

## Minfos 4.3.4

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## Welcome to Minfos 4.3.4

This document provides an overview of the enhancements and resolved issues in this Minfos release.

### How to update Minfos

1. At any point in the day, download the latest Minfos software.
  - a. On the Minfos Launch Pad, click the **File** menu, and select **Minfos Net Terminal**.  
The Minfos Net Terminal window is displayed.
  - b. Click the **Connect** menu, and select **1. Internet**. The Online Menu is displayed.
  - c. Check the **1 New Minfos Software** check box, then click **Okay**.
2. When you're finished trading for the day, ensure there are zero connections to your Minfos server.  
Your Minfos software will update automatically, overnight.
3. Check that your Minfos software successfully updated. On the Minfos Launch Pad, click the **Help** menu, then click **About Minfos Software**.  
The About Minfos Software window is displayed and shows your current Minfos version in the **Applications Versions** box.

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# Enhancements

## Dispense

As part of Minfos 4.2.1 and 4.3.1, we made a number of changes to dispense pricing to simplify and rationalise dispense pricing rules.

As part of these changes, the **NHS Minimum Patient Contribution** field was removed. This was because increasing the value in this field could lead to the maximum price to customer being exceeded. For more information on PBS pricing, refer to PBS <http://www.pbs.gov.au/pbs/home>.

However, this field was used for various purposes by a number of pharmacies and has therefore been reinstated as the **PBS Min. Pat. Contrib.** fields for **Ready Prep.** and **Extemp.** pricing on the **Options** window.

The screenshot shows the 'Options' window in Minfos, specifically the 'PBS Pricing' section. The 'PBS Min. Pat. Contrib.' fields for 'Ready Prep.' and 'Extemp.' are highlighted with an orange box. The 'Private Pricing' section is also visible, showing fields for 'Private Disp. Fee', 'Private Min. Pat. Contrib.', and 'S3 Recordable'. The 'Chemo Fees' section shows fields for 'Prep', 'W.S./Dist.', and 'Diluent'. The 'Advanced Details' button is at the bottom left, and 'Okay' and 'Cancel' buttons are at the bottom right.

PBS Pricing		Ready Prep.	Extemp.		
Dispensing Fee		7.02	9.06	Narcotic (S8)	2.95
SN Recording Fee		1.19	1.55	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use max. allowed govt fee	Water Fee 0.61
Allowable Ext. Fee		4.38	4.38	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use max. allowed govt fee	
PBS Min. Pat. Contrib.		0.00	0.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Allow max PBS price to be exceeded	
		Concession	General		
Patient Co-Payment		6.30	38.80		
Co-Payment Discount		1.00	1.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use max. govt discount	
Safety Net Limits		378.00	1494.90		

  

Private Pricing		Ready Prep.	Extemp.		
Private Disp. Fee		6.80	8.80	Narcotic (S8)	14.90
Private Min. Pat. Contrib.		12.95	20.00	Mark Up.	10.00
S3 Recordable		6.80			

  

Chemo Fees					
Prep	83.22	W.S./Dist.	25.92	Diluent	5.14

Advanced Details Okay Cancel

By default, the **PBS Min. Pat. Contrib.** fields are set to 0.00. This means that the current drug pricing rules will apply when dispensing an under-co script. That is, where a set price\* is less than the PBS calculated price, then the price to customer equals the set price.

\*Drug prices can be set in the **Drug Pricing** window in Minfos.

If the **Allow max PBS price to be exceeded** checkbox on the **Options** window is selected, then the fields become enabled and the price can be changed. When this price exceeds the price to customer (as per the above pricing rule) the price to customer equals the value set in the **PBS Min. Pat. Contrib.** field. If this price is greater than the Max PBS Price to customer then the script type should be changed to **5. Private** and will not contribute to the patient's Safety Net.

## Resolved Issues

### Packing - DoseAid

- The PDF pack run file for a DoseAid Export now shows the complete list of patients included in the pack run.