

Assignment 1

Assumptions & Notes & Relationships

The primary purpose of a **PHARMACY** is to fill **PRESCRIPTIONS**, so therefore a pharmacy would not exist without prescriptions. However, the pharmacy can technically exist without having prescriptions to fill as long as it can still prescribe them. With this assumption **PHARMACY** and **PRESCRIPTIONS** have a *compositional* relationship.

There are two types of medicine prescription drugs and over the counter medicine. I am assuming we are only needing to keep track of prescription drugs.

PRESCRIPTIONS are *associated* with **MEDICATIONS**, although the medicine is available at the pharmacy doesn't mean it will get prescribed.

Since the **MANUFACTURERS** are significant even without the **MEDICATION** (manufacturers can produce various items, not just pharmaceuticals). I defined this as an *aggregation* relationship.

The **MANUFACTURERS** produce the prescription medication in **BATCHES** which demonstrates a functionality that **MEDICATION** is made in **BATCHES** by **MANUFACTURERS**. Therefore **BATCHES** is a *realization* relationship displaying a behavior of the manufacturer there is no multiplicity. Since **MEDICATION** is an essential part of a **PRESCRIPTION**, following the flow prescriptions and are tagged with the medication batch which will be noted on the patient's prescription file.

PATIENT has a *compositional* 1-to-1 relationship with **PRESCRIPTIONS**. They can have multiple prescriptions and other patients can have the exact same prescription however, each patient will receive their own individual prescription. Also, I am assuming since this a prescription centralized UML - all patients will have a prescription.

PRESCRIBER has a *compositional* relationship with **PRESCRIPTIONS**. If there is no need for a prescription there is no need for a prescriber. A **PRESCRIBER** can be either a **DOCTOR** or a **NURSE PRACTITIONER** therefore demonstrates an *inheritance* (*generalization*) relationship. I assumed there are no other qualified medical professionals for this task.

MEDICATION comes in several forms **PILL**, **TABLET** (which can be gel or chewable), **LIQUID** (which be a spray or drops), **TOPICAL** (which is a cream/lotion) which are an *inheritance* (*generalization*) relationship.

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