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Pharmacy Manager Release 16.7

Summary of Changes

Pharmacy Manager release **16.7** introduces the following feature:

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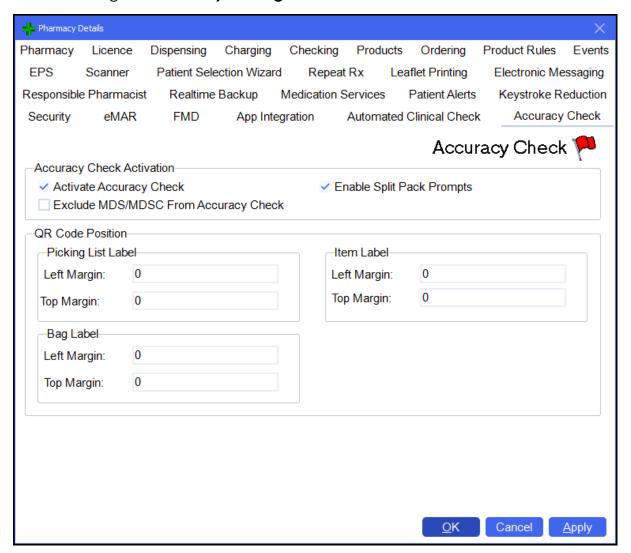
Accuracy Checking and In Progress Prescriptions - We have added a new function to the new Dispensing workflow. The In Progress screen provides a 'basket' view to monitor dispensed new prescriptions that require an accuracy check. The Accuracy screen enables you to check that you have picked the correct item from the shelf and have labelled it correctly. Once accuracy checked the prescription(s) displays on the eMessages screen with the status of In Progress - Awaiting Collection.





Pharmacy Details - Accuracy Check

The Accuracy Check tab allows you to activate and edit your Accuracy Check settings in Pharmacy Manager:



From Pharmacy Manager, select Tools - System Settings - Pharmacy Details - Accuracy Check:

You have the following options:



Accuracy Check Activation:

Activate Accuracy Check - Tick to activate the Accuracy Check module. You are prompted 'To get the most out of this feature and to ensure fast and efficient dispensing we recommend that you also turn on the Fast Labelling option in the Keystroke Reduction tab', see Pharmacy Details - Keystroke Reduction in the Pharmacy Manager Help Centre for details.



See <u>Accuracy Checking Prescriptions (England) on</u> page 22 for details.



- Exclude MDS/MDSC From Accuracy Check Tick to exclude Monitored Dosage System (MDS) prescriptions from accuracy checking. With this ticked, once an MDS prescription is labelled, a bag label prints and the prescription displays with a status of In Progress Awaiting Collection.
- Enable Split Pack Prompts Tick to enable a split pack prompt

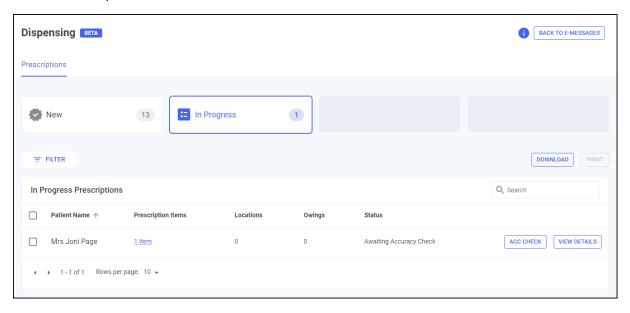
 SPLIT PACK and additional pharmacist approval required when the dispensed item's quantity does not match the pack size.
- **QR Code Position** Adjust the position of the QR code to be printed on the picking list label, item label and bag label. Set the top and left margins in pixels as required.

Select **Apply** to save the changes and restart **Pharmacy Manager** as prompted.



In Progress Prescriptions (England)

We have introduced a **Prescriptions - In Progress** screen, which displays a 'basket' view of your dispensed prescriptions, where the basket contents require an accuracy check.



Note - Prescriptions only display here if you have Activate Accuracy
Check enabled, see Pharmacy Details - Pharmacy Det

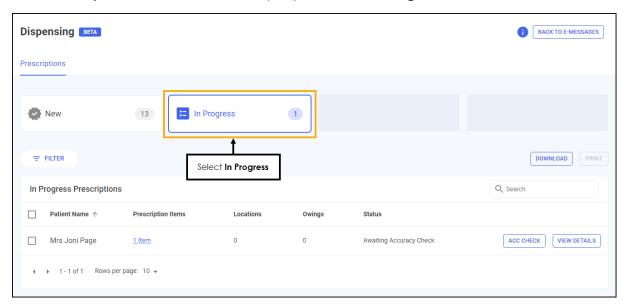


Accessing In Progress Prescriptions (England)

To access the **Prescriptions - In Progress** screen, select **The Dispensing Evolution** has Begun tile from the **Pharmacy Manager Dashboard**.



