

Understanding the EPS R2 Reclaim Schedule

The EPS R2 reclaim schedule determines the time frame during which you can reclaim for a prescription.

You can only <u>reclaim</u> for a prescription between the date at which the original claim was sent and the overall cut-off date for claims, which is on the 5th of month after the month you want your claim to apply for.

Depending on when you reclaim, this means you can have a rather lengthy or very short time frame for reclaim, especially if you do so shortly before the cut-off date for claims altogether. You can send as many reclaims for that prescription as required during that specific time frame.

Reclaim Case Scenario 1

If you send the claim on the 8th of January, this means you have from the 8th of January to the 5th of February before midnight to send a reclaim.

January 2016							February 2016							
				1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29							



Reclaim Case Scenario 2

If you send the claim on the 31st of January, this means you have from the 31st of January to the 5th of February before midnight to send a reclaim.

Janua	January 2016						February 2016							
				1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29							



Reclaim Case Scenario 3

If you send the claim on the 5th of February, this means you <u>only</u> have until the 5th of February before midnight to send a reclaim.

January 2016							February 2016						
				1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29						

You can also find Guidance here: https://psnc.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/Claiming-for-EPS-prescriptions-on-time-factsheet-1.pdf

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