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		3. Processing OneVA Refill/Partial					
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1. Introduction

The OneVA Pharmacy software (patch PSO*7*454 - December 2016) provided the Department of Veterans Health Administration (VHA) the capability to allow Veterans traveling across the United States to refill or partial fill their active VA non-controlled substance prescriptions at any VA Pharmacy location regardless of where the prescription originated. Patch PSO*7*454 expanded available pharmacy information in VistA to Pharmacists, providing direct access to any active and refillable prescription from any VA Pharmacy location. Patch PSO*7*736 has replaced the query to the Veteran Information/Eligibility Record Services (VIERS) and Health Data Repository/Clinical Data Services Repository (HDR/CDS) repository with a query to the Veterans Data Information Exchange (VDIF).

The overall OneVA Pharmacy software design has several components; they are:

- 1. Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture (VistA)
- 2. Health Level 7 (HL7) Messaging
- 3. National HL7 Health Connect (an Intersystems HealthShare service)
- 4. Veterans Data Information Exchange (VDIF)

VistA is the user interface where a Pharmacist uses the *Patient Prescription Processing* [PSO LM BACKDOOR ORDERS] menu found within the VistA Outpatient Pharmacy package to query for and refill/partial fill patient's active and refillable prescriptions from other VA Pharmacy VistA instances. HL7 messaging is used to query and receive remote prescription details to and from the HDR/CDS repository.

The VistA instance where the Veteran is requesting the refill or partial is considered the 'dispensing' VistA instance. The Pharmacist at the 'dispensing' VistA instance refills or partial fills a prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy VistA instance and prints a prescription label. The VA Pharmacy VistA instance where the prescription originated from and currently exists is the 'host' VistA instance. The 'host' VistA instance is where the update to the prescription record is made once the fill is processed. The label data elements are extracted from the 'host' VistA instance and returned to the dispensing site via HL7 creating the OneVA Pharmacy label. The bar code on the label will only be valid at the host site but not at the dispensing site.

The OneVA Pharmacy software sends an HL7 message to VDIF National Health Connect to an existing TCP Service to request patient medications.

Note: The OneVA HL7 Listener Service is using an existing connection that all 130+ VistAs have with the National HL7 Health Connect.

The medication data elements return to the dispensing site via HL7 messaging. Once the prescriptions arrive at the dispensing site, they display below any 'local' prescriptions on the Medication Profile view. The prescriptions display to the Pharmacist sorted by VA Pharmacy site and prescription status. The dispensing Pharmacist can view the remote prescriptions and select one to refill or partially fill. For label printing, VistA triggers the HL7 message stream that

executes during the refill or partial fill prescription processes. The host label data elements are returned to the dispensing site within the HL7 segment. The event triggers the Pharmacist to select the dispensing sites printing device to print a host label.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch, PSO*7*479, provided Pharmacists the ability to request a reprint of the label when no error messages are returned when retrieving the label information from the host system.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*497 provided Pharmacists new functionality to fix the autosuspend defect, limit refill/partial fill permissions to only those personnel who have the 'PSORPH' key(s), block prescriptions that contain a trade name in the "TRADE NAME", identify titration prescriptions at the host site and to disallow refills of such titration prescriptions at the dispensing site.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*736 has replaced the query to the HDR/CDS repository with a query to the VDIF repository. This patch also includes modifications to the "PROVIDER HOLD" status abbreviation from "PH" to "HP" and also adds "DISCONTINUED BY PROVIDER", "DISCONTINUED (EDIT)", and "NON-VERIFIED" statuses for display on the patient's medication profile for remote prescriptions.

1.1. System Configuration

The OneVA Pharmacy patch, PSO*7*479 requires the patch PSS*1*212 which delivers the 'ONEVA PHARMACY FLAG Field (#101)' in the 'off' state. When this flag is in the 'off' state, the VDIF National Health Connect is not queried for external prescriptions and other VistA instances will not be able to refill prescriptions that belong to the VistA instance with the flag set to the 'off' state.

Figure 1: OneVA Pharmacy Flag Field Off

Select Rx (Prescriptions) <TEST ACCOUNT> Option: PATient Prescription Processing Select PATIENT NAME: PSOPATIENT,EIGHT 4-4-74 000000001 NO NSC VETERAN Enrollment Priority: Category: IN PROCESS End Date: PSOPATIENT,EIGHT (000-00-0001) The OneVA Pharmacy flag is turned off. Queries will NOT be made to other VA Pharmacy locations. REMOTE PRESCRIPTIONS AVAILABLE! Display Remote Data? N// When in the 'on' state, all prescription queries and actions may be taken for remote queries, refills, and partial fills. In order to process prescriptions from another VistA instance, that instance will also need to have its 'ONEVA PHARMACY FLAG Field (#101)' set to the 'on' state.

The OneVA pharmacy flag can be turned on/off using the Pharmacy System Parameters Edit [PSS SYS EDIT] option in the Pharmacy Data Management (PDM) package.

Figure 2: OneVA Pharmacy Flag Field On

Select OPTION NAME: PSS SYS EDIT	Pharmacy System Parameters Edit
Pharmacy System Parameters Edit	
PMIS PRINTER: PP8//	
PMIS LANGUAGE: English//	
WARNING LABEL SOURCE: NEW//	
CMOP WARNING LABEL SOURCE: NEW	//
OPAI WARNING LABEL SOURCE: NEW//	/
AUTOMATE CPRS REFILL:	
ONEVA PHARMACY FLAG: ON// <- The f	flag can be turned on/off here.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch, PSO*7*643 provides Pharmacists the ability to send a OneVA prescription refill or partial fill to the Outpatient Pharmacy Automated Interface (OPAI) to be filled by an external automated dispensing robot. No changes in current external interface parameters or setup are required. The same parameter setup used for the sending local prescriptions to the OPAI will be utilized. The activity log at the host site is updated to provide an audit trail and to provide various dispensing information for a OneVA prescription refill or partial fill.

Both the dispensing site and host site must have patch PSO*7*643 installed for the OneVA prescription refill or partial fill to be sent to the OPAI to be filled by a supported external automated dispensing robot. If the dispensing site has patch PSO*7*643 installed and requests a OneVA prescription refill from a host site that does not have patch PSO*7*643 installed, the following message will be displayed "The OneVA refill cannot be sent to the OPAI to be filled by a supported external automated dispensing robot. Both your site and the remote site must have this capability available at the same time. The remote site does not have this capability yet."

Figure 3: Message for Dispensing Site Requesting OneVA refill from Host Site That Does Not Have Patch PSO*7*643 Installed

Select Action:Quit// RF Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy

Remote site drug name: AMOXICILLIN 250MG CAP Matching Drug Found for Dispensing: AMOXICILLIN 250MG CAP Would you like to use the system matched drug for this refill/partial fill? NO// YES

Processing refill request. Please be patient as it may take a moment for the host site to respond and generate your label data...

The OneVA refill cannot be sent to the Outpatient Pharmacy Automation Interface (OPAI) to be filled by supported the Automated Dispensing Device (ADD). Both your site and the remote site must have this capability available at the same time. The remote site does not have this capability yet.

TRANSACTION SUCCESSFUL... The refill for RX #763261 has been recorded on the prescription at the host system.

Select a printer to generate the label or '^' to bypass printing.

QUEUE TO PRINT ON DEVICE: ONEVA NULL .

If the host site has patch PSO*7*643 installed and a dispensing site that does not have patch PSO*7*643 installed requests a OneVA prescription refill or partial fill, no message will be displayed. The functionality (current state) present at the dispensing site will be used to process the OneVA prescription refill or partial fill. The OneVA refill or partial fill will NOT be sent to the OPAI to be filled by an external automated dispensing robot.

1.1.1. Documentation Conventions

This *Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 OneVA Pharmacy User Manual* includes documentation conventions, also known as notations, which are used consistently throughout this manual. Each convention is outlined below.

Convention	Example
Menu option text is italicized.	There are eight options on the Archiving menu.
Screen prompts are denoted with quotation marks around them.	The "Dosage:" prompt displays next.
Responses in bold face indicate user input.	Select Orders by number: (1-6): 5

Table 1: Conventions

Convention	Example				
<enter> indicates that the Enter key (or Return key on some keyboards) must be</enter>	Type Y for Yes or N for No and press <enter>.</enter>				
pressed. <tab> indicates that the Tab key must be pressed.</tab>	Press <tab> to move the cursor to the next field.</tab>				
Indicates especially important or helpful information.	Up to four of the last LAB results can be displayed in the message.				
Indicates that options are locked with a particular security key. The user must hold the particular security key to be able to perform the menu option.	This option requires the security key PSOLOCKCLOZ.				

1.2. Getting Help

?,??,??? One, two or three question marks can be entered at any of the prompts for online help. One question mark elicits a brief statement of what information is appropriate for the prompt. Two question marks provide more help, plus the hidden actions, and three question marks will provide more detailed help, including a list of possible answers, if appropriate.

