

CREATING A CUSTOM LINK IN MEDICAL DIRECTOR

Medical Director allows you to create a custom link; this is a user defined button that launches a website of your choosing.

The following guide shows how to create a custom link to our website, however, you can create a link to any website you desire.

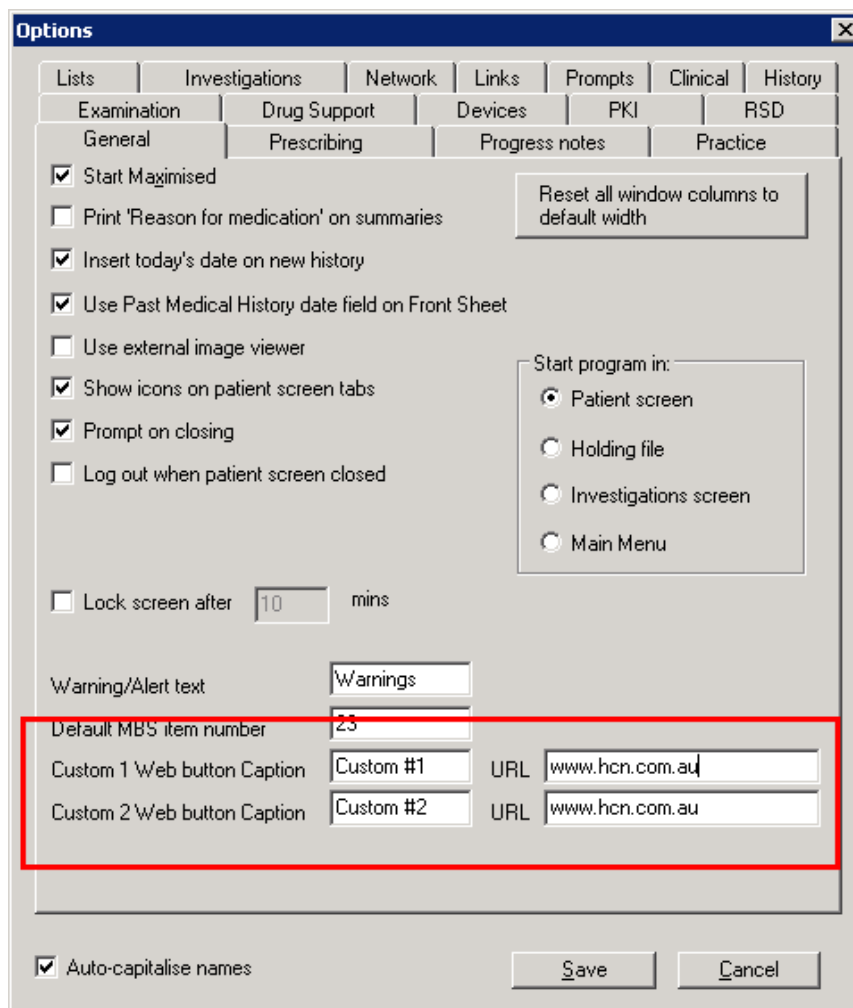
Creating the link is a simple process.

Before starting, you should know the website that you want to link to.

In this demonstration, we will link to: <http://www.scdgp.org.au>

Creating the link

1. Select Tools/Options;
 - You'll see a screen like the one below;
 - We are interested in the section at the bottom, highlighted below.



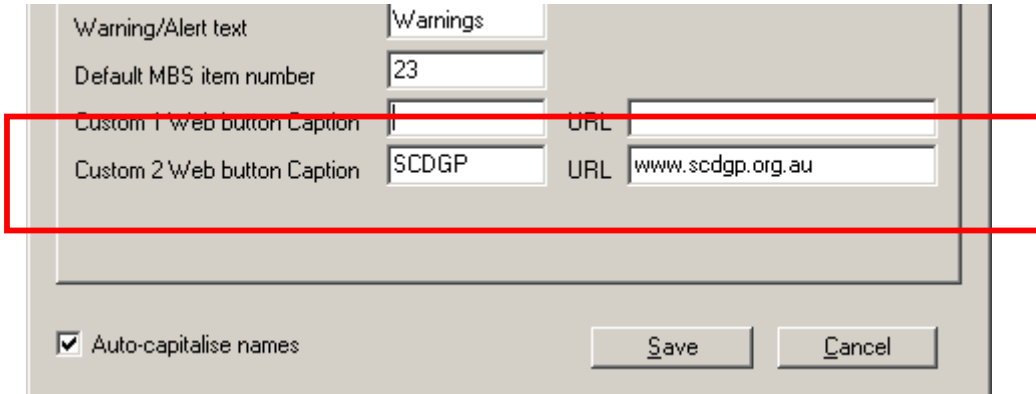
The screenshot shows the 'Options' dialog box with the 'Links' tab selected. The 'Custom 1' and 'Custom 2' sections are highlighted with a red box. The 'Default MBS item number' is set to 23. The 'Custom 1' and 'Custom 2' sections are configured with 'Custom #1' and 'Custom #2' as captions and 'www.hcn.com.au' as URLs.

