

# 15.07. Barcode scanning and prescriptions

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If you have turned on barcode scanning for prescriptions (see the [15.09. Barcode scanning preferences](#) page for details) then, when you print out a prescription label, a second label containing a barcode will be printed with it. The label will look something like this:



When you scan this label from the prescription search window (choose *Patient > Show patients* in the menus) with a barcode scanner, it will open the prescription at the *Payment* tab ready for payment to be entered. See the [11.03. Prescription payments and credits](#) page for details on Prescription payments.

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