.

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walg				Chief Pharmacist		
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				Search	Clear	
Line 1	City	State	Zip	Phone	Fax	
GHWAY 90	GAUTIER	MS	39553...	(228) 497-8110	(228) 497-6748	
Stephens Road	Prichard	AL	36613	(251) 330-1631	(251) 330-1637	
Olive Rd	Pensacola	FL	32514...	(850) 478-5241	(850) 478-5427	
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line Mile Rd.	Pensacola	FL	32534...	(850) 479-2354	(850) 479-8310	
Gulf Shores Pkwy.	Gulf Shores	AL	36542...	(251) 968-5946	(251) 968-5961	
McKenzie St.	Foley	AL	36535	(251) 971-6258	(251) 971-6259	
port Blvd.	Mobile	AL	36608...	(251) 345-1069	(251) 345-9343	
ottage Hill Rd.	Mobile	AL	36609...	(251) 661-7763	(251) 661-3413	
hillinger Rd., S.	Mobile	AL	36695...	(251) 633-2704	(251) 633-9287	

OK Cancel

A note about phone numbers

The pharmacy will often have multiple numbers—one for the general public, one for doctors' offices, a main number, a pharmacy-direct number, etc. If you see a number that is only off by the last digit, that's probably the one you want.

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City State Zip

Search Clear

OK Cancel

The patient may tell you "The Walgreens on Airport." But with the major chains, there may be multiple stores on Airport, as shown here. (Also multiple on Schillinger.)

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Walgreens Drug Store 06639		370 Schillinger Rd., S.	
Walgreens Drug Store 07609		2050 Government St.	
Walgreens Drug Store 10851		6395 AIRPORT BLVD	

OK Cancel



Notes about addresses

- 1) If there are multiple stores on the same road, confirm the location by another method—it beats getting a callback because “the medicine isn’t at the pharmacy.”
- 2) Beware corner locations. E.G., one of the “Rite Aids on Government” actually has an Ann Street address.
- 3) Take note of other confusing descriptions. E.G., there are several pharmacies “at the Loop.”
- 4) Take note of city borders. Several pharmacies straddle Mobile and Prichard, and may appear listed under either city.

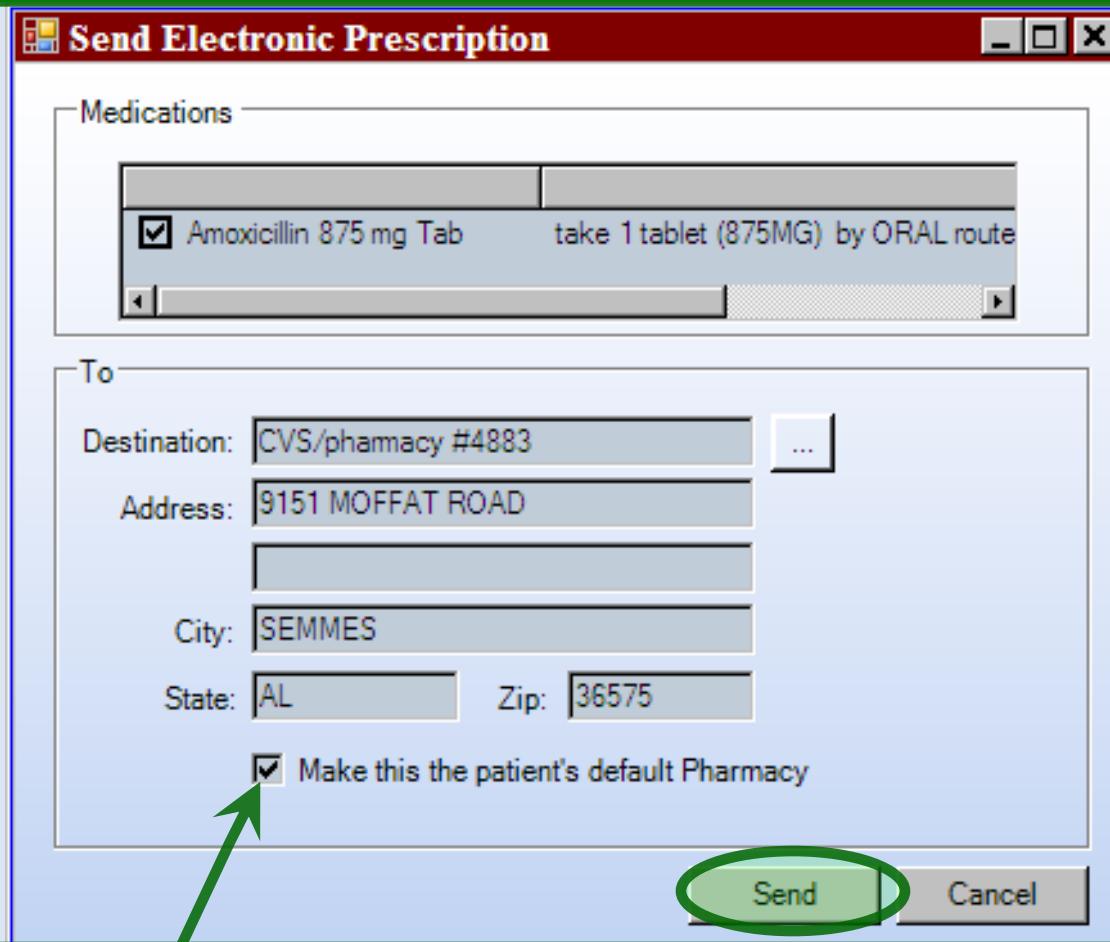


Notes about addresses

- 5) Searching by border/unincorporated communities is inconsistent. E.G., you can search for Semmes, but not Tillman's Corner.
- 6) If necessary, call the pharmacy to clarify; the answering machine message alone may be all you need.
- 7) MapQuest may also clear things up.
- 8) Many clinics have a pharmacy "cheatsheet" to clear up this sort of confusion—and the nurses may know it by heart.
- 9) If all else fails, just print the prescription.



However you find the pharmacy, double-click on it, and you'll return to here.



Important: Click this box to make it the patient's default pharmacy for ERx so you don't have to search for it the next time. Then click **Send**.



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Some pharmacies just aren't listed. This is more likely with locally-owned private pharmacies, but it doesn't happen very often any more. Sometimes it is due to a transient glitch in the system, or a problem with the pharmacy's SureScripts registration. If you don't see a pharmacy listed, call them, and inform them they're not showing up. They don't want to lose business, and they'll usually contact SureScripts and straighten out the problem. Print the prescription if you must.



Other times you'll have to print a prescription

- 1) The Coast Guard Base and several mail-order pharmacies don't accept ERx as of this writing, though this will become less common over time.
- 2) Controlled substances. (Though technically legal to ERx controlled substances, it will take some time for the details to be worked out.)
- 3) An institutional requirement for a printed prescription. (E.G., a day care or adult group home.)
- 4) The Internet is down and you are technically unable to transmit the prescription.
- 5) The patient insists on a printed prescription.



Notes about faxing prescriptions

- 1) Schedule III-V drugs can be faxed, even though they can't be ERxd.
- 2) Most pharmacies that can't accept ERx will accept a fax.
- 3) After your signature has been scanned into NextGen, you can fax a prescription with your signature.



Optional Features

There are several other things on the medication module you may or may not choose to use.



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NextGen Grid Preferences 41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Patient Condition

Additional Prescription Detail

Rx Note View

Grid Preferences

Status Medication Name Generic Name Start Date End Date

Status: Active (2 items)

Active metformin AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE 3/4/2011 3/13/2011

Active amoxicillin 500 mg Tab FUCONAZOLE 2/13/2011 3/04/2011

Status: Inactive (1 item)

Inactive Diflucan 150 mg Tab

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

metformin 1,000 mg Tab
Sig: 1 twice daily [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 60 Units:

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop:

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Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: sample note [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) [DUR History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

There are a few buttons on the left side of the screen that cause optional information to slide in and out when you hover over them.

