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Dragon's Den: Pitching real-life innovations in EMR queries

Six Ontario teams make their pitches

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Partnering for Quality

Working together to improve health outcomes

Beyond an Electronic Paper File – Optimizing Your EMR

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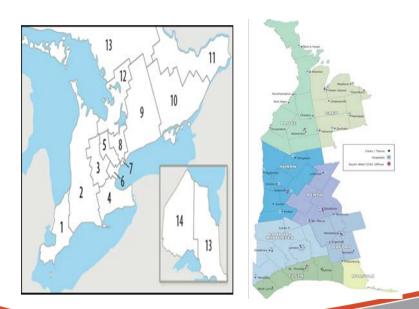
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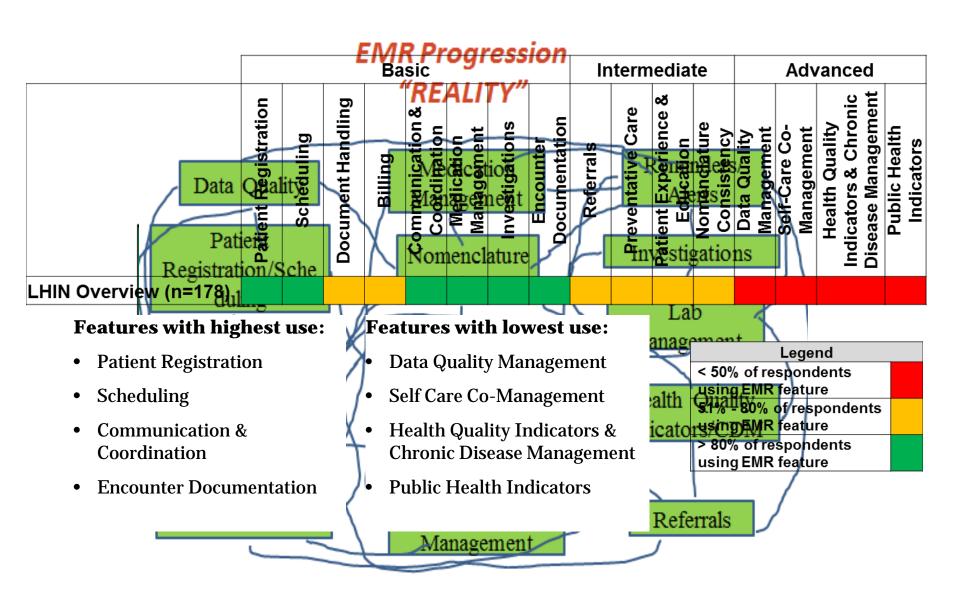
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Partnering for Quality - Who are we?

- Our mandate is to support primary care in optimizing their EMR in order to implement practice changes in chronic disease management.
- Working with over 700 Stakeholders and 335 physicians (in all makes/models of primary care CHC, NPLC, FHT, FHO, Solo Practices)



What problem does this solution address?



The Solution

Dwhybother: TANDARDIZATION

Critical to ensure the right decisions are being made with the right data located in the right place at the right time

- Accessing point of care patient information
- Reducing clinical workflow duplication
- Optimized use of the right forms, templates or stamps
- Patient recalls at the right time
- Population Health
- Engagement in Health Links
- Etc.

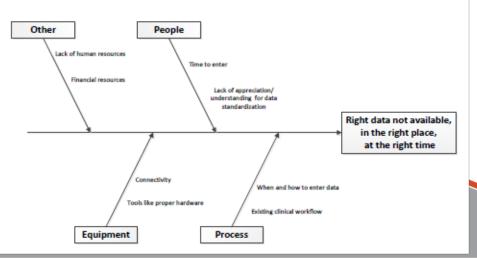
Data Standardization Tools...

