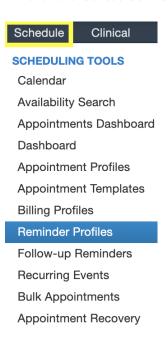
# Editing Reminder Profiles and Appointment Reminders

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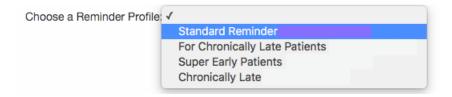
DrChrono allows you to send reminders to patients for their upcoming appointments automatically. If you want to customize the timing and the type of correspondence and/or attach a custom message it is easily done. You can edit reminders at the appointment level or, if you are using reminder profiles, you can edit the profile.

## **Editing Reminders Profiles**

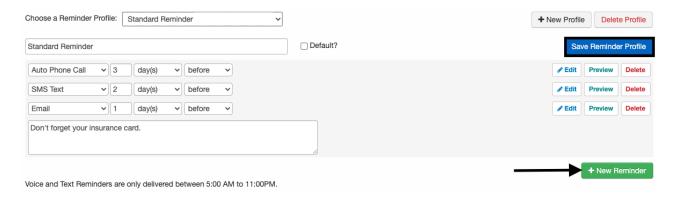
1. Hover over Schedule and select Reminder Profiles.



2. Select the reminder profile you would like to edit from the drop-down menu. If you'd like to learn more about creating Reminder Profiles read our article here.

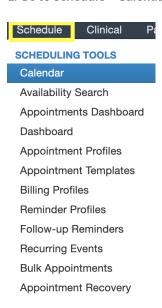


- 2. Selecting the profile will pull up all the reminders associated with this profile.
  - You can add a reminder by clicking +New Reminder.
  - You can change the type (email, text, phone call), length, interval (day, week, minute, hour), or when the reminder goes out (before/after) by selecting the options from the dropdown. In the case of the length, you can enter a new number.
  - You can change the additional text in your email and text reminders by typing in the text field.
  - Click **Delete** to remove a reminder from the profile. Click **Delete Profile** to remove the profile entirely.
  - Click Save Reminder Profile when your changes are complete.

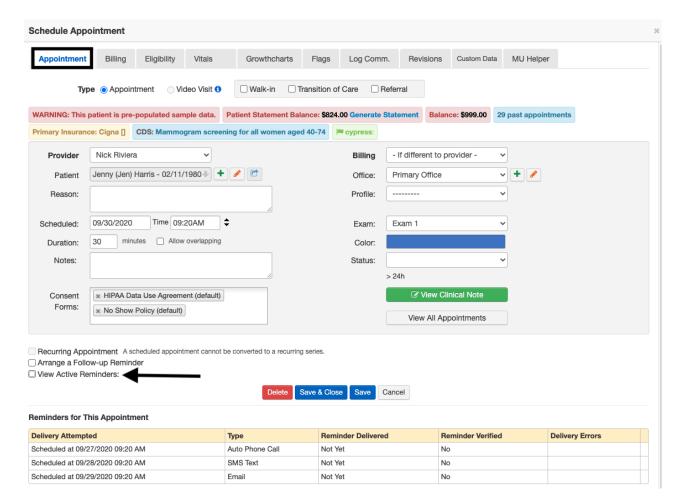


# **Editing Reminders in an Appointment**

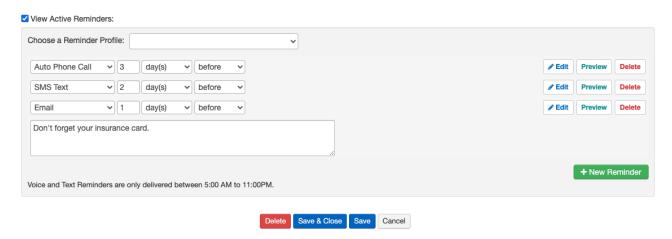
1. Go to Schedule > Calendar.



2. Open an appointment window and select the **Appointment** tab. Check the **View Active Reminders** box.

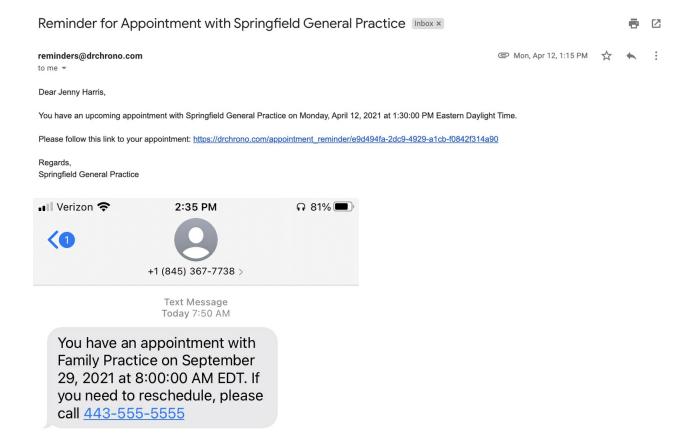


- 2. View Active Reminders will pull up all the reminders associated with the profile.
  - You can add a reminder by clicking +New Reminder.
  - You can change the type (email, text, phone call), length, interval (day, week, minute, hour), or when the reminder goes out (before/after) by selecting the options from the dropdown. In the case of the length, you can enter a new number.
  - You can change the additional text in your email and text reminders by typing in the text field.
  - Click **Delete** to remove a reminder from the appointment.
  - Click Save & Close or Save when your changes are complete.

