Screenshots of The 7-step medication review guideline for Vision.

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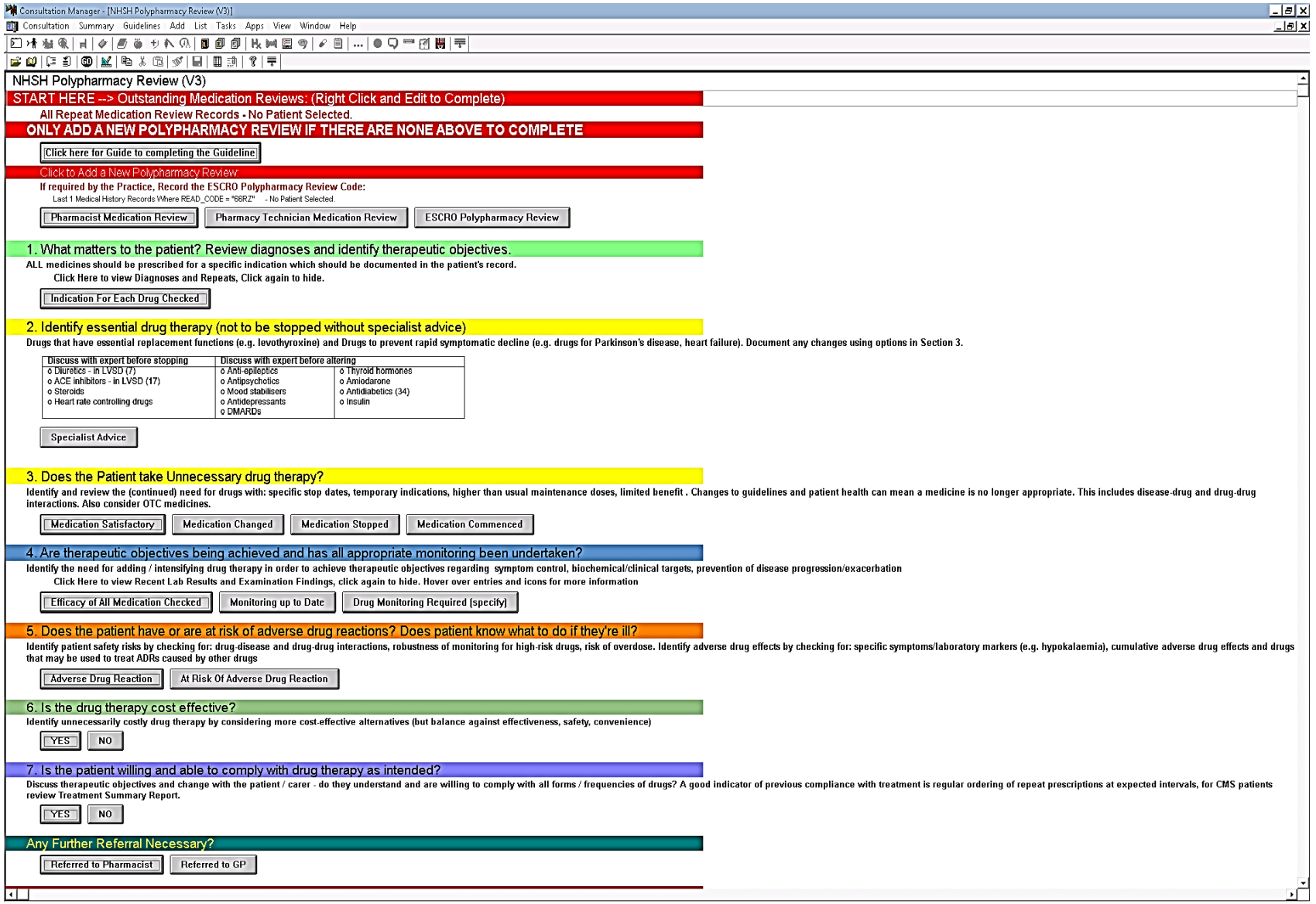
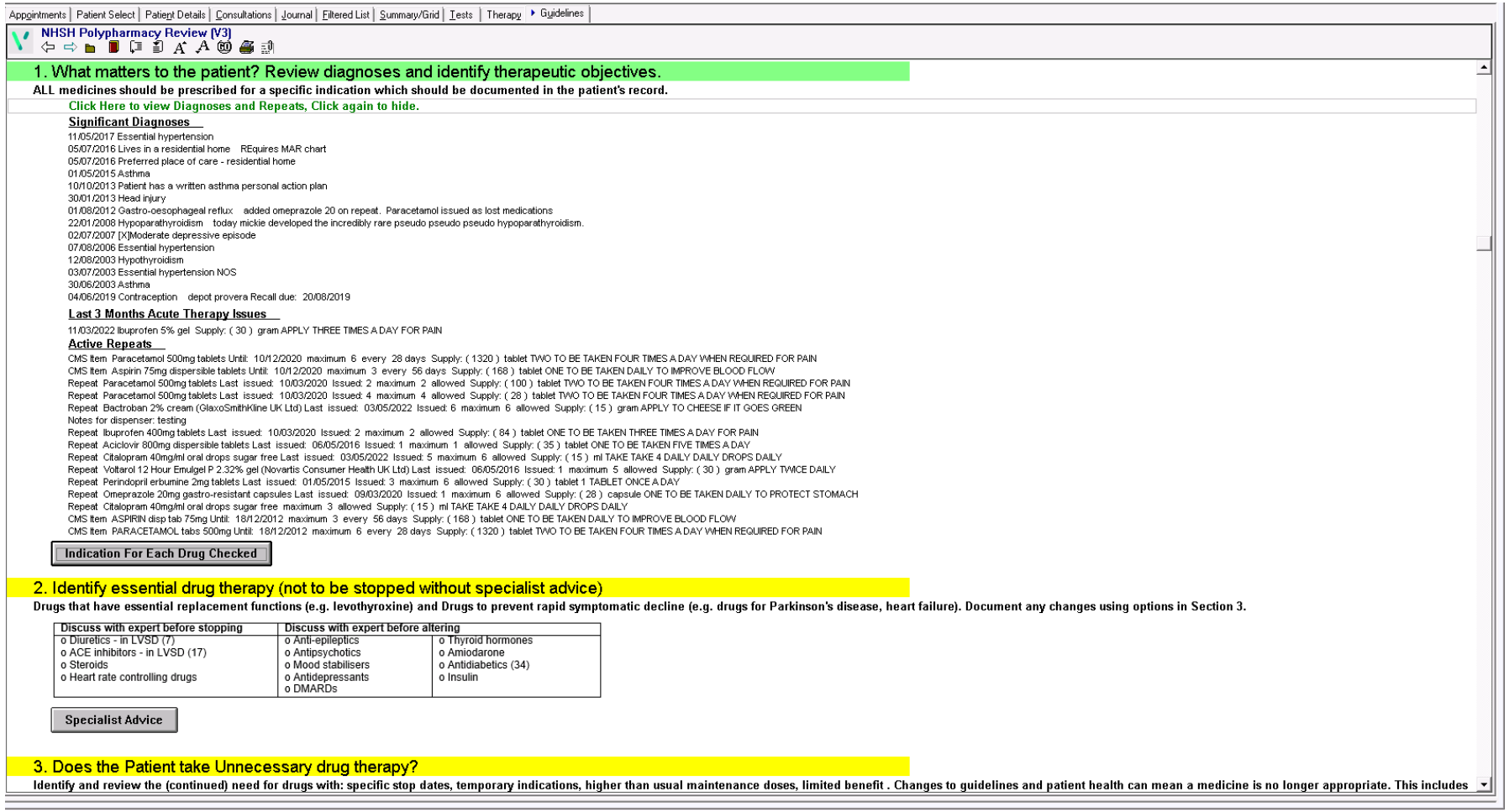
Vision guideline