ICD o	odes: Problem List	Fam	ily Hx
70	Viral Hepatitis (Acute)	429	CVD
249	Pre-Diabetes (HbA1C between 6-7)	Infec	tious Alerts (Alerts Captured in Demographics)
250	Diabetes Mellitus		HIV
272	Hypercholesterolism	1	Hepatitis B or C
290	Dementia	1	MRSA
296	Bipolar Depression	1	TB, VRE positive patients
300	Anxiety	Influ	enza Tracking Codes (Billing)
303	Alcoholism	G590	Active Immunization with a Visit
304	Drug Dependence		Active Immunization without a Visit (sole reason for visit)
305	Smoking	lmmu	nization Tracking Codes (Billing)
309	Acute Situational Crisis	G840	Quadracel: Quadrivalent vaccine (DTaP-IPV)
311	Depression	G841	Pedicel: Pentavalent vaccine (DTaTIPV-Hib)
314	ADHD	G842	Hepatitis B vaccine
401	Hypertension	G843	HPV vaccine
428	CHF	G844	Menjugate (Conjugate meningococcal C vaccine)
436	Stroke (CVA)	G845	MMR vaccine
491	COPD	G846	Prevnar / Pneumovax (Conjugate pneumococcal vaccine)
493	Asthma	G847	Adacel (TdaP vaccine)
571	Cirrhosis of the Liver	G848	Chicken Pox (Varicella vaccine)
573	Other Liver Disease	lmm	unizations (in Patient's CPP)
585	Chronic Renal Failure		Tetanus
733	Osteoporosis	Preve	entative Care Tracking Codes (Billing)
896	Immunization	O130	Influenza Vaccine TRACKING CODE for Patients Age 65 and Over - out
897	Economic Problems	QI30	of office
898	Marital Difficulties	Q011	Pap Smear TRACKING CODE for Patients Between Age 35 and 70
901	Family Disruption/Divorce	Q140	Pap Smear EXCLUSION CODE for Patients Between Age 35 and 70
902	Educational Problems	Q131	Mammogram TRACKING CODE for Patients Between Age 50 and 70
905	Occupational Problems	Q141	Mammogram EXCLUSION CODE for Patients Between Age 50 and 70
906	Legal Problems	Q132	Immunizations TRACKING CODE for Patients Age 2 and Under
Socia	l History	0133	Colorectal Screening TRACKING CODE for Patients Between Age 50 and
	ACP/ACD		74
	Alcohol	0142	Colorectal Screening EXCLUSION CODE for Patients Between age 50
	non-drinker (tick box)		and 74
	Contraception	Proce	edures & Preventative Care
	Disability: WSIB/ODSP/CPP (dropdowns)	1	Pap Smear. : System
	DNR	1	Exclude Pap Smear : System
	Driving Status	1	Mammogram : System
	Drugs	1	Exclude Mammogram : System
	EDITH	1	Colonoscopy : System
	Employment	1	FOBT : System
	Family: list members	1	Exclude FOBT : System
	Hobby	1	spirometry : Diagnostic Testing *
	Marita I Status	1	ECG: Diagnostic Testing *
	Narcotic Agreement	1	Echocardiogram : Diagnostic Testing *
	Tobacco (current/ex-smokers: dropdowns)	1	PHQ-9 : Screening
	non-smoker (tick box)	1	PPS : Screening
		1	Cognitive Screen : Screening
		1	Thoracic Screen : Screening
			BMD : Screening
		varia	tions in Diagnostic Testing (i.e. diagnostic test, diagnositic testing)

Implementing the Solution:

- It's not just about a tool it's about empowering clinicians/teams
- It's using simple quality improvement methodology to get to the root cause (change management)
- Need to actualize the benefits to clinicians at every level (\$\$; patient care; quality focus, Professional College requirements)

Possible reasons for 'Right data not available in the right place at the right time'



Sustainability: Keeping things on track

- Commitment from leadership and of staff to keep the work going
- Understanding of tools that need to be in place for data integrity sustainability
- **Training**/learning to enhance skill level
- **Feedback mechanism** how will you know if things stay on track if you don't monitor.

