

Working With Medications From Other Sources

Understanding the Enhancements

In the Meds From Other Sources window in Sunrise 15.3, you can now reject community medications using a button at the top of the window. In addition, you can filter the medication list by source and opt to include or exclude medications that have been rejected in the past.

Accepting a Community Medication

When reviewing a patient's community medications, you should accept the appropriate medications into the patient's profile before rejecting the irrelevant or erroneous medications.

- ▶ The procedures to accept a community medication have not changed from previous releases.

To accept a community medication:

- ▶ In the **Meds From Other Sources** window, select the medication you need to accept, and then click either **Accept to Med Hx** or **Edit/Accept to Med Hx**.
 - If you click **Accept to Med Hx**, the medication's status changes to **Active**, and the medication appears in the OMP Review window as a home medication.
 - If you click **Edit/Accept to Med Hx**, an editing window appears. Edit all appropriate information, and then click **OK**. The medication's status changes to **Active**, and the medication appears in the OMP Review window as a home medication.

Rejecting Community Medications

A new **Reject All Pending** button now appears on the Meds From Other Sources window that enables you to reject all remaining community medications from the patient's profile.

- ▶ You should accept all appropriate community medications before you perform this task.

To reject community medications:

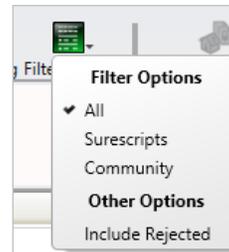
1. In the **Meds From Other Sources** window, click **Reject All Pending**.
Depending on your configuration, the **Reject Medication Reason** window may appear. If so, proceed to step 2. If not, the medications change to a status of **Rejected**.
 - ▶ Your enterprise may require you to enter a reason for the rejection.
2. In the **Reject Medication Reason** window, type or select a reason, and then click **OK**. The medications change to a status of **Rejected**. You must filter the Meds From Other Sources window to display the rejected medications again.
 - ▶ The rejected medications also appear in the **Inactive** section of the **Outpatient Medication Review** window of **Order Reconciliation**. (They do not appear in the OMP Review window of Prescription Writer.)

Filtering Medications From Other Sources

New filter options appear in Sunrise 15.3 in the Meds From Other Sources window. In this window, when you click the **Filter**

Options  button, the drop-down list includes the following options:

- <medication sources>
- Include Rejected



Reactivating Rejected Medications

If you find that someone has rejected a medication in error, you can reactivate it.

To reactivate a medication:

1. In the **Meds From Other Sources** window, click the **Filter Options**  button, and then from the drop-down list, select **Include Rejected**. The rejected medication appears with a grey background and italicized text.
2. Click **Accept to Med HX**, or click **Edit/Accept to Med Hx** and perform the steps to edit and accept the medication.

Understanding Alerts

In addition, in Sunrise 15.3, your enterprise can set Medical Logic Modules (MLMs) to alert clinicians of:

- Potential duplicates between pending community medications and existing Sunrise medications (such as medication and pharmacy orders, home medications, and prescriptions)
- Pregnancy and lactation conflicts with pending community medications