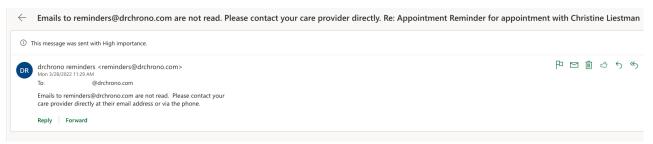


Below are examples of standard email and text reminders.

Note: DrChrono only supports SMS text reminders to US-based numbers and US territories.



**Note:** Reminders are delivered from **reminders@drchrono.com**. This email address can not be customized or changed. If a patient replies to a reminder email they will receive the response below.

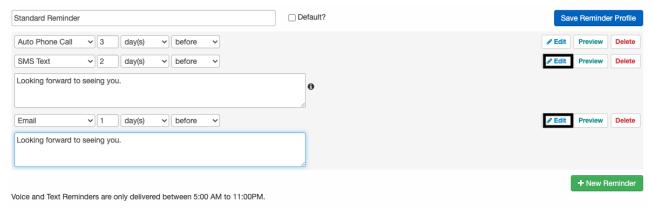


**Additional Note:** United States federal law prohibits sending text messages with content related to cannabis and cannabis products like CBD.

### Adding Additional Messaging to Email and Text Reminders

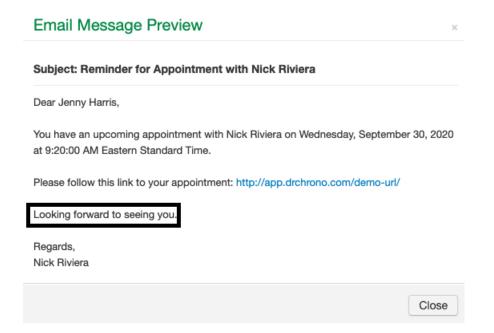
You can add/edit additional information to text and email reminders.

- 1. Click **Edit** next to the email and/or text message reminder.
- 2. Enter the text you would like to add to the email message in the text box.

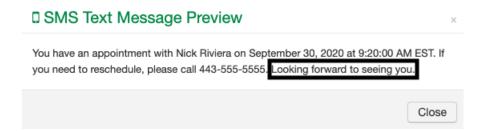


3. Click **Preview** to see what the message will look like.

Email: Text will be inserted between the end of the message and the closing of an email



Text Message: With a text message, additional text will be added to the end of the message.



**Phone Reminders:** You can't change or edit the phone reminder that is sent out. If you send out a phone reminder, here is the message that will be played for the customer:

This is an automated appointment reminder from 'Provider's Name". You have an appointment with "Provider's Name" on "Day, Month, Date, Time". If you need to reschedule your appointment please call "Office Number". Please press 1 to confirm this appointment. Please press 2 if you are not a patient of "Provider's Name". Please press 3 if you would like to be directly connected to the office of "Provider's Name".

Notes on Adding Text to Reminder Emails and Text Messages

Standard text reminders are limited to 140 characters. Customizing your text reminders may cause this limit to be exceeded, resulting in multiple text messages toward your monthly limit.

There is no text limit when adding additional text to email reminders. However, the editor for email reminders uses HTML. This means that if you would like to have your custom message rendered on different lines or in multiple paragraphs, you need to use a little bit of code with **<br/>br>**. Otherwise, the message will be delivered in one paragraph.

#### Example 1: No use of <be>.

Email	<b>v</b> 3	day(s)	<b>∨</b> before	<b>Y</b>	
Looking forward to card. Call the office	0,		member to brin	g your ID and insurance	

Dear Jenny Harris,

You have an upcoming appointment with Springfield Med Office Tuesday, August 25, 2020 at 11:30:00 AM Eastern Daylight Time.

Please follow this link to your appointment: https://drchrono.com/appointment reminder/8fd2399c-2cf2-463a-b983-7b03fae42fda

Looking forward to seeing you. Please remember to bring your ID and insurance card. Call the office with any questions.

#### Example 2: Use of <br/>br> for a new line.

Email	<b>~</b> 7	day(s)	<b>y</b> [before <b>y</b> ]
Looking forward to card. <a href="mailto:chip">Call the or</a>	0.		se remember to bring your ID and insurance ns.

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You have an upcoming appointment with Springfield Med OfficeTuesday, August 25, 2020 at 11:30:00 AM Eastern Daylight Time.

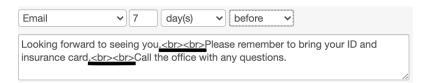
Please follow this link to your appointment: <a href="https://drchrono.com/appointment\_reminder/417f756d-245b-4b83-88a7-3184ce09a451">https://drchrono.com/appointment\_reminder/417f756d-245b-4b83-88a7-3184ce09a451</a>

Looking forward to seeing you.

Please remember to bring your ID and insurance card.

Call the office with any questions.

**Example 3:** Use of **<br/>br>** for a new paragraph.



Dear Jenny Harris,

This is a post-appointment reminder for your scheduled appointment with Medical MD Office on Tuesday, August 25, 2020 at 11:30:00 AM Eastern Daylight Time.

Please follow this link to your appointment: <a href="https://drchrono.com/appointment\_reminder/df869398-690d-4947-b742-5a48c9fc9d58">https://drchrono.com/appointment\_reminder/df869398-690d-4947-b742-5a48c9fc9d58</a>

Looking forward to seeing you.

Please remember to bring your ID and insurance card

Call the office with any questions.