Section	Field	Value
Default MBS item number	Default MBS item number	23
	Custom 1 Web button Caption	Custom #1
Custom 1	URL	www.hcn.com.au
	Custom 2 Web button Caption	Custom #2
Custom 2	URL	www.hcn.com.au

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2. Give your website a name, and enter it in the first box labelled "Web button Caption";
3. Enter the URL of the website (a URL looks like www.somewhere.com). Enter the URL in the box labelled "URL".

When done your options box should look something like:



Warning/Alert text: Warnings

Default MBS item number: 23

Custom 1 Web button Caption: [] URL: []

Custom 2 Web button Caption: SCDGP URL: www.scdgp.org.au

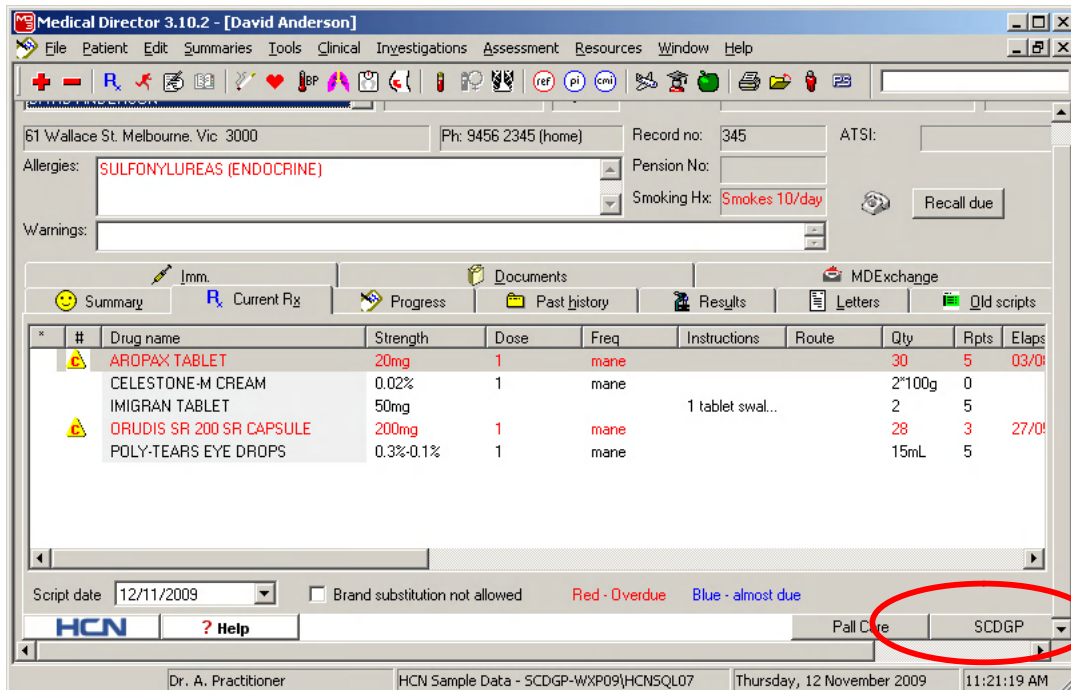
Auto-capitalise names

Save Cancel

Click save and you are done.

The Result

Now, when you open a patient in Medical Director, the Web Button is available, at the button right of the patient screen.



Medical Director 3.10.2 - [David Anderson]

61 Wallace St. Melbourne. Vic 3000 Ph: 9456 2345 (home) Record no: 345 ATSI:

Allergies: SULFONYLUREAS (ENDOCRINE) Pension No:

Warnings: Smoking Hx: Smokes 10/day Recall due

Summary Current Rx Progress Past history Results Letters Qld scripts

#	Drug name	Strength	Dose	Freq	Instructions	Route	Qty	Rpts	Elaps
1	AROPAX TABLET	20mg	1	mane			30	5	03/09
2	CELESTONE-M CREAM	0.02%	1	mane			2*100g	0	
3	IMIGRAN TABLET	50mg	1	mane	1 tablet swal...		2	5	
4	ORUDIS SR 200 SR CAPSULE	200mg	1	mane			28	3	27/09
5	POLY-TEARS EYE DROPS	0.3%-0.1%	1	mane			15mL	5	

Script date: 12/11/2009 Brand substitution not allowed Red - Overdue Blue - almost due

HCN ? Help Pall Care SCDGP

Dr. A. Practitioner HCN Sample Data - SCDGP-WXP09\HCN5QL07 Thursday, 12 November 2009 11:21:19 AM

Our testing shows that the URL must start with www

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