These may be in different orders, and can be hidden, depending upon user preferences.





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41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Grid Preferences

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Status: Active (2 items)				
Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Status: Inactive (1 item)				
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Interactions | Stop | Discharge | Medication History | Max. daily dose not checked | Unable to calculate dose from FDB data.

metformin 1,000 mg Tab

Sig: 1 twice daily [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 60 Units: Refills: 5

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/04/2011 Duration:

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: sample note [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

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One is the Notes view.
You can also bring this up by clicking Add Note.

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Rx Note View

Notes: Newest First Date

Duffy, Robert - Note 03/04/11 2:06 pm

Yada yada yada

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Generic Name Start Date Stop Date

METFORMIN HCL 3/4/2011

AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE 3/4/2011 03/13/2011

FLUCONAZOLE 2/19/2011 03/09/2011

Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

MAX. daily dose not checked - Unable to calculate from FDB data.

Refills: 5 Dispense As Written Accept Cancel

Duration: Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

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PRN Reason:

Problem: Add...

Full History DUR History Dispense History Additional Prescription Detail

Update Delete Add Note

You can add, update, or delete notes about this medication.



Logout



Save



Clear



Delete

USA FAMILY MEDICINE

DUFFY, ROBERT



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Medical

Rx Note View



Patient Condition

Additional

Notes: Newest First

Date



Duffy, Robert - Note

03/04/11

Yada yada yada

2:06 pm

Note the thumbtack and X icons at the top. These allow you to choose whether these views auto-hide, stay visible, or are closed all together.



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Prescription Pad

ROBERT LAMAR DUFFY DEA: AD3247764
USA FAMILY MEDICINE Lic: 12204
1504 SPRINGHILL AVE, Ste...
Phone: 2514343475 Fax: 25...

Name: Anishabitha Quagmire Date: 3/4/2011
DOB: 1/21/1970 Age: 41 years
Rx: metformin 1,000 mg Tab Qty: 60

Directions: 1 twice daily Refill: 5

Interactions Stop Education Date Range Eligibility Medication History

Prescription Pad, logically enough, shows you what your prescription looks like.

Duration: Prescribed Elsewhere Site: _____

PRN Reason: _____

Problem: [Add...](#)

Full History DUR History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

Dispense As Written Signature: *RUDY R
LAMAR DUFFY*

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Patient Condition

Diagnosis	Code	Date
Unresolved		
Anxiety	300.00	
Chest Pain, Unsp...	786.50	
Nondependent c...	305.22	
Other general me...	V70.3	2/13/2011
Sinusitis, Acute	461.9	
Tobacco Abuse	305.1	
Vaginal Discharge	623.5	2/13/2011
Vulvavaginitis, C...	112.1	2/13/2011

Allergy

FLUCONAZOLE 3/4/2011 03/23/2011 1 13/2011 03/04/2011

Interactions

Refills: 5 Dispense As Written

Duration: Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [Add...](#)

Full History [DUR History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

The Patient Condition view gives you a quick look at chronic problems and unresolved acute diseases that have been documented.

You also see the patient's allergies.

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Patient Condition

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Vaginal Discharge	623.5	2/13/2011
Vulvavaginitis, C...	112.1	2/13/2011

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Remove Sig

Refills: 0 Dispense As Written Accept

Duration: 10 Prescribed Elsewhere Site: Cancel

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: Add...

Allergy Onset Comment

Clicking Problem Add will also display the condition view...



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Sinusitis, Acute	461.9	
Tobacco Abuse	305.1	
Vaginal Discharge	623.5	2/13/2011
Vulvavaginitis, C...	112.1	2/13/2011

Allowing you to associate a diagnosis with this medication.

Here, we clicked on **Sinusitis, Acute**.

Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Remove Sig

Refills: 0 Dispense As Written Accept

Duration: 10 Prescribed Elsewhere Site: Cancel

Prescription should be sent of the Sig Builder.

PRN Reason:

Problem: Add...

Full History Dispense History Additional Prescription Detail





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41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab			

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Interactions | Stop | Education | Dose Range | Delete | Eligibility | Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

And now this is associated with this medication.

Accept Cancel

Dispense As Written

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [View...](#)

Sinusitis, Acute (461.9)



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Additional Prescription Detail

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Start Date: 3/4/2011

Stop Date: 3/13/2011

Quantity: 20

Print Spanish

Sample

Lot #:

Exp:

Limit Renewals

Prior Authorization

Auth Id:

Date:

Supervising Physician:

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

FLUCONAZOLE 3/4/2011 03/23/2011 03/13/2011

FLUCONAZOLE 2/13/2011 03/04/2011

Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

Remove Sig

Refills: 0 Dispense As Written

Duration: 10

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [View...](#)
Sinusitis, Acute (461.9)

Full History Dispense History Additional Prescription Detail

Additional Prescription Detail can also be displayed.

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41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Status Medication Name Generic Name Start Date Stop Date

Status: Active (3 items)

Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN	3/4/2011	3/13/2011

Status: Inactive (1 item)

Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/15/2011	03/04/2011
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Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0 Dispense As Written

Start: Stop: Duration: 10

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

Note: **Note that the medication module automatically displays your patient's weight in English and Metric units.**



Note several other options available to you, which are relatively self-explanatory. Some of these are redundant with the SIG, but they provide you with some other work alternatives, if desired.

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

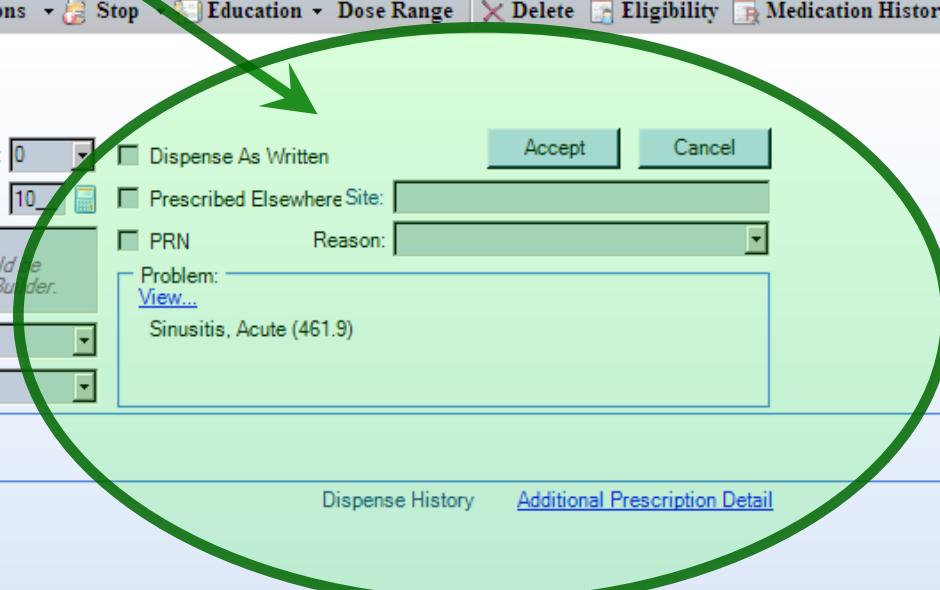
Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)



Accept Cancel

Dispense As Written

Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

PRN Reason:

Problem: [View...](#)
Sinusitis, Acute (461.9)

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Clicking Education gives you access to a couple of resources.

Education dropdown menu:

- Monograph...
- External Reference...

Monograph displays the summarized package insert, which can be printed for the patient.
External Reference will take you to the Epocrates web site.

