

The following are common SIG Codes you may use when completing Data Entry in RxConnect. Multiple SIG Codes and/or free formed text can be linked together using a semi-colon. Also, some of the SIG Codes will automatically include tablet or capsule as part of the directions, depending on the dosage form of the medication.

## General

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
TUD	Take as directed	ES	On empty stomach
UD	As directed	OU	Into both eyes
AN	As needed	OD	Into right eye
PO	By mouth	OS	Into left eye
QD	Every day	AU	Each ear
QOD	Every other day	AD	Right ear
BID	Twice a day	AS	Left ear
TID	3 times a day	EN	Each nostril
QID	4 times a day	PRN	As needed
TIW	Three times a week	PMS	As needed for Muscle Spasm
HS	At bedtime	PAN	As needed for anxiety
Q3	Every 3 hours	PNA	As needed for nausea
Q4	Every 4 hours	PNV	As needed for nausea and vomiting
Q812	Every 8 to 12 hours	PPA	As needed for pain
828	At 8AM, 2PM, and 8PM	PWH	As needed for wheeze
848	At 8AM, 4PM, and 8PM	PAL	As needed for allergy
AM	In the morning	PCN	As needed for congestion
PM	In the evening	PCG	As needed for cough
PCHS	After meals and at bedtime	PDZ	As needed for dizziness
ACHS	Before meals and at bedtime	PCR	As needed for cramps
WFM	With food and milk	PDI	As needed diarrhea
WOJ	With orange juice	PHA	As needed for headache
WBL	With breakfast and lunch	PIT	As needed for itching
WBS	With breakfast and supper	PSP	As needed for severe pain
WM	With meals	AN	As needed
WW	With water	PSL	As needed for sleep
FXD	For 10 days	BP	For blood pressure
UF	Until finished	SOB	For shortness of breath

The general SIG Codes listed above can be used in combination with the following dosing codes:

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
1T	Take 1 tablet	1C	Take 1 capsule
2THS	Take 2 tablets at bedtime	12T	Take 1 to 2 tablets
12TBID	Take 1 to 2 tablets 2 times a day	12T34D	Take 1 to 2 tablets 3 or 4 times a day
12TQ34	Take 1 to 2 tablets every 3 to 4 hours	12TQ8	Take 1 to 2 tablets every 8 hours
.5TQ4PP	Take ½ tablet every 4 hours as needed for pain	.5TQAM	Take ½ tablet every morning
.5TABAL	Take ½ tablet before breakfast and lunch	.5TACHS	Take ½ tablet before meals and at bedtime
1CBIDIF	Take 1 capsule twice a day for Infection	1CBIDNR	Take 1 capsule twice a day for Nerves
C1T	Chew 1 tablet	DIT	Dissolve 1 tablet

## Liquids

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
TVF	Take 1 ML daily	TV2	1 ML daily to age 2
G1D	Give 1 drop	G12D	Give 1 to 2 drops
G4D	Give 4 drops	1DRD	Take 1 dropperful daily
STS	Take 1/2 teaspoonful	1CC	Take 1 CC
1TS	Take 1 teaspoonful	1ML	Take 1 ML
2TS	Take 2 teaspoonsful	.25D	Take ¼ teaspoonful
.66D	Take 2/3 teaspoonful	.75DQID	Take 3/4 teaspoonful 4 times a day
2TSQ68	Take 2 teaspoonsful every 6 to 8 hours	S1TS	Take ½ to 1 teaspoonful
12TSQ46	Take 1 to 2 teaspoonful every 4 to 6 hours	1TB	Take 1 tablespoon
15CC	Take 15 cc	15CC1HPC	Take 15cc 1 hour after meals
12TB	Take 1 to 2 tablespoons	STB	Take ½ tablespoon
SAS	Swish and swallow	12TBQ8	Take 1 to 2 tablespoons every 8 hours
AMOX5	Take 1 teaspoonful 3 times a day for 5 days	AMOX10	Take 1 teaspoonful 3 times a day at 8AM, 2PM, and at

