

## Batch letters (manage & write)

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Zedmed's Batch Letter Writer is used when a Dr dictates letter content to provide to the Typist for letter creation. This process is useful for single or multiple letters.

## Typist

- 1. Receive the audio recording then open **Clinical** > select the **Batch Letter** icon.
- 2. Select the **Doctor > New Batch >** the **Write Letters** tab displays.
- 3. Use the Search Criteria options to display patient/s.
- 4. Select patient > Letter Section populates patient data.
- 5. Complete Letter Details > To: (addressee), Subject, Template.
- 6. Select **Write Letter** > letter opens > type letter.
- 7. Close then select Yes to save letter with status ? To Be Reviewed
- 8. Select the next patient for letter writing.
- 9. Optional Email Dr (with patient names once letters are ready for review)

## Doctor

- 1. Open Clinical > Batch Letter.
- 2. On the current Batch > right click > select **Review All Non-Correct Letters** (opens one letter at a time).
- 3. On the displayed letter:

a) Apply edits.

b) Close > select status < Correct then Yes to save.

OR

- a) Create audio file and send to Typist
- b) Close > select status X Needs Correction then Yes to save
- 4. Review the next letter.
- 5. When finished, Exit Review > close Batch Letter.

## Typist / Reception

- 1. Open Clinical > Batch Letter.
- When all letters in a Batch are ready to distribute (status of < Correct) > right click on the Batch title > select Distribute Batch > Review warning message. For single letter: To distribute a single letter > right click the letter > select Distribute Letter.
- 3. Apply settings in the Print/Send dialog.
  - If a recipient is configured for Medical Objects, the letters are distributed electronically.
  - For recipients not configured for Medical Objects you can print or use Secure Send Step 5.
- 4. When all letters are distributed, an option is provided to **Mark the Batch as Complete**. Alternatively, rightclick the batch title > select **Change Batch Status** to **Complete**.
- 5. To send the patient a copy, open the patient clinical record > Summary Views > Documents > Send to Patient.

<u>Status</u>: The distribution status is viewed by right-clicking the Batch > **Batch Distribution Status**.