Status	Medication	Strength	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab
Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0 Dispense As Written [Accept](#) [Cancel](#)

Comments: [PRN](#) [Problem](#) [View](#)

Provider: [Edit Note](#)

Location: FAMILY MEDICINE [Edit Note](#)

Formulary: [Edit Note](#)

Last Renewed: This is renewed. Full History Dispense History Additional Prescription Detail





amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) b.i.d. oral route every 12 hours. [Prescribe](#)

Quantity: Start: 03/04/2011 End: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10

Comments:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed:

Times Renewed:

Full History

Dispense History

[Additional Prescription Detail](#)



Clicking **Interactions** will display possible interactions with the patient's other medications.



USA FAMILY MEDICINE

DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Rx Medications Module

Patient Condition

Rx Note View

White

98 year Old Male Weighing 167.0 lb | 75.75 Kg | No eligibility status

Drug Interaction - Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Please approve the following drug interaction(s).

Description

Patient Allergy - CEFTRIAZONE SODIUM

The patient has a recorded allergy to CEFTRIAZONE SODIUM.
The interaction is Cross Sensitivity. Action to reduce the adverse effect of this interaction maybe required.

User Defined Medication/Non-Screened Medication

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions

The Medication FreehandRx-See Special Instructions, is a non-coded or user defined medication; therefore Drug Interactio...

The patient has a recorded allergy to CEFTRIAZONE SODIUM.

The interaction is Cross Sensitivity. Action to reduce the adverse effect of this interaction maybe required.

Reason:

Acknowledge

Done

Cancel

Monograph

Prior Authorization AUTH ID:

Date:

These are the same interactions that automatically display when you create the prescription.

Ready

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NextGen...

NextGen ...

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Patient History



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Clicking Dose Range will display the range of doses that match the patient's age and weight.

Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Status: Inactive (1 item)				
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tab (875MG) by oral route, every 12 hours. Remove Sig

Quantity: 1000 Units

Start Date: 3/4/2011

Comments: PRN

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Notes: Sinusitis, Acute (461.9)

Formulary Data

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History Additional Prescription Detail

Important: The operative word here is range. The program is not telling you what dose *this* patient needs for *this* illness; it is merely giving you the range of doses in the database for this age/weight combination.





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Rx Medications Module

Patient History

Ages are broken down into several pediatric ranges, adulthood (18-64), and older adulthood (≥ 65).

Status: Active (8 items)

Active	Amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	8/19/2010
Active	Miralax 17 gram Oral Powder Packet	POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL 3350	8/12/2010
Active	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab	LISINOPRIL	8/12/2010
Active	Tylenol 325 mg Tab	ACETAMINOPHEN	5/26/2010
Active	FreehandRx-See Special Instructions	FreehandRx-See Special Instructions	5/18/2010
Active	Lamictal 100 mg Tab	LAMOTRIGINE	5/3/2010

Prescribe New

Print

Rx

Renew

Stop

Check Interactions - All

Education

Dose Range

Delete

Amoxicil

Dosing Range



Sig:

Daily Dosing Range for AMOXICILLIN 875 mg ORAL TABLET

Problem:

Age Range	Min Dose Quantity	Min Dose Units	Max Dose Quantity	Max Dose Units
65+	875 MG	1 EA	1750 MG	2 EA

Note:

Start Date:

Quantity:

Instructions:

Provider:

Location:

Formulary

Patient Dosing Age: 98 years

Patient Weight: 167.0 LBs = 75.75 KGs

Recalculate Dosing

Dosing: Dose between 875.00 MG and 1750.00 MG

Reference: First Databank

Done

Last Renewed:

Times Renewed:

Full History

DR History

Dispense History

Custom

...

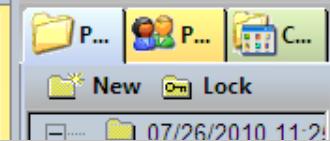


07/26/2010 11:25 AM : "Record Vital Signs" **Rx** Medications Module

NextGen

5 year Old Male Weighing 40.0 lb | 18.14 Kg

Patient History



Medication View

Dosing Range

Daily Dosing Range for Amoxicillin 400MG Oral Tablet, Chewable

Age Range	Min Dose Quantity	Min Dose Units	Max Dose Quantity	Max Dose Units	Not To Exceed Quantity	Not To Exceed Units
30 days - 90 days	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	30 MG/KG/DAY	0.075 EA/KG/DAY	0	0
3.0 months - 12.1 months	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	45 MG/KG/DAY	0.1125 EA/KG/DAY	0	0
12.1 months - 12.9 y...	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	90 MG/KG/DAY	0.225 EA/KG/DAY	3000 MG/DAY	7.5 EA/DAY
13 years - 17.9 years	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	45 MG/KG/DAY	0.1125 EA/KG/DAY	3000 MG/DAY	7.5 EA/DAY

Patient Dosing Age: **5 years**

Patient Weight: **40 LBs = 18.14 KGs**

Recalculate Dosing

Dosing: **Dose between 362.87 MG/DAY and 1632.93 MG/DAY**

Reference: First Databank

Done

You get more details for children.

You can also change the child's weight here and recalculate dosing (though that shouldn't be necessary if it has already been entered correctly).



Medication View

Dosing Range

Daily Dosing Range for Amoxicillin 400MG Oral Tablet, Chewable

Age Range	Min Dose Quantity	Min Dose Units	Max Dose Quantity	Max Dose Units	Not To Exceed Quantity	Not To Exceed Units
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12.1 months - 12.9 y...	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	90 MG/KG/DAY	0.225 EA/KG/DAY	3000 MG/DAY	7.5 EA/DAY
13 years - 17.9 years	20 MG/KG/DAY	0.05 EA/KG/DAY	45 MG/KG/DAY	0.1125 EA/KG/DAY	3000 MG/DAY	7.5 EA/DAY

Patient Dosing Age: 5 yearsPatient Weight: 40 LBs = 18.14 KGs

Recalculate Dosing

Dosing: Dose between 362.87 MG/DAY and 1632.93 MG/DAY

Reference: First Databank

Done

But note there is still an extremely wide dosing range.

It is best for you to calculate the dose for your patient and for the specific indication yourself, and only use this data as a double-check.

Miscellaneous Problems: Assorted tips and tricks

Some of the things that get in the way of successfully prescribing a medication, and ways to work around them.

The following screens may have some minor cosmetic differences from the KBM 7.9.1 medication module, but they have no effect on the illustrations.



I want to refill something
already on the medication list.

Why won't it let me?





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08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan" Rx Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

	Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Status: Active (1 item)						
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE		1/11/2010		take 1 tab

[Prescribe New](#) | [Print](#) [Fax](#) | [Renew - Edit Rx](#) | [Stop](#) | [Interactions](#) | [Education](#) | [Dose Range](#) | [Delete](#)

Encounter Is Locked For This Medication

Loratadine 10 mg TabSig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day [Remove Sig](#)Problem: [Add Problem...](#)Note: [Add Note...](#)Start Date: Stop Date: PRNReason: Quantity: Duration: Refills: SampleLot #: Exp: Instructions: Limit RenewalsProvider: Location: Formulary: Last Renewal: Times Renewed:

I just want to refill his loratadine. I've tried clicking everything, and it won't let me type. It's just an OTC med, for crying out loud!

[Accept](#)[Cancel](#)

Patient History



New Lock

- 08/18/2010 10:3:3
 - Adult Asse
 - Adult Offic
 - Adult Pe Pi
 - Allergy Tab
 - USA Maste
 - Rx Medication
 - Dx Problem
- + 04/04/2010 02:5:1
- + 04/03/2010 08:4:1
- + 01/18/2010 08:5:1
- + 01/15/2010 08:4:1
- + 01/14/2010 07:1:1
- + 01/13/2010 04:4:1
- + 01/12/2010 12:5:1
- + 01/11/2010 12:4:1



Notice that the encounter at which this was prescribed (or the history of it was recorded) is now locked. It doesn't really make good sense that the medication would "lock" too, but that seems to be the way it works. As a result, you can't just click on it, specify an amount, and click **Accept**.