Diagnoses & Medication drop down



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NHSH Polypharmacy Review (V3)

1. What matters to the patient? Review diagnoses and identify therapeutic objectives.

ALL medicines should be prescribed for a specific indication which should be documented in the patient's record.

Click Here to view Diagnoses and Repeats, Click again to hide.

Significant Diagnoses

11/05/2017 Essential hypertension
05/07/2016 Lives in a residential home REquires MAR chart
05/07/2016 Preferred place of care - residential home
01/05/2015 Asthma
10/10/2013 Patient has a written asthma personal action plan
30/01/2013 Head injury
01/08/2012 Gastro-oesophageal reflux added omeprazole 20 on repeat. Paracetamol issued as lost medications
22/01/2008 Hypoparathyroidism today mickie developed the incredibly rare pseudo pseudo pseudo hypoparathyroidism.
02/07/2007 [X]Moderate depressive episode
07/08/2006 Essential hypertension
12/08/2003 Hypothyroidism
03/07/2003 Essential hypertension NOS
30/06/2003 Asthma
04/06/2019 Contraception depot provera Recall due: 20/08/2019

Last 3 Months Acute Therapy Issues

11/03/2022 Ibuprofen 5% gel Supply: (30) gram APPLY THREE TIMES A DAY FOR PAIN

Active Repeats

CMS Item Paracetamol 500mg tablets Until: 10/12/2020 maximum 6 every 28 days Supply: (1320) tablet TWO TO BE TAKEN FOUR TIMES A DAY WHEN REQUIRED FOR PAIN
CMS Item Aspirin 75mg dispersible tablets Until: 10/12/2020 maximum 3 every 56 days Supply: (168) tablet ONE TO BE TAKEN DAILY TO IMPROVE BLOOD FLOW
Repeat Paracetamol 500mg tablets Last issued: 10/03/2020 Issued: 2 maximum 2 allowed Supply: (100) tablet TWO TO BE TAKEN FOUR TIMES A DAY WHEN REQUIRED FOR PAIN
Repeat Paracetamol 500mg tablets Last issued: 10/03/2020 Issued: 4 maximum 4 allowed Supply: (28) tablet TWO TO BE TAKEN FOUR TIMES A DAY WHEN REQUIRED FOR PAIN
Repeat Bactroban 2% cream (GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd) Last issued: 03/05/2022 Issued: 6 maximum 6 allowed Supply: (15) gram APPLY TO CHEESE IF IT GOES GREEN
Notes for dispenser: testing
Repeat Ibuprofen 400mg tablets Last issued: 10/03/2020 Issued: 2 maximum 2 allowed Supply: (84) tablet ONE TO BE TAKEN THREE TIMES A DAY FOR PAIN
Repeat Aciclovir 800mg dispersible tablets Last issued: 06/05/2016 Issued: 1 maximum 1 allowed Supply: (35) tablet ONE TO BE TAKEN FIVE TIMES A DAY
Repeat Citalopram 40mg/ml oral drops sugar free Last issued: 03/05/2022 Issued: 5 maximum 6 allowed Supply: (15) ml TAKE TAKE 4 DAILY DAILY DROPS DAILY
Repeat Voltarol 12 Hour Emulgel P 2.32% gel (Novartis Consumer Health UK Ltd) Last issued: 06/05/2016 Issued: 1 maximum 5 allowed Supply: (30) gram APPLY TWICE DAILY
Repeat Perindopril erbumine 2mg tablets Last issued: 01/05/2015 Issued: 3 maximum 6 allowed Supply: (30) tablet 1 TABLET ONCE A DAY
Repeat Omeprazole 20mg gastro-resistant capsules Last issued: 09/03/2020 Issued: 1 maximum 6 allowed Supply: (28) capsule ONE TO BE TAKEN DAILY TO PROTECT STOMACH
Repeat Citalopram 40mg/ml oral drops sugar free maximum 3 allowed Supply: (15) ml TAKE TAKE 4 DAILY DAILY DROPS DAILY
CMS Item ASPIRIN disp tab 75mg Until: 18/12/2012 maximum 3 every 56 days Supply: (168) tablet ONE TO BE TAKEN DAILY TO IMPROVE BLOOD FLOW
CMS Item PARACETAMOL tabs 500mg Until: 18/12/2012 maximum 6 every 28 days Supply: (1320) tablet TWO TO BE TAKEN FOUR TIMES A DAY WHEN REQUIRED FOR PAIN

Indication For Each Drug Checked

2. Identify essential drug therapy (not to be stopped without specialist advice)

Drugs that have essential replacement functions (e.g. levothyroxine) and Drugs to prevent rapid symptomatic decline (e.g. drugs for Parkinson's disease, heart failure). Document any changes using options in Section 3.