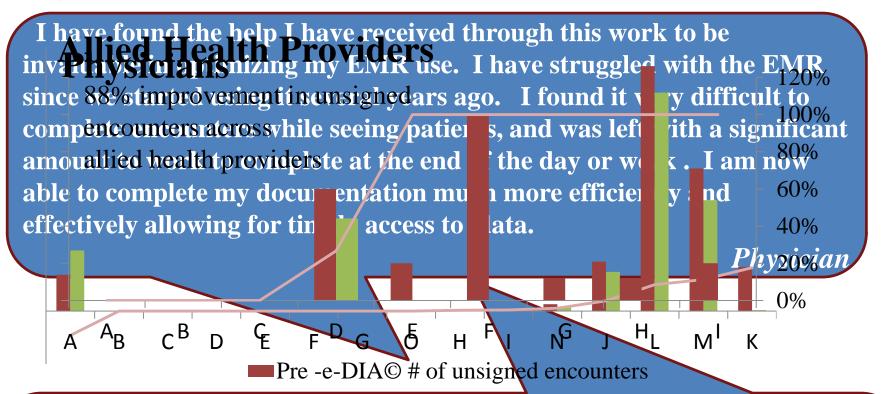
How does solution make a difference to patients?

- Accurate and reliable data in the right place at the right time (at point of care and to retrieve data)
- Clinicians understand how their data entry impacts patient care and entire team
- **Improved screening** due to real time data vs. retrospective data
- **Increased organized care** information in the right spot minimizes searches

I have found the help I have received through the DSP project to be invaluable in optimizing my EMR use. I am now able to complete my documentation much more efficiently and effectively allowing for timely access to data.

- Physician

The Outcome



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Physician

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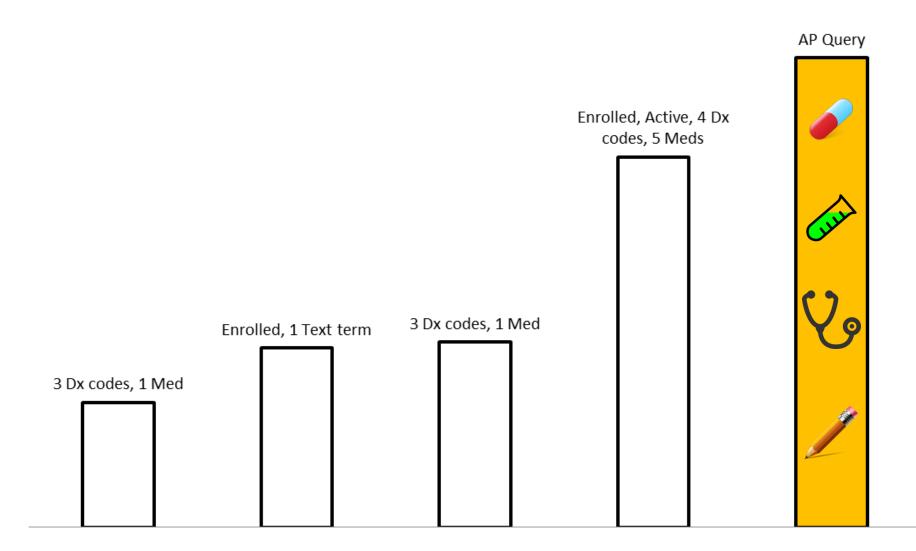
Optimizing EMRs to Accurately Identify COPD and other Chronic Disease Patients

Sara Dalo, Thiv Paramsothy and Brice Wong October 29, 2015

Key Messages

- 1. Improve collaboration
- 2. Access to clinical data & consistent searches
- 3. Easy and early identification
- 4. Improve patient outcomes
- 5. Reduce costs to healthcare system

Comprehensiveness



AP Methodology

Step 1

Identify priority conditions

Step 2

Leverage existing case definitions



Step 3

Collaborate with experts



Step 4

Test searches



Step 5

Revise searches



Step 6

Search retrieval



Step 7

Validation



Step 8

Extract reliable and meaningful data from EMR

Sustainability

- Running query
- Facilitate conversation & collaboration
- Review the list
- QI and QIP Committees
- Use the data to improve data quality
- Recruit champion
- Reinforcing consistency improves flow