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew - Edit Rx | Stop | Interactions | Education | Dose Range | Delete

Encounter Is Locked For This Medication

Loratadine 10 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: Add Problem...

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 01/11/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN
 Sample
 Limit Renewals
 Prescribed Elsewhere
 Prior Authorization
 Dispense As Written

Quantity: Duration: Refills: 0

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

To refill this med, click **Renew-Edit Rx**. You'll then be able to dispense it again, and modify it if necessary.

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08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan" RX Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010		take 1 tab

Loratadine 10 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: 08/18/2010 PRN Reason: allergy symptoms

Quantity: 30 Duration: Refills: 11 Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: 8/18/2010 Times Renewed: 1 [Full History](#) Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Patient History

New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3: Adult Asse Adult Office Adult Pe Pi Allergy Tab USA Maste RX Medication D Problem 04/20/2010 02:5: 04/03/2010 08:4: 01/18/2010 10:08:4: 15/20/2010 10:08:4: 14/20/2010 07:1: 0/13/2010 10:04:4: 0/11/2010 12:4: Custom

OK, well what about this? This one isn't locked, and the med shows as active, but the Print, Fax, and ERx buttons are grayed out, so I can't do anything with it.

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62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010		take 1 tab

[Prescribe New](#) [Print](#)

Loratadine 10 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) DAILY route: everyday, Period: 24h

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date:

Quantity: Duration: Refills:

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: 8/18/2010 Times Renewed: 1

Sample

Limit Renewals

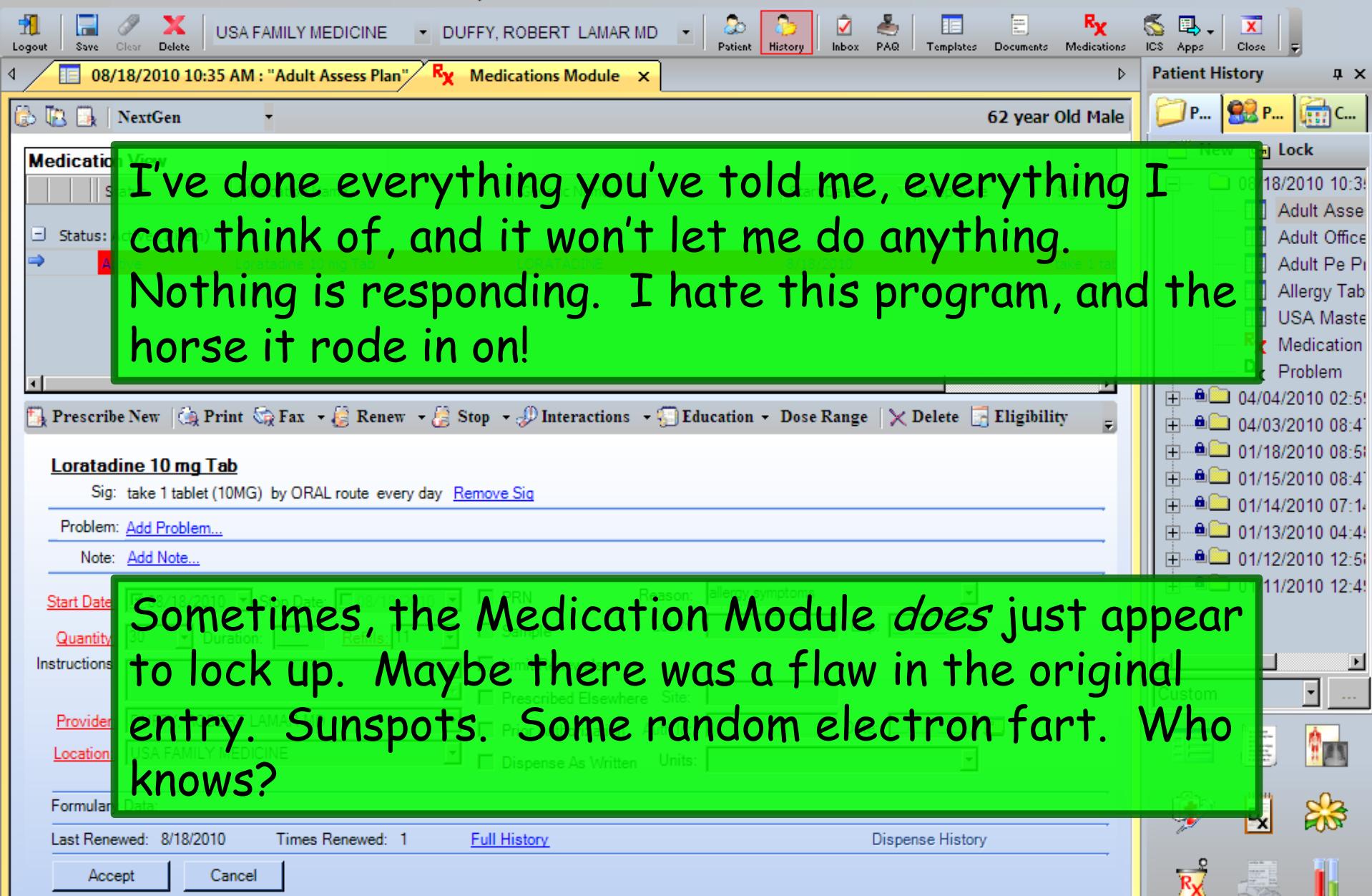
Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Note the Prescribed elsewhere box is checked. This box is often used when recording historical meds during abstraction or at the first NextGen encounter, even when we originally prescribed them.

Clear this checkbox, and you'll be able to prescribe the med.

P... P... C... Patient History New Lock 08/18/2010 10:33:33 Adult Assess Plan Adult Office Adult Pe P Allergy Tab USA Master Medication Problem 04/04/2010 02:51:44 04/03/2010 08:41:51 01/18/2010 08:51:44 01/15/2010 08:41:51 01/14/2010 07:11:44 01/13/2010 04:41:51 01/12/2010 12:51:44 01/11/2010 12:41:51 Custom



Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Inbox PAQ Templates Documents Medications ICS Apps Close

08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan" RX Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

Potential Solutions:

- 1) Delete the med, and just re-prescribe it from scratch.
- 2) Close the Medication Module, and reopen it.
- 3) If the program appears truly locked up, shut down NextGen and restart it.
- 4) If you can't get anything to work, report the problem to your clinic superuser.

Prescribe New Renew Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility

Loratadine (10mg) Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day Remove Sig

Problem: Allergy to tablet

Note: Add Note

Start Date: 08/18/2010 Stop Date: PRN Reason: Itching, sneezing, runny nose

Quantity: 100 Instructions: Limit Renewals

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: 08/18/2010 Times Renewed: 1 [Full History](#) Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Patient History

08/18/2010 10:33:34 Adult Assess Plan

08/18/2010 10:33:34 Adult Office Visit

08/18/2010 10:33:34 Adult Pe P

08/18/2010 10:33:34 Allergy Tab

08/18/2010 10:33:34 USA Master Rx

08/18/2010 10:33:34 Medication Problem

04/2010 02:51:00

03/2010 08:41:00

18/2010 08:51:00

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14/2010 07:11:00

13/2010 04:41:00

12/2010 12:51:00

11/2010 12:41:00

Custom

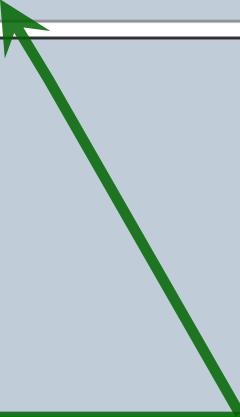


I'm searching for xxxxxxx.
It's a common medicine, that
she's been on for years.

