

IPAC Project – Data collection methods for Pharmacists’ 10 core roles

*For direct patient-related activities the pharmacist should also write in the patients’ progress notes in the ACCHS CIS to ensure clear communication with other members of the ACCHS primary healthcare team.

Core role number	Method of data collection			
	Logbook (pharmacist to enter)	Flagged entry in ACCHS CIS (pharmacist to enter)	GRHANITE DET (not requiring pharmacist input)	Qualitative analysis (to be done by JCU)
1/ Medication Management Reviews	Details for HMRs & Non-HMRs (including outcome of AOU) + follow-up.	‘Non-HMR’	Item 900 claims (HMR). MBS claims related to team based activities.	
2/ Team-based Collaboration	Participation in team meetings, even if not MBS claimable.		MBS claims related to team based activities.	Yes
3/ Medication adherence assessment & support (N-MARS)	Answers to N-MARS survey.	‘N-MARS’		
4/ Medication appropriateness audit (MAI) & Assessment of Underutilisation (AOU)	Answers to MAI & AOU survey for all audited patients, as well as AOU for all HMRs & Non-HMRs.	‘MAI’ only (it will be assumed that the AOU has also been conducted)	Prescribing indices.	
5/ Preventive Health Care	Participation in preventive health care activities – record under Education & Training.		Biometric measures entered or updated in the CIS by the pharmacist for consented patients.	Yes
6/ Drug Utilisation Review	Details of DUR, upload DUR report (template available).			Yes
7/ Education & Training	Record as a discrete ‘event’ when education or training is provided - upload example of educational material provided. Upload evaluation summary report (template available) for group sessions.			Yes
8/ Medicines Information Service	Record as a discrete ‘event’ each time an enquiry is received.			Yes
9/ Medicines Stakeholder Liaison	Upload a single written Medicines Stakeholder Liaison Plan (template available). Record as a discrete ‘event’ each time contact is made with community pharmacy.			Yes
10/ Transitional Care	Record as a discrete ‘event’ each time contact is made with an external agency.			Yes