

PharmacyPro Update News, June 2009

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New Features in PharmacyPro

Bulk Stock Edit Utility

There is a new option to add partcodes from another supplier. For example, if you would like to add API partcodes to Nadglen cards, from the *PharmacyPro* Start Menu go to Tools, Utilities, Stock Utilities, Bulk Stock Edit Utility. Select Nadglen as the supplier, tick "Items without PartCodes" and then OK. This will bring up all Nadglen cards with no partcodes. Go to the Select Options tab, tick "Add Partcodes", select API, then under 'Make Changes To' tick All Items Listed Above and select Make Changes.

e-Prescriptions

There was huge interest in e-Prescriptions at the GP's Conference in Sydney during the weekend of 22-24 May. e-Prescriptions are saving time and data entry mistakes.

PharmacyPro integrated with "MediSecure[®]" was on display at the conference and is now dispensing e-Prescriptions received from prescribers. MediSecure[®] is the e-Prescription repository endorsed by The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners for its members to use. Go to www.medisecure.com.au to join the program, and MediSecure[®] staff will help you recruit your prescribing doctors to send e-Prescriptions.

PharmacyPro integration with eRx Script Exchange is in development and will be ready shortly. For more information, go to www.eRx.com.au.

Please ask your doctors if they will be integrating with MediSecure[®] or eRx Script Exchange and let us know.

Offsite Backups

PharmacyPro are now offering offsite backups. This Internet-based backup is fully integrated with the *PharmacyPro* system and allows for easy retrieval of backups should anything happen to your computers.

For further information please fax us on 1800 006 207.

Reminder – Restricted & OTC Meds

Restricted Medicines function on POS

Go into the stockcard of each item you'd like to record. Tick the 'Restricted Med' or 'OTC' box under Options.

When a restricted item is sold, you will be asked to enter the name of the pharmacist who is selling the item. You will then be prompted to enter in the customer's name. Sales of Restricted and OTC Meds will be listed in Dispense for each patient on an 'OTC and RM' tab.

To report on Restricted Meds and OTC items, from the *PharmacyPro* Main Menu, select Reports, Sales Reports, Recorded Sales Report.

OTC and Recorded-Medicine sales can be dispensed as follows:

Without Recording

From the main dispensing screen select Utilities, then OTC Script (or Ctrl U for quick entry from the main screen). The OTC window will appear - enter all the appropriate details. The label produced has the drug name and quantity, instructions, price and date. This is suitable for single drug OTC sales.

End of Year Stocktake

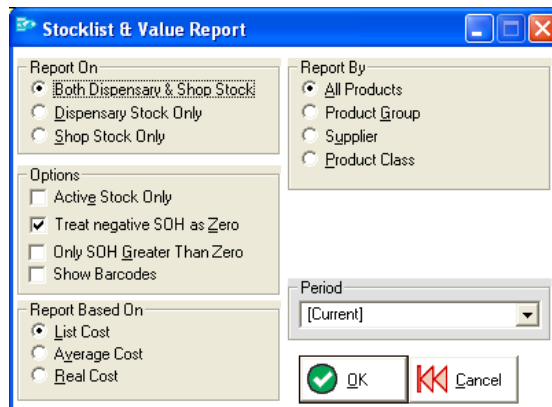
If you have been doing daily Rolling Stocktakes, your Stocklist Report will be pretty accurate. But you might want to check the Unusual Cards Report to fix any operator errors (from the *PharmacyPro* Start Menu go to Reports, Stock Reports, Unusual Cards).



Under 'Report On', select Both Dispensary & Shop Stock, then press OK. Fix any errors that show up.

You could also run the Missing Stocktakes Report to check for any cards that have not recently had a stocktake (from the *PharmacyPro* Start Menu go to Reports, Stock Reports, Missing Stocktakes).

Then ask for the Stocklist:
From the *PharmacyPro* Start Menu, go to Reports, Stock Reports, StockList and Value Report and choose either Dispensary Only, Shop Only or Both. Choose the period. Various choices and filters are available for your selection. Include in your choices either: 'Treat Negative SOH as Zero' OR 'Only SOH Greater Than Zero'.



For 'Report Based On' we recommend you choose List Cost, unless you are sure you have maintained all the Real Costs correctly.

For 'Report By', select All Products, then press OK and select either Export or Print as required. (There is an option to print totals only.) This report will show 'Cost ex GST'.

Supplier Update

If you would like us to add a supplier, then please contact us with the supplier details. The following files have been updated in *PharmacyPro* this month:

Amcal May 18 POS
Amcal June 08 POS
Blackmores
Doward
Gibson Eyewear
Guardian May 18 POS
Guardian June 08 POS
Rossan
SSS May 25

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