

DATA SHEET

Efficiently manage drug shortages

OrbitalRX with Micromedex[®]

OrbitalRX with Micromedex[®] content, combines pharmacy supply chain management with evidence-based drug content. The combined, automated solution brings the power of near real-time situational awareness of drug inventory status, utilization and purchasing options along with evidence-based content to support clinical alternatives considerations.

Drug shortages are significantly affecting pharmacy resources, staffing, budgets, and patient care. Currently, hospitals and health systems are spending valuable time through manual processes, which may lead to significant delays in care. OrbitalRX can help streamline drug shortage management operations across your hospital or health system.

Automate drug shortage management with one solution

One unified solution designed to create a single source for healthcare pharmacy teams to access evidence-based treatment information alongside the hospital's current drug inventory status, while also providing hospital buyers a consolidated view of drug availability across the supplier network.

Inside OrbitalRX

- **Enterprise-wide visibility:** Provides full visibility of drug shortage data across entire health systems, with the power to easily filter data down to individual campuses.
- **All-in-one procurement center:** Reduces the need to engage with multiple procurement vendors through a single, consolidated view of procurement options.
- **Centralized communications center:** Improves communications and mitigation strategies, action follow-through and reporting to key stakeholders.
- **Efficient implementation:** Reduces effort and time to benefit – our team will get your data into the platform and your team trained so you can start using the platform right away.
- **Full shortage management life-cycle administration:** Encompasses all data, steps, and processes within one platform, eliminating the inefficiency of having to interface.
- **Evidence-based clinical content with Micromedex:** Presents drug and indication-specific evidence ratings and evidence summaries to support evaluating clinical alternatives in shortage situations alongside your hospital's drug inventory, purchase history and utilization data.

Key features

- Monitor drug inventory in real-time across the health system and individual sites.
- Track drug location, usage rate, and history.
- Automate medication information from the health system and suppliers.
- Streamline manual processes.
- Efficiently find clinical alternatives for drugs on shortage.

Benefits

Gain efficiency with automation.

Help eliminate the manual work of running reports, analyzing data, and transcribing into spreadsheets and the need to engage with disparate systems.

Make informed purchasing decisions.

Evaluate your hospital's drug inventory, purchase history, and utilization data efficiently to identify and procure alternatives.

Make informed alternative drug decisions.

Use evidence-based drug information to help evaluate evidence ratings and evidence summaries to support the identification of potential clinical alternatives.

Help save on labor and drug costs.

Through the automated procurement solution, save time and money by identifying drug shortage alternates early-on and purchase the appropriate medications from wholesalers.



About Micromedex

Micromedex by Merative is trusted by healthcare professionals in over 80 countries to provide award-winning clinical decision support solutions for drug and disease information and patient education. Micromedex was named Best in KLAS 2023 (clinical decision support: point of care clinical reference), is recognized as a CMS compendium, and has been recognized for its robust editorial process. Learn more at merative.com/micromedex

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