

## Taking A BPMH in the Ambulatory Clinics

A Best Possible Medication History (BPMH) is a validated list of what medications the patient is taking at the time.

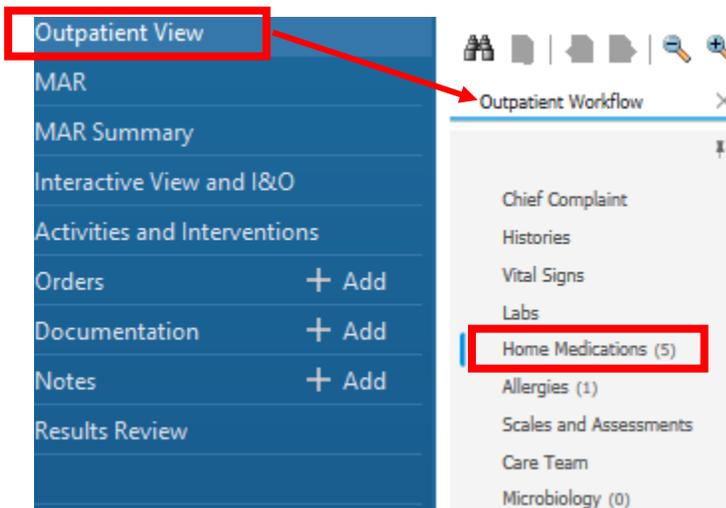
The BPMH is documented using at least two reliable sources of information (e.g. patient interview and PharmaNet). Discrepancies between what the patient had been prescribed/directed and what they are actually taking will be listed in compliance details.

NOTE: Not all clinics are required to complete a BPMH, please refer to NH policies as needed.

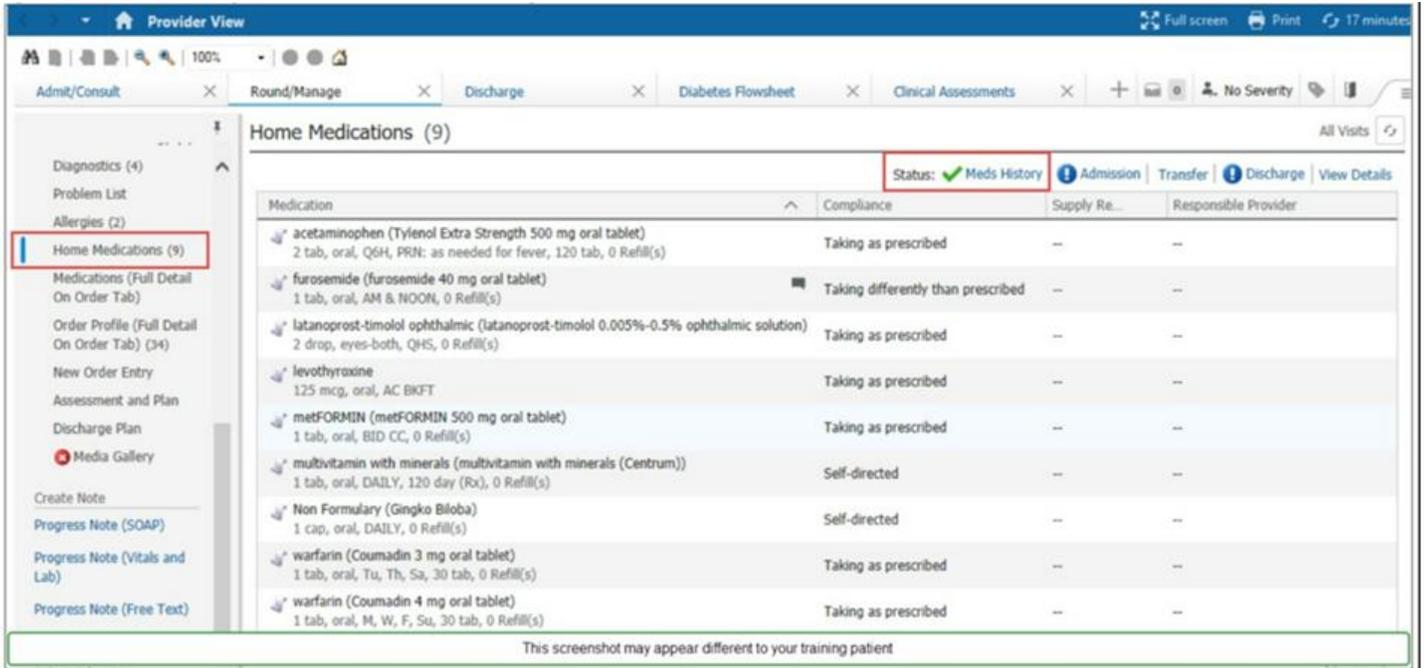
## Review Best Possible Medication History (BPMH)