Why won't it display?



Medication Search

Find: **Monopril** 

Search Class Filter Options...

All Antimicrobials BP Meds DM-Lipids Misc

Description

Advair Diskus(fluticasone-salmeterol) 250-50mcg/Dose Inhalation Disk with ...
Sig: 1 puff 2 times daily approx 12 hours apart
Refills: 5 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Albuterol Sulfate 90mcg/Actuation Inhalation HFA Aerosol Inhaler
Sig: 2 puffs every 4-6 hrs as needed for shortness of breath
Refills: 11 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Albuterol Sulfate 90mcg/Actuation Inhalation HFA Aerosol Inhaler
Sig: 2 puffs every 4-6 hrs as needed for shortness of breath
Refills: 11 Quantity: 1 Generic OK: Yes

Albuterol Sulfate 2.5mg/3 ml (0.083%) Inhalation Solution for Nebulization
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 99 Quantity: 100 Generic OK: Yes

Amoxicillin-Pot Clavulanate 833-125mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 20 Generic OK: Yes

Amphetamine Salt Combo(amphetamine-dextroamphetamine) 5mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every 12 hours
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Antipyrine-Benzocaine 5.4-1.4% Otic Drops
Sig: 2-3 drops to ear as often as needed for ear pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 10 Generic OK: Yes

Aspir-81(aspirin) 81mg Tablet, Delayed Release (E.C.)
Sig: take 1 tablet (81MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 99 Quantity: 100 Generic OK: Yes

Select

Keep in mind that we often still speak of a brand name, long after it has gone generic, and that many brands are withdrawn from the market when they're commonly available generically.

Here, we would need to search for **fosinopril** instead of **Monopril**.

I can't find the medication I want to give.

I've searched by brand and generic name. I've tried several spellings.

What do I do now?



Medication Search

Find: freeh

Search | Class | Filter | Options...

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Amoxicillin 875mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 20 Generic OK: Yes

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions(freehandrx-see special instructions) Fr...

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

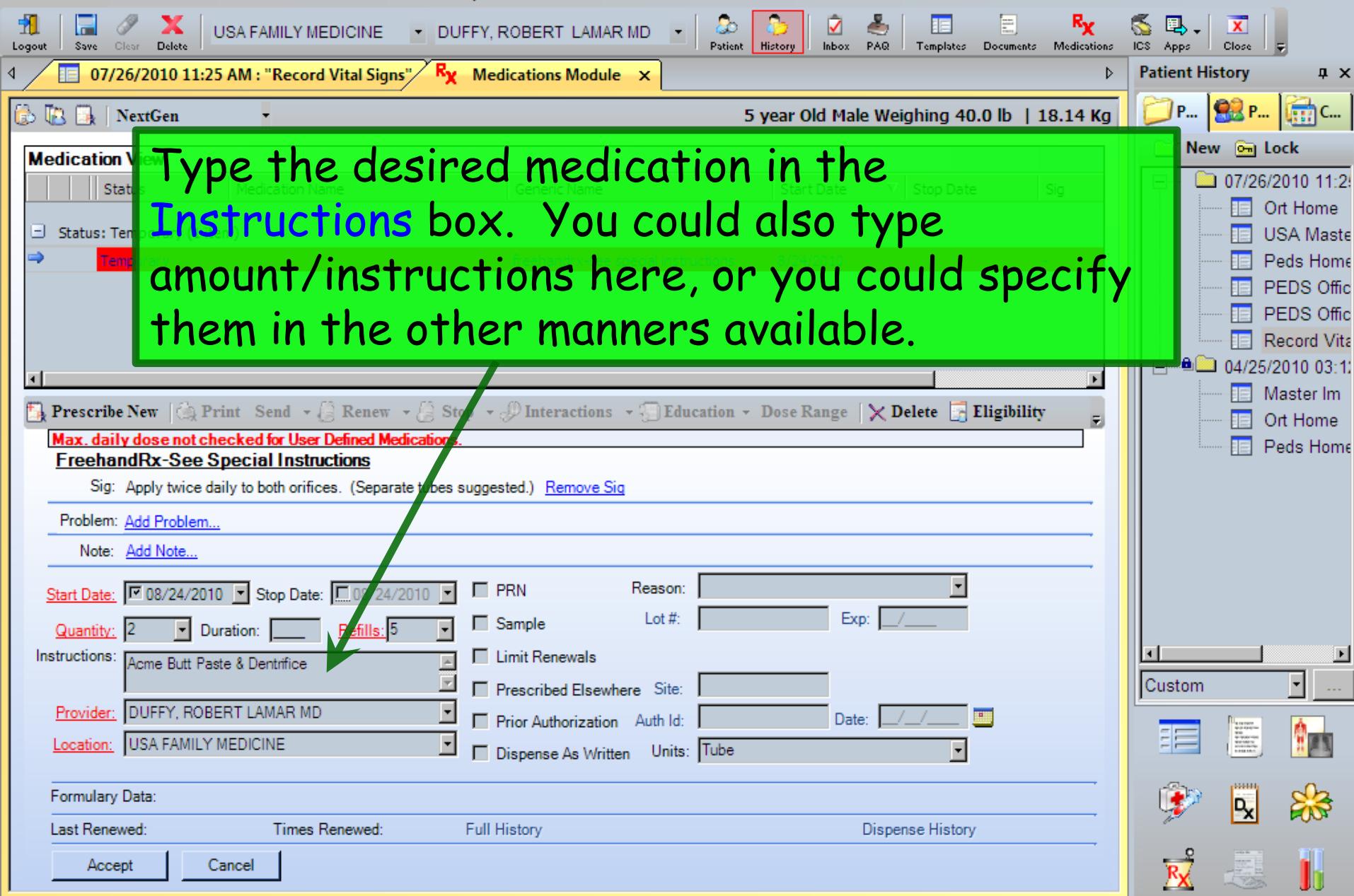
Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

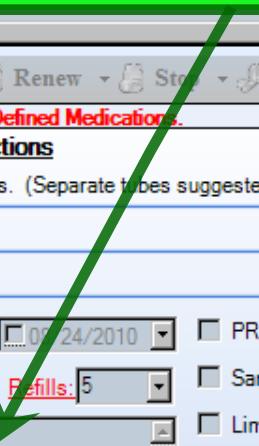
Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Select

If you just can't find what you're looking for, we've created a special script called **FreehandRx**. Search for this and select it.



Type the desired medication in the **Instructions** box. You could also type amount/instructions here, or you could specify them in the other manners available.



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07/26/2010 11:25 AM : "Record Vital Signs" Rx Medications Module Patient History

Note that recommended dose ranges and interaction checking are not available for these custom-created prescriptions.

You may wish to add FreehandRx to one of your favorites tabs for easy access.

Also, if there is a medication you use frequently, especially if you think it will be used by others as well, contact the EHR Team. If there is sufficient demand, they can add custom meds to the medication database.

