Automed Process Manual

Guide for:

- Turning machine on/off.
- Packaging tablets and capsules into unit dose pouches.

To Turn Machine On:

- 7. On your monitor, open the **ATP2 Dispense Manager** application and enter your administrator's login credentials.
- 8. Open the **bottom right door panel** on the front of the Automed.
- 9. Flip the **power switch** on the right inner wall.



- 10. The machine will start to preheat. Your monitor will display a **Heater Alarm** which will automatically clear once the machine is done preheating. Preheating will take a while.
- 11. Once the Heater Alarm clears, press **Login** at the bottom right corner of the screen and enter your personal user credentials (or scan fingerprint).
- 12. The Automed begins in manual mode, but packaging requires the Automed to be in automatic mode.
 - Press the red button labelled "Manual" at the bottom right of the screen to switch to "Automatic" mode. The button should now appear green.
- 13. Machine is now ready to package.

To Turn Machine Off:

- 7. Press red X in the top right corner to exit ATP2 Dispense Manager application.
- 8. Open the **bottom right door panel** on the front of the Automed.
- 9. Flip the **power switch** on the right inner wall of the Automed.



10. Machine is now off.

To Package Tablets/Capsules with Automed:

- 1. In ATP2 Dispense Manager, press the button labelled "Repack" to begin your order.
- 2. Add your desired medication to your order by pressing the green + button.
- 3. In the search bar at the top of your screen, **search** for the medication by **generic name**, or scan the **barcode** with your scanner to search by DIN.
- 4. **Select your medication** from the list, then press the green in the bottom right corner.
 - Select proper medication, strength, and manufacturer.
 - Under the "Dispense Type" column, each medication will appear as either a Canister or a Tray.
 * Remember the Dispense Type of your medication.
- 5. In the pop-up menu:
 - Enter the number of pills you wish to package in the "Number to Package" column.
 - Press **OK** in the bottom right corner.

- 6. You will be sent back to the main screen, and your new medication order will appear at the top of your screen.
 - Click your new order and press the button labelled "Process Batch" to send the order from the ATP2 Dispense Manager to the Automed.

For Dispense Type: Canister

- 7. Press button labelled "Canister Detail" along the right side of the screen to update the medication information.
- 8. Press button labelled "Refill Canister" on the bottom of the screen.
- 9. The front of the Automed contains 30 pull-out sections that each hold 20 canisters. The section containing your medication canister will **automatically eject**.
 - Grab the orange canister labelled with the same number as the "Canister Number" on your screen.
- 10. Scan the barcode on the front of the orange canister.
- 11. Scan the barcode on your medication bottle.
 - If the medication and canister are not compatible, check that you selected the correct medication for your order.
- 12. Place the orange canister on **the attached scale** and press "**Tare**" on your screen.
- 13. Fill the canister with the pills.
- 14. Press "Count" to get a weighted estimate of the quantity of pills to package.
- 15. Press "ADD" to accept the pills into the order.
- 16. **Update the Lot Number and Expiry Date** in the Dispense Manager to match the Lot and Expiry on your medication bottle.
- 17. **Receive a check** from a Registered Pharmacy Technician (RPh). To do so:
 - Press "**RPh Check**" on the bottom of the screen.
 - RPh enters their credentials (or scans their fingerprint).
 - RPh presses the green button.
 - RPh scans the orange canister.



- 18. Place the orange canister back in its numbered spot in its section of the Automed.
- 19. **Push canister section back** into the Automed until you hear a click.
- 20. Press **Dispense**.

<u>For Dispense Type: Tray</u>

- 7. Press button labelled "**Tray Detail**" along the right side of the screen to update the medication information.
- 8. On pop-up, click "Update All Orders: Follow" to update the entire order.
- 9. **Update the Lot Number and Expiry Date** in the Dispense Manager to match the Lot and Expiry on your medication bottle.
- 10. **Receive a check** from a Registered Pharmacy Technician (RPh). Informal check, no fingerprint scan required.
- 11. Press "Follow " in the bottom right corner to save changes to your order.
- 12. Press **Dispense**.
- 13. The tray will automatically eject from the front of the Automed.
 - The tray has 64 individual slots labelled 1-64. Each slot gets one pill.
 - Once tray is filled, **push it back into the Automed** until you hear a click.
- 14. Enter the number "1" in the field "Tray Number" and press "Resume" to start dispensing.



- 15. Repeat steps 13 & 14 until all pills are packaged.
 - Increment the number entered into field "Tray Number" after each tray filled.