### BPMH Status From M-Page

1. From the table of contents, navigate to the outpatient workflow m-page.
2. You can check to see if the BPMH has been completed from the **Home Medication** component on the outpatient m-page

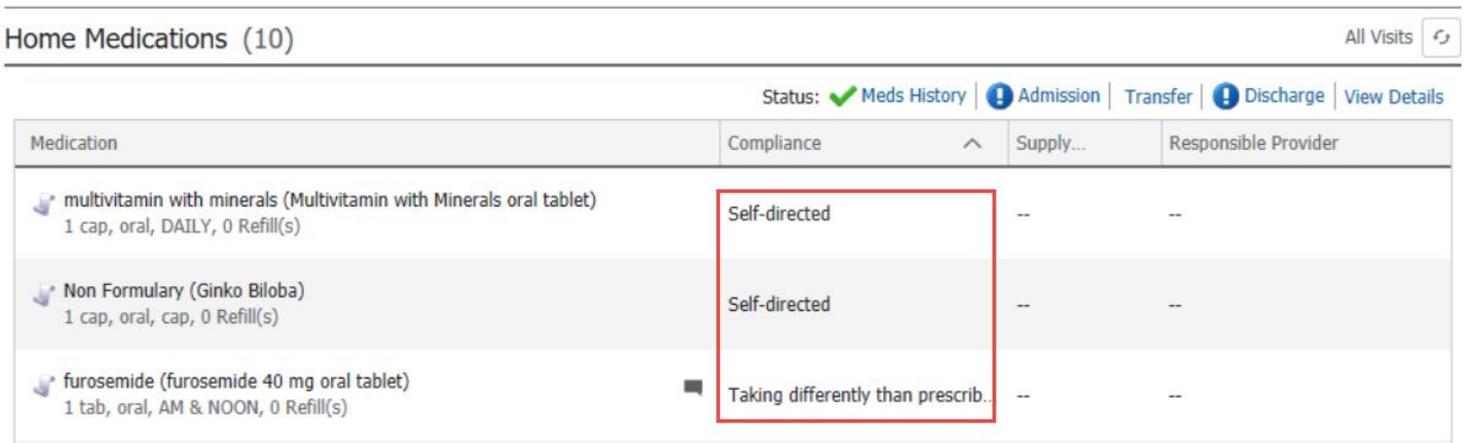


3. A green check mark beside **Med History**  **Meds History** indicates the BPMH has been completed on this encounter.  
Remember if your clinic does not require a BPMH you do not need to complete this.



