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## **Dragon Medical Practice Edition 2 vs. Dragon Dictate Medical for Mac** By: Justin Parker, Tech Staff



## Top 25 Features of DMPE 2 <u>NOT</u> Found in DDM4M

This resource is intended as a quick-and-dirty list of major and minor features found in Dragon Medical Practice Edition 2 (for the Windows platform), but *not* in its Mac counterpart, Dragon Dictate Medical for Mac.

- 1. Aside from English, also supports several other major languages: German, Spanish, French, Italian, and Dutch.
- 2. Takes full advantage of *all* of the capabilities of the Nuance PowerMic II. Includes an integrated panel for button configuration.
- 3. Supports the Philips SpeechMike Air (LFH3000)—a powerful Bluetooth handheld microphone with programmable buttons.
- 4. Lets you skip training during profile creation.
- 5. Notifies you if you have volume or background noise issues when dictating.
- 6. Includes "Hidden Mode," which allows you to dictate into an invisible Dictation Box and transfer the text while you work in another window.
- 7. Allows corrections via keyboard for profile adaptation.
- 8. Finds all the instances of a search phrase in your document and tags them by number (for easy selection).
- 9. Restores to available backup profiles.

- 10. Handles multiple vocabularies on one profile.
- 11. Includes built-in medical templates.
- 12. Provides extended medical formatting options.
- 13. Allows for variable fields in templates, providing the opportunity to navigate quickly and choose values.
- 14. Lets transcriptionists access dictations without loading a profile.
- 15. Features an option to import/export user profiles.
- 16. Bundled with the Auto-Transcribe Folder Agent for transcription of audio files.
- 17. Runs step-by-step commands, for automating all sorts of sequential tasks.
- 18. Supports networked (roaming) profiles, so that clinicians can move between computers while still using the same profile.
- 19. Complies with Section 508 regulations.
- 20. Checks for a multi-core processor and runs in multiple threads when available.
- 21. Encrypts custom macros (templates, commands, etc.) for privacy and security requirements. User must enable.
- 22. Shares custom vocabularies, words, and commands via the local network (using the Data Distribution Tool).
- 23. Set up to run batch files through NS Admin.
- 24. Engineered to execute Visual Basic scripts. Note that Dragon Dictate Medical for Mac does support AppleScript.
- 25. Installs silently via .msi (as needed).

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