

2015 Edition §170.315(a)(10) Drug Formulary and Preferred Drug List					
Testing Components:					
Gap					
Test Procedure Version 1.1 – Last Updated 10/22/15					

Please consult the Final Rule entitled: *2015 Edition Health Information Technology (Health IT) Certification Criteria, 2015 Edition Base Electronic Health Record (EHR) Definition, and ONC Health IT Certification Program Modifications* for a detailed description of the certification criterion with which these testing steps are associated. We also encourage developers to consult the Certification Companion Guide in tandem with the test procedure as they provide clarifications that may be useful for product development and testing.

Note: The order in which the test steps are listed reflects the sequence of the certification criterion and does not necessarily prescribe the order in which the test should take place.

Required Tests

(a)(10) Drug-formulary and preferred drug list checks - The requirements specified in one of the following paragraphs (that is, paragraphs (a)(10)(i) and (a)(10)(ii) of this section) must be met to satisfy this certification criterion:

(i) Drug formulary checks. Automatically check whether a drug formulary exists for a given patient and medication.
Standard(s): None

Criteria ¶	System Under Test	Test Lab Verification
(i)	The Health IT Module automatically performs a check for a drug formulary for a given patient based on a medication order.	The tester verifies drug formulary information was received automatically for a given patient based on a medication order.

(ii) Preferred drug list checks. Automatically check whether a preferred drug list exists for a given patient and medication.
Standard(s): None

Criteria ¶	System Under Test	Test Lab Verification
(ii)	The Health IT Module automatically performs a check for a preferred drug list for a given patient based on a medication order.	The tester verifies that the preferred drug list information was received automatically for a given patient based on a medication order.

Document History

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Dependencies: For all related and required criteria, please refer to the [Master Table of Related and Required Criteria](#).