

How to electronically prescribe a compound medication with a controlled substance

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Drug Database Migration - Coming Soon to DrChrono!

In partnership with First Databank MedKnowledge (current drug database), DrChrono now supports the ability to electronically send compound medications that contain a controlled substance.

How to e-prescribe a compound medication with a controlled substance

1. From the patient chart, navigate to Send eRx.
2. Choose Compound as the "type"
3. Once selected the Compound Parts dropdown will appear

New Prescription Dr. Mark Williams, Patient's Prescriptions

Compound Favorite medications

Type* Medication **Compound** Supply

Medication*

Compound Parts

SIG* Effective Date

Dispense* Dispense Unit* DAW Days Supply Refills

Diagnosis Codes

Notes to Pharmacist

4. Enter the medication **including** the controlled compound parts into the Medication field.

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5. Use the "+" and/or "-" buttons to add/remove the controlled substance(s)

Note: the system will indicate the level of the controlled substance when it is added.

The screenshot shows the 'Compound' form with the following details:

- Type***: Medication, **Compound**, Supply
- Medication***: Mouthwash solution + adderall 5 mg + lyrica 5mg. A red arrow points to a warning icon and the text 'Controlled Substance Level 2'.
- Compound Parts**:
 - Adderall 15 mg oral tablet (with '-' button)
 - Lyrica 50 mg oral capsule (with '-' button)

6. Once it has been detected that the prescription includes a controlled substance, the below box will disappear.



There is no controlled substance within the compound prescription*

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- Medication***: Mouthwash solution + adderall 5 mg + lyrica 5mg. A warning icon and 'Controlled Substance Level 2' are present.
- Compound Parts**:
 - Adderall 15 mg oral tablet (with '-' button)
 - Lyrica 50 mg oral capsule (with '-' button)
- SIG***: test (with a gear icon)
- Effective Date**: N/A: U
- Dispense***: 30
- Dispense Unit***: Capsule
- DAW**: Yes, **No** (selected)
- Days Supply**: [empty]
- Refills**: 0
- Diagnosis Codes**: Patient Diagnosis Codes
- Add to Favorites Add to Medication List
- Notes to Pharmacist**:
 - * Please do not enter SIG, Effective Date, Drug Name, Strength, Quantity or Dispense Unit in this field.
 - [Red box highlights a missing field]

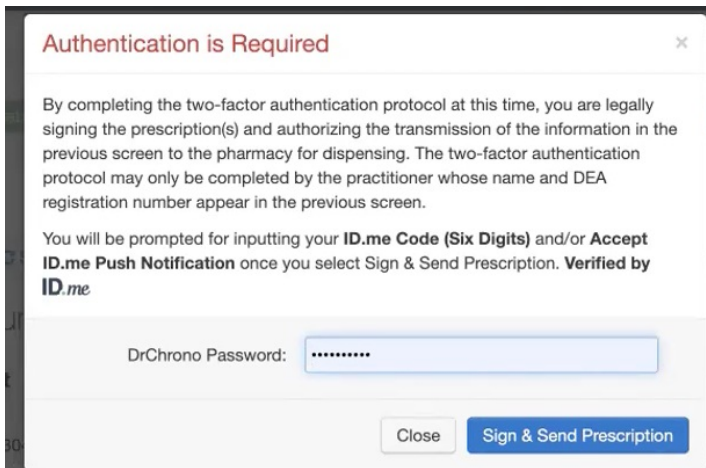
7. Proceed with entering the remaining information for the prescription (i.e. SIG, Dispense etc.)

8. Select Pharmacy

9. Preview Prescription

10. Send Prescription

11. An Authentication Required pop out window will appear to enter the required information.



12. Sign & Send Prescription

[How to prescribe a compound medication for a non-controlled substance](#)
