

# eMedications Management Functional Framework v1.0

## Release Note

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The eMedications Management (eMM) Functional Framework outlines the key capabilities within medications management business systems. It can be used to identify opportunities and gaps in medications management process automation, system integration, information quality and terminology standardisation.

### Release rationale

This is the first official release following its conception as part of the Jurisdictional eMM Collaborations Initiative. This is one of a number of NEHTA lead implementation projects which leverages common solution designs and system enhancements to mature business processes, information exchange and system interfaces/integration.

### Package inclusions

#### New

Identifier	Name and version
NEHTA-2032:2015	eMedications Management Functional Framework – Release Note v1.0 (this document)
NEHTA-2033:2015	eMedications Management Functional Framework – Overview v1.0
NEHTA-2034:2015	eMedications Management Functional Framework – Model v1.0
NEHTA-2035:2015	eMedications Management Functional Framework – Category and Function Descriptions v1.0

### Scope

The scope of the eMM Functional Framework covers a range of capabilities from medications reconciliation to dispensing, including supporting functions such as supply chain, and dependent functions such as reporting and monitoring.

### Stakeholders

The following stakeholders have been involved in the development of this release:

- NEHTA architects
- NEHTA clinical advisors
- Jurisdictional eMedications implementers
- Private health sector eMedications implementers

## Audience

The eMM Functional Framework is targeted at chief information officers, business planners, business analysts and enterprise/system architects.

## Capabilities

Significant refinements since the last eMM workshop updates have been documented below for the benefits of those participants. Other stakeholders will also gain an understanding of its evolution and ongoing maintenance by reviewing the latest updates.

## Additions

1. Added Supply Chain function 33.1 National Product Catalogue Access
2. Added Supply Chain function 33.4 eProcurement
3. Added Supply Chain function 33.6 Electronic Healthcare Product Recalls (i.e. Recallnet)
4. Added 30.14 Prescribe / Dispense reconciliation to the Dispensing category
5. Added 40 Terminology Services category
6. Added the 32.6 'The five rights' medication administration to the Medication Administration category
7. Added the functional category of 'Terminology Services'
8. Added 40.4 as the 'AMT Release Local Transformation' function that will transform the RF2 file into a local database structure. (Substantial functionality and different to loading)
9. 40.6 SNOMED CT-AU Service Online Lookup Service
10. Added function 30.13 Clinical pharmacy review

## Changes

1. The descriptions of the 'Medication Ordering' and 'Pack Based Prescribing' sub functions only covered hospital prescribing. Updated those descriptions to include community pharmacy too (i.e. primary care prescribing, community pharmacy dispensing)
2. The Terminology Reference Data Loading / Selection already existed (34.5) in the Formulary Maintenance category. Therefore moved it and renumbered to 40.5.
3. Separated the 'Selection' part of the Terminology Reference Data Loading / Selection function
4. Renumbered Drug Allergies Decision Support from 27.4 to 34.6 to reflect being part of the Clinical Decision Support (Medications) category
5. Changed name of category 29 to Community Prescriptions
6. Changed name of function 27.7 to Adverse Reaction Report Validation and Transmission

## Removals

1. Removed 26.5 as it had already been moved and renumbered to 36.1.
2. Removed 32.5 from table of descriptions as it is not in the diagram as it had been subsumed by 32.5 'The five rights' function

## Support

This release will be supported until it is superseded by the next release.

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