1.2.1. Related Manuals

The following manuals are located in the <u>Outpatient</u> folder located on the <u>VistA Documentation</u> <u>Library (VDL)</u>.

1.2.1.1. Main Package Documentation

- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 Release Notes
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 Manager's User Manual
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 Pharmacist's User Manual
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 Technician's User Manual
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 User Manual Supplemental
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 Technical Manual/Security Guide
- Dosing Order Check User Manual
- VistA to MOCHA Interface Document
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 OneVA Pharmacy Installation Guide
- Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 OneVA Pharmacy User Manual

1.2.1.2. Additional Documentation

Additional documentation related to specific projects is also located on the VDL. For example, there may be several different Release Notes documents that apply to specific projects. Also, there may be several sets of "Change Page" documents, which apply to changes made only for a specific package patch.

2. OneVA Pharmacy and Medication Profile

2.1. OneVA Pharmacy and Medication Profile

Effective with OneVA Pharmacy, the Medication Profile displays all active medications from other facilities. The medications are retrieved from the VDIF National Health Connect and are displayed below the 'local' or 'Non-VA Med' orders and are sorted/grouped by facility. The prescriptions originating from other VA Pharmacy locations display under a divider header line showing the site name, site number, and prescription status.

The example shown below displays three pages of a test patient's Medication Profile, displaying the 'local' prescription orders followed by prescription orders that originated at other facilities.

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3	3 10000122	RAMIPRIL 5MG CAP	30	A> 0	5-31	05-31	8	30
	4 10000125	HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE 25MG TA	ED B 60	DC>0	2-01	02-02	5	60
5	5 10000127	LISINOPRIL 2.5MG TAB	90	H> 0	3-10	-	3	90
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Figure 4: Test Patient's Medication Profile

Medication Profile	Jul 28, 2016@05:16:31			Page:	3 (of	3
PSOPATIENT, SIX	<no a<="" td=""><td>LLERGY</td><td>A</td><td>SSESSMI</td><td>ENT></td><td></td><td></td></no>	LLERGY	A	SSESSMI	ENT>		
PID: 000-00-0000	H	t(cm):	_		()	
DOB: FEB 13,1961 (55)	W	t(kg):			()	
SEX: FEMALE							
CrCL: <not found=""></not>	BSA	(m2):	_				
				ISSUE	LAST	REF	DAY
# RX # DRUG		QTY	ST	DATE	FILL	REM	SUP
+		2	-	04 10	0 4 1 0	0	0.0
12 2718902 BANDAGE	, GAUZE, ROLLER 2 IN X 6 YD	3	A	04-19	04-19	9 11	29
13 2/18862 IBUPROF	AN SUUME TAB	60 .	A	05-31	05-31		. 30
13 2/18/44 OMEPRAZO	JLE IUMG SA CAP VTCUD TECTIND (004) DISCONT	50 TNUED-	A	05-03	05-03	5	60
14 2718745 OUTNAPR	IISAR IESI LAB (904) DISCONI II. 20MG TAB	3U		03-04	03-04	11	30
QUINIIN	-DAYTSHR TEST LAB (984) EXPT	RED	- <u>-</u> -				
15 2718746 AMOXICI	LITN 250MG CAP	30	Б	06-01	05-04	0	10
	DAYTSHR TEST LAB (984) HOL	D					
16 2718747 CETIRIZ	INE HCL 10MG TAB	45	Н	04-23	- 4	45	
	DAYTSHR TEST LAB (984) SUSPE	NDED					
17 2718748 TRAZODO	NE HCL 50MG TAB	90	S	04-05	06-24	2	90
Enter ?? for m	ore actions						
PU Patient Record Update	e NO New Orde	r					
PI Patient Information	SO Select O	rder					
Select Action: Quit//							

The OneVA Pharmacy patch (PSO*7*454 – December 2016) introduces the new view, 'REMOTE OP Medications', which displays the details of the remote prescription order. When selecting a OneVA Pharmacy prescription order from the Medication Profile screen, the new 'REMOTE OP Medications' page displays as shown in Figure 5:.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*497 updates the 'REMOTE OP Medications' display and introduces the new view for prescription orders that originated from other VA Pharmacy locations, the dispensing Pharmacy only has two actions available. They are:

- RF Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy
- PR Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy



Figure 5: REMOTE OP Medications

Outpatient Pharmacy V. 7.0 OneVA Pharmacy User Manual Users with PSORPH key will be able to use the above Remote OP Medications option. For users without the PSORPH key the system will display the following message when attempting to refill a remote prescription.

>>> Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy may not be selected at this point.

For users without the PSORPH key the system will display the following message for partial fill.

>>> Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy may not be selected at this point.

OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*479 modifies routine PSORRX2 to add the following text if no error message is returned when retrieving the label information from the host system. The following text is displayed just prior to the Label Device: ' prompt:

For a refill:

Figure 6: Refill

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TRANSACTION SUCCESSFUL... The refill for RX #XXXXX has been recorded on the prescription at
the host system.
Select a printer to generate the label or '^' to bypass printing.
QUEUE TO PRINT ON
DEVICE:
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For a partial fill:

Figure 7: Partial Fill

TRANSACTION SUCCESSFUL... The partial for RX #XXXXXX has been recorded on the prescription at the host system. Select a printer to generate the label or '^' to bypass printing. QUEUE TO PRINT ON DEVICE:

3. Processing OneVA Refill/Partial

3.1. OneVA Pharmacy Processing within Patient Prescription Processing

OneVA Phamacy introduced messaging for prescriptions from other VA Pharmacy locations and displays them in the Medications Profile view. The query will only execute if the patient has been treated at more than one VA Medical Center. The query retrieves all prescriptions associated with the patient from the VDIF National Health Connect, which requires additional time. To execute the query to VDIF, the user must answer 'YES' to the 'Would you like to query prescriptions from other OneVA Pharmacy locations?' prompt. When the user responds 'YES' to the OneVA Pharmacy prompt, the system displays the OneVA Pharmacy Query Message.

The OneVA Pharmacy's feature to query VDIF will not execute if the patient has only one entry in the 'TREATING FACILITY LIST file (#391.91)'. Prior to validating the TREATING FACILITY LIST entries, the process filters on the following list of valid facility types: VAMC, M&ROC, M&ROC(M&RO), OC, OPC, CBOC, PRRTP, DOM, HCS, MC(M), MC(M&D), MORC, NHC, VANPH, SOC, SARRTP.

If there are not two or more valid entries, the system will not display the 'Executing OneVA Pharmacy Query Message' listed in the figure above nor will medications that originated from another VA Pharmacy location display on the Medication Profile view.

The system identifies and queries VDIF for all the prescriptions that are active, suspended, on hold, expired (within 120 days), or discontinued (within 120 days).

If the query connection to VDIF fails, a message will display stating 'The system is down or not responding. Could not query prescriptions at other VA Pharmacy locations. The user should press return to continue and contact local support if this problem persists.

When the system is down message displays, the VistA session will continue to display the local/dispensing sites prescriptions on the Medication Profile view. There will be no indication if a patient is registered or has prescriptions on other sites (i.e., remote site/OneVA Pharmacy prescriptions will not display on the Medication Profile view.)

If the patient does not have any prescription records from other VA Pharmacy locations, matching the search criteria, a message will display stating the "Patient found with no prescription records matching search criteria."

The OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*643 introduces the sending of OneVA Rx refills/partial fills to the OPAI to be filled by an external automated dispensing robot when a OneVA Rx refill or partial is processed. The user is not prompted with whether or not to send the refill/partial fill to the OPAI. Whether or not the OneVA Rx refill/partial fill is sent to the OPAI is determined by the EXTERNAL INTERFACE parameter setting in the OUTPATIENT SITE File (#59). Additional parameters in the OUTPATIENT SITE File (#59) and DRUG File (#50) determine which supported external automated dispensing robot the refill/partial fill is routed to if more than one automated dispensing robot is associated with an Outpatient site.

The initial ability to send OneVA refill/partial fill to the OPAI excludes the release functionality regardless of whether or not the parameter 'FILE RELEASE DATE/TIME' in the OUTPATIENT SITE File (#59) is set to 'Yes'. Specific release functions for a dispensing site versus a host site will be provided in a future release.

