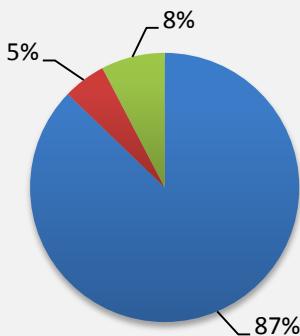


## Proportion of Discharges Completed with RightRx

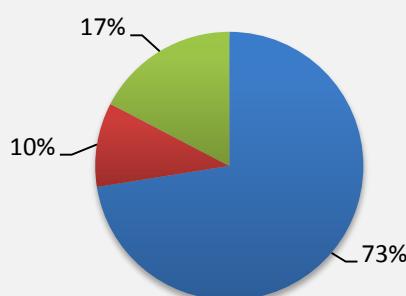
### Internal Medicine (15W, 15E)

Total Number of Discharges



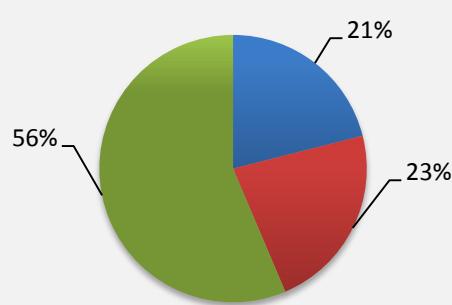
### Cardiac Surgery (S08/D07)

Total Number of Discharges



### General Surgery (18E/W)

Total Number of Discharges



■ Discharges completed with RightRX ■ Some work done with RightRx but not completed ■ Discharges not completed with RightRx

### NEW April 2016: Changes to the discharge prescription – Section “Continue as prior”

This section relates to the medications the patient was taking in the community before hospitalization and that are continued ‘as prior to admission’ on discharge. Those medications now appear on the discharge prescription as information only. This is the new message approved by The Collège des Médecins du Québec and the Ordre des Pharmaciens du Québec that is now printing on the discharge prescription:

« Cette section ne constitue pas une prescription: elle est pour information seulement. Les médicaments suivants étaient déjà prescrits avant l'admission et le patient peut poursuivre ces médicaments tel que prescrit avant son admission à l'hôpital. SVP contacter le dernier prescripteur pour toutes questions relatives à l'utilisation de ces médicaments selon le plan de traitement initial. »

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Médicaments pris avant l'hospitalisation / Medications prior to admission

Last Prescriber

Last Pharmacy

Acetaminophen 325 MG with codeine 30 MG tablet – one tablet qHS

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Glyburide 5 MG tablet

### Medication reconciliation research project at the MUHC

Medication reconciliation is a required organizational practice for patient safety. It requires high levels of communication and collaboration between hospital staff and health professionals in the community. A joint venture between the MUHC, the McGill Clinical and Health Informatics Research Group and the MUHC Research Institute aims to help reach accreditation requirements with the introduction of RightRx. RightRx is a software application that facilitates electronic medication reconciliation and preparation of e-discharge prescriptions with the goal of reducing the risk of adverse drug events and hospital readmissions.

### Why these changes to the discharge prescription are essential to the success of e-Med Rec and the safety of the process:

1. Prevent potential diversion of controlled medications
2. Minimize non-deliberate dose changes
3. Minimize patient confusion
4. Provider autonomy

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