



Rural Pharmacy Maintenance Allowance (RPMA) Certification Statement

Pharmacy details

Pharmacy approval number

Pharmacy name

Address of approved premises

State/Territory Postcode

Contact telephone number

Renewal *(to ensure your payments continue, return this form no later than **14 May** of the current financial year)*

Over the last allowance year—the above approved pharmacy has been open with a registered pharmacist physically in attendance for at least hours over days per week for at least weeks; **and**

In the next allowance year—the above approved pharmacy will be open with a registered pharmacist physically in attendance for at least hours over days per week for at least weeks of the year.

New applicants *(to be completed and submitted with your RPMA application form)*

In the next allowance year, the above approved pharmacy will be open with a registered pharmacist physically in attendance for at least hours over days per week for at least weeks of the year.

Declaration *(this certification statement must be signed by all owners of the pharmacy)*

- I/we declare that the information provided in this Certification Statement is true and correct. If I am/we are unable to comply with the above hours of operation, I/we will advise Medicare Australia immediately.
- I/we declare that I am/we are the pharmacist/s approved under section 90 of the *National Health Act 1953* in respect of the actively trading community pharmacy described above.

Name (Use BLOCK letters)	Signature	Date

Privacy note: The information provided by you on this form will be used to assess your eligibility for benefits under the RPMA program. The collection of this information is authorised under the *National Health Act 1953* and may be disclosed to the Department of Health and Ageing, the Department of Veterans' Affairs, the Department of Human Services, or as authorised or required by law.

Please complete, sign and return this form to:

Community Pharmacy Agreement Officer
Pharmaceutical Benefits Section
Medicare Australia
GPO Box 9826
ADELAIDE SA 5001