Select PATIENT NAME: PSOPATIENT, SIX 2 - 00 - 61000000001 NO NSC VETERAN No Patient Warnings on file for PSOPATIENT, SIX. Press RETURN to continue... PSOPATIENT, SIX (000-00-0001) No Allergy Assessment! Press Return to continue: Would you like to query prescriptions from other OneVA Pharmacy locations? NO// YES Please wait. Checking for prescriptions at other VA Pharmacy locations. This may take a moment... REMOTE PRESCRIPTIONS AVAILABLE! Display Remote Data? N// O Eligibility: RX PATIENT STATUS: OUTPT NON-SC// Medication Profile Jul 27, 2016@10:11:28 1 of Page: 1 <NO ALLERGY ASSESSMENT> PSOPATTENT, STX Ht(cm): _____(PID: 000-00-0001 DOB: FEB 13,1961 (55) Wt(kg): ____ SEX: FEFEMALE CrCL: <Not Found> (CREAT: Not Found) BSA (m2): ISSUE LAST REF DAY # RX # QTY ST DATE FILL REM SUP DRUG <No local prescriptions found.> ----- ANYTOWN, OH (984) ACTIVE------
 1
 2718861
 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB
 30 A
 05-21
 07-07
 7
 30

 2
 2718863
 HYDRALAZINE HCL 25MG TAB
 60 A
 05-11
 05-11
 5
 60

 3
 2718862
 IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB
 60 A
 05-31
 05-31
 11
 30
 Enter ?? for more actions

Figure 8: Example: OneVA Pharmacy Processing of a Refill

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PU Patient Record Update PI Patient Information Select Action: Quit//	NO New Order SO Select Order
Coloct Detions Ouit // CO. Coloct Ouder	
Select Action: Quit// SO Select Order	
Select Orders by number: (1-3): 3	
DEMORE OD Modicotions (ACRITE) Tol 27 2	016010.12.27 Decei 1 of 1
REMOTE OF Medications (ACTIVE)JUL 27, 2	VIO ALLEDCY ASSESSMENTS
DID: 000 00 0001	NO ALLERGI ASSESSMENI/
PID: 000-00-0001	HL (CIII): ()
DOB: FEB 13,1901 (33)	wu(kg):()
SEX: FEFEMALE	
CrCL: <not found=""></not>	BSA (m2):
Site #: 984 (ANYTOWN,OH) Rx #: 2718862 Drug Name: IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB Days Supply: 30 Quantity: 60 Refills: 11 Expiration Date: 06/01/17 Issue Date: 05/31/16 Stop Date: 06/01/17 Last Fill Date: 05/31/16 Sig: TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOU FOOD IF GI UPSET OCCURS/	TH TWICE A DAY AS NEEDEDTAKE WITH DO NOT CRUSH OR CHEW
Enter ?? for more actions RF Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy PR Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Ph Select Action:Quit// RF Refill Rx fro	armacy n Another VA Pharmacy
Remote site drug name: IBUPROFEN 800MG Matching Drug Found for Dispensing: IBU Would you like to use the system matche	TAB PROFEN 800MG TAB d drug for this refill/partial fill? NO// YES

3.1.1. Drug Matching Process

Overall, three outcomes occur during the OneVA Pharmacy Drug Matching function. They are:

- 1. One-to-One Match
- 2. One-to-Many Match
- 3. No Drug Match

3.1.1.1. Drug Matching: One-to-One

When the drug matching logic identifies a one-to-one match at the dispensing site for the selected host prescription, the system displays the 'Remote site drug name:' and the 'Matching Drug Found for Dispensing:' and prompts the user to respond 'YES' or 'NO' as displayed in the following image.

Figure 9: Drug Matching: One-to-One Match

```
Remote site drug name: IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB
Matching Drug Found for Dispensing: IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB
Would you like to use the system matched drug for this refill/partial fill? NO//
```

3.1.1.2. Drug Matching: One-to-Many

When the drug matching logic identifies a one-to-many match at the dispensing site for the selected host prescription, the system provides a list of drugs to select from. Once the user selects the matching local drug from the list, the system prompts the user to respond 'Yes' or 'No' to confirm using the drug.

Figure 10: One-to-Many Match

```
Remote site drug name: FAMOTIDINE 20MG TAB

1. 2439 FAMOTIDINE 20MG TAB 60'S GA301 This drug will not be processed without Drug Request

Form 10-7144

2. 7744 FAMOTIDINE 10MG (1/2 OF 20MG) TAB GA301

3. 7745 FAMOTIDINE 20MG TAB 90'S GA301

Select matching local drug:

Select matching local drug: <u>3</u> 7745 FAMOTIDINE 20MG TAB 90'S GA301

Would you like to use this drug?
```

3.1.1.3. Drug Matching: No Drug Match

The following example illustrates when the drug matching logic does not identify any drug match at the dispensing site for the selected remote site drug.

Figure 11: Drug Matching: No Drug Match

Remote site drug name: CABERGOLINE 0.5MG TAB

No local match could be found for CABERGOLINE 0.5MG TAB.

3.1.2. OneVA Pharmacy Exception Messages

There are certain conditions under which a OneVA Prescription refill/partial fill cannot be processed. Those conditions are as follows:

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location will deny the request for a prescription refill to be completed if it is requested "too soon" after the last refill so that prescriptions are not over-distributed.

Unable to complete transaction. Cannot be refilled until MM/DD/YYYY.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location is not fillable when the prescription status is 'discontinued', 'expired', is on 'hold', or 'suspended'.

Only 'ACTIVE' remote prescriptions may be refilled at this time.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refilled) when there are zero remaining refills. **Note:** Partial fills are allowed.

Unable to complete transaction. Cannot refill Rx # xxxxxxx. No refills left.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refill or partial fill) when the drug is classified as a controlled substance on the dispensing site.

This is a controlled substance. Cannot refill Rx # xxxxxxx.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refill or partial fill) when the drug is classified as a controlled substance on the host site.

Unable to complete transaction. Rx #xxxxxx cannot be refilled.

The associated drug is considered a controlled substance at the host facility.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refill or partial fill) when the drug is inactive on the dispensing site.

Matched Drug <DRUG NAME> is inactive. Cannot refill.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refill or partial fill) when the drug has no dispensing site match.

No local match could be found for <DRUG NAME>.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refill or partial fill) when no drug on the dispensing site has a matching VA Product IEN.

Missing VA Product IEN. Rx #xxxxxxx cannot be refilled.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refilled or partial fill) when the prescription has a trade name.

Unable to complete transaction.

This prescription cannot be refilled or partial filled because it has a value entered in the Rx trade name field. Please follow local policy for obtaining a new prescription.

• Patient's prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location and cannot be dispensed (refilled or partial fill) when the prescription type is Titration.

Unable to complete transaction.

Cannot refill prescription - type is Titration. You may request a partial fill.

Figure 12. Transaction Successful

```
Processing refill request. Please be patient as it may take a moment for the host site to
respond and generate your label data...
TRANSACTION SUCCESSFUL... The refill for RX #2718862 has been recorded on the prescription
at the host system.
Select a printer to generate the label or '^' to bypass printing.
QUEUE TO PRINT ON
DEVICE: ONEVA
1 ONEVA NULL NUL
2 ONEVAPRT$PRT BAY PINES TEST LAB
Choose 1-2> 1 ONEVA NULL NUL
Label queued!
Refill complete for RX #2718862.
Press RETURN to continue:
Updating prescription order list...
```

At the device prompt, if a user up-carets ("^") to bypass printing a refill or partial fill, whichever was requested, will not be sent to the OPAI and will not be dispensed by the supported external automated dispensing robot.

At the device prompt, if a user enters a printer that is not defined in the DISPENSING SYSTEM PRINTER field (#2008) of the OUTPATIENT SITE FILE (#59), the prescription will not be sent to the OPAI for dispensing. A label will however print. An exception to this is if a laser label device is not selected, the label will also NOT print.

At the device prompt, if a user enters a printer and no printers are defined in the DISPENSING SYSTEM PRINTER field (#2008) of the OUTPATIENT SITE FILE (#59), the prescription will be sent to the OPAI for dispensing for a single external automated dispensing robot setup. For a multi dispensing robot setup, if no printers are defined in the DISPENSING SYSTEM PRINTER Field (#2008), and the DISPENSE DNS NAME field (#2006) and the DISPENSE DNS PORT Field (#2007) are not defined, the prescription WILL NOT be sent to the OPAI. If the DISPENSE DNS NAME and DISPENSE DNS PORT fields are populated for the multi dispensing robot setup, the prescription will be sent to the dispensing robot defined by the fields. In all three cases the label will print. An exception to this is if a laser label device is not selected, the label will also NOT print in all three cases.

OneVA Pharmacy remote refill and remote partial fill actions at times receives the following exception message:

MESSAGE SENT TO TARGET VISTA; TIME OUT AWAITING REPLY

Press RETURN to continue:

The user pressed RETURN and must execute the transaction steps for a second time. If the user repeats the transaction, the process successfully executes.

During the remote refill or partial fill of a prescription order that originated from another VA Pharmacy location, the number of refills remaining is decremented by one and the last refill date

is updated with the current date on the host VistA database. In the example displayed in the following image, the patient has '11' refills remaining, and the last refill date was '05/31/16'.