EMRs Involved



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USING EMR DATA TO TRANSFORM PATIENT CARE

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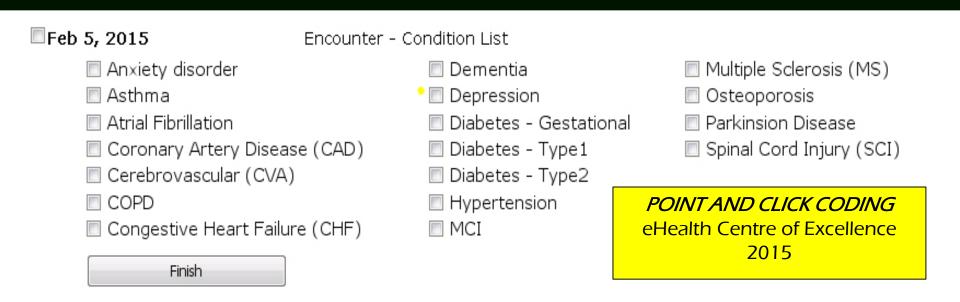
NOT TOO LONG AGO, IN SOUTH WEST ONTARIO

IT IS A PERIOD OF GREAT EHEALTH
ADVANCEMENT IN PRIMARY CARE.
THE MAJORITY OF PRIMARY CARE
PRACTITIONERS HAVE ADOPTED AN EMR.
BUT – THERE IS A GREAT DISPARITY IN THE
LEVEL OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT,
AND PATIENT CARE OPPORTUNITIES

ARE BEING MISSED...

STAGE 1 - TWO FHTS

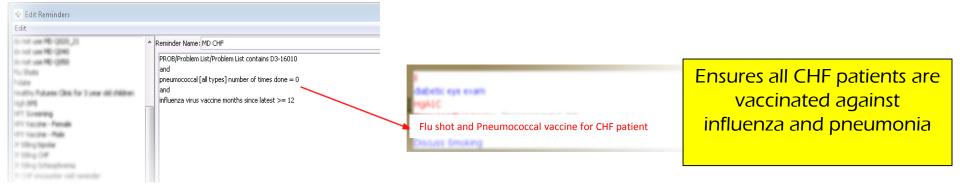
- * EMR data standardization of 40, 000 patient records
- * Training, tools and support for on-going data standardization by clinicians at the point of care
- Environmental scan of primary care clinicians, and literature scoping review of 40 articles to inform on data standardization best practices



STAGE 1 - TWO FHTS

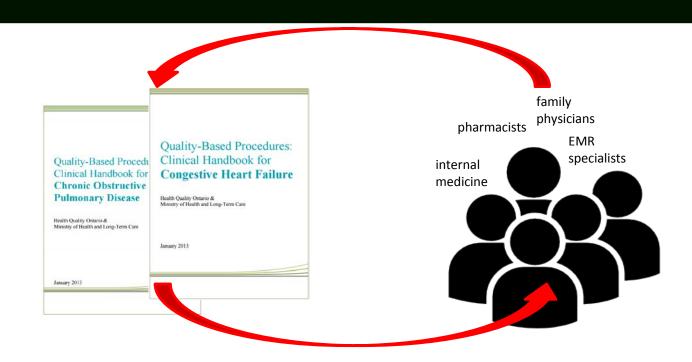
* Implementation of automated best practice care reminders, based on standardization data





