

eMAR Best Practices:

1. I need to give ½ tab for my dose.

Just backspace to erase the "5" and type in 2.5, then F12 to File.

REMEMBER: IT IS OK TO MANUALLY CORRECT DOWN

2. I need to scan more than one tablet to get the correct dose:

**Dose Verification**

Prednisone 60 mg PO QAM

Forms	Qty (MG)	Dose	Total
PREDNISONE 20 MG UDTAB	1	20	20

Dose Instruction: With the cursor in the "Bar Code Scan" Field, scan the remaining tablets to total 60mg.

**DO NOT** tab over and manually enter the total dose!!!

Bar Code Scan: [ ] Admin Dose: 20 MG  
 Total Scan: 20 Ordered Dose: 60 MG

REMEMBER: YOU MUST SCAN UP.

3. What if something happened after I charted the Medication administration and the patient did not get the dose? You will need to Edit the documentation, change Given to Not Given, select a Reason Code and then File the changes.

eMAR Desktop Total # orders 7

TEST, FOCUS 00000005027/000000488 D.2M D.216-A ADM IN  
 68/F 11/11/44 177.8 cm 76.65 Kg 1.95 m2 CrCl INVALID RESULT

Allergy No Known Allergies

Monday March 18, 2013 1616

Start	Stop	Medication	Sched Time	Sun 03/17	Mon 03/18	Tue 03/19
03/18/13 2100	03/19/13 0800	Cosopt Eye Drops 1 drops OP BID Dorzolamid... (Give 0.05 ml of 100 ...)	0900 2100		2100	0900 2100
03/18/13 1615	03/19/13 0800	PT'S HOME MEDICATION... Zosyn 200 MG/Ml IV Q6H Piperacillin S... (50 ml s @ 1 ...)			1615 2215	0415 1015 1615 2215
03/18/13 1601	03/19/13 0900	Coumadin 2.5 mg PO QAM Warfarin S... (Give 0.5 UDTABS of 5 mg)	0900		1604	0900
03/18/13 1615	03/19/13 0800	NURSING: Hold any enteral feedings ... Norco 5/325 Tablet 1 tab PO Q4-6P PRN HYDROcodone... (Give 1 TABLET of 1 tab)				

\*\*\*MAX recommended dose APAP = 4000 ...

Document | Ack | Preferences | Drug Data | eMAR Reports | Change Order | Other | Submit | Exit

Edit Undo Document Rx # 00002789

Zosyn 200 MG/M1 IV Q6H

Non-Scheduled  
 Scheduled  
 03/18/13-1615

Given  
 Not Given  
 N ROUTE

Administration 03/18/13 1615  
 and select the appropriate Reason Code.

User D.HUD4051  
 Text \*

Click Edit

eMAR Desktop Total Documentations waiting to file 1 Edit 1 Total # orders 7

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Start/Stop	Medication	Sched Time	Monday March 18, 2013 1616		
			Sun	Mon	Tue
03/18/13 2100 03/19/13 0800 Active	Cosopt Eye Drops 1 drops OP BID Dorzolamid... (Give 0.05 ml of 100 ...) PT'S HOME MEDICATION...	0900 2100		2100	0900 2100
03/18/13 1615 03/19/13 0800 Active	Zosyn 200 MG/M1 IV Q6H Piperacillin S... (50 ml s @ 100 ml s)			1615* 2215	0415 1815 1615 2215
03/18/13 1601 03/19/13 0900 Active	Coumadin 2.5 mg PO QAM Warfarin S... (Give 0.5 UDTABS of 5 mg) NURSING: Hold any enteral feedings ...	0900		1604	0900
03/18/13 1615 03/19/13 0800 Active	Norco 5/325 Tablet 1 tab PO Q4-6P PRN HYDROcodone... (Give 1 TABLET of 1 tab) ***MAX recommended dose APAP = 4000 ...				

Document | Ack | Preferences | Drug Data | eMAR Reports | Change Order | Other | Submit | Exit

Session Summary

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Monday March 18, 2013 1627

Edit/Undo Documentations					
Orders	Scheduled Date-Time	Administered Date-Time	Given	Dose/Volume	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zosyn 200 MG/M1 IV Q6H	03/18 1615	03/18 1615	No		Edit

Then Save and Recompile

What is the difference between Edit and Undo? Edit will allow for corrections or updated information to a medication already documented. Edit will NOT affect your Scan Rate. Undo will place the medication back on your

eMAR as previously scheduled in order to completely Redo the medication scanning process. Undo MAY affect your scan rate.

Need to Undo your Medication in order to rescan it? Follow the same steps listed in Edit, only Select the Undo button.