Figure 13: Remote OP Medications View for a Prescription

REMOTE OP Medications (ACTIVE) JUL 27, 2016@10:12	:37 Page: 1 of 1
PSOPATIENT, SIX	
PID: 000-00-0001	Ht(cm):()
DOB: FEB 13,1961 (55)	Wt(kg):()
SEX: FEMALE	
CrCL: <not found=""> (CREAT: Not Found)</not>	BSA (m2):
Site #: 984(ANYTOWN,OH)	
Rx #: 2718862	
Drug Name: IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB	
Days Supply: 30	
Quantity: 60	
Refills: 11	
Expiration Date: 06/01/17	
Issue Date: 05/31/16	
Stop Date: 06/01/17	
Last Fill Date: 05/31/16	
Sig: TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH TWICE	A DAY AS NEEDED -TAKE WITH
FOOD IF GI UPSET OCCURS/DO NOT	CRUSH OR CHEW
Enter ?? for more actions	
RF Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy	
PR Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy	
Select Action:Quit//	

Prescription label is provided for Figure 14. The label is identical to what would have printed out at the host site.

Figure 14: Prescription Label

VAMC ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 984 XXX-XXX-0000 (35783/) 27 2016410-7	VAMC ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 984 937-XXX-0000 (35783/)	984 (35783/) JUL
Rx# 2718862 JUL 27,2016 Fill 2 of 12	Rx# 2718862 JUL 27,2016 Fill 2 of 12	Rx# 2718862 JUL 27,2016
PSOPATIENT, SIX TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH TWICE A DAY AS NEEDED	PSOPATIENT,SIX TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH TWICE A DAY AS NEEDED	PSOPATIENT, SIX TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH
TAKE WITH FOOD IF GI UPSET OCCURS/DO NOT	TAKE WITH FOOD IF GI UPSET OCCURS/DO NOT	TAKE WITH FOOD IF GI
PSOPROVIDER, ONE	CRUSH OR CHEW PSOPROVIDER, ONE	CRUSH OR CHEW PSOPROVIDER, ONE
Qty: 60 TAB IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB	Qty: 60 TAB IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB 10 Refills remain prior to JUN 1,2017	Qty: 60 TAB IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB Mfq Lot#
PO BOX 415 ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415	COPAY Days Supply: 30	Tech RPh
ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED		Read FDA Med Guide
DO NOT MAIL		Routing: WINDOW Days supply: 30 Cap: SAFETY Isd: MAY 31,2016 Exp: JUN
1,27		
PSOPATIENT, SIX	*Indicate address change on back of this form [] Permanent	Last Fill: 05/31/2016 Pat. Stat ONSC Clinic:
CINCI	[] Temporary until / /	DRUG WARNING 8,10,19
	Signature PSOPATIENT,SIX Rx# 2718862	PSOPATIENT, SIX
	IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB DRUG WARNING:	Verified Allergies
	DO NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES when taking this medication. TAKE WITH FOOD OR MILK.	Non-Verified Allergies
	This is the same medication you have been getting. Color, size	Verified Adverse Reactions

	or shape may appear different.	
		Non-Verified Adverse
Reactions		
	PSOPATIENT, SIX JUL 27, 2016	
Pharmacy Service (119) VAMC ANYTOWN, OH P.O. BOX 415 ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415		
Use the label above to mail the computer copies back t	to us. Apply enough postage to your envelope to e	ensure delivery.
The VA Notice of Privacy Practices, IB 10-163, which on http://www.va.gov/Health/ or you may obtain a copy by Washington, DC 20420.	outlines your privacy rights, is available online writing the VHA Privacy Office (19F2), REDACTED,	ə at

The OneVA Pharmacy patch retrieves the prescription information for the label from the host site and transmits the data back to the dispensing site for printing. As of this writing, there is no 'REMOTE REPRINT' option available for OneVA Pharmacy orders. The 'REPRINT' action is not operational for the OneVA Pharmacy refills or partials; however, plans are being made to release a new action option as part of a future OneVA Pharmacy project.

In order to reprint a label due to a paper jam, a malfunction of the printer, or the need to label multiple packages like inhalers, it is suggested to use the OneVA Pharmacy *Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy* process and perform the transaction again.

OneVA Pharmacy Patch PSO*7*643 removed the 'REPRINT' notation on the refill/partial fill labels. It was also removed from the Label log section in the Activity Log at the host site.

Medication Profile Jul 27, 2016(10:26:23 Page: 1 of 1 PSOPATIENT,SIX <no allergy="" assessment=""> PID: 000-00-0000 Ht (cm):() DOB: REDACTED Wt (kg):() SEX: FEFEMALE Wt (kg):() CrCL: <not found=""> BSA (m2): # RX # DRUG <no found.="" local="" prescriptions=""> </no></not></no>
PSOPATIENT,SIX < NO ALLERGY ASSESSMENT> PID: 000-00000 Ht (cm):
PID: 000-00-000 Ht (Cm): () DOB: REDACTED Wt (kg): () SEX: FEFEMALE ISSUE LAST REF DAY CrCL: <not found=""> BSA (m2): ISSUE LAST REF DAY UTY ST DATE FILL REM SUP QTY ST DATE FILL REM SUP Cettrizine found.> 1 2718861 CETTRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB 30 A 05-21 07-07 7 30 2 2718863 HYDRALAZINE HCL 25MG TAB 60 A 05-11 05-11 5 60 3 2718862 IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB 60 A 05-31 07-27 10 30 Enter ?? for more actions PUL Patient Record Undate NO. New Order</not>
DOB: REDACTED Wt (Rg):
SEX: FEFEMALE CrCL: <not found=""> BSA (m2):</not>
Erect: (Not Found) BSA (M2): ISSUE LAST REF DAY # RX # DRUG QTY ST DATE FILL REM SUP (No local prescriptions found.> 1 2718861 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB 30 A 05-21 07-07 7 30 2 2718863 HYDRALAZINE HCL 25MG TAB 60 A 05-11 05-11 5 60 3 2718862 IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB Enter ?? for more actions PU< Patient Record Undate
RX # DRUG QTY ST DATE FILL REM SUP (No local prescriptions found.> 1 2718861 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB 30 A 05-21 07-07 7 30 2 2718863 HYDRALAZINE HCL 25MG TAB 60 A 05-11 05-11 5 60 3 2718862 IBUPROFEN 800MG TAB 60 A 05-31 07-27 10 30 Enter ?? for more actions PU Patient Record Undate NO New Order
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Enter ?? for more actions
Enter ?? for more actions PU Patient Record Undate NO New Order
Enter ?? for more actions PU Patient Record Update NO New Order
PIL Patient Record Undate NO New Order
PI Patient Information SO Select Order
Select Action: Ouit// 1
REMOTE OF MEdications (ACTIVE) OCT 19, 2021@16:57:05 Page: 1 OT 1
POPALIENI, SIA AZ

Figure 15: OneVA Pharmacy Processing of a Partial Fill

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CrCL: <Not Found> BSA (m2): Site #: 984 (ANYTOWN,OH) Rx #: 2718861 Drug Name: CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB Days Supply: 30 Quantity: 30 Refills: 7 Expiration Date: 05/22/17 Issue Date: 05/21/16 Stop Date: 05/22/17 Last Fill Date: 07/07/16 Sig: TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH EVERY DAY Enter ?? for more actions RF Refill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy PR Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy Select Action:Quit// PR Partial Fill Rx from Another VA Pharmacy Remote site drug name: CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB Matching Drug Found for Dispensing: CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB Would you like to use the system matched drug for this refill/partial fill? NO// YES Enter Quantity: 10 DAYS SUPPLY: 10 Select PHARMACIST Name: ONEVARPH, ONE// ONEVARPH, ONE 192 ANYTOWN, OH REMARKS: last refill lost Processing partial fill request. Please be patient as it may take a moment for the host site to respond and generate your label data... TRANSACTION SUCCESSFUL... The partial for RX #2718861 has been recorded on the prescription at the host system. Select a printer to generate the label or '^' to bypass printing. QUEUE TO PRINT ON DEVICE: ONEVA 1 ONEVA NULL NUL 2 ONEVAPRT\$PRT BAY PINES TEST LAB Choose 1-2> 1 ONEVA NULL NUL Label queued! Partial complete for RX #2718861. Press RETURN to continue: Updating prescription order list...

The system displays a message informing that the prescription list is updating. The background process is retrieving the patient's updated medication profile information from VDIF.

The system will redisplay the Medication Profile view showing the updated prescription information.

Use the OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Reports capability to review the partial fill activity for both the dispensing and host sites transactions. Follow this <u>LINK</u> to the OneVA Pharmacy Report section for details.

Prescription label is provided for Figure 16:. The label is identical to what would have printed out at the host site.

