



## Seemingly Valid Medicare Card

This form may be used when:

- you have previously submitted a Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS)/Repatriation Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (RPBS) claim to Medicare Australia for this person and Medicare Australia found that the Medicare (or Repatriation) card details were invalid and issued a 90-day warning or rejected the script; and
- this patient has presented another script and cannot provide any alternative Medicare (or Repatriation) card details.

Before submitting this form, you must be satisfied that:

- there is no reason to believe that the patient identified on the prescription is **not** entitled to receive pharmaceutical benefits; and
- the patient's details as originally submitted appear to be correct.

Please fill out this form, **attach the prescription** and include it with your next claim to Medicare Australia.

In your next claim, use the special number for a **seemingly valid Medicare card 2543 77833 11**.

Pharmacy approval number

Pharmacy phone number ( )

I certify Medicare (or Repatriation) card number

valid to  /

for patient (full name)

date of birth  /  /

address

was sighted on  /  /

by (full name).

Confirmation was obtained from

that the patient does not have another Medicare (or Repatriation) card.

Pharmacist or staff signature

Printed name

Date  /  /

**Privacy note:** The information collected on this form will be used to establish the patient's eligibility to enable payment of a claim under the PBS/RPBS and its collection is authorised under the *National Health Act 1953*. This information will not be disclosed to any other person, agency or organisation.