Medication View Status
Status: Temporary
Temporary

Prescribe New
Max. daily dose
FreehandRx - See Special Instructions

Sig: Apply twice daily to both orifices. (Separate tubes suggested.) [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem](#)

Note: [Add Note](#)

Start Date: 08/01/2010 Stop Date: PRN Reason: Prescribed Elsewhere Limit Renewals Dispense As Written Units: Tube

Quantity: 2

Instructions: Acme

Provider: DUFFY

Location: USA Family Medicine

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

5 year Old Male Weighing 40.0 lb | 3.14 Kg

07/26/2010 11:25 AM: Ort Home, USA Master, Peds Home, PEDS Office, PEDS Office, Record Vital Signs, 04/25/2010 03:11: Master List, Ort Home, Peds Home

Custom Rx Dispense History

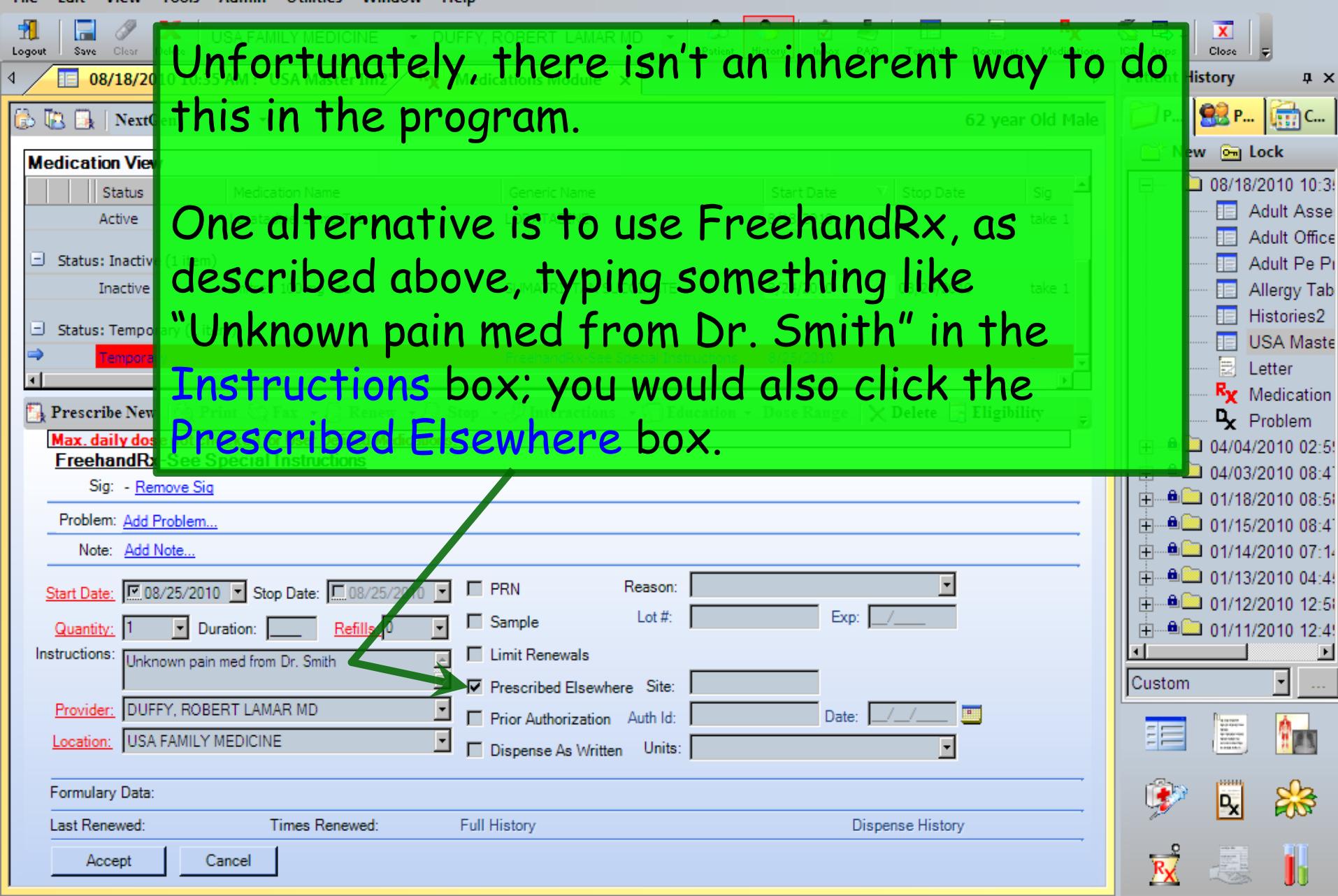
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Start C:\MSO... NGless... NextGen PhotoImp... Medicatio... Blairex L... NextGen... 12:02 PM

The patient tells me she is taking a [birth control/BP/diabetes/pain/etc.] pill, but doesn't know the name of it.

How do I enter that history?





A downside to this, though, is that you won't be able to see the details on med lists at many locations throughout the program; you would have to go to the Medication Module to view them.

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Stop | Interactions | Education | Dose Range | Delete | Eligibility

Max. daily dose not checked for User Defined Medications.

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions

Sig: - [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date: PRN Reason:

Quantity: Duration: Refills: Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: Unknown pain med from Dr. Smith Limit Renewals

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

Medication Search

Find: Pain M | Search | Class | Filter | Options...

Pain Medicine P.M.
38-500 mg Tablet

Pain Med-Unspecified

Pain Med-Unspecified

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description Amoxicillin 875mg Tablet

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (25MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 20mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (20MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Loratadine 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet daily
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

For a limited number of commonly-needed entries, the EHR Team has created custom medication listings that present you with a better alternative.

The following are available at the time of this writing; more may have been added in the interim:

- Birth Control Pill-Unspecified
- BP Med-Unspecified
- Diabetes Med-Unspecified
- Mini-Pill-Unspecified
- Oral Contraceptive-Unspecified
- Pain Med-Unspecified

New EHR: Quincy Q Quaguirre MRN: 00000000000099 DOB: 07/25/1948 (Male) AGE: 62 years 1 month - Medications Module

This provides a more helpful entry on the medication list.

If there are similar entries that you use often, and think would be helpful to other users, please place a request to the EHR Team.

Active Pain Med-Unspecified Pain Med-Unspecified 8/25/2010 -

Active FreehandRx-See Special Instructions FreehandRx-See Special Instructions 8/25/2010 -

Active Imitrex 5 mg/Actuation Nasal Spray SUMATRIPTAN 8/24/2010 spray

Active Advair Diskus 250 mcg-50 mcg/Dose for... FLUTICASONE/SALMETEROL 8/24/2010 inhale

Active Lisinopril 20 mg Tab LISINOPRIL 8/19/2010 take 1

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Stop | Interactions | Education | Dose Range | Delete | Eligibility

Max. daily dose not checked for User Defined Medications.

Pain Med-Unspecified

Sig: - [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: Stop Date: PRN Reason:

Quantity: Duration: Refills: Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: From Dr. Smith Limit Renewals

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE Prior Authorization Auth Id: Date:

Dispense As Written Units:

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History Dispense History

Accept Cancel

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Start C:\MSOData\La... NGLessonNotes... NextGen Microsoft Power... NextGen EHR: ... 10:15 AM

I want to write a script for crutches, a splint, bandage material, etc. Surely these aren't in the Medication module.

What are my options?



Medication Search

Find: freeh | Search | Class | Filter | Options...

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions

FreehandRx-See Special Instructions

All Antimicrobials BP meds Misc DM-Lipids

Description

Amoxicillin 875mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily till gone
Refills: 0 Quantity: 20 Generic OK: Yes

Hydrochlorothiazide 25mg Tablet
Sig: 1 daily
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril 10mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: Generic OK: Yes

Lisinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide 20-25mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route every day
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Lortab(hydrocodone-acetaminophen) 5-500mg Tablet
Sig: take 1 tablet by ORAL route 4 - 6 hours as needed for pain
Refills: 0 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

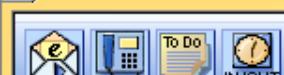
Metformin 1,000mg Tablet
Sig: 1 twice daily
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Metoprolol Succinate 100mg Tablet Sustained Release 24 hr
Sig: 1 each AM
Refills: 5 Quantity: 30 Generic OK: Yes

Select

The first option is to try searching for it. A number of durable medical equipment and expendable items actually are in the database. (You may need to search by brand and generic names.)

A second option would be to use FreehandRx as described above.