VAMC ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 984 xxx-xxx-0000 (35783/) 27,2016010:0 Rx# 2718861 JUL 27,2016 Fill 2 of 9 VAMC ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 984 xxx-xxx-0000 (35783/) (PARTIAL) 984 (35783/) JUL Rx# 2718861 JUL 27,2016 Fill 2 of 9 Rx# 2718861 JUL 27,2016 Fi19 PSOPATIENT, SIX PSOPATIENT, SIX PSOPATIENT, SIX TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH DAILY TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH DAILY TAKE ONE TABLET BY MOUTH DAILY PSOPROVIDER, ONE PSOPROVIDER, ONE PSOPROVIDER, ONE TAB Oty: 10 TAB Oty: 10 TAB Oty: 10 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB 7 Refills remain prior to MAY 22,2017 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB Mfg_____Lot#____ Tech RPh CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB PO BOX 415 Days Supply: 10 ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED ***DO NOT MAIL*** Routing: WINDOW Days supply: 10 Cap: SAFETY Isd: MAY 21,2016 Exp: MAY 22,2017 PSOPATIENT, SIX *Indicate address change on back of this form Last Fill: 05/23/2016 [] Permanent Pat. Stat ONSC Clinic: CINCI [] Temporary until / / DRUG WARNING 1,8 Signature PSOPATIENT, SIX PSOPATIENT, SIX Rx# 2718861 CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG TAB Verified Allergies DRUG WARNING: -MAY CAUSE DROWSINESS-Alcohol may intensify this effect. USE CARE when driving or Non-Verified Allergies when operating dangerous machinery. DO NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES Verified Adverse Reactions when taking this medication. Non-Verified Adverse Reactions ___ PSOPATIENT, SIX JUL 27,2016 Pharmacy Service (119) ANYTOWN P.O. BOX 415 ANYTOWN, OH 45428-0415 Use the label above to mail the computer copies back to us. Apply enough postage to your envelope to ensure delivery. The VA Notice of Privacy Practices, IB 10-163, which outlines your privacy rights, is available online at http://wwwl.va.gov/Health/ or you may obtain a copy by writing the VHA Privacy Office (19F2), 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420

Figure 16: Prescription Label

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4. Activity Log Entries

Patch PSO*7*643 enhances the current activity log entries to provide an audit trail for OneVA refills and partial fills sent through the OPAI to a supported external automated dispensing robot for dispensing. The host site's Activity log and label log entries document the facility name and station number where the OneVA refill/partial fill was dispensed. The 'Initiator of Activity' was corrected to reflect the remote Pharmacist's name instead of 'Postmaster'. Entries 4-5 illustrate a OneVA refill filled at a dispensing site DAYTSHR TEST LAB (984). Entries 6-9 illustrate a OneVA partial filled at a dispensing site, CHYSHR (983) which has multiple supported external automated dispensing robots.

Rx Activity Log	Nov 30, 2021@11:31:1	5 Page:	1 of 3	
PSOPATIENT, ONE	<	NO ALLERGY ASSES	SMENT>	
PID: 000-00-0000		Ht(cm): 167.64	(11/05/2021)	
DOB: REDACTED		Wt(kg): 72.57 (11/05/2021)	
			, , . ,	
Rx #: 2722091 Original Fill	1 Released: 10/25/21			
Routing: Mail Finished 1	by: PHARMACIST.TWO			
Routing. nati infonca ,	oy. Immuno101,100			
Refill Log.				
# Log Date Refill Date Of	ty Poutin	a Tot # P	harmaciet	
# 109 Date Kerri Date &		у шос т -		
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Γ	d. 11/15/21 Polocod	· NDC · 63653_1	171_05	15IIIX
DIVISION: 304 DISPENSE	d: 11/13/21 Released	: NDC: 03033 1	1/1-05	
Dortiol Fille.				
Faillai Fiirs.	Pouting	T.o.+ # D	k - ma ai at	
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DIVISION: 903 KELEADED	:			
REMARKS: Ran out of meus				
Patinite Tan				
Activity Log:			I I.	
# Date/Time Rea:	son Rx Rei	Initiator U	of Activity	
1 10/25/21010:42:21 X-11	NTERFACE ORIGINAL	PHARMACIST,	LOCAL	
Comments: Prescription sent	to external interface.			
2 10/25/21016:42:23 X-11	NTERFACE ORIGINAL	POSTMASTER		
Comments: HL/ ID - 984680213	93 MESSAGE TRANSMITTED	TO OPTIFILLZ		
(10.224.21.245)		DU3 D1/3 07 07		
3 10/25/21016:42:30 DIS	P COMPLETED ORIGINAL	PHARMACIST,	LOCAL	
Comments: External Interface	Dispensing is Complete	e. Filled By:	TECH, TWO	
Checking Pharmacis	t: PHARMACIST, TWO			_
Mail Tracking Info	.: REGULAR MAIL3211025	received at 10/	25/21016:42:30)
4 11/15/21 X-TI	NTERFACE REFIT. 1	PHARMACIST	DAYTSHR	
Comments: Refill sent to evt	ernal interface	111110110101,	DITTOTIC	
Processed at DAYTS	HR TEST LAB (984)			
5 11/15/21 DTT	D COMDIETED DEFITI 1		סטעשפטש	
Comments · External Interface	Dispensing is Complet	PHANMACIDI,	DAIISHK	
Processed at DAVES	DISPENSING IS COMPILED	е.		
Filled Bur DEDCON	ONE Charling Dharmag		ONE	
FILLED BY. FERSON,	SNE CHECKING FILAI MAC.	ISC. FRANMACISI,	ONE	
6 11/30/21 PAR	TIAL REFILL 1	PHARMACIST,	CHYSHR	
Comments: Ran out of meds Pro	ocessed at CHYSHR (983)		
7 11/30/21 X-II	NTERFACE PARTIAL	PHARMACIST,	CHYSHR	
Comments: Partial sent to ext	ternal interface.			
Processed at CHYSH	R (983)			
8 11/30/21@16:39:04 X-II	NTERFACE ORIGINAL	PHARMACIST,	CHYSHR	
Comments: HL7 ID - 984685405	91 MESSAGE TRANSMITTED	TO OPTIFILL?		
(10 000 00 000) >+				

Host Site Activity Log entries for a OneVA refill and Partial filled at dispensing facilities.

Figure 17: Activity Log Entries

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The label log entries 2-3 below display the facility name and station number where the OneVA refill/partial fills were dispensed. The 'Printed By was corrected in Patch PSO*7*643 to reflect the remote Pharmacist's name instead of 'Postmaster'.

Figure 18. Label Log Entries

Label Log: # Date Rx Ref	Printed By
1 10/25/21 ORIGINAL Comments: From RX number	PHARMACIST, LOCAL
2 11/15/21 REFILL 1 Comments: From RX number Printed at DAYTSHR TEST LAB (98 3 11/30/21 REFILL 98 Comments: From RX number (Partial Printed at CHYSHR(983)	PHARMACIST, DAYTSHR 4) PHARMACIST, CHYSHR)
Enter ?? for more actions	
Select Action:Quit//	

5. Reports

5.1. OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Report

[PSO REMOTE RX REPORT]

Note: To account for copay billing, insurance billing, and subsequent refill capabilities all sites are asked to review the OneVA Pharmacy Reports and manually release prescriptions filled by other stations. Recommended frequency of reviewing these reports is no less than weekly.

The OneVA Pharmacy patch PSO*7*454 – December 2016 introduces the new menu option for retrieving the OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Reports. The ONEVA Pharmacy Prescription Report [PSO REMOTE RX REPORT] menu is located on the Rx (Prescriptions) [PSO RX] menu.

There are three new reports available on the menu with self-describing titles, they are:

- 1. Prescriptions dispensed for other Host Pharmacies
- 2. Our prescriptions, filled by other facilities as the Dispensing Pharmacy
- 3. All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Activity

Each report can be searched by (1) Date Range (2) Patient or (3) Site. The type of report and search option selected determines the content shown on a report. All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription reports contain a summary page and a detailed page. All three reports have the same format and basic information.

A row number identifies each refill/partial fill. For each row the date processed, patient name, drug name, quantity dispensed, and the quantity supplied displays. There are four refill type values, they are:

- RF refills
- PR partial fills
- OR refills performed by other sites
- OP partial fills performed by other sites

The total cost is the sum of the costs of all items included in this report and is available on the report 'Prescriptions we have dispensed for other Host Pharmacies'. The cost is calculated by using the dispensing sites 'Price Per Dispense Unit' and multiplying that by the quantity being dispensed.

To review more detailed information about a specific order, perform the following steps:

1. Enter **<SI>** at the 'Select Action' prompt and press **<ENTER>**.

The system displays the action name and prompts for the item to display:

2. Enter <11> at the 'Enter a number' prompt and press <ENTER>.

The following image displays the 'Select Action' and 'Enter a number' prompts.

The following is an example of the summary page layout for one of the OneVA Pharmacy reports and a detailed display of an individual order on the report.