**Creams / Ointments / Patches / Suppositories**

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
APDY	Apply daily	ABID	Apply twice a day
ATID	Apply 3 times a day	AQID	Apply 4 times a day
A1PD	Apply 1 patch daily	APTIDAA	Apply 3 times a day to affected area
AP3-4XDPIT	Apply 3 to 4 times a day as needed for itching	AUD	Apply as directed
APHS	Apply at bedtime	APOUQID	Apply in each eye 4 times a day
APLOUD	Apply locally as directed	ASP	Apply sparingly
AAA	Apply to affected area	AAE	Apply to affected eye
ATR	Apply to rash	A1PD	Apply 1 patch daily
1SPVHS	Insert 1 Suppository vaginally at bedtime	APV	Apply vaginally
1AVHS	Insert 1 applicatorful vaginally at bedtime	1SP	Insert 1 suppository

**Drops (Eye / Ear)**

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
1D	Instill 1 drop	2D	Instill 2 drops
I12D	Instill 1 to 2 drops	IS1GTID	Instill 1 drop 3 times a day
IS1GOUQID	Instill 1 drop in each eye 4 times a day	1GADBID	Put 1 drop in right ear twice a day
1GOUBID	Put 1 drop in each eye twice a day	1GAUBID	Put 1 drop in each ear twice a day

**Inhaler**

Code	Translation	Code	Translation
1P	Take 1 puff	2P	Take 2 puffs
2PFTID	2 puffs 3 times a day	2PQID	2 puffs 4 times a day
2PFQ6	2 puffs every 6 hours	SP2	2 sprays
I1P	Inhale 1 puff	I2P	Inhale 2 Puffs
I12P	Inhale 1 to 2 puffs	I3P	Inhale 3 Puffs

**Medication Specific**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Translation</b>
ADVAIR	INHALE 1 DOSE BY MOUTH TWICE DAILY. RINSE MOUTH AFTER USE
BC21	TAKE 1 TABLET DAILY FOR THE FIRST 21 DAYS OF EACH 28 DAY CYCLE
BC28	TAKE 1 TABLET DAILY FOR 28 DAYS
ESTRO	TAKE 1 TABLET DAILY FOR DAYS 1 THRU 25 OF EACH MONTH
MIACALCIN	INSTILL 1 SPRAY INTO ONE NOSTRIL ONCE DAILY. ALTERNATE NOSTRILS DAILY
MONO	INSERT 1 APPLICATORFUL VAGINALLY AT BEDTIME FOR 7 NIGHTS
NITRO	PLACE 1 TABLET UNDER TONGUE IF NEEDED FOR CHEST PAIN
PEN	TAKE ONE TABLET 4 TIMES A DAY FOR 10 DAYS
PERI	RINSE 1/2 OUNCE TWICE A DAY AFTER BREAKFAST AND AT BEDTIME AFTER BRUSHING AND FLOSSING
PERIDEX	RINSE 15 ML'S TWICE DAILY AFTER BREAKFAST/BEFORE BEDTIME FOLLOWING BRUSHING AND FLOSSING
SPIRIVA	INHALE 1 CAPSULE VIA HANDIHALER ONCE DAILY AT THE SAME TIME EVERY DAY
ZITHRO.5	TAKE 1/2 TEASPOONFUL (2.5ML) BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN 1/4 TEASPOONFUL (1.25ML) DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZITHRO1	TAKE 1 TEASPOONFUL (5ML) BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN 1/2 TEASPOONFUL (2.5ML) DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZITHRO1.5	TAKE 1 1/2 TEASPOONFULS (7.5ML) BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN 3/4 TEASPOONFUL (3.75ML) DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZITHRO2	TAKE 2 TEASPOONFULS (10ML) BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN 1 TEASPOONFUL (5ML) DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZITHRO2.5	TAKE 2 1/2 TEASPOONFULS (12.5ML) BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN 1 1/4 TEASPOONFULS (6.25ML) DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZPAK	TAKE 2 TABLETS BY MOUTH TODAY, THEN TAKE 1 TABLET DAILY FOR 4 DAYS
ZTRIPAK	TAKE 1 TABLET BY MOUTH DAILY FOR 3 DAYS
ZMAX	TAKE 2 GRAMS (60MLS) AS A SINGLE DOSE. CONSUME CONTENTS OF FULL BOTTLE