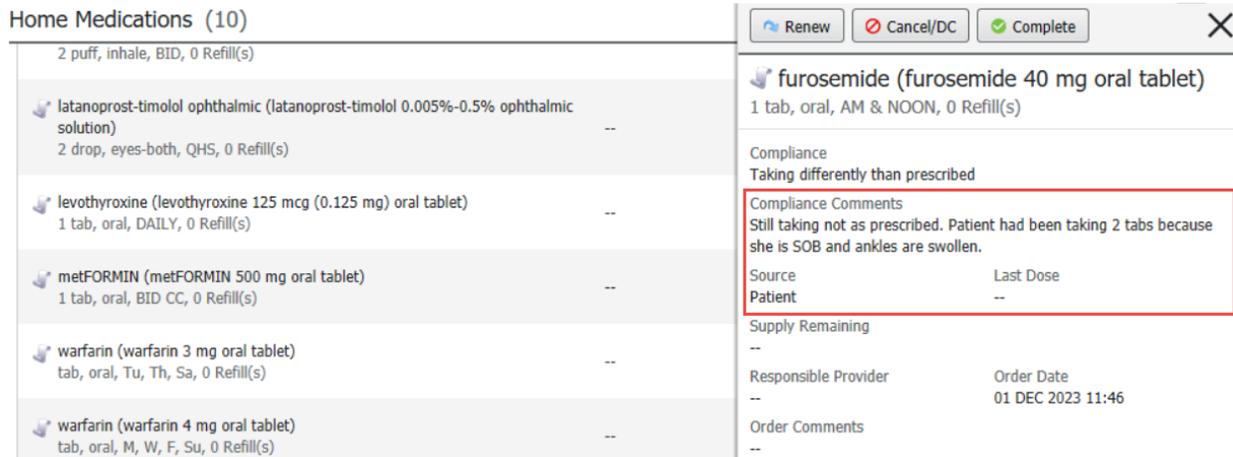
### Review Home Medication Compliance

1. Patients may not always be taking their medication as instructed, or they may have missed a dose. This information is also captured in the Home Medications component.
2. The patient's compliance with the medication is indicated under the **Compliance** column.



3. The  icon indicates that there is a comment associated. Click on the medication to see more details.

4. Here you can review more information, such as compliance comments and last dose.



**Home Medications (10)**

- 2 puff, inhale, BID, 0 Refill(s)
- latanoprost-timolol ophthalmic (latanoprost-timolol 0.005%-0.5% ophthalmic solution) 2 drop, eyes-both, QHS, 0 Refill(s)
- levothyroxine (levothyroxine 125 mcg (0.125 mg) oral tablet) 1 tab, oral, DAILY, 0 Refill(s)
- metFORMIN (metFORMIN 500 mg oral tablet) 1 tab, oral, BID CC, 0 Refill(s)
- warfarin (warfarin 3 mg oral tablet) tab, oral, Tu, Th, Sa, 0 Refill(s)
- warfarin (warfarin 4 mg oral tablet) tab, oral, M, W, F, Su, 0 Refill(s)

**furosemide (furosemide 40 mg oral tablet)**  
 1 tab, oral, AM & NOON, 0 Refill(s)

Compliance  
 Taking differently than prescribed

Compliance Comments  
 Still taking not as prescribed. Patient had been taking 2 tabs because she is SOB and ankles are swollen.