Figure 19: OneVA Pharmacy Reports

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Patient Prescription Processing
   FEE
          Fee Patient Inquiry
          Check Drug Interaction
          Complete Orders from OERR
          Discontinue Prescription(s)
          Edit Prescriptions
          ePharmacy Menu ...
          List One Patient's Archived Rx's
          Manual Print of Multi-Rx Forms
          OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Report
          Reprint an Outpatient Rx Label
          Signature Log Reprint
          View Prescriptions
Select Rx (Prescriptions) <TEST ACCOUNT> Option: OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Ret
Report
        Prescriptions dispensed for other Host Pharmacies
   1.
       Our prescriptions, filled by other facilities as the Dispensing Pharmacy
   2.
      All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Activity
   3.
   Select item: (1-3): ?
Selecting 1 will display the list of prescriptions that our local facility has dispensed on
behalf of other host Pharmacy locations as part of the OneVA Pharmacy program. Selecting 2
will display the list of prescriptions other VA Pharmacy locations have filled as a
dispensing site for a prescription that originated from our location. Selecting 3 will list
all prescriptions that either we have filled for other Pharmacy locations as the dispensing
site or other Pharmacy locations have filled on our behalf.
Answer with 1, 2, or 3.
   1. Prescriptions dispensed for other Host Pharmacies
   2.
       Our prescriptions, filled by other facilities as the Dispensing Pharmacy
       All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Activity
   3.
   Select item: (1-3): 3 All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Activity
     Select one of the following:
          D
                    DATE RANGE
                   PATIENT
          Ρ
          S
                   SITE
Search by: DATE RANGE
Enter start date: Nov 16, 2021//12/12/21 (DEC 12, 2021)
Enter end date: Dec 16, 2021// (DEC 16, 2021)
OneVA PHARMACY RX REPORT
                               Dec 16, 2021@15:32:51
                                                               Page:
                                                                        1 of
All OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Activity
                   PATIENT
                                            DRUG NAME
                                                                  TYPE
                                                                         QTY
                                                                              DSUP
     DATE
1 DEC 13, 2021 PSOPATIENT, ONE CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG PR 1 1
   DEC 13, 2021PSOPATIENT,NINEACETAMINOPHEN 325MGOP2DEC 13, 2021PSOPATIENT,TWOMINOXIDIL 10MG TABPR4DEC 13, 2021PSOPATIENT,TWOMETOPROLOL SUCCINATERF3030DEC 13, 2021PSOPATIENT,TWOFOLIC ACID 1MG TABPR44
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6 DEC 14, 2021 PSOPATIENT, FIFTEEN ROSUVASTATIN CA 20MG RF 30 30
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7	DEC 14,	2021	PSOPATIENT, FIFTEEN	AMIODARONE HCL (SAND	PR	21	7
8	DEC 15,	2021	PSOPATIENT, TEN	BENAZEPRIL HCL 10MG	OR	7	7
9	DEC 15,	2021	PSOPATIENT, EIGHT	DIPHENHYDRAMINE HCL	PR	42	7
10	DEC 15,	2021	PSOPATIENT, EIGHT	FUROSEMIDE 20MG TAB	RF	60	30
Total	L Cost fo	or ite	ms in this report: \$37.	12			
Enter ?? for more actions							
Select Action:Quit// SI Select Item Enter a number (1-3): 1							

Patch PSO*7*643 added new fields from the REMOTE PRESCRIPTION LOG File (#52.09) to the detailed display below. There are some minor differences between the request type(s) of outside refill/outside partial fill for the host site and refill/partial fill for the dispensing site. The Internal Entry Number (IEN) of the Local (matched) drug displays next to the drug name in parenthesis for a Dispensing site entry. The Remote Filling Person, Remote Checking Pharmacist, OPAI Message ID, DISP ADD Name, and DISP ADD DNS are found for both the Dispensing and Host site entries. Patch PSO*7*643 corrected an issue that caused the Quantity and Days Supply not to display in the detailed view.

Figure 20: Dispensing Site Entry Example

OneVA PHARMACY RX DETAILS D	ec 13, 2021@11:37:33	Page:	1 of	1
Detailed report of Prescription	s dispensed for other H	ost Pharmacies		_
Request Date/Time:	DEC 13, 2021@11:36:17			
Patient:	PSOPATIENT, ONE			
RX #:	10001164			
Rx Hosted at Site:	CHYSHR TEST LAB			
Request Type:	PARTIAL FILL			
Requesting Pharmacist:	PHARMACIST, DAYTSHR			
Quantity:	1			
Days Supply:	1			
Dispensed Date:	DEC 13, 2021			
Drug Name at Host site:	CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG T.	AB		
Local (matched) drug:	CETIRIZINE HCL 10MG T.	AB (6519)		
Cost of Local Refill/Partial:	\$11.90			
Remote Filling Person:	TECHNICIAN, DAYTSHR	\		
Remote Checking Pharmacist:	PHARMACIST, DAYTSHR			
OPAI Message ID:	98473896894			
Disp ADD Name:	OPTIFILL1			
Disp ADD DNS:	10.000.00.000			
		/		
Enter ?? for more act	ions			
Select Action:Quit//				

The Host site entry will not have a value for the local (matched) drug label. The additional field displayed for the Host site will be either the Host Refill IEN or the Host Partial IEN depending on whether a refill or partial fill was dispensed.

OneVA PHARMACY RX DETAILS De	ec 13, 2022@11:42:08	Page:	1 of	1
Detailed report of All OneVA Pha	armacy Prescription Activity			
Request Date/Time:	DEC 13, 2021@11:35:09			
Patient:	ONEVAPATIENT, NINE			
RX #:	10001090			
Rx Dispensed by Site:	DAYTSHR TEST LAB			
Request Type:	OUTSIDE REFILL			
Requesting Pharmacist:	PHARMACIST, DAYTSHR			
Quantity:	30			
Days Supply:	30			
Dispensed Date:	DEC 13, 2021			
Drug Name at Host site:	FUROSEMIDE 20MG TAB			
Local (matched) drug:				
Cost of Local Refill/Partial:	\$0.00			
Remote Filling Person:	TECHNICIAN, DAYTSHR			
Remote Checking Pharmacist:	PHARMACIST, DAYTSHR			
Host Refill IEN:	1			
OPAI Message ID:	98473896884			
Disp ADD Name:	OPTIFILL1			
Disp ADD DNS:	10.000.00.000			
Enter 22 tor more act	LODS			

Figure 21: Host Site Entry Example

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Select Action:Quit// QUIT

6. Appendix A: Troubleshooting

OneVA Pharmacy introduces new functionality that allows a Pharmacist to refill or partial fill a prescription from another VA Pharmacy location. This software patch uses HL7 messaging to send and receive remote prescription details from another VA Pharmacy location. This allows a 'dispensing' ('non-custodial' or 'local' pharmacy) facility to refill a prescription that originated from another VA Pharmacy location. The VA Pharmacy location where the prescription originated is the 'host' ('remote') facility.

The OneVA Pharmacy software sends the HL7 query message through the VDIF repository.

The prescriptions display below any 'local' prescriptions on the Medication Profile view. The Pharmacist can then view and choose a remote (host) prescription and will be able to refill or partially fill any active non-controlled substance prescription at either facility.

All OneVA Prescription refills and partial fills are logged into a new file called REMOTE PRESCRIPTION LOG (#52.09) for host and dispensing facilities. The entries are viewable using the *OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Report* functionality.

With this integrated VistA patch, several points of failure could occur. The systems design will allow the process to continue if any of the various integration points fail, however, remote prescriptions will not display to the Pharmacist on the Medication Profile view.

There are application error messages that will display during the search for the patient and the patient's prescriptions. They are:

• No patient error message:

PATIENT IDENTIFIER NOT FOUND

• Multiple patients returned error messages:

MORE THAN ONE PATIENT RETURNED IN CALL TO VDIF MORE THAN ONE PATIENT FOUND ON RX DATABASE, CHECK ICN

• Patient returned; no prescription data returned error message:

PATIENT FOUND WITH NO PRESCRIPTION RECORDS

• Patient returned; no prescription data matching filters returned error message:

PATIENT FOUND WITH NO PRESCRIPTION RECORDS MATCHING SEARCH CRITERIA

6.1. Special Instructions for Error Correction

Significant errors are errors or conditions that affect the system stability, availability, performance, or otherwise make the system unavailable to its user base. For any significant error, please contact your local support.

7. Appendix B: Acronyms and Abbreviations

The following table provides the list of acronyms used throughout the document along with their descriptions.

