



Update of NCIS MED to BD CATO version 2.52.04 - GENERAL CHANGES

THIS IS AN UPDATE ON GENERAL CHANGES, CHANGES TO PHARMACY FUNCTIONALITY HAVE BEEN OUTLINED IN BRIEFING NOTE 28

NCIS MED will be updated to version 2.52.04 on December 6th, 2025. New features that users might like to note are outlined below. Version 2.52.04 will be available in the NCIS Training environment from November 13th, 2025, to provide the opportunity to "Use & Learn" the changes.

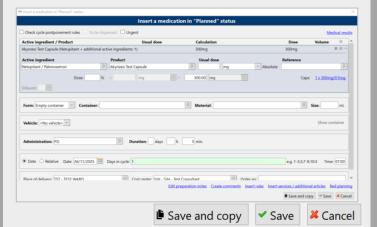
Wizard for Adding Medications to Multiple Cycles

A new wizard for inserting medications into multiple cycles is now available.

Users now have the option to select a planned medication and use the menu option to "Copy and paste to follow-up cycles"



Where a new medication is being added from the "Insert medication in Planned status" menu, there is an option to use "Save and Copy" instead of saving the medication individually.



These options open a wizard that allows users to choose which additional cycles the medication should be added to.



This feature reduces the need to manually re-enter the same medication across multiple cycles.

Medication List Changes

In this new version, there are changes to the Medication List screen.

Redesign of layout and Filter menu

- The Medication List screen has been updated. *Note: some column names have changed.*
- The Filter menu now appears as a sidebar accessed using the filter icon to display the menu on/off.



Status Colour Change

In the Medication List view, the line for medications in the Administered status was_previously highlighted in green. This is no longer the case.



Apply and Reset Filter

Filters applied in the Medication List are now **held** during a session.

- If a user **logs out of NCIS.Med**, filters are retained.
- If a user logs out of Citrix, filters are reset to default.

Users can manually reset filter changes to return to the default view.

Medication List Column Ordering

Medication lists cannot be sorted by patient/batch in this version—BD have informed us this will be fixed in a future version

CSV Service Export

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To include the export of the Medication List Service Export now requires a specific setting to be enabled. Standard CSV is available to all users by default.

- This setting is applied at the workstation level, not user level.

Changes to Medication List template settings have been applied in the Training Environment. Please provide any Feedback on these changes to ncis@cancercontrol.ie

Direct Dispense now logged as "Ordered"

When a medication moves from physician verified to administration without pharmacist verification (e.g. wardstocked medications), the record in the medication summary log now appears with an entry marked "Ordered".

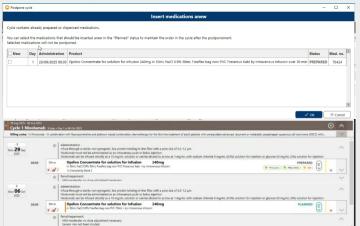
Previously, this step was attributed to a non-pharmacist user as having completed pharmacist verification.



Postponement of Prepared/Dispensed Medication

For medications that have already been prepared or dispensed when a change of date is being carried out, there has been a change to some of the postponement functionality.

When the postponed date and reason are selected, a pop up appears in the screen offering the option to "insert medication anew"



If the user selects the tick box for the prepared/dispensed medication and clicks ok, a new entry for the same medication appears on the new date/time and the prepared/dispensed medication remains in the original date/time (and can be managed further/cancelled as required). This is unchanged from the previous version.

However, if the user does not select the medication to insert anew, the prepared/dispensed medication will now move to the date selected for postponement. **This is a change to the previous version functionality.** There is no limit to the date/time for postponement of a prepared/dispensed medication (i.e. there is no relationship with the medication expiry).

Banner Display Changes

The **font size** in the patient banner has increased in size for the Local ID/MRN



The number of Therapy Plans in the record now displays in the banner as a number circled.

Cancelled Therapy Plans

When accessing a patient record, the system now excludes cancelled therapy plans from the initial therapy plan view.

When opening a patient record the most current Therapy Plan will display so long as it is not cancelled.

Cancelled therapy plans are now shown in grey text.



The previous strikethrough formatting no longer appears in the Therapy Plan screen.



The strikethrough indication for cancelled medications does appear within the Therapy Plan/Cycle display