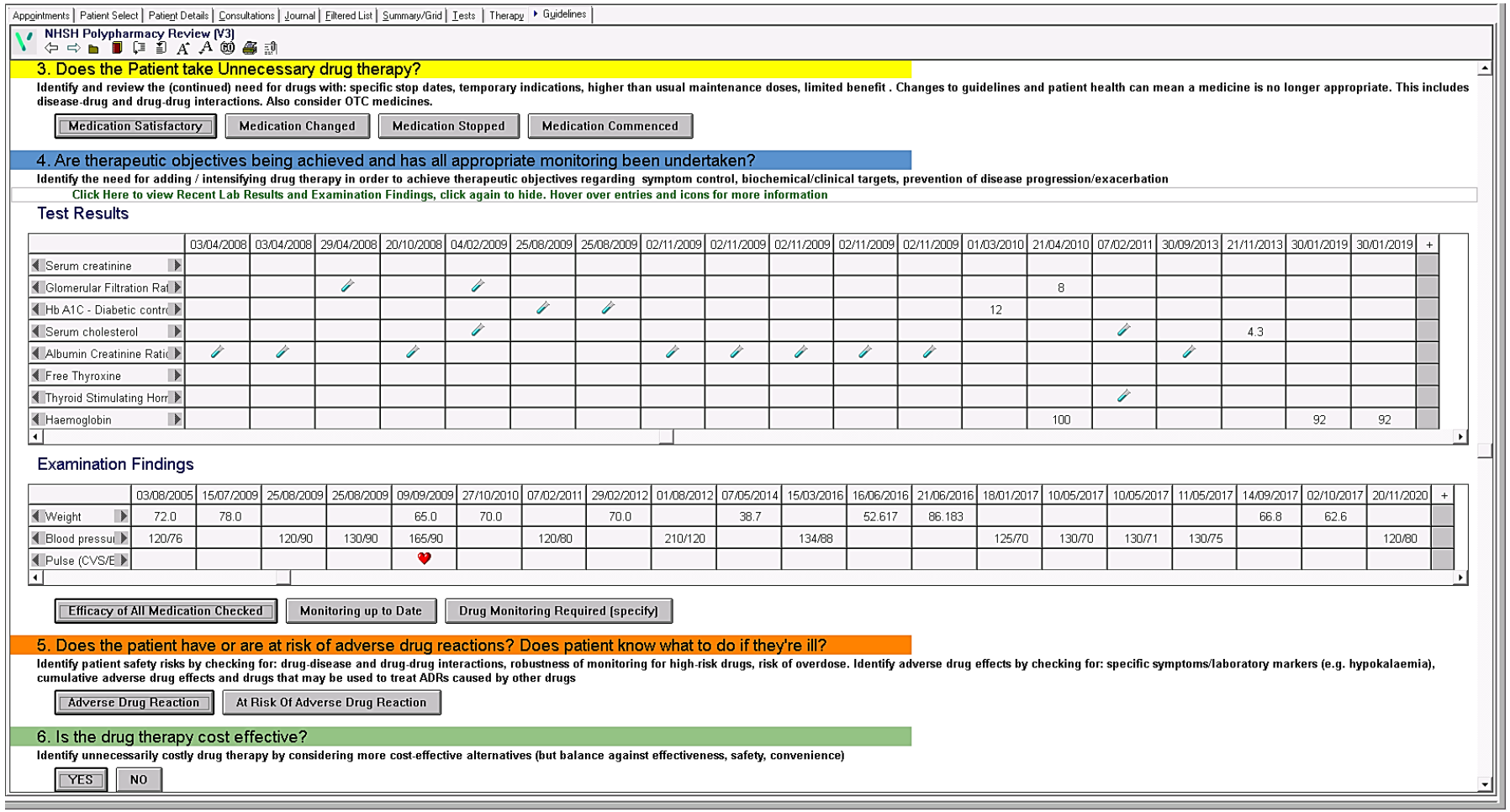
Discuss with expert before stopping	Discuss with expert before altering	
o Diuretics - in LVSD (7)	o Anti-epileptics	o Thyroid hormones
o ACE inhibitors - in LVSD (17)	o Antipsychotics	o Amiodarone
o Steroids	o Mood stabilisers	o Antidiabetics (34)
o Heart rate controlling drugs	o Antidepressants	o Insulin
	o DMARDs	