Acronym/Abbreviation	Description
[DIUSER]	FileMan Menu
[PSO LM BACKDOOR ORDERS]	Patient Prescription Processing Menu
[PSO MANAGER]	Outpatient Pharmacy Manager Menu
[PSO MENU]	Pharmacy Menu
[PSO REMOTE RX REPORT]	OneVA Pharmacy Prescription Report Menu
[PSO RX]	Rx (Prescriptions) Menu
AITC	Austin Information Technology Center
C/HDR	Clinical/Health Data Repository
CDS	Clinical Data Services
CHYSHR	Chyshr Test Laboratory VistA instance
Clin1	Clinical Product Support Team 1
DAYTSHR	Daytshr Test Laboratory VistA instance
DoD	Department of Defense
ЕРМО	Office of Information and Technology Enterprise Program Management Office
GOV	Government
HDR	Health Data Repository
HL7	Health Level 7
ICN	Integrated Control Number
IEN	Internal Entry Number
IOC	Initial Operating Capability
IT	Information Technology
MLLP	Minimal Layer Protocol
MVI	Master Veteran Index
NPI	National Provider Identifier
NSD	National Service Desk
OIT	Office of Information and Technology
ОМВ	Office of Management and Budget
OP	Outpatient Pharmacy
OP	OneVA Pharmacy Partial Fill

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Acronym/Abbreviation	Description
OPAI	Outpatient Pharmacy Automated Interface
OR	OneVA Pharmacy Refill
PDM	Pharmacy Data Management application namespace
PII	Personally Identifiable Information
PR	Partial Refill (Local)
PSO	Outpatient Pharmacy application namespace
RF	Refill (Local)
Rx	Prescription
SDM	Service Desk Manager
SOAP	Simple Object Access Protocol
VA	Department of Veterans Affairs
VAMC	Veterans Affairs Medical Center
VDIF	Veterans Data Information Exchange
VDL	VA Software Document Library
VHA	Department of Veterans Health Administration
VIERS	Veteran Information/Eligibility Record Services
VistA	Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture

8. Appendix C: Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

1) What is the Value to me as the Veteran?

The previous 'Coordinated Care for Traveling Veterans' handbook required either a visit to the Emergency Room/Urgent Care Center or a pharmacy clinic visit to obtain a new prescription. OneVA Pharmacy makes the best use of the prescription already on file at another VA medical center.

Audience: Veteran

2) What if I have never been registered at the VA where I'm trying to pick up my prescription?

Veterans must register/enroll at the VA medical center in order for the pharmacy to see their records.

Audience: Veteran

3) Does OneVA pharmacy benefit me if I'm not traveling?

Use existing processes to contact the VA where your prescription is on file to request a refill.

Audience: Veteran

4) Do you still need to enter Allergies into the Pharmacy profile?

VistA pharmacy will display allergies and adverse reactions from all remote facilities.

Audience: Pharmacy

5) Can we send the prescription to CMOP?

OneVA Pharmacy is designed to provide an immediate fill at the Pharmacy window.

Audience: Pharmacy

6) Can any prescription be filled by OneVA pharmacy?

Controlled substances (CS at one or both facilities) cannot be filled via OneVA pharmacy. Drugs not matched to the National Drug file cannot be filled via OneVA Pharmacy. Prescriptions will no remaining refills, on suspense or on hold cannot be filled.

Audience: Pharmacy, Veteran

7) What should I do if I do not have the medication in stock?

Order the medication if the Veteran can return the next day, mail from CMOP to a temporary address, utilize the Coordinated Care for Traveling Veteran Handbook. "What would a prudent Pharmacist do?"

Audience: Pharmacy

8) What information is kept in my VistA system and what information is kept at the host VistA system?

The dispensing VistA system tracks the information in a new OneVA Pharmacy file – REMOTE PRESCRIPTION LOG File (#52.09) for reporting purposes. The refill or partial fill is tracked in the host system's prescription file and activity log.

Audience: Pharmacy

9) What if it is too soon to fill?

Prescription will not be available to refill. Partial fills will be an available option. Sites can use Remote Data Views to see the fill history from the host station, especially if there are concerns for frequent partial fill requests of the same Rx.

Audience: Pharmacy

10) What is the dispensing name and address on the label?

The host pharmacy will be the name and address printed on the label which is consistent with how CMOP processes prescriptions.

Audience: Pharmacy

11) Are there any responsibilities for the host pharmacy in OneVA pharmacy?

To account for copay billing, insurance billing and subsequent refill capabilities all sites are asked to review the *ONEVA PHARMACY PRESCRIPTION REPORT* [PS0 REMOTE RX REPORT] and manually release prescriptions filled by other stations. Recommended frequency of reviewing report is no less than weekly.

Audience: Pharmacy

12)How does OneVA pharmacy select the drug from my drug file?

The original prescription resides in HealthShare's Summary Document Architecture (SDA). OneVA pharmacy identifies the national drug file (NDF) "VA Product" for the prescription. Matching drugs in your local drug file are identified based on that NDF product. If there is a 1:1 match found, OneVA pharmacy will recommend that drug. If there are multiple possible matches found, OneVA pharmacy will present a pick list to select from.

Audience: Pharmacy

13) How much information can you see from the Host prescription file?

OneVA pharmacy displays a limited subset of the prescription. Once the patient is registered, VistA Web can be utilized to see details of the prescription.

Audience: Pharmacy

14)What if the original prescription uses an abbreviation that is not in our instruction file?

The prescription label is generated from the host prescription file. This is consistent with how CMOP processes prescriptions.

Audience: Pharmacy

15)OneVA pharmacy reports show cost information, which system is used to calculate medication cost?

The dispensing system's cost is used in the report.

Audience: Pharmacy

16)Can I send an OneVA Pharmacy prescription to automation via the Outpatient Pharmacy Automation Interfaces (OPAI)?

Yes, patch PSO*7*643 allows OneVA Pharmacy prescription refills and partial fills to be sent to an external automated dispensing robot via the OPAI.

Audience: Pharmacy

17)If a patient is requesting a medication that requires in-clinic administration, could I use OneVA pharmacy?

OneVA pharmacy functionality is intended for outpatient prescriptions to be dispensed at the Pharmacy window.

Audience: Pharmacy

18) How will a patient be notified that their OneVA prescription is ready for pick up?

OneVA Pharmacy does not interface with prescription ready notification boards. Consider alternative processes and workflow. If however, the OneVA Pharmacy refill/partial fill is sent to an external automated dispensing robot via the OPAI, the patient will be notified that their OneVA prescription is ready for pick up.

9. Appendix D: Glossary

The following table provides definitions for common acronyms and terms used in this manual.

Acronym/Term	Definition
Action Profile	A list of all active and recently canceled or expired prescriptions for a patient sorted by classification. This profile also includes a signature line for each prescription to allow the physician to cancel or renew it.
Activity Log	A log, by date, of changes made to or actions taken on a prescription. An entry is made in this log each time the prescription is edited, canceled, reinstated after being canceled, or renewed. An entry will be made into this log each time a label is reprinted. A CMOP activity log will contain information related to CMOP dispensing activities.
Allergy/ADR Information	Includes non-verified and verified allergy and/or adverse reaction information as defined in the Adverse Reaction Tracking (ART) package. The allergy data is sorted by type (DRUG, OTHER, FOOD). If no data is found for a category, the heading for that category is not displayed.
Allergy Order Checks	The process that compares the drugs prescribed for a patient against that patient's recorded allergies.
AMIS	Automated Management Information System
Answer Sheet	An entry in the DUE ANSWER SHEET file. It contains the questions and answers of a DUE questionnaire. This term is also used to refer to the hard copy representation of a DUE ANSWER SHEET entry.
API	Application Programming Interface
APSP	Originally Indian Health Service Pharmacy's name space now owned by the Outpatient Pharmacy software.
BSA	Body Surface Area. The Dubois formula is used to calculate the Body Surface Area using the following formula:
	BSA (m²) = 0.20247 x Height (m)0.725 x Weight (kg)0.425
	The equation is performed using the most recent patient height and weight values that are entered into the vitals package.
	The calculation is not intended to be a replacement for independent clinical judgment.
Bypass	Take no action on a medication order.
CHAMPVA	CHAMPVA (Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs) is a cost-shared health benefits program established for the dependents and survivors of certain severely disabled and/or deceased veterans.

Table 3: Glossary

Acronym/Term	Definition
Clinical Reminder Order Checks (CROC)	CPRS Order Checks that use Clinical Reminder functionality, both reminder terms and reminder definitions, to perform checks for groups of orderable items.
СМОР	Consolidated Mail Outpatient Pharmacy
CPRS	Computerized Patient Record System. CPRS is an entry point in VistA that allows the user to enter all necessary orders for a patient in different packages (e.g., Outpatient Pharmacy, Inpatient Pharmacy, etc.) from a single entry point.
CrCL	Creatinine Clearance. The CrCl value which displays in the pharmacy header is identical to the CrCl value calculated in CPRS. The formula approved by the CPRS Clinical Workgroup is the following:
	Modified Cockcroft-Gault equation using Adjusted Body Weight in kg (if ht > 60in)
	This calculation is not intended to be a replacement for independent clinical judgment.
Critical	Interactions with severe consequences that require some type of action (finding facts, contacting prescribers) to prevent potential serious harm.
DATUP	Data Update. Functionality that allows the Pharmacy Enterprise Customization System (PECS) to send out custom and standard commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) vendor database changes to update the two centralized databases at Austin and Martinsburg.
DEA	Drug Enforcement Agency
DEA Special Handling	The Drug Enforcement Agency special Handling code used for drugs to designate if they are over-the counter, narcotics, bulk compounds, supply items, etc.
DHCP	See VistA.
DIF	Drug Information Framework
Dispense Drug	The Dispense Drug name has the strength attached to it (e.g., Acetaminophen 325 mg). The name alone without a strength attached is the Orderable Item name.
DNS	Domain Name Server
DoD	Department of Defense
Dosage Ordered	After the user has selected the drug during order entry, the dosage ordered prompt is displayed.
Drug/Drug Interaction	The pharmacological or clinical response to the administration of a drug combination different from that anticipated from the known effects of the two agents when given alone.