Source	Last Dose
Patient	--

Supply Remaining  
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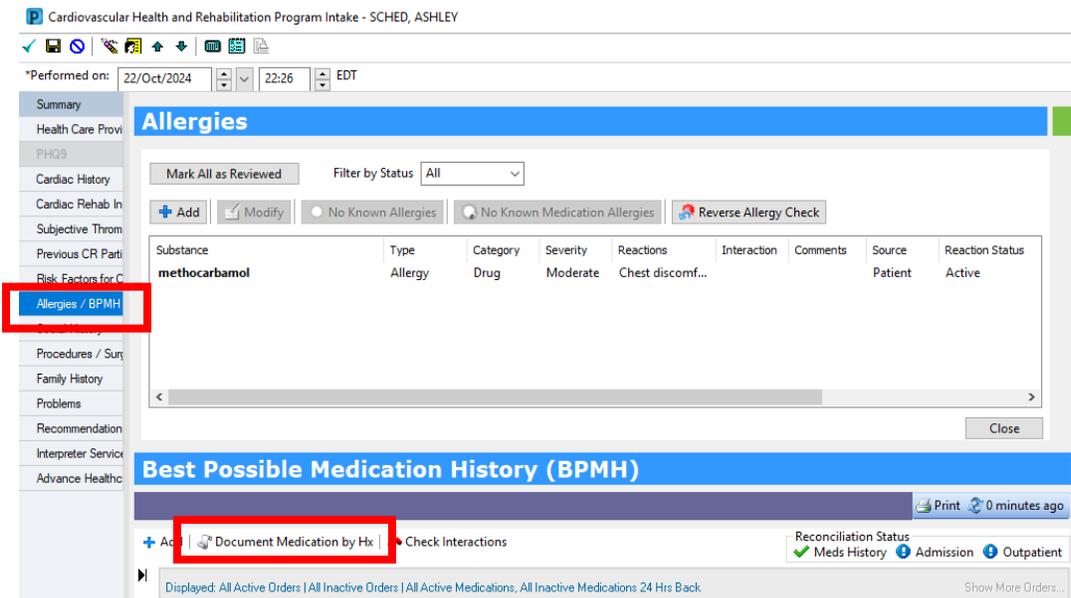
Responsible Provider  
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Order Date  
 01 DEC 2023 11:46

Order Comments  
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### Documenting a BPMH Status From a Powerform

1. From the powerform click on document medication by hx in the allergies/BPMH section.



Cardiovascular Health and Rehabilitation Program Intake - SCHED, ASHLEY

Performed on: 22/Oct/2024 22:26 EDT

**Allergies**

Mark All as Reviewed Filter by Status All

+ Add Modify No Known Allergies No Known Medication Allergies Reverse Allergy Check

Substance	Type	Category	Severity	Reactions	Interaction	Comments	Source	Reaction Status
methocarbamol	Allergy	Drug	Moderate	Chest discomf...			Patient	Active

**Best Possible Medication History (BPMH)**

+ Add Document Medication by Hx Check Interactions

Reconciliation Status  
 Meds History Admission Outpatient

Displayed: All Active Orders | All Inactive Orders | All Active Medications, All Inactive Medications 24 Hrs Back

2. Click the +Add button. In the Search field type in the medication.

Document Medication by Hx

**SCHED, ASHLEY**  
 Admin Sex:Female  
 \*Code Status:<No Data Available>

MRN:11000354  
 DOB:16/Mar/1983  
 Isolation:<No Data Available>

Allergies: methocarbamol  
 Age:41 years  
 Alerts:No Alerts Documented

Attending  
 Dose Wt:  
 Outpatient

**+ Add** Medication History  
 No Known Home Medications  Unable To Obtain Information  Use Last Compliance

Document Medication by Hx

Order Name	Status	Details	Last Dose Date/Time	Information Source	Compliance	Compliance Comments
<b>Home Medications</b> Last Documented On 2024-Oct-22 21:38 (NHS Test01, Nurse - Ambulatory)						
insulin aspart (NovoR...)	Documented	See Instructions, SUBCUTANEOUS TID AC, 0 Refill(s)		Patient	Still takin...	
cloZAPine (cloZAPine...)	Documented	100 mg = 1 tab, PO, TID, Monitoring of WBC count and abs...				
sertraline (sertraline 1...)	Documented	100 mg = 1 cap, PO, Daily, 0 Refill(s)				
spironolactone (spiro...)	Prescribed	25 mg = 1 tab, PO, BID, # 60 tab, 0 Refill(s), called to pharma...				
multivitamin (Vitamin...)	Documented	1 cap, PO, Daily, # 30 cap, 0 Refill(s)		Patient	Still takin...	