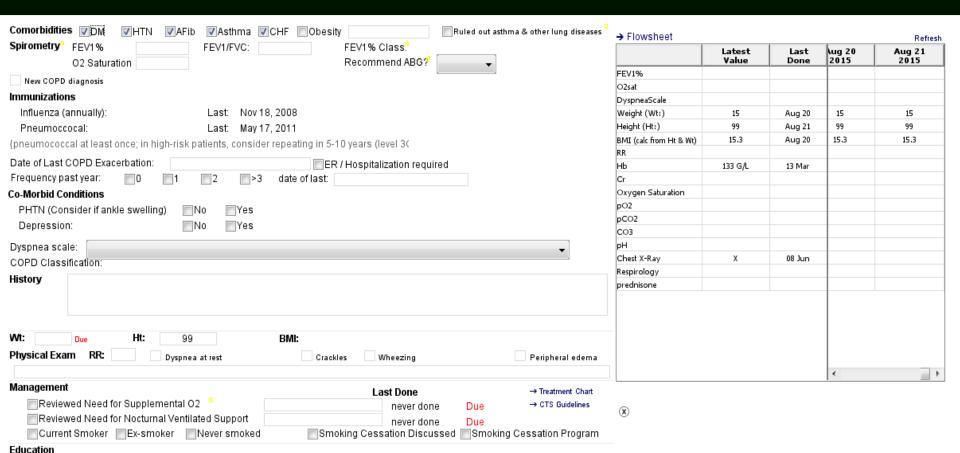
STAGE 2 – TWO FHTS, TWO FHOS, 1 CHC, 1 NP CLINIC

- * Implementing CDPM standardization across the WWLHIN
- * Chronic disease patient searches for Telus PSS EMR and Data Miner for Nightingale EMR
- * CDPM EMR Templates and indicators



STAGE 2 – TWO FHTS, TWO FHOS, 1 CHC, 1 NP CLINIC

- * Templates developed with input from clinical experts
- * Ensures best practice patient care and capture of clinical indicators in a searchable format



RESULTS



109%
Increase in creatinine tests



82%
Decrease in unvaccinated CHF patients



91 Clinicians using standard CDPM templates



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Options for
Primary Care to
pursue
EMR value

MODEL OPTIONS

BASIC

Chronic disease search algorithms Improved basic report generation Improved EMR functionality Standard chronic disease templates

Resources: Data Analyst, Technical Lead , Change Management Lead

INTERMEDIATE

Historical data standardization

Workflow analysis and changes integrated into organizational processes

Improved organizational processes including advanced searches and billing efficiencies

Improved intra/interorganizational referrals for CDPM

Resources: Basic + Project Management

ADVANCED

Links to clinical guidelines and proactive CDPM (interventions)

Dashboard for performance improvement, development and QIP

Communications interface, referral specific tools.

Resources: Basic & Intermediate + Health Education Lead, Decision Support/Health Informatics Specialist

Leveraging Convergence of Healthcare
Delivery, Business Dynamics, and Technology
Advancements to Advance Collection and
Utilization of Meaningful COPD Patient Data

Dr. Greg Armstrong
Dr. Doug Kavanagh
Stephen Graper

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Dr. Doug Kavanagh	Medical Director and Co-Founder, CognisantMD Inc. (Ocean provider) - shareholder	
Stephen Graper	President and Founder, Healthcare Together Ltd - shareholder	

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 - * The Ocean platform, developed by CognisantMD will be discussed in this program.

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* Dr. Greg Armstrong, Couchiching Family Health Team lead physician will be presenting the results of the program.

Ocean Platform





PHIPA Compliance

EMR Integration

Secure data



SG/Ocn

Changing smoking status from 'never smoked' to 'smoker - 30-40 cigarettes/day'.

Consent @EmailConsentLongForm: Granted - The patient provides informed consent to communicate clinical information using email.

The email address to use is: steve.graper1@gmail.com

CFHT Email Confirmation

Steve.graper1@gmail.com

Smoking Screen: Your Smoking Status

Currently smoking. Cigarettes/day: 30-40

How soon after you wake up do you smoke your first cigarette? 5-30 minutes

Urged patient to quit. Smoking cessation counseling provided according to the "5 A's" protocol. Bill E079 code if eligible; book follow up appt for smoking cessation.

