

# Patient Encounter: Allergy/Reaction

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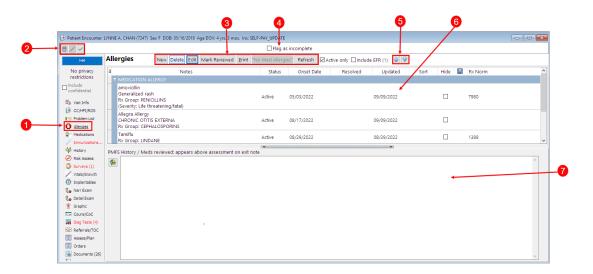
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This window map article points out some of the important aspects of the window you're working with in OP but is not intended to be instructional. To learn about topics related to using this window, see the **Related Articles** section at the bottom of this page.

## **About Patient Encounter: Allergies**

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