The **Prescriptions - New** screen displays, select **In Progress**.





See <u>Viewing In Progress Prescriptions</u> (England) on the next page for details.



Viewing In Progress Prescriptions (England)

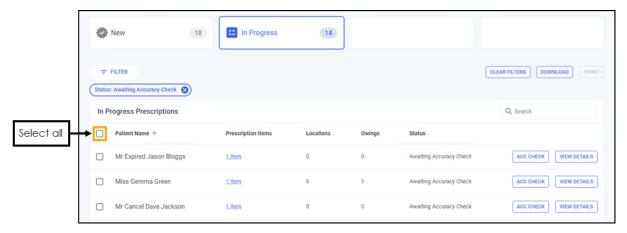
The **Prescriptions - In Progress** screen displays a 'basket' view of your dispensed prescriptions, where the basket contents require an accuracy check. You can easily search, sort and filter the data to manage your workload effectively.



See <u>Searching for, Sorting and Filtering In Progress Prescriptions</u> (England) on page 17 for details.

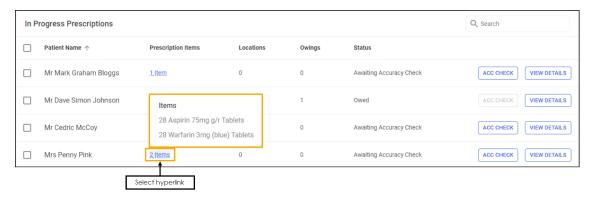
In Progress Prescriptions

The table displays a list of patients with prescriptions in progress and the following columns.



- **Select All** Use to select all prescriptions on the screen.
- Patient Name Displays the patient's name on the prescription.
- **Prescription Items** Displays the number of items in this prescription grouping, this could be from one or multiple electronic prescriptions. Select the hyperlink to view a brief description of the items.





- **Locations** For use with Hub and Spoke prescriptions and displays the location that is fulfilling the prescription.
- Owings Displays the number of owed items in this prescription grouping.
- **Status** Displays the status of this prescription grouping:
 - Awaiting Accuracy Check Not yet accuracy checked.
 - **Checked Requires Sign Off -** Accuracy checked but requires a pharmacist sign off.
 - **Owed** All items are owed.
 - Note Once checked, prescriptions display on the eMessages screen with the status of In Progress - Awaiting Collection.



Individual Grouping

For each grouping you have the following options.



- ACC CHECK Select to accuracy check this prescription grouping, see Accuracy Checking Prescriptions (England) on page 22 for details.
- **VIEW DETAILS** Select to view an overview of the prescriptions within this prescription grouping, see <u>View Details on the next page</u> for details.



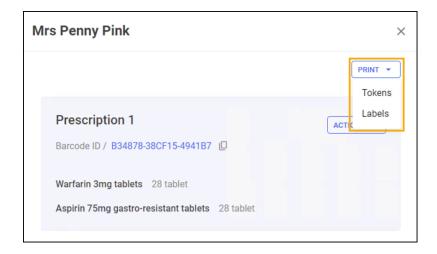
Training Tip - You do not need to select a group to access and use these options.



View Details

Select **VIEW DETAILS** next to a prescription to view each individual prescription within the prescription grouping, from here you have the following options:

PRINT



- **Tokens** (R2 prescriptions only) Select to print the dispensing tokens for the prescriptions shown.
- **Labels** Select to print the picking list and item labels for the prescriptions shown.



Actions

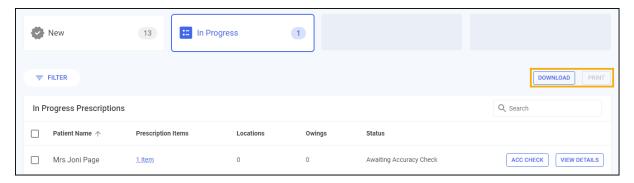


- **Edit** Select to edit the individual prescription. The **Dispensary** screen displays, edit the prescription as required and select **Finish**.
- **Reset** Select to reset the individual prescription to a status of **New - Ready to dispense**.
- Reprint Labels Select to reprint the item and picking list labels.
- View Details Select to view the prescription, this opens the eMessage Details screen, see eMessage Details Screen for details.



Prescriptions Options

The following options are available from the top of the prescriptions table.



- **DOWNLOAD** Select to download nominated prescriptions to the **Prescriptions New** screen, see <u>Downloading Prescriptions</u> in the **Pharmacy Manager Help Centre** for details.
- **PRINT** Select to print the dispensing token.
 - **Note** This option is only available when a prescription is selected.