Assess/Plan

Office Visit

Histories

Exam/Proc

Assess/Plan

Finalize OV

Assessment

History of Assessments

(*Highlight row below and click "Add" button to add to today's assessment.)

Add

Encounter Date/Time	Assessment	Code	Status
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Sinusitis, Acute	461.9	
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome	354.0	
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Contact dermatitis and other eczema, unspecified cause	692.9	
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	Osteoarthritis, generalized	715.0	Chronic

Today's Assessment

Add Common Assessment

Add or Update Assessment

Another versatile option is to use the Document Module instead of the Medication Module.
Click on the Document Module.

Adult Plan Custom Plan Plan Details Tobacco Cessation Document Library Additional Orders

Medications

(Highlight medication to print Rx or educational materials.)

Encounter Date/Time	Medication	Dose	Form	Sig Description
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou
08/18/2010 10:35 AM	LORATADINE	10 mg	TABLET	take 1 tablet (10MG) by ORAL rou

Instructions and Orders for this Encounter (Highlight Patient Edu. order and click the Print button)

Print Document

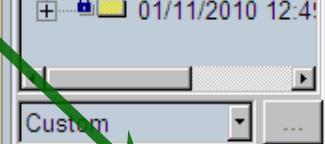
Status	Order	Diagnosis	ICD9 Code	Date	Timeframe	Reason

Patient History



New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3...
Adult Asse
Adult Offic
Adult Pe Pi
Allergy Tab
Histories2
USA Maste
Rx Medication
Problem
04/04/2010 02:5...
04/03/2010 08:4...
01/18/2010 08:5...
01/15/2010 08:4...
01/14/2010 07:1...
01/13/2010 04:4...
01/12/2010 12:5...
01/11/2010 12:4...



A number of documents could be used to prescribe DME; many of the Letter templates would be good choices.





Just type whatever you need.
Add clinical information, your
license number, etc., as
necessary.

USA

USA FAMILY MEDICINE
1504 SPRINGHILL AVE STE 1800
MOBILE, AL 366043273

08/24/2010

Quincy Quagmire
2 Q Street
Mobile, AL 36604

ROBERT LAMAR DUFFY MD

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Print this on security paper, or fax it, and it is no different from a prescription.



USA FAMILY MEDICINE
1504 SPRINGHILL AVE STE 1800
MOBILE, AL 366043273

08/24/2010

Quincy Quagmire
2 Q Street
Mobile, AL 36604

Disp: Volar splint, left hand/wrist
Dx: Carpal tunnel syndrome, 354.0
SIG: Wear every night while sleeping. If symptoms are not improving, wear it during the day as much as possible.

ROBERT LAMAR DUFFY MD
AL 12204

How come I keep sending
prescriptions for "0" amount?



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08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "Adult Assess Plan" Rx Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status: Active (2 items)

Active	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab	LISINOPRIL	8/19/2010	take 1 tab
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010	take 1 tab

Start Date Stop Date Sig

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew - Edit

Lisinopril 20 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (20MG) by ORAL route every day [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/19/2010 Stop Date: 08/19/2010 PRN

Reason:

Quantity: Duration: Refills: Sample

Lot #: Exp:

Instructions:

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Prio Authorization Auth Id Date

Location: Full History Dispense History

Last Renewed Times Renewed

If you go back and alter your SIG, Quantity and Refills will revert to 0, which can result in you sending a prescription to the pharmacy for the correct drug, at 0 amount, which is annoying.

P... P... C... Patient History New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3:30 AM

- Adult Assess Plan
- Adult Office
- Adult Pe P
- Allergy Tab
- USA Master Rx Medication Rx Problem
- 04/04/2010 02:51
- 04/03/2010 08:41
- 01/18/2010 08:51
- 01/15/2010 08:41
- 01/14/2010 07:11
- 01/13/2010 04:41
- 01/12/2010 12:51
- 01/11/2010 12:41

How do I specify how much liquid, cream, lotion, etc. I'm giving someone?

How do I specify the units?



File Edit View Tools Admin Utilities Window Help

Logout Save Delete User Preferences

Patient History Inbox PAP Medications Templates Documents Images Orders Procedures Apps

Close

8/2/2011 10:00 AM SOAP Note Rx Medications Grid Preferences

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb 69.85 Kg No eligibility status

Status: Active (3 items)

Active amoxicillin 875 mg Tab AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE 3/4/2011 03/13/2011

Status: Inactive (1 item)

Inactive Diflucan 150 mg Tab FLUCONAZOLE 2/13/2011 03/04/2011

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Check Interactions - All Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: Refills: 0 Dispense As Written

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop:

Comments: This field is for nonclinical Any additional clinical instructions should be added using the 'Additional' field.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

You can scroll through a wide assortment of options—bottles, tubes, fluid ounces, grams, etc.





08/18/2010 10:35 AM : "USA Master Im2" **Rx** Medications Module

62 year Old Male

Medication View

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date	Sig
Active	Lisinopril 20 mg Tab	LISINOPRIL	8/19/2010		take 1 tab
Active	Loratadine 10 mg Tab	LORATADINE	8/18/2010		take 1 tab
Temporary	Hydrocortisone 2.5 % Topical Cream		8/24/2010		apply by

Prescribe New | Print Fax Renew - Edit Rx Stop Interactions Education Dose Range Delete

Dosing data not supplied by FDB for this medication.

Hydrocortisone 2.5 % Topical Cream

Sig: apply by TOPICAL route every day to the affected area(s) [Remove Sig](#)

Problem: [Add Problem...](#)

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/24/2010 Stop Date: 08/24/2010 PRN Reason:

Quantity: 1 Duration: Refills: 0 Sample Lot #: Exp:

Instructions: May give largest patient tube you have in stock. Limit Renewals Prescribed Elsewhere Site:

Patient History

New Lock

08/18/2010 10:3:30 AM

- Adult Asse
- Adult Office
- Adult Pe Pi
- Allergy Tab
- USA Maste
- Rx** Medication
- Dx** Problem

04/04/2010 02:51

04/03/2010 08:41

01/18/2010 08:51

01/15/2010 08:41

01/14/2010 07:11

01/13/2010 04:41

01/12/2010 12:51

01/11/2010 12:41

Custom

Tip: Unless you have a firm idea of the amount of a cream or lotion that will be required, use the Instructions box to give the pharmacist some latitude to give the patient an appropriate size.

Start C:\MSODat... NGLessonN... NextGen NextGen E... PhotoImpact Medication... CAP NUM SCRL 08/24/2010 9:31 AM

The patient or pharmacist just called and said I haven't sent the prescription, but I'm sure I did.

How can I confirm I dispensed the medication (either by ERx, print, or fax)?





Status		Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Status: Active (3 items)					
Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011		
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011	
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011	
Status: Inactive (1 item)					
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	2/13/2011	03/04/2011	

Prescribe New | Print | Fax | Renew | Interactions | Dispense History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove Sig](#)

Quantity: Units: Refills:

Start: Stop: Duration:

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: Full History

Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

Highlight the medication in question, and click Dispense History.



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Rx Medications Module

White 74 year

Medication View

Status	Medication Name
Active	Boniva 150 mg Tab
Active	Fish Oil
Active	Os-Cal 500 + D 500 mg (1,250 mg)-500 unit Tab
Status: Inactive (4 items)	

Dispense Audit Information

Audit Time: 8/16/2010 10:44:28 AM

Sent through: SURESCRIPTS

User: Duffy, Robert

When: 8/16/2010 10:44:28 AM

Status: Sent

Destination: RITE AID-5201
COTTAGE HILL
5201 COTTAGE HILL
ROAD
MOBILE, AL 366094244
(0122919)

The popup will show you when, how, and where the medication was dispensed.