Search:  Type:

- Vitamin C
- Vitamin C 100 mg oral tablet
- Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet
- Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet (= 1 tab, PO, Daily, # 30 tab)
- Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet (= 1 tab, PO, Daily, # 90 tab)
- Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet, chewable
- Vitamin C 250 mg/mL injectable solution
- Vitamin C 410 mg oral capsule

3. Pick an order sentence if appropriate or “none”.

**Order Sentences**

Order sentences for: ascorbic acid (Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet)

(None)

- = 1 tab, PO, Daily, # 30 tab
- = 1 tab, PO, Daily, # 90 tab

- Click on the Compliance tab to add the patient compliance.
- Once you have completed the details click the arrow to close this will allow you to add another medication.

**Details for ascorbic acid (Vitamin C 250 mg oral tablet)**

Order Comments

Dose	Route of Administration	Frequency	Duration	Dispense	Refill
1 tablet(s)	PO	daily			0

PRN:

Indication:

Start Date/Time: 22/Oct/2024 2230 EDT

No Sub:  Yes  No

Performing Location:

Outpatient Pharmacy UD:

Special Instructions:

Stop Date/Time:

Print DEA Number:  Yes  No

Order Output Destination:

eRx Product Type:

Requested Refill Date:

LU Code:

Select Prescriber Address:

Samples:

Drug Form:

6. Add next medication and continue steps until all medication have been added.

## Best Possible Medication History HIS Tip Sheet

tylen | Type: Document Medication by Hx  
 Tylenol Arthritis Pain 8H 650 mg oral tablet, extended release

- Once you have documented all medication. Click the document history in the bottom right corner.

Document History Cancel

- You can review the list. Note the difference between prescribed medications and document medication by history.

### Best Possible Medication History (BPMH)

+ Add | Document Medication by Hx | Check Interactions

Displayed: All Active Orders | All Inactive Orders | All Active Medications, All Inactive Medications 24 Hrs Back

Order Name	Status	Dose ...	Details
<b>Medications</b>			
<b>Active</b>			
acetaminophen (Tyle...	Documen...	mg tablet(s), PO, 0 Refill(s)	
ascorbic acid (Vitami...	Documen...	mg tablet(s), PO, daily, 0 Refill(s)	
cloZAPine (cloZAPine...	Documen...	100 mg = 1 tab, PO, TID, Monitoring of WBC	
insulin aspart (NovoR...	Documen...	See Instructions, SUBCUTANEOUS TID AC, 0	
multivitamin (Vitamin...	Documen...	1 cap, PO, Daily, # 30 cap, 0 Refill(s)	
sertraline (sertraline 1...	Documen...	100 mg = 1 cap, PO, Daily, 0 Refill(s)	
spironolactone (spiro...	Prescribed	25 mg = 1 tab, PO, BID, # 60 tab, 0 Refill(s), c	

- Information documented in the powerform will update on the Home Medication on the m-page.

Home Medications (5)

Status: ✔ Meds History | i Outpatient | View Details

Medication	Compliance	Supply Remaining	Responsible Provider
cloZAPine (cloZAPine 100 mg oral tablet) 100 mg = 1 tab, PO, TID, Monitoring of WBC count and absolute neutrophil count required prior to delivery of next medication supply, 0 Ref...	--	--	--
insulin aspart (NovoRapid 100 units/mL subcutaneous solution) See Instructions, SUBCUTANEOUS TID AC, 0 Refill(s)	Still taking, as prescribed	--	--
multivitamin (Vitamin A and D oral capsule) 1 cap, PO, Daily, 30 cap, 0 Refill(s)	Still taking, as prescribed	<span style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: yellow;"></span> 30 Days Estimated	--
sertraline (sertraline 100 mg oral capsule) 100 mg = 1 cap, PO, Daily, 0 Refill(s)	--	--	--
spironolactone (spironolactone 25 mg oral tablet) 25 mg = 1 tab, PO, BID, 60 tab, 0 Refill(s)	--	0 Refill(s)	Cerner Test, Physician - Hospitalist Cerner

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