Acronym/Term	Definition
DUE	Drug Usage Evaluation
Enhanced Order Check	Drug – Drug Interaction, Duplicate Therapy, and Dosing order checks that are executed utilizing FDB's MedKnowledge Framework APIs and database.
ETC	Enhanced Therapeutic Classification
Expiration/Stop	The date on which a prescription is no longer active. Typically, this date is 30 days after the issue date for narcotics, 365 days after the issue date for other medications and 365 days after the issue date for supplies.
FDB	First DataBank
Finish	Term used for completing orders from Order Entry/Results Reporting.
GUI	Graphical User Interface
HDR/CDS	Health Data Repository/Clinical Data Services Repository
HDR-Hx	Health Data Repository Historical
HDR-IMS	Health Data Repository- Interim Messaging Solution
Issue Date	The date on which the prescription was written. This date is usually, but not always, the same as the first fill date. This date cannot be later than the first fill date.
HFS	Host File Server
Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA)	A Federal law that makes a number of changes that have the goal of allowing persons to qualify immediately for comparable health insurance coverage when they change their employment relationships. Title II, Subtitle F, of HIPAA gives HHS the authority to mandate the use of standards for the electronic exchange of health care data; to specify what medical and administrative code sets should be used within those standards; to require the use of national identification systems for health care patients, providers, payers (or plans), and employers (or sponsors); and to specify the types of measures required to protect the security and privacy of personally identifiable health care information. Also known as the Kennedy- Kassebaum Bill, the Kassebaum-Kennedy Bill, K2, or Public Law 104-191.
JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations
Label/Profile Monitor	A file for each printer which records, in the order in which they were printed, the last 1000 labels or profiles printed on that printer. This allows a rapid reprint of a series of labels or profiles that were damaged by a printer malfunction or other event.
Local Possible Dosages	Free text dosages that are associated with drugs that do not meet all of the criteria for Possible Dosages.

Acronym/Term	Definition
Medication Instruction File	The MEDICATION INSTRUCTION file is used by Unit Dose and Outpatient Pharmacy. It contains the medication instruction name, expansion and intended use.
Medication Order	A prescription.
Medication Profile	A list of all active or recently canceled or expired prescriptions for a patient sorted either by date, drug, or classification. Unlike the action profile, this profile is for information only and does not provide a signature line for a physician to indicate action to be taken on the prescription.
Medication Routes File	The MEDICATION ROUTES file contains medication route names. The user can enter an abbreviation for each route to be used at the local site. The abbreviation will most likely be the Latin abbreviation for the term.
Med Route	The method in which the prescription is to be administered (e.g., oral, injection).
NCCC	Acronym for National Clozapine Coordinating Center.
Non-Formulary Drugs	The medications that are defined as commercially available drug products not included in the VA National Formulary.
Non-VA Meds	Term that encompasses any Over-the-Counter (OTC) medications, Herbal supplements, Veterans Health Administration (VHA) prescribed medications but purchased by the patient at an outside pharmacy, and medications prescribed by providers outside VHA. All Non-VA Meds must be documented in patients' medical records.
OneVA Pharmacy	Prescriptions that originated from another VistA instance other than the site dispensing the prescription.
OPAI	Outpatient Pharmacy Automated Interface.
Order	Request for medication.
Order Check	Order checks (drug-allergy/ADR interactions, drug-drug, duplicate drug, duplicate therapy, and dosing) are performed when a new medication order is placed through either the CPRS or Outpatient Pharmacy applications. They are also performed when medication orders are renewed, when Orderable Items are edited, or during the finishing process in Outpatient Pharmacy. This functionality will ensure the user is alerted to possible adverse drug reactions and will reduce the possibility of a medication error.
Orderable Item	An Orderable Item name has no strength attached to it (e.g., Acetaminophen). The name with a strength attached to it is the Dispense drug name (e.g., Acetaminophen 325mg).

Acronym/Term	Definition
Partial Prescription	A prescription that has been filled for a quantity smaller than requested. A possible reason for a partial fill is that a patient is to return to the clinic in ten days but the prescription calls for a thirty- day supply. Partials do count as workload but do not count against the total number of refills for a prescription.
Payer	In health care, an entity that assumes the risk of paying for medical treatments. This can be an uninsured patient, a self-insured employer, or a health care plan or Health Maintenance Organization (HMO).
Pending Order	A pending order is one that has been entered by a provider through CPRS without Pharmacy finishing the order. Once Pharmacy has finished the order, it will become active.
Pharmacy Narrative	OUTPATIENT NARRATIVE field that may be used by pharmacy staff to display information specific to the patient.
Polypharmacy	The administration of many drugs together.
POE	Acronym for Pharmacy Ordering Enhancements (POE) project. Patch PSO*7*46 contains all the related changes for Outpatient Pharmacy.
Possible Dosages	Dosages that have a numeric dosage and numeric dispense units per dose appropriate for administration. For a drug to have possible dosages, it must be a single ingredient product that is matched to the DRUG file. The DRUG file entry must have a numeric strength and the dosage form/unit combination must be such that a numeric strength combined with the unit can be an appropriate dosage selection.
Prescription	This term is now referred to throughout the software as medication orders.

Acronym/Term	Definition
Prescription Status	A prescription can have one of the following statuses.
	Active - A prescription with this status can be filled or refilled. Canceled - This term is now referred to throughout the software as Discontinued. (See Discontinued.) Discontinued - This status is used when a prescription was made inactive either by a new prescription or by the request of a physician. Discontinued (Edit) - Discontinued (Edit) is the status used when a medication order has been edited and causes a new order to be created due to the editing of certain data elements. Deleted - This status is used when a prescription is deleted. Prescriptions are no longer physically deleted from the system, but marked as deleted. Once a prescription is marked deleted no access is allowed other than view. Expired - This status indicates the expiration date has passed.
	*Note: A prescription that was canceled or has expired more recently than the date specified by the cutoff date, typically 120 days in the past, can still be acted upon. Hold - A prescription that was placed on hold due to reasons determined by the Pharmacist. Non-verified - There are two types of non-verified statuses. Depending on a site parameter, prescriptions entered by a technician do not become active until a Pharmacist reviews them. Until such review, they remain non-verified and cannot be printed, canceled, or edited except through the Verification menu. The second non-verified status is given to prescriptions when a drug/drug interaction is encountered during the new order entry or editing of a prescription. Pending - A prescription that has been entered through OERR. Refill - A second or subsequent filling authorized by the provider. Suspended - A prescription that will be filled at some future date.
Progress Notes	A component of Text Integration Utilities (TIU) that can function as part of CPRS.
Provider	The person who authorized an order. Only users identified as providers who are authorized to write medication orders may be selected.
Reprinted Label	Unlike a partial prescription, a reprint does not count as workload.
Questionnaire	An entry in the DUE QUESTIONNAIRE file. This file entry contains the set of questions related to a DUE as well as the drugs being evaluated.
Schedule	The frequency by which the doses are to be administered, such as Q8H, BID, NOW, etc.
SDA	Summary Document Architecture
Sig	The instructions printed on the label.

Acronym/Term	Definition
Significant	The potential for harm is either rare or generally known so that it is reasonable to expect that all prescribers have taken this information into account.
SOAP	Simple Object Access Protocol
Speed Actions	See Actions.
Suspense	A prescription may not be able to be filled on the day it was requested. When the prescription is entered, a label is not printed. Rather, the prescription is put in the RX SUSPENSE file to be printed at a later date.
Third (3rd) Party Claims	Health care insurance claims submitted to an entity for reimbursement of health care bills.
Time In	This is the time that the patient's name was entered in the computer.
Time Out	This is the time that the patient's name was entered on the bingo board monitor.
TIU	Text Integration Utilities; a package for document handling, that includes Consults, Discharge summary, and Progress Notes, and will later add other document types such as surgical pathology reports. TIU components can be accessed for individual patients through the CPRS, or for multiple patients through the TIU interface.
Titration	Titration is the process of gradually adjusting the dose of a medication until optimal results are reached.
TRICARE	TRICARE is the uniformed service health care program for: active duty service members and their families retired service members and their families members of the National Guard and Reserves and their families survivors, and others who are eligible.
	There are differences in how prescriptions for TRICARE beneficiaries are processed versus how prescriptions are processed for veterans.
Units per Dose	The number of Units (tablets, capsules, etc.) to be dispensed as a Dose for an order. Fractional numbers will be accepted for medications that can be split.
VDIF	Veterans Data Information Exchange
VistA	Acronym for Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture, the new name for Decentralized Hospital Computer Program (DHCP).
Wait Time	This is the amount of time it took to fill the prescription. It is the difference between Time In and Time Out. For orders with more than one prescription, the wait time is the same for each.