Rx Formulary - ePrescribing
(Core Objective #2)

OBJECTIVE: Generate and transmit permissible prescriptions electronically (eRx).

MEASURE: More than 50 percent of all permissible prescriptions, or all prescriptions, written by the EP are queried for a drug formulary and transmitted electronically using CEHRT.

EXCLUSION: Any EP who:

(1) Writes fewer than 100 permissible prescriptions during the EHR reporting period.

(2) Does not have a pharmacy within their organization and there are no pharmacies that accept electronic prescriptions within 10 miles of the EP's practice location at the start of his/her EHR reporting period.

CMS Website for E-Prescribing Measure:

http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPCore_2_ePrescribing.pdf

PowerSoftMD Video Link:

http://www.powersoftmd.com/Videos08.htm

NUMERATOR: The number of prescriptions in the denominator generated, queried for a drug formulary and transmitted electronically using CEHRT.

DENOMINATOR: Number of prescriptions written for drugs requiring a prescription in order to be dispensed other than controlled substances during the EHR reporting period; or Number of prescriptions written for drugs requiring a prescription in order to be dispensed during the EHR reporting period.

INTIAL SETUP: ****_You must complete this before you can find carriers for your individual patients_*****

1) Go into eScripts for any patient.

2) Click the "**Admin**" tab, then click the blue "Account Healthplan List" link.

3) On this screen, click the right-side "Add Additional Healthplans" link.

NOTE: The list will auto-populate with healthplans in your region. If you want to add more, you can always search for them.

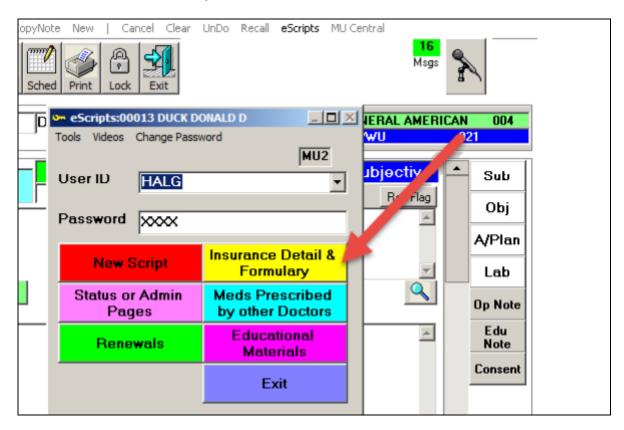See next page for where to go on the eScripts screen:

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4) Click the blue "**Add to List**" button to add them. They will now show up on the patient's formulary selection screen.
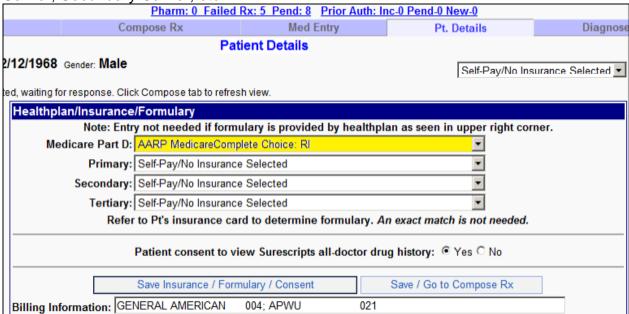
HOW TO SELECT FORMULARY FOR AN INDIVIDUAL PATIENT:
1) Once you've completed the Initial Setup section of this document, go into the patient's SOAP note. Click the "**eScripts**" button in the upper-right, then click the yellow "Insurance Detail & Formulary" button:
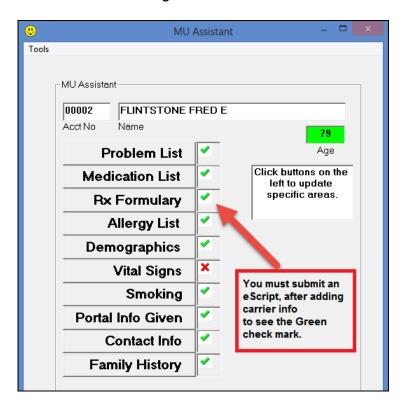
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2) On the following screen, you will see drop-down selections for Medicare, Primary Carrier, Secondary Carrier, etc.

3) Exit eScripts and return to the SOAP note.

4) Once the above steps are complete, you **must submit a new eScript** for the patient for the "MU Assistant" to show the green check mark for "Rx Formulary".

What do to if you can't find the Health Plan

1) Make a copies of the Insurance Card Front and Back, with the Patient's identifying information blacked out.

2) Email the copies from step 1 with a message explaining your problem finding the Health Plan to: customersupport@newcroprx.com
Please copy the email to: support@powersoftmd.com

In the email identify your practice name, your name and contact information.