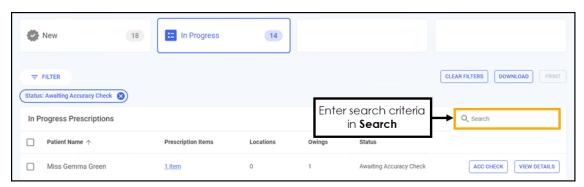
Searching for, Sorting and Filtering In Progress Prescriptions (England)

To help manage your workload you can search for or filter the prescriptions in progress, for example, to display prescriptions that are accuracy checked but require a pharmacist's sign off.

Searching for a Patient's Prescription

To search for a prescription in progress:

1. From the **Prescriptions - In Progress** screen, in **Search** enter a name.



You can search for a patient using the following criteria:

- Surname only, for example **Turner**.
- Partial First Name and Surname with a space, for example **Pa Turner**.



Training Tip - Partial searches must be the first letters of the name, for example Pa for Paul.

- Partial First Name and partial Surname with a space, for example **Pa Turn**.
- Partial First Name, partial Middle Name and partial Surname with a space, for example **Pa Gr Turn**.
- Initials with space, for example **PT** or **PGT**.
- Full name with spaces, for example Paul Graham Turner.





Note - You can also search for a patient by their NHS number.

2. The patient list automatically updates when you start typing. Select **Close** to clear the search.

Sorting Prescriptions

Prescriptions in progress display newest first by default, to manually sort the prescriptions then simply select the column header to sort ascending / A-Z or descending / Z-A.





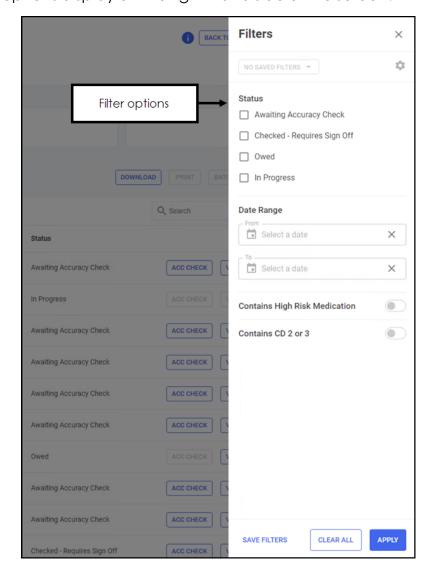
Filtering Prescriptions

To filter the prescriptions in progress:

1. From the **Prescriptions** - **In Progress** screen, select **FILTER**



2. The filter options display on the right-hand side of the screen.





- **Status** Filter by prescription status:
 - Awaiting Accuracy Check
 - Checked Requires Sign Off
 - Owed
 - In Progress
- Date Range Select the From and To dates to open a calendar.
- **Contains High Risk Medication** Select to view prescriptions that contain high risk medication.
- Contains CD 2 or 3 Select to view prescriptions that contain CD 2 or 3 medication.



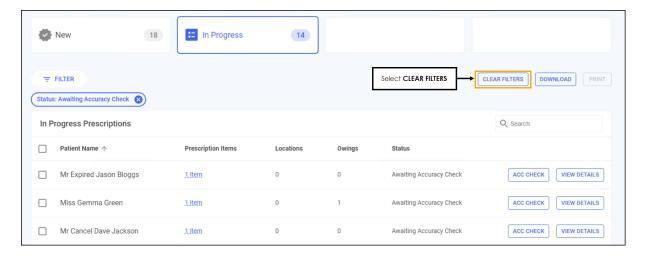
3. Select APPLY to set the filters or CLEAR ALL to clear the filters and display all prescriptions.

The filter criteria displays below **FILTER**, select the filter criteria to remove it.





To clear all set filters, simply select **CLEAR FILTERS** CLEAR FILTERS



See <u>Saving Filters</u> in the **Pharmacy Manager Help Centre** for details on saving filters, selecting saved filters and deleting saved filters.



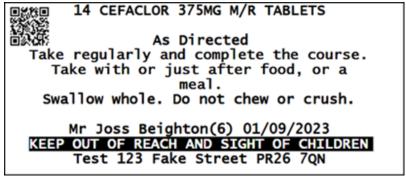
Accuracy Checking Prescriptions (England)

Accuracy Check in Pharmacy Manager enables you to confirm that:

- The items picked match the items on the selected prescription, and
- The correct labels have been affixed to the correct items.
- Important Accuracy Check checks that the label is on the correct product for the prescription. It does not check that the directions are accurate, the correct patient is selected or the quantities are correct for the prescription.
- To enable **Accuracy Check**, see <u>Pharmacy Details Accuracy</u>
 Check on page 6 for details.

