

Allergies: Removal of a Previously Documented Allergy for Nurses

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Removal of a Previously Documented Allergy

A previously documented allergy may be removed from the EHR with supporting documentation and without a physician order **if one of the criteria listed below is met**.

- a. The allergy was entered in error.
- b. A Freetext allergy entry needs to be canceled and a codified allergy needs to be re-entered.
- c. The patient confirms they have taken the medication or a medication in the same class without issue, AND the patient/caregiver grants verbal consent that the allergy be removed, AND the reaction is not anaphylaxis or other life-threatening reaction.

Adult Intake - Nursing

Chief Complaint

Allergies (2)

Patient Information

Home Medications ...

Nurse View Orders

Allergies

Menu

Histories

Admission PowerForms (0)

Nurse View

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Allergies

Substance

Latex

Strawberries

No Known Medication Allergies

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Reactions

Nausea and vomiting

Rash

Once Removal Criteria is Met

1. Navigate to Allergies in one of three locations within the patient's chart.

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Nurse View

Orders

Interactive View

Documentation

Results Review

MAR Summary

Outside Records

Allergies

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A. The Adult or Pediatric Intake – Nursing Workflow.

- Open the patient's chart to Nurse View on the dark blue menu.
- Select the Adult or Pediatric Intake -Nursing tab.
- 3. Click **Allergies** on the light menu.
- 4. Click the Allergies hyperlink.
- B. The Allergies tab on the dark blue menu.
- C. The **Allergies hyperlink** on the demographic bar.



- 2. **Right click** on the incorrect substance.
- 3. Select Cancel.





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*Substance

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- Select the Reason for canceling 4 the allergy.
- 5. Click Add Comment to open the Comments field.
- Document the **Reason** for the 6. correction.
- Add Comment No allergy checking is available for non-Multum allergies. Strawberries Comments Reaction(s): *Severity Info source <not entered> Patient ġΫ ~ Nausea and vomiting At: <not entered> Onset: <not entered> **/**/*** Years • ~ Status Reason: Recorded on behalf of Canceled 🤍 <not entered *Category Erro Clarification 8 Food OK OK & Add New Cancel Duplicate Entry × Comments 6

Patient states "I have never been allergic to strawberries".

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Cancel

- Click OK. 7.
- Click **OK** on the Allergy window to save. 8.
- 9. Contact Pharmacy for assistance with any questions.

MMC Only: Once Removal Criteria is Met

MMC staff may follow the steps above to remove a previously documented allergy or may request the Pharmacy staff complete this task.

- From the Orders tab, click the **Add** button. 1.
- Enter Request for Allergy Removal by Pharmacy in the 2. Search field.
- Enter Nurse, Use Per Protocol in the Physician name field. 3.
- Select Communication type **Per Protocol/Policy/Existing Order**. 4.
- 5. Click OK.
- 6. In the Message field of the Order Details tab, enter the allergy name and reason for removal.
- 7. Sign.
- Pharmacy will remove the 8. allergy.

△ Consults/Referrals						
	Request for Allergy	Order	6/8/2022 11:52 EDT	6/8/2022 11:52 EDT, Rer	move Strawberries,	Patient not allergic.
	Removal by Pharmacy					
Details for Request for Allergy Removal by Pharmacy						
Details 😥 Order Comments						
*Start Date/Time:	06/08/2022	1152	EDT	6 Message:	Patient not allergi	c to strawberries
					7	Sign

