



Avery Healthcare Group
OmniceLL eMAR

OmniceLL's innovative technology improves medication management in care homes

NEXT STEPS
FULL ROLL OUT OF
OMNICELL EMAR
ACROSS ALL AVERY
CARE HOMES



The goals of implementation were to...

- put in place a simple solution to ensure patients received the right medication at the right time
- free up staff time spent on medication management and direct it back into face to face patient care
- deliver a full audit trail of each medication dispensed
- give management teams a clear picture of what was happening in their homes in relation to medication rounds

Avery Healthcare Group has 50 care homes across England with teams of staff dealing with many complex medication regimes and controlled drugs every day.

This resulted in long periods of time being taken up by receiving and administering medication. After looking at a number of eMAR systems, Avery decided to pilot Omnicell eMAR in two of its homes where patients had extensive daily medication regimes. Omnicell eMAR stood out as their preferred solution as it:

- ✓ was user friendly
- ✓ provided a robust audit trail
- ✓ featured a dashboard presenting an oversight of medication rounds within the homes
- ✓ gathers information, provides prompts and accurate instructions for staff
- ✓ gives managers real-time medication administration data at the touch of a button

Making medication administration **safe**  **simple**  **compliant** 



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Benefits realised by introducing OmniceLL eMAR



Checking in of medication reduced from 5 hours per floor to **2 hours per floor**



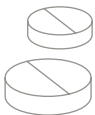
60% reduction on checking in time has now been redirected back into face to face patient care



Simple alert and verification system **minimises risk of medication administration errors** in the home



Each staff member has their **own log-in details** which enables robust auditing



Carried forward feature allows the homes to use up medication from a previous cycle rather than throwing it away helping to tackle medication wastage



Provides **clear audit trail** and accurate information in the event that medication is not administered and gives clear reasons as to why - making CQC inspections easier



Our staff have really embraced the new system and we have had multiple reports detailing just how easy it is to use. Our previous systems always meant there was a risk of human error, but since we've introduced Omnicell eMAR the risk of this has been significantly reduced and our residents' safety has increased.



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