Common errors:

- 1) It was sent to a different store from what the patient was expecting.
- 2) The patient went to the pharmacy too soon for it to be ready.
- 3) The pharmacist just overlooked it.

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD Patient History Patient

Rx Medications Module

White 74 year

Medication View

Status	Medication Name
Status: Active (3 items)	
Active	Boniva 150 mg Tab
Active	Fish Oil
Active	Os-Cal 500 + D 500 mg (1,250 mg)-500 unit Tab
Status: Inactive (4 items)	
Inactive	Boniva 150 mg Tab
Inactive	Boniva 150 mg Tab
Inactive	Boniva 150 mg Tab

Prescribe New Print Rx Renew Stop Info

Medication Has Been Dispensed
Boniva 150 mg Tab

Sig: 1 tab (150MG) monthly w/ full glass of water; remain in upright position

Problem: Add Problem...

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Start Date: 08/16/2010 Stop Date: 09/16/2010 Duration: 1 Month

Quantity: 1 Reason: Prescribed Elsewhere Site

Instructions: Discontinued Refills

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR MD

Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Formulary Date: 08/16/2010

Last Renewed: 8/16/2010 Times Renewed: 2 [Full History](#) [Dispense History](#)

Dispense Audit Information

Audit Time: 8/16/2010 10:44:28 AM

Sent through: SURESCRIPTS

User: Duffy, Robert

When: 8/16/2010 10:44:28 AM

Status: Sent

Destination: RITE AID-5201
COTTAGE HILL
5201 COTTAGE HILL
ROAD
MOBILE, AL 366094244
(0122919)

Note that this gives nurses a way to address these questions without having to task the provider (unless, of course, it is discovered that it actually wasn't sent.)

Logout Save Clear Delete USA FAMILY MEDICINE DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR Patient History Inbox PAQ RX Medications Templates Documents Images Orders Procedures Apps Close

03/04/2011 11:02 AM : "USA SOAP - OV" RX Medications Module

41 year Old Female Weighing 154.00 lb | 69.85 Kg | No eligibility status

Grid Preferences

Status	Medication Name	Generic Name	Start Date	Stop Date
Active	metformin 1,000 mg Tab	METFORMIN HCL	3/4/2011	
Active	Diflucan 150 mg Tab	FLUCONAZOLE	3/4/2011	03/23/2011
Active	amoxicillin 875 mg Tab	AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	3/4/2011	03/13/2011
Inactive	Diflucan 150 mg Tab			

Prescribe New Print Fax Renew Interactions Stop Education Dose Range Delete Eligibility Medication History

amoxicillin 875 mg Tab

Sig: take 1 tablet (875MG) by oral route every 12 hours [Remove](#) [Sig Builder](#)

Quantity: 20 Units: [Dispense](#) [Written](#) [Cancel](#)

Start: 03/04/2011 Stop: 03/13/2011 Duration: 10 [Cal](#)

Comments: This field is for nonclinical comments to the pharmacist. Any additional clinical instructions for this prescription should be added using the 'Additional Instructions' segment of the Sig Builder.

Provider: DUFFY, ROBERT LAMAR

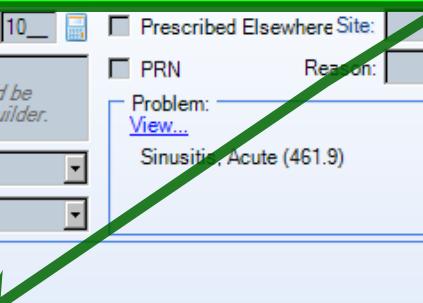
Location: USA FAMILY MEDICINE

Note: [Add Note...](#)

Formulary Data:

Last Renewed: Times Renewed: [Full History](#) Dispense History [Additional Prescription Detail](#)

The complete list of times this medication has been dispensed may be viewed by clicking Full History.



What's up with all of these
warnings?

I can't prescribe water for
thirst without seeing a
contraindication or interaction.



The warnings are truly intrusive. Here's what you may see if you try to prescribe Advair for asthma.

Drug Interaction - Advair Diskus 250 mcg-50 mcg/Dose for Inhalation

Please approve the following drug interaction(s).

	Description
	Contraindication ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED (493.9) ADVAIR DISKUS is contraindicated when Acute Asthma Attack, a condition related to Asthma, unspecified exists
	Contraindication ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED TYPE, WITH (ACUTE) EXACERBATION (493.92) ADVAIR DISKUS is contraindicated when Acutely Deteriorating Asthma, a condition related to ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED T...
	Contraindication ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED TYPE, WITH (ACUTE) EXACERBATION (493.92) ADVAIR DISKUS is contraindicated when Status Asthmaticus, a condition related to ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED TYPE, WIT...
	Contraindication ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED TYPE, WITH (ACUTE) EXACERBATION (493.92) ADVAIR DISKUS is contraindicated when Acute Asthma Attack, a condition related to ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED TYPE, W...

ADVAIR DISKUS is contraindicated when Acute Asthma Attack, a condition related to Asthma, unspecified exists.

Reason:

While it is hard to believe, we have these warnings at the lowest setting possible.

Monograph



To prescribe the med, click the **Acknowledge** button for each warning, then click **Done**.

Drug Interaction - Imitrex 5 mg/Actuation Nasal Spray

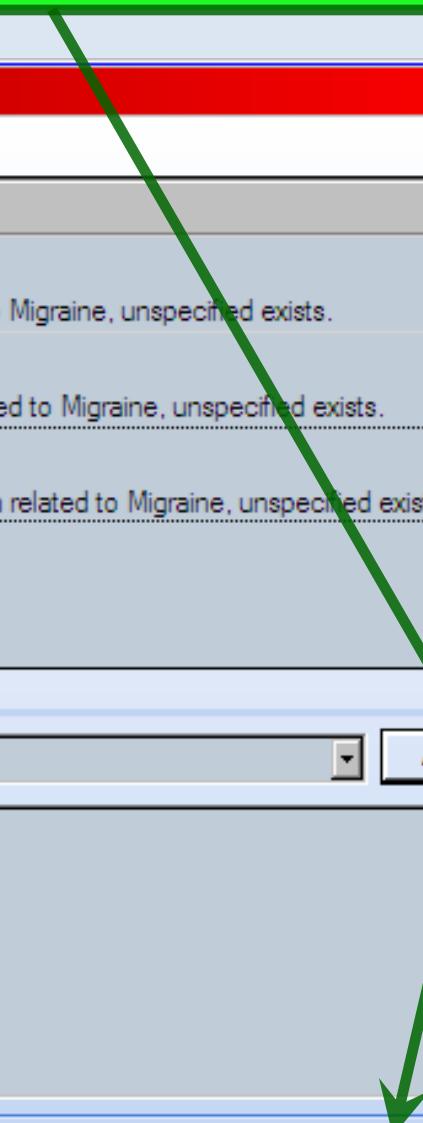
Please approve the following drug interaction(s).

Description
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contraindication MIGRAINE, UNSPECIFIED (346.9) IMITREX is contraindicated when Basilar Migraine, a condition related to Migraine, unspecified exists.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contraindication MIGRAINE, UNSPECIFIED (346.9) IMITREX is contraindicated when Hemiplegic Migraine, a condition related to Migraine, unspecified exists.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contraindication MIGRAINE, UNSPECIFIED (346.9) IMITREX is contraindicated when Ophthalmoplegic Migraine, a condition related to Migraine, unspecified exists.

IMITREX is contraindicated when Ophthalmoplegic Migraine, a condition related to Migraine, unspecified exists.

Reason:

Monograph



A reasonable practice to deal with these warnings is to become familiar with those for medications you use often; you should be able to click through them pretty fast.

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Reason:



For medications you're less familiar with, take a step back and review the warnings.

This concludes the
NextGen Medication Module
demonstration.

Would a wingless fly be called a walk?