





A keen eye

How prescriptions are packaged has changed considerably over the last ten years, with automated packaging machines now facilitating the job of pharmacy staff. This way of packaging has also changed the verification process, allowing the person in charge to easily confirm the contents of pouches containing multiple pills. However, verification remains a repetitive task that requires considerable attention and the precious time of pharmacy staff.

Would it not be extraordinary to be able to entrust this very important task to an untiring eye, able to carry out this chore for hours without slackening and without blinking once?

Now, it is possible.

PACVision is a pouch verification tool that is based on an advanced system of tablet recognition. Each pouch, as well as the entirety of its contents, is analyzed by PACVision. In the course of verification, questionable pouches are identified on the screen and may be flagged with a sticker for later checking. Furthermore, all pouches are photographed and the images are saved, making them available for reference at any time.

An advanced technology of great simplicity

PACVision's simplicity and minimal need for interaction reduce the time required by pharmacy staff for verification tasks by up to 75%.

i-Rolly, an included PACVision accessory, eliminates the need to roll strips of packaged medications by hand.

The advantage of an integrated solution

McKesson APS is proud to be the only company that offers a comprehensive, completely automated solution, from packaging of the medication to the patient bedside. It is therefore not surprising that we are the first and only company to offer an integrated verification system.

The PACVision verification software was developed by the same McKesson APS team that developed PACMED's software. The applications are fully compatible allowing for advanced reporting capabilities.

Furthermore, the short installation process, completed by a McKesson APS qualified technician, seamlessly incorporates PACVision with PACMED and, like our other products, PACVision is supported by APS' technical service team.

Four easy steps

With PACVision, the uninterrupted verification of each pouch's contents is accomplished in four easy steps:

Step 1



Roll packaged strips of medications automatically using i-Rolly.

Step 2



Load the i-Rolly spool into PACVision.

Step 3



Press the Start button.

Step 4



Using the verification software, verify any questionable pouches.

PACVision takes less time, making sure the right drug is in the right pouch, with the same focus and attention every time.

Productive	Saves up to 75% of the time normally devoted to verification.
Fast	Verifies the contents of each pouch in less than one second.
Flexible	Checks multi-dose and unit dose pouches in clear/clear, clear/white or white/clear packaging. Reads all barcode types (linear, 2D) regardless of position.
Compact	Performs the verification and audit of 100% of pouches in approx. 7 sq. ft. Width 39" (99 cm); Depth 26.5" (67 cm); Height 70.9" (180 cm).
Safe	Audited verification sessions. Questionable pouches are reported in the verification software and, per user preference, are flagged with a sticker. On-screen verification made possible by comparing colour images of each pouch with a list and colour image of each pill that should be contained therein.
Image library	Preloaded library of Canadian medications, regularly updated by McKesson APS, minimizes users' involvement during implementation.
Technical service and support	Implemented and supported by McKesson APS qualified personnel. Application developed and serviced by McKesson APS.



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