Once **Accuracy Check** is enabled, when dispensing a prescription, a unique QR code displays on item labels and additionally a picking list label prints:

Item Label



Picking List Label



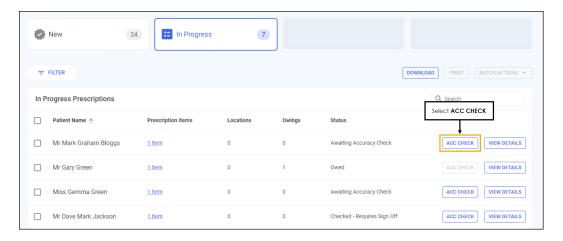


The picking list label includes the following:

- Patient Name
- Prescribed Medication and Quantity
- Unique QR code to be used to launch the **Accuracy** screen.
- Note If multiple prescriptions for a patient are group dispensed, all items display on the picking list. See Group Dispensing for details.
- Important A bag label is only produced when an accuracy check is completed or approved.

To accuracy check your prescriptions:

- 1. To start the accuracy check for a basket of prescriptions you can either:
 - Scan the QR barcode on a picking list, or
 - From the **Prescriptions In Progress** screen, select **ACC CHECK**ACC CHECK for the required prescription grouping.



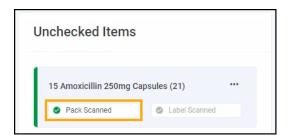
Note - The Accuracy screen does not display if any dialogue screens are open, if the prescription has been reset or if the prescription is non-EPS.



- 2. The Accuracy screen displays with the current signed in user detailed at the top right of the screen. Unchecked Items displays a list of the required items, scan the barcode (1D or 2D) on the first medication box/packaging picked:
 - If you have scanned a correct item a green tick displays next to

 Pack Scanned and the item moves to the top of the Unchecked

 Items list.



If you have scanned an item that is not on any of the prescriptions under check you are prompted 'Scanning Error - The item that you have scanned has not been recognised. Please confirm that the item is correct and try again. If you are still unable to scan, then use the Manually Confirm Check option.', select OK option.'



If the barcode does not scan, and you would still like to accuracy check the item, you can manually confirm the check, see Manual Confirmation on page 31 for details.



Note - Where you have multiple flavours for one item and you have combined to one label you only need to scan one item.

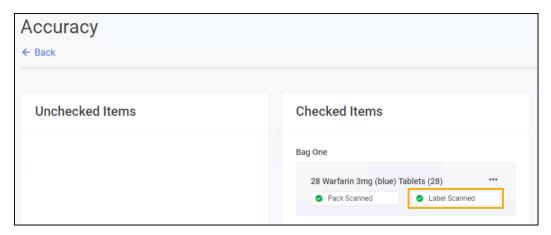
See <u>Dispensing Multiple Flavours</u> in the **Pharmacy Manager Help Centre** for details.

For Owings and Split Packs, see <u>Managing Owings with</u>

<u>Accuracy Checking Enabled (England) on page 39</u> and

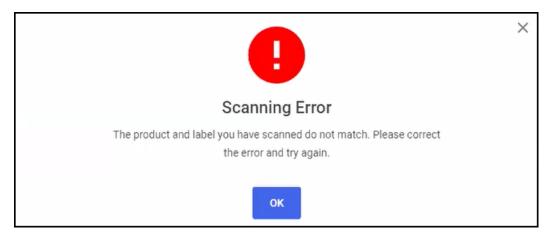
Managing Split Pack Items (England) on page 44 for details.

- 3. Now scan the item label for same item:
 - If you have scanned the correct label for the item a green tick displays next to **Label Scanned** and the item moves to **Checked**Items.





If you have scanned an incorrect label for the item you are prompted 'Scanning Error - The product and label you have scanned do not match. Please correct the error and try again'.



Select **OK** to continue. **Label Scanned** displays a red exclamation mark until you scan the correct label.



If the label does not scan, and you would still like to accuracy check the item, you can manually confirm the check, see

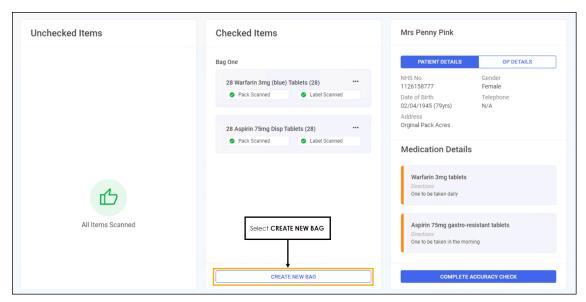
Manual Confirmation on page 31 for details.



