

Managing Student Medications

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As of July 12, 2021, this "Learn Veracross" site has been deprecated. It will remain live at least through October 1, 2021, but will no longer be updated. All knowledge content has moved to the new [Veracross Community](#). Please update your bookmarks.

[Here is the new version of this article in the Veracross Community.](#)

Overview

The screenshot shows the 'Person Medication' form in the Veracross Health Module. The form is titled 'Person Medication: Walter, Edward - Zyrtec' and includes an 'UPDATE' button. The form is divided into several sections:

- PATIENT:** Walter, Edward
- MEDICATION:** Zyrtec
- CONDITION:** None
- MEDICAL PROVIDER:** None
- START DATE:** 03/30/20
- END DATE:** 06/28/20
- GENERAL CYCLE:** Every other day
- DAILY CYCLE:** <None Specified>
- PRESCRIPTION NUMBER:** (empty)
- CRITICAL:** NO
- CONFIDENTIAL:** NO
- CREATE LOG ENTRIES:** YES

Additional sections on the right side of the form include:

- NOTES:** (empty text area)
- DOSAGE INSTRUCTION:** Administer after lunch.
- ALLERGIES/SYMPTOMS:** Allergic to dogs.
- CURRENT MEDICATIONS:** Inhaler

Medication that needs to be administered or held for students can be tracked in the Veracross Health Module by adding a student medication record. This allows the nurse to keep track of details regarding medications a student is currently taking, such as how often and when they need to be administered, as well as the dosage for the medication.

Student medications tracked in Veracross can be found using the 'Find Person Medications' query.

The Medication Log tab displays all log entries that are scheduled for this student's medication. Users are also able to track the Scheduled Time, whether it was Given, Time Given, and Dosage through the medication log, as well. For Medication Log entries to display an accurate picture of when the medication should be given, the medication must have correct information entered when adding the medication for the student. Once this information is confirmed to be accurate, the "Create Log Entries" option must be checked off and updated, or else the Medication Log will not populate for the medication in question. It is important to ensure this information is correct before the "Create Log Entries" option is checked because any further modifications to the medication tab will not carry over to the Medication Log after the initial entries are generated.

By default, log entries are created for a M-F schedule. If your school needs to track weekend hours as well, contact your Account Manager for assistance.
