

MUR DATA REQUIREMENTS



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Contractors will be aware that as part of the changes to the Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework (CPCF) agreed between Welsh Government and Community Pharmacy Wales in April this year, contractors were required to capture and retain an MUR dataset for every MUR undertaken.

Contractors will recall that a reporting template would be made available to collate the information specified below:

1. The total number of MURs delivered where a medication issue was identified by the pharmacist and action taken;
2. The total number of MURs delivered where the patient was referred to their GP or another primary health care provider;
3. The total number of MURs where the pharmacist believes there will be an improvement in the patient's adherence to the medicines and the nature of that benefit; and
4. The total number of MURs in which the patient was given brief advice about a healthier lifestyle and the nature of that advice.

Contractors will see that with effect from 1 October 2015, additional data entry fields have been added to the MUR Claim form, a screenshot of which is included below:

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the MUR Claim form. The browser address bar shows 'http://prescribing.wales.nhs.uk/PrescribingSe...'. The form is titled 'Medicines Use Review - Ad...' and includes a 'Confirm' button. The form is divided into several sections:

- PATIENT DETAILS:** Fields for PMR or NHS No., Patient Age, Patient Consent (Yes, GP Only, No), and Patient Postcode.
- SERVICE DETAILS:** Fields for Date of Intervention (dd/mm/yyyy), Service Provided (MUR, PIS), MUR Type (A-L), No. of Medicines Reviewed, No. of Actions Identified, and a checkbox for 'Was this MUR completed as part of a national public health campaign?'.
- ADDITIONAL DETAILS:** A section for interventions dated before 1 October 2015, containing checkboxes for 'Was the patient referred to their GP or other primary healthcare provider as a result of the MUR?', 'In what way is it anticipated that the patient's adherence to the medicines will be improved by the MUR?', and 'For which of the following healthy lifestyle topics was brief advice provided?'.
- Does the patient have a carer who supports them to take their medicines?** and **In addition to the patient was their carer present at the MUR?** (Yes/No).
- Claim Actions:** A 'Submit' button.