

# Cegedim Healthcare Solutions Flash Card

## The Benefits of Automatic Drug Checks




When you add a medication, **Vision 3** automatically runs the following drug checks depending on your set up:

- **Drug Sensitivities** - Checking to see if this patient has any drug allergies or adverse reactions recorded for the medication you are prescribing.

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 **Note** - You are prevented from prescribing an item to which a patient has a **Potentially Fatal** drug sensitivity recorded.

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- **Interactions** - Indicated by traffic lights and red bars :
  - **Green light** - No drug Interactions.
  - **Yellow light** - Context sensitive interactions exist, for example elderly or females, those on digoxin.
  - **Single red bar** - Warning that mild interaction exists.
  - **Two red bars** - Avoid if possible, serious interaction exists.
  - **Three red bars** - Life threatening interaction exists.
- **Contraindications, Precautions and Prescriber Warnings** - Indicated by flags :
  - **Green flag** - None exist.
  - **Yellow flag** - General contraindications, precautions and/or prescriber warnings exist.
  - **Red Flag** - Patient specific contraindications, precautions and/or prescriber warnings exist.
- **Drug Doubling** - Indicated by blue bars :
  - **One blue bar** - Same action group.
  - **Two blue bars** - Same ingredient.
  - **Three blue bars** - Same drug.

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 See [Drug Checks](#) and [Consultation Manager Setup - Drug Check](#) in the **Consultation Manager Help Centre** for full details.

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