The patient is interested in participating in the smoking cessation program. Provide a copy of the Smoking Cessation Program Invite or email information if email consent given

Canadian Lung Health Test

Do you cough regularly? "Yes"

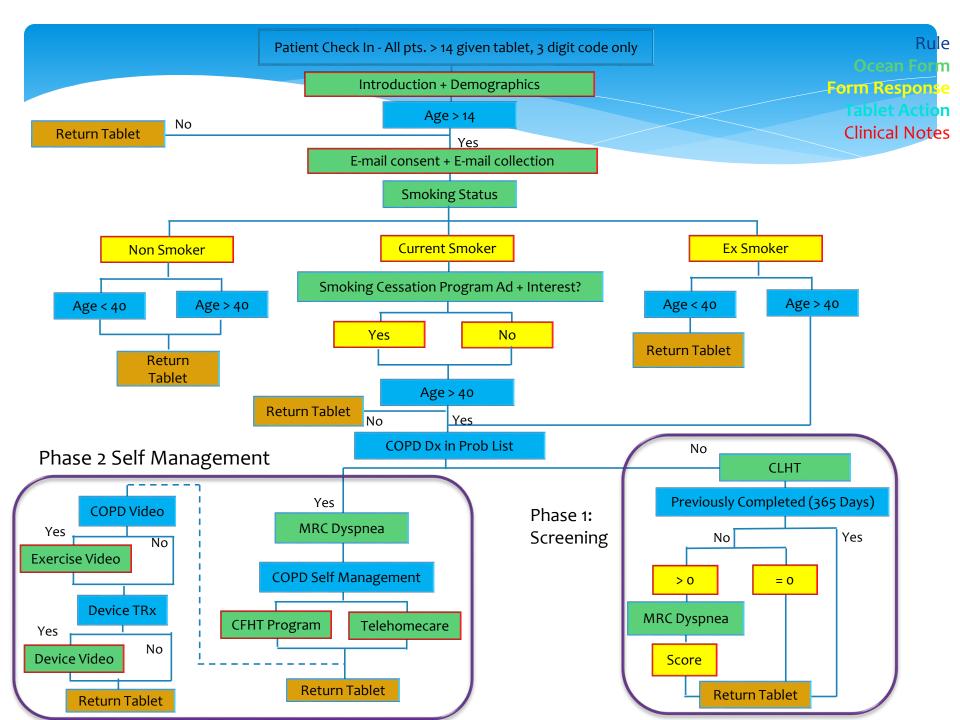
Do you cough up phlegm regularly? "Yes"

@CLHT: 2

Positive screen: spirometry indicated to screen for COPD

MRC Dyspnea Scale @MRC: 4

(Stops for breath after walking 100 yards)



Solutions

* Family Physician:

- * Saves time documenting in EMR, providing more time to interact with patients
- * More robust EMR with opportunity to increase E079 billing code utilization

* Administrative Support:

- Saves time checking/collecting demographics
- Eliminate time required to print and scan documents into EMR

* Patients:

- * Increased satisfaction with healthcare
- * Increased comfort when dealing with "hard topics"

Team-Based Implementation

*** FHT:**

* Time on behalf of committee dedicated to a transparent, process driven implementation based on specific, agreed upon objectives

* Resources and Partnerships:

* Tablets, Ocean license, technical support, training support

* Budget:

Cost considerations – tablet, monthly tablet license fee (\$50), training & technology support varies depending on capacity

Sustainability

* Time:

 Administrative/operational investment low, tablets automate many time consuming tasks

* Capacity:

Follow through on results is required for this initiative to be successful

* Change Management:

Integration of new patient engagement process for all staff involved

* Budget:

Cost neutral or revenue generator by leveraging platform

Patient Satisfaction

- * Engagement
- Early identification
- * Comfort when answering difficult questions
- * Increased time with physician
- * Information on FHT programs, health education videos, and handouts
- * Increased self-efficacy

Reported Results

 Time savings in > 90% of patient cases **Time Savings** Less time spent on demographic reconciliation and data entry More time spent interacting with patients and less time Improved Interactions typing in EMR Better Documentation Uncovered previously undisclosed patient concerns and & Improved Adherence red flags to Clinical Guidelines Positive Patient Overwhelmingly positive patient feedback; 91% average Feedback patient score on the System Usability Scale

Questions?





Data Tracking: Creating Your Own Path using OSCAR EMR

Burlington Family Health Team

Presented by Melonie Mawhiney, Caitