

Update\_2\_0\_13

# **Clinical Reminders**

# VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES ORDER CHECK Install Guide

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### Introduction

Clinical Reminder UPDATE\_2\_0\_13 contains 1 Reminder Exchange entry:

#### UPDATE\_2\_0\_13 VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES CROC

VA facilities reported that the Computerized Patient Record System (CPRS) did not trigger allergy-drug order checks for orders of combination medications that contained a drug similar to a listed allergen. The allergy-drug order checks were also not presented in VA's Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture (VistA) for pharmacy review.

VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES CLINICAL REMINDERS ORDER CHECK (CROC) will generate an order check that provides a warning to perform a manual allergy assessment for the following combination drug classes when ordered:

CV400 - ANTIHYPERTENSIVE COMBINATIONS

CV704 - POTASSIUM SPARING/COMBINATIONS DIURETICS

DE250 - ANTI-INFECTIVE/ANTI-INFLAMMATORY COMBINATIONS, TOPICAL

GA802 - ANTIMUSCARINIC/ANTIPASMODIC COMBINATIONS

OP105 - ANTIGLAUCOMA COMBINATIONS, TOPICAL OPHTHALMIC

OP350 - ANTI-INFECTIVE/ANTI-INFLAMMATORY COMBINATIONS, TOPICAL OPHTHALMIC

OT250 - ANTI-INFECTIVE/ANTI-INFLAMMATORY COMBINATIONS, TOPICAL OTIC

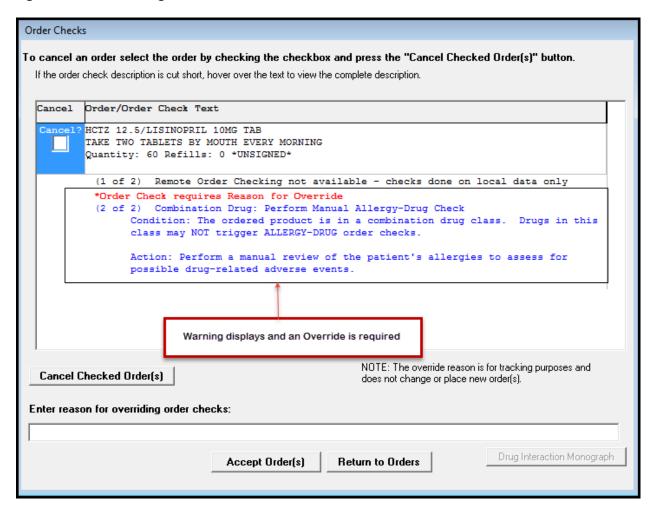
RE500 - COLD REMEDIES, COMBINATIONS

CPRS Order check results after installation and activation of the CROC (Figures 1 and 2):

💆 Outpatient Medications 23 HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE/LISINOPRIL TAB Change Display Restrictions/Guidelines Dosage Schedule Complex Route 2 TABLETS HCTZ 12.5/LISINOPRIL 10MG TAB ORAL (BY MOUTH) QAM ☐ PRN 1 TABLET HCTZ 12.5/LISINOPRIL 10MG TAB QAMINSULIN 1 TABLET HCTZ 12.5/LISINOPRIL 20MG TAB QDAY 2 TABLETS HCTZ 12.5/LISINOPRIL 20MG TAB 1 TABLET HCTZ 25/LISINOPRIL 20MG TAB 2 TABLETS HCTZ 25/LISINOPRIL 20MG TAB QDAY-DIG QDAY-WARF QHS alb Order Checking (1 of 2) Remote Order Checking not available - checks done on local data only Combination Drug: Perform Manual Allergy-Drug Check Condition: The ordered product is in a combination drug class. Drugs in this class may NOT trigger ALLERGY-DRUG order checks. Action: Perform a manual review of the patient's allergies to assess for possible drug-related adverse events. Accept Order Cancel Order Warning Message displays upon entry of "Accept Order" Drugs in this combination may NOT trigger ALLERGY order checks HCTZ 12.5/LISINOPRIL 10MG TAB Accept Order TAKE TWO TABLETS BY MOUTH EVERY MORNING Quit Quantity: 60 Refills: 0

Figure 1 - CPRS Order entry

Figure 2 - CPRS Order signature



## **Install Details**

This update is being distributed as a web host file. The address for the host file is: http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE\_2\_0\_13.PRD

The following reminder content is included in this UPDATE:

#### **REMINDER TERM**

VA-ALL PATIENTS (TERM)

#### REMINDER ORDER CHECK RULES

VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES

#### REMINDER ORDER CHECK ITEMS GROUP

**VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES** 

The file will be installed using Reminder Exchange, programmer access is not required.

#### Installation:

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This update can be loaded with users on the system. Installation will take less than five minutes.

# **Install Example**

In Reminder Exchange, use ACTION "LWH" to load the web host file and input URL http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE\_2\_0\_13.PRD



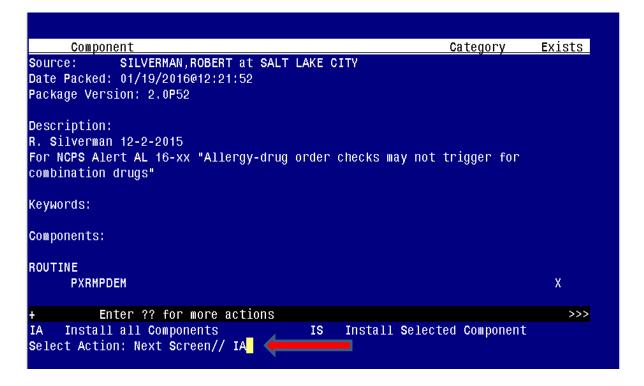
You should receive a message that your entry was successfully loaded

```
Clinical Reminder Exchange May 20, 2016@12:52:28 Page: 28 of 52 http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_13.PRD successfully loaded.
```

In Reminder Exchange, navigate to the exchange entry named **UPDATE\_2\_0\_13 VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES CROC** using SL Action. Once you find your entry, you will use IFE Action to install the entry. In this example, entry 211 will be used to install, it will vary by site.

```
http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE 2 0 13.PRD successfully loaded.
                                      Source
                                                               Date Packed
+Item Entry
      UPDATE 2 0 13 VA-COMBINATION
                                                               01/19/2016@12:21
  211
                                                SALT LAKE CI
      DRUG CLASSES CROC
                                      MONTGOMERY@SALT LAKE CI 11/20/2015@09:13
  212 UPDATE 2 0 1 1 BENEFICIARY
       TRAVEL/EBOLA UPDATE
  213 UPDATE 2 0 1 2 BENEFICIARY
                                      GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI
                                                               01/25/2016@05:08
       TRAVEL/EBOLA UPDATE
  214 UPDATE 2 0 2 CAREGIVER ELIG
                                      GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI
                                                               02/18/2016@13:10
  215 UPDATE 2 0 2 1 CAREGIVER ELIG
                                      GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI
                                                               10/01/2015@05:59
  216 UPDATE 2 0 2 2 CAREGIVER ELIG
                                      GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI
                                                               11/30/2015@09:16
  217 UPDATE 2 0 2 3 CAREGIVER ELIG
                                                               01/08/2016@06:15
                                      GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI
          + Next Screen
                        - Prev Screen ?? More Actions
CFE Create Exchange File Entry
                                        IΗ
                                             Installation History
CHF Create Host File
                                       LHF
                                            Load Host File
CMM Create MailMan Message
                                       LMM Load MailMan Message
DFE Delete Exchange File Entry
                                       LWH Load Web Host File
IFE Install Exchange File Entry
                                            Reminder Definition Inquiry
                                       RI
Select Action: Next Screen// IFE
                                  Install Exchange File Entry
Enter a list or range of numbers (1-376): 211
```

Once you select your entry to install, use the IA Action



The following is a listing of the prompts you will see when installing the entry: Select Action: Next Screen// IA Install all Components

#### REMINDER TERM entry VA-ALL PATIENTS (TERM) is NEW,

what do you want to do?

Select one of the following:

- C Create a new entry by copying to a new name
- I Install
- O Ouit the install
- S Skip, do not install this entry

Enter response: I// nstall

REMINDER ORDER CHECK RULES entry VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES is NEW, what do you want to do?

Select one of the following:

- C Create a new entry by copying to a new name
- I Install
- O Ouit the install
- S Skip, do not install this entry

Enter response: I// nstall

REMINDER ORDER CHECK ITEMS GROUP entry VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES is NEW, what do you want to do?

Select one of the following:

- C Create a new entry by copying to a new name
- I Install
- Q Quit the install
- S Skip, do not install this entry

Enter response: I// nstall

You will be returned to this screen.

```
Category
                                                                               Exists
      Component
              SILVERMAN, ROBERT at SALT LAKE CITY
Date Packed: 01/19/2016@12:21:52
Package Version: 2.0P52
Description:
R. Silverman 12-2-2015
For NCPS Alert AL 16-xx "Allergy-drug order checks may not trigger for
combination drugs"
Keywords:
Components:
ROUTINE
      PXRMPDEM
          + Next Screen - Prev Screen
                                             ?? More Actions
IA Install all Components
Select Action: Next Screen// Q
                                                 Install Selected Component
```

At the select action prompt, type Q to quit.

## Install Complete.

#### **Post Install Instructions**

#### 1. Activate the Reminder Order Check Rules

The installation of CLINICAL REMINDER UPDATE\_2\_0\_13 will require the STATUS of the Reminder Order Check Rule "VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES" be changed to PROD. Shown below are the steps to make this change.

The option represented here is **Add/Edit Reminder Order Check Rule [PXRM ORDER CHECK RULE EDIT].** 

Select Reminder Order Check Menu Option: RE Add/Edit Reminder Order Check Rule Select Reminder Order Check Rule by: (N/R/T/Q): N// N ORDER CHECK RULE NAME

Select Reminder Order Check Rule: VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES

**RULE NAME: VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES** 

**DISPLAY NAME: Combination Drug: Perform Manual Allergy-Drug Check** 

STATUS: **PROD** 

^ change to PROD to activate Production Mode

**CLASS: NATIONAL** 

SPONSOR:

**REVIEW DATE:** 

I=INACTIVE, P=PRODUCTION, T=TESTING

Save and Exit

**NOTE**: If you don't get the expected results or require further technical assistance, please notify your local IT support to log a national CA Service Desk Manager (SDM) ticket (previously a Remedy<sup>TM</sup> ticket) or contact the VA Service Desk at 1-888-596-4357 and have them submit a national CA ticket to the Incident Area:

NTL.APP.VISTA.CLINICAL REMINDERS 2\_0 and we will contact you.