

Medication Management Review programs service provider application form

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1. Program details

The *MMR programs service provider application* form lets applicants apply for one, two or all of the MMR programs. It is a requirement that you read the terms and conditions of the MMR programs before you fill out the form.

2. Pharmacy details

Your pharmacy is approved under Section 90 of the *National Health Act 1953*, so you must select **Yes** and complete all fields in this section.

You can skip the fields relating to businesses and go to question 9.

9. Pharmacist registration/accreditation details

You must submit the details, including the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) number, of all pharmacists who will conduct MMR services on behalf of your pharmacy.

All pharmacists conducting Residential Medication Management Review (RMMR) and/or Home Medicines Review (HMR) services must be accredited to provide medication reviews by an approved accreditation body, such as the Australian Association of Consultant Pharmacy or the Society of Hospital Pharmacists Australia.

To have an accredited pharmacist registered with your pharmacy, you must provide:

- their accreditation number, and
- start and end date of accreditation.

The accreditation information can be found on the pharmacist's accreditation certificate.

You must attach a copy of each pharmacist's accreditation certificate with the application.

Important

- You must have at least one associated accredited pharmacist in order to be approved as an HMR service provider.
- An accredited pharmacist can only conduct RMMR and HMR services during the period they are accredited for. Every year you must submit an MMR change of details form updating each accredited pharmacist's accreditation. The form will be available on the Medicare website from 1 October 2011.
- An accredited pharmacist can't conduct a claimable RMMR or HMR service before you have notified Medicare they are conducting services on your behalf and received approval.
- After you have been approved as an MMR service provider, you can register a new pharmacist or update an existing pharmacist's details by completing an MMR change of details form. The form will be available on the Medicare website from 1 October 2011.

10-14. RMMR services aged care facility details

In order to be approved as an RMMR service provider, you must include details of the aged care facility you have a Service Agreement with. This includes the aged care facility's service identification, name and the start and end dates of the Service Agreement.

Important

- You must attach a copy of the relevant Service Agreement to be approved as an RMMR service provider.
- You must complete a new MMR programs service provider application form for each Service Agreement you hold.

15-20. QUM services aged care facility details

To be approved as a QUM service provider, you must include details of the Australian Government funded residential aged care facility you have a Service Agreement with. This includes the aged care facility's service identification name and the start and end dates of the Service Agreement.

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You must include the number of eligible aged care places at the aged care facility. This number will be recorded in the Medicare system and verified against the number you provide on your *QUM payment application* form when you claim for services. If this number changes between the time you apply and the time you claim, you must notify Medicare by submitting an *MMR change of details* form. The form will be available on the Medicare website from 1 October 2011.

Note: no adjustments to payments will be made where the number of eligible aged care places changes during the claim period.

If the number of places at the aged care facility recorded in the Medicare system is different to the number on the *QUM* payment application form, the lower of the two numbers will be paid.

Important

- You must attach a copy of the relevant Service Agreement to be approved as a QUM service provider.
- You must complete a new MMR programs service provider application form for each Service Agreement you hold.
- If the number of Australian Government funded residential aged care places changes between the time you apply and the time you claim, you must submit an MMR change of details form to Medicare indicating the new number.

21. Declaration

Tick the program(s) you are applying for. You may tick one, two or all of the options.

All owners of an approved Section 90 Pharmacy must sign the *MMR programs service provider application* form.

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Send the completed form to:

Community Pharmacy Agreement Officer Pharmaceutical Benefits Branch Medicare GPO Box 9826 ADELAIDE SA 5001

or fax to: 08 8274 9373*

More information

Call **08 8274 9641*** for help completing the *MMR programs* service provider application form.

*Call charges apply.