Specialist Advice

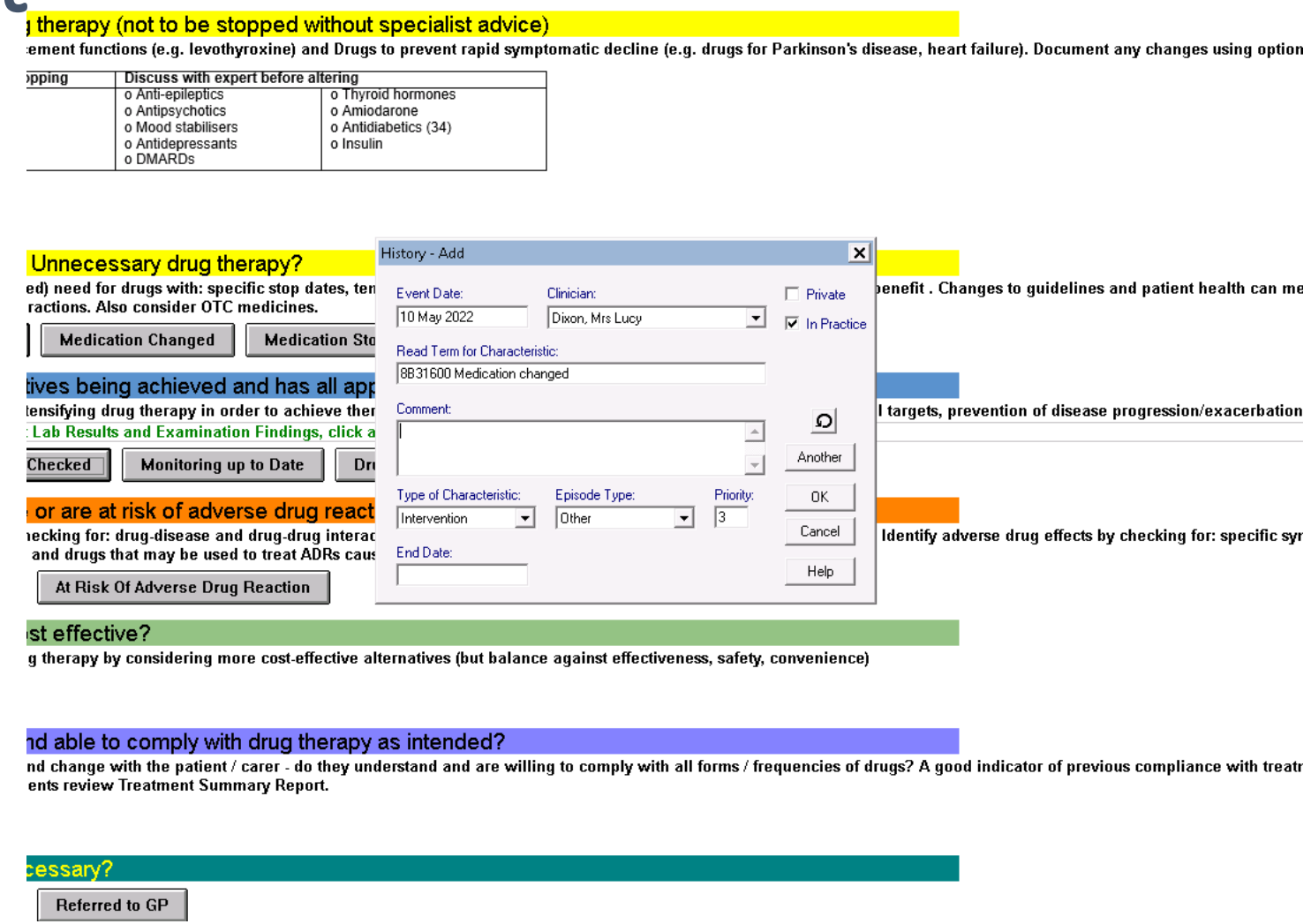
3. Does the Patient take Unnecessary drug therapy?

Identify and review the (continued) need for drugs with: specific stop dates, temporary indications, higher than usual maintenance doses, limited benefit . Changes to guidelines and patient health can mean a medicine is no longer appropriate. This includes

Lab results & examination findings drop down



Medication changes recording pop out



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