- How do I check my scan rate? From your Status Board, select the Print Report button, then select the Nurse Pharmacy Menu and then select "Percent Scanned by User." It is Best Practice to check your scan rate before leaving your shift. This will allow to find and correct any errors before leaving for the day.

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 68/F      11/11/44      177.8 cm 76.65 Kg 1.95 m2      CrCl INVALID RESULT

**Allergy** No Known Allergies      **AdvReac**

Monday March 18, 2013 1637

Start	Stop	Status	Medication	Sched Time	Today		
					Sun	Mon	Tue
03/18/13 1601	03/19/13 0900	Active	Prednisone 60 mg PO QAM Prednisone ... (Give 3 UDTABS of 20 mg) BEST GIVEN WITH FOOD...	0900		1601	0900
03/18/13 1602	03/19/13 0900	Active	Protonix 40 mg PO DAILY Pantoprazole 5... (Give 1 TAB of 40 mg) DO NOT CRUSH OR CHEW**This MED may b...	0900			
03/18/13 1700	03/19/13 0800	Active	NovoLog SUBQ TIDAM NovoLog FlexPen 10... (See Dose Instr)	0800 1200 1700		1700	0800 1200 1700
03/18/13 2100	03/19/13 0800	Active	Cosopt Eye Drops 1 drops OP BID Dorzolamid... (Give 0.05 ml of 100 ...) PT'S HOME MEDICATION...	0900 2100		2100	0900 2100

**Print Report** (highlighted in yellow)

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NURSING/ORDER ENTRY RN/LVN MAIN MENU

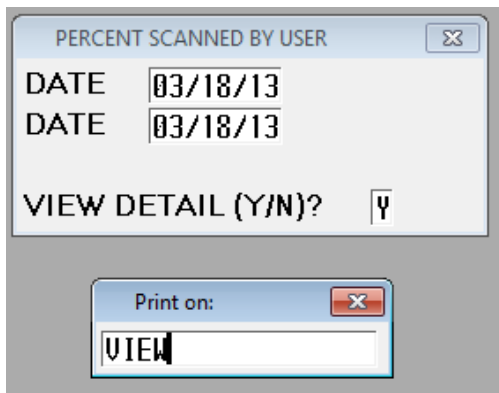
- Assessments
- Enter/Edit Care Plan
- Process Interventions
- Patient Notes
- Process Medications
- eMAR Worklist
- Enter/Edit Pt List for Status Board
- Status Board
- Print Flowsheet
- Print Urgent Care Forms (RRMCUC)
- Medication Reconciliation
- Print Discharge Instructions
- Print Patient Profile
- ITE Order Form
- Print Patient Profile
- Print Care Plan
- Print Patient Notes
- Print Discharge Summary
- Print Peds Emergency Drug Sheet
- Print Multiple/New Admit
- Print Leser Labels
- Print Labels by Location
- DEMAND Forms
- Print MAR Exception Report
- Event Reports

Enter Orders

- Enter/Edit Administrative Data
- Review Orders (by Order Date)
- Review Orders (by Service Date)
- Departmental Orders
- Process Orders
- Nurse Pharmacy Menu**
  - View Patient Record (PCI)
  - Name Inquiry
  - Doctor Inquiry
  - Admission Routines
  - Schedule Patients
  - PCM/OE Report Menu
  - Meditech TEST System
- Exit

**PERCENT SCANNED BY USER** (highlighted in yellow)

- PRINT MAR ("Enter EMAR)
- PRINT MONOGRAPHS
- PRINT PT PROFILE
- PRINT NURSING STATION WKSHT
- PRINT ORDERS (RX)
- EMERGENCY DRUG SHEET (PEDI)
- Current/Discharge Med Rec by Location
- Current/Discharge Med Rec by Patient
- DRUG VIEW
- CHECK INTERACTIONS
- ENTER STOCK MED CHGS
- CREDIT ORDER
- ENTER STOCK ORDERS
- BILLING SUMMARY by Patient
- STOCK INVENTORY LIST (RRMC)
- STOCK INVENTORY LIST (SAMC)
- CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY
- MICROMEDEX



You can print to VIEW if you would like to save paper.

What's the big deal about the scan rates any way? I've only missed a few scans.

If every nurse misses only one percent of their scans, for the Partnership, that creates over 7000 missed scanned medications in less than one month. That's over 7000 possible medication errors and over 7000 possible catastrophic outcomes. Do you want to be the patient in that One Percent Club? Do you want to provide that patient's family members an explanation of why a preventable error reached that patient? These patients are people. They are Mothers and Fathers; they are sisters, brothers, Aunts, Uncles, cousins and Husbands and Wives. Anything less than 100% Scanned is NOT acceptable.