

A Key Priority of the National Hypertension Taskforce: Integrating Data and Systems to Facilitate Team-Based Care¹⁻²

Use Best Practice to Improve BP Management:

01 IDENTIFY PATIENTS

Visit:

servier.com.au/best-practice to access the code to **copy** and **paste** into **SQL Query**.

Click **Utilities** > Search

Paste > **SQL Query** in SQL Query box

Click > **Run Query**

2 different SQL queries are available to identify:

- Patients with hypertension & not at target BP seen in this calendar year (2025) with one or more blood pressure reading >140 mmHg SBP or >90 DBP mmHg
- Patients seen in this calendar year (2025) with one or more blood pressure reading >140 mmHg SBP or >90 DBP mmHg **and** not taking an antihypertensive medication

02 ADD A NEW REMINDER TYPE

Click **Setup** > Configuration > Reminders

Click **Add** > Reminder Reason

Type > Check BP and Review Management

Select **Default Interval** of **1 month**

Click **Save**

03 FLAG PATIENTS ON LISTS

Run the list again from Step 1

Click **File** > Add to Reminders

Choose **Reminder Reason** > Check BP and Review Management

Click **Save**

Each relevant patient should now be flagged with the reminder in the middle of their personal medical record.



Avoid unintentional communication with patients via 3rd party messaging services

• AutoMed Systems Users:

Avoid Steps 2 and 3 as it may trigger text message reminders to patients.

• HotDoc, Bp Comms, Healthengine, GoShare Healthcare Users:

Do not attach template to newly created Reminder. Check system settings and disable reminders/recalls prior to Step 3.

*e.g. for Hot Doc – Go to Recalls > Template Group > Z – ignore (Not Sent via HotDoc) > edit Reasons > select “Check BP and Review Management” > **Save***

For more resources such as HCP education including CPD activities, webinars, podcasts, plus patient resources, visit www.myservier.com.au.

For more information or to report an adverse event contact Medical Information on 1800 153 590. Servier Aust. Burnley, VIC 3121. July 2025. 105189.

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