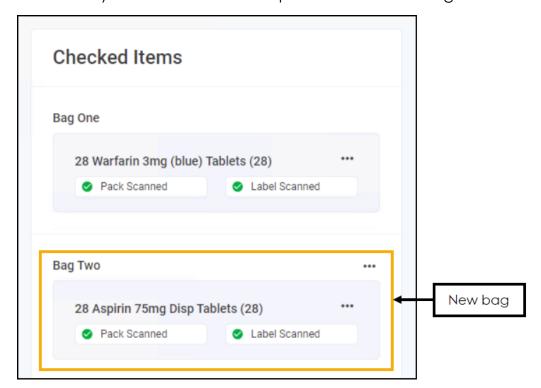
4. Continue to scan all items and labels.

If extra bags are needed for certain items, for example, controlled drugs or items requiring fridge storage, you can select **CREATE NEW BAG**CREATE NEW BAG

It is important that this is done at this stage to avoid having to edit the prescription later in the process.



The next items you scan and label are placed into a new bag.



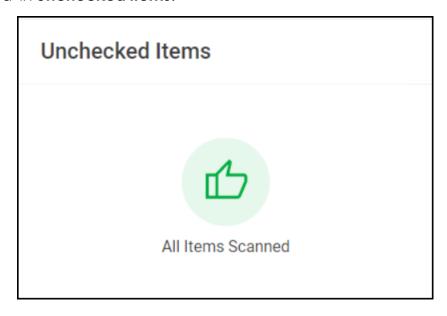




Training Tip - To move an item between bags, select Options and then select either Move Up or Move Down, see

Navigating the Accuracy Screen (England) on page 35 for details.

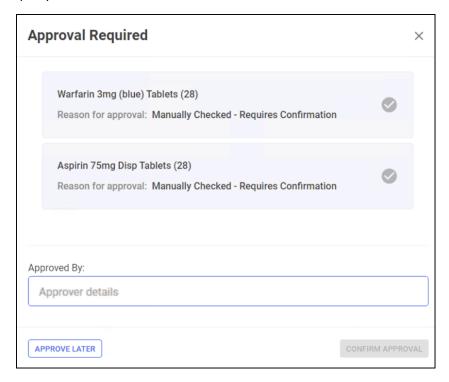
5. Once all packs and labels have been scanned you are informed 'All Items Scanned' in **Unchecked items**.



6. Select COMPLETE ACCURACY CHECK COMPLETE ACCURACY CHECK. If an additional pharmacist's approval is not required the Accuracy screen closes and the required bag labels print, the prescription(s) display on the eMessages screen with a status of In Progress - Awaiting Collection.



 If an additional pharmacist's approval is required, for example, for manually confirmed items or high-risk medication, the **Approval Required** screen displays.



This displays all items on the prescription and where applicable the reasons for approval, you can either:

- Approve Later Select APPROVE LATER

 Approval Required screen. The patient's prescriptions display on the In Progress screen with a status of Checked Requires Sign Off. The pharmacist can filter by Checked Requires Sign Off to complete the accuracy check when available.
- Confirm Approval In Approved By enter the name of the approver and then select CONFIRM APPROVAL

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 The Accuracy screen closes, the required bag labels print and the prescription(s) displays on the eMessages screen with a status of In Progress Awaiting Collection.





Note - You can edit a prescription grouping that has been accuracy checked, however you are not prompted to accuracy check again. To put the prescription grouping through the accuracy check again you must reset the prescriptions to a status of **New - Ready to dispense** first.



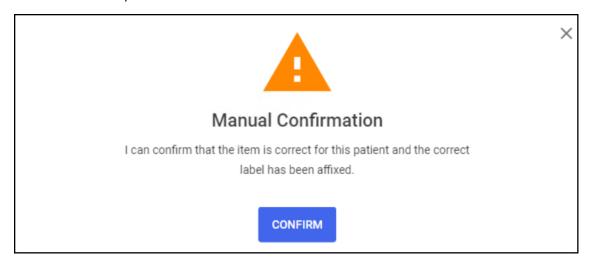
Manual Confirmation

Should you need to manually confirm the item and label is correct for the patient, for example if the barcode does not scan or it is not in an original pack, you can manually confirm the match. To do this:

1. Select **Options** next to the required item and select **Manually Confirm Check**.



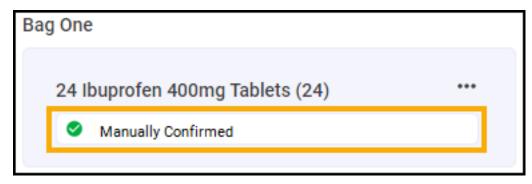
2. You are prompted 'Manual Confirmation - I can confirm that the item is correct for this patient and the correct label has been affixed'.



3. Select **Confirm** to continue with the manual confirmation. To return without confirming, select **Close**.



Once manually confirmed the item moves to **Checked Items** highlighted as **Manually Confirmed**.

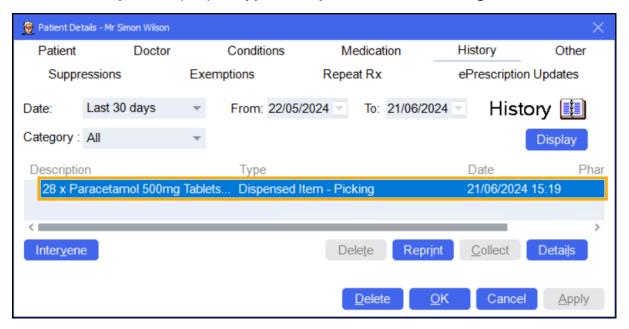


Manually confirmed items need a pharmacist's approval before completing the accuracy check.

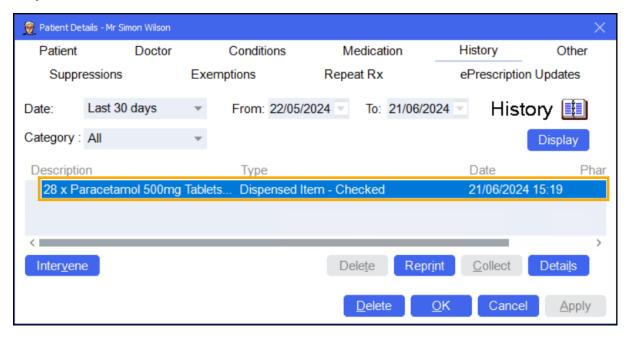


Accuracy Check - Patient History

When prescriptions are labelled with **Accuracy Check** enabled, the **Patient Details** - **History** tab displays a **Type** of **Dispensed Item** - **Picking**.

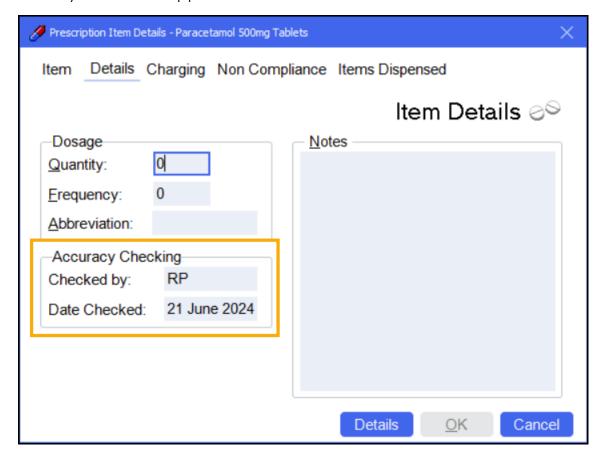


Once accuracy checked, the **Patient Details** - **History** tab displays a **Type** of **Dispensed Item** - **Checked**.





Prescription Item Details - Details - Accuracy Checking displays the user ID of the pharmacist signed in when the accuracy check was carried out, or the name supplied during the final approval, if required, and the date the accuracy check was approved.



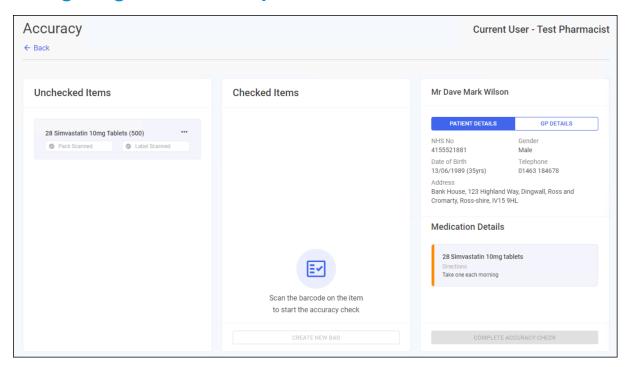


Navigating the Accuracy Screen (England)

Accuracy Check in Pharmacy Manager enables you to confirm that:

- The items picked match the items on the selected prescription, and
- The correct labels have been affixed to the correct items.

Navigating the Accuracy screen

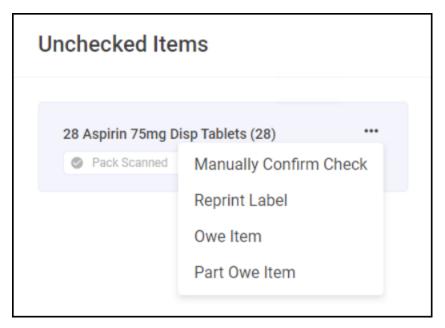


The **Accuracy** screen displays the following:

- **Unchecked Items** Lists all items in the basket.
- Checked Items Lists all items successfully accuracy checked.
- Patient Details Defaults to display the patient's details, select GP DETAILS to view the patient's GP details.
- **Medication Details** Displays the medication and directions taken from the original electronic prescription.



Unchecked Item Options

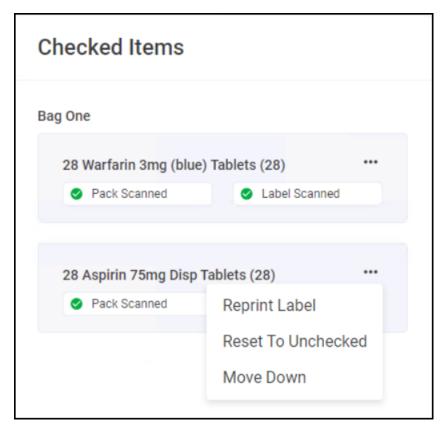


Next to each item you'll find an **Options** menu, the following actions are available:

- Manually Confirm Check Select if you need to manually confirm the item and label is correct for the patient.
 - See Navigating the Accuracy Screen (England) on the previous page for details.
- **Reprint Label** Select to reprint the item label.
- **Owe Item** Select to create an Owing for this item. For example, if you've discovered that the item is out of stock.
 - See <u>Creating a Full Owing from the Accuracy screen on page 41 for details.</u>
- **Part Owe Item** Select to create a part Owing for this item. For example, if you've discovered that you do not have enough stock.
 - See <u>Creating a Part Owing from the Accuracy screen on page 42</u> for details.



Checked Item Options

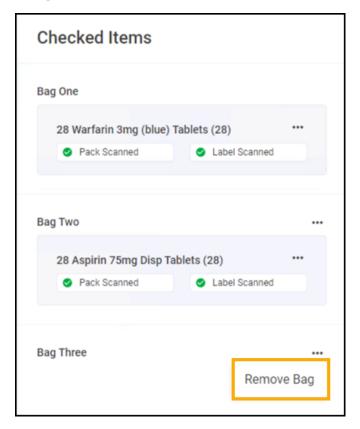


Next to each item you'll find an **Options** menu, the following actions are available:

- **Reprint Label** Select to reprint the item label.
- **Reset To Unchecked** Select to reset the accuracy check and move the item to **Unchecked Items**.
- **Move Up** Select to move the item into the bag above.
- **Move Down** Select to move the item into the bag below.



Checked Items Bag Options



In **Checked Items**, an **Options** menu displays next to all bags except **Bag One**. The following actions are available from this menu:

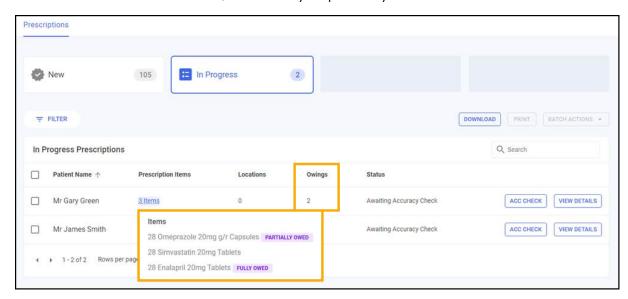
Remove Bag - Select to remove this bag, any items in the bag are moved to the bag above.



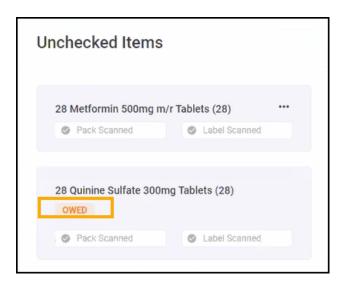
Managing Owings with Accuracy Checking Enabled (England)

How do Owings Display?

On the **Prescriptions - In Progress** screen, the **Owings** column displays the number of owings in the grouping, select the **Prescription Items** hyperlink to view which items are owed, either fully or partially.

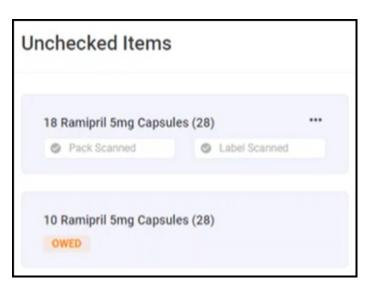


On the **Accuracy** screen, fully owed items display in **Unchecked Items** with **Owed** under the medication name.





On the **Accuracy** screen, Part Owings are split so that you can check the items you do have in stock, with the owed quantity highlighted with **Owed** underneath.



Out of the 28 capsules prescribed here, only 18 are in stock and 10 are owed.



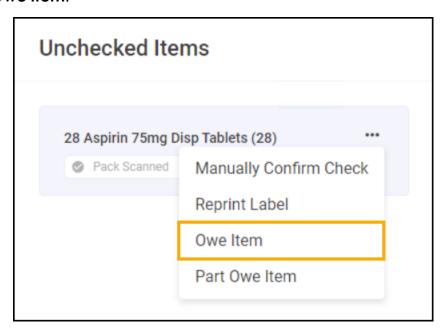
How do I Create an Owing if I have Dispensed it Fully?

Owings created on the **Dispensary** screen display on the **Accuracy** screen, however if you have fully dispensed an item and then find that you do not have it in stock you can create an owing from the **Accuracy** screen.

Creating a Full Owing from the Accuracy screen

To create a Full Owing:

1. Select **Options** next to the item you need to create an Owing for and select **Owe Item**.



An Owing label prints for this item.

2. The item now displays with **Owed** under the medication name in **Unchecked Items** and once the prescription grouping is accuracy checked, it displays on the **Owings** screen.



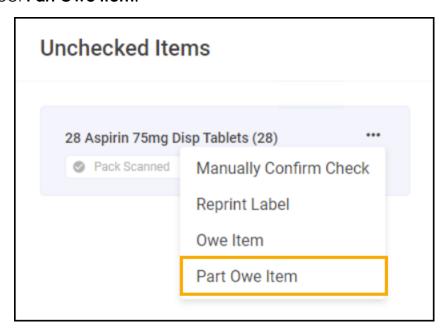
Note - Owings do not display on the Approval Required screen.



Creating a Part Owing from the Accuracy screen

You can easily create a Part Owing for an item from the **Accuracy** screen:

1. Select **Options** next to the item you need to create a Part Owing for and select **Part Owe Item**.



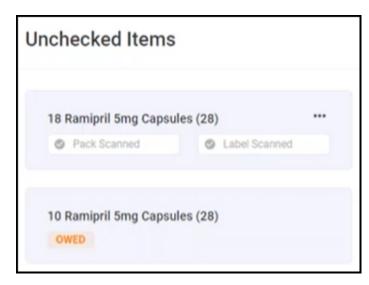
2. The Qty Owed screen displays.



Enter the quantity owed and then select **OK**. An Owing label prints for the owed quantity and a new item label prints for the quantity you are bagging.

3. The item splits into two and the owed quantity displays with **Owed**under the medication name in **Unchecked Items**.





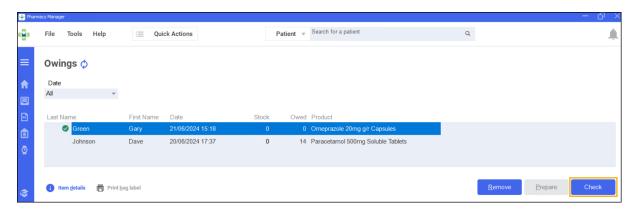
Once the prescription grouping is accuracy checked the owed amount displays on the **Owings** screen.



Note - Owings do not display on the **Approval Required** screen.

How do I Prepare an Owing?

When preparing Owings with **Accuracy Checking** enabled, from the **Owings** screen you have the option to **Check**. Select **Check** to open the **Accuracy** screen.



Once checked you can select **Collect** once the patient collects their prescription.

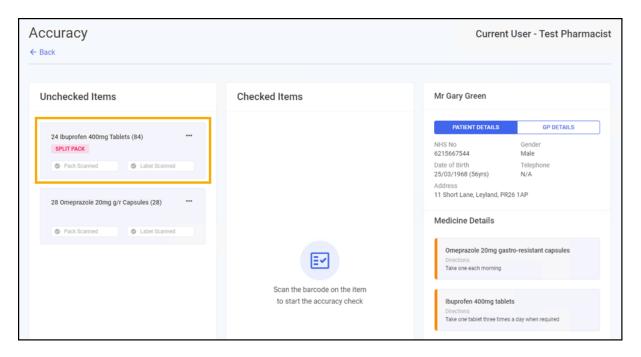


See <u>Accuracy Checking Prescriptions (England) on page 22</u> for details on the Accuracy Checking process.

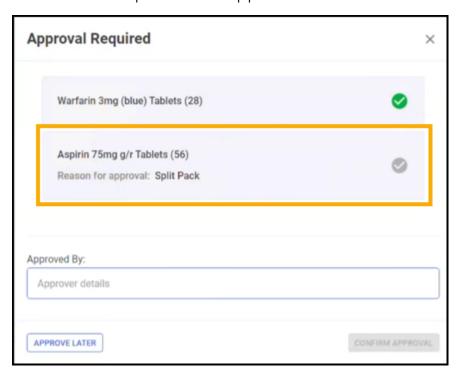


Managing Split Pack Items (England)

On the **Accuracy** screen, split pack items display in **Unchecked Items** with **SPLIT PACK** under the medication name.



You can scan both the pack and item labels as normal, however, split pack items require an additional pharmacist approval.







See <u>Accuracy Checking Prescriptions (England) on page 22</u> for details.



Note - The split pack prompt and additional pharmacist approval can be switched off in **Pharmacy Details**, see <u>Pharmacy Details</u> - <u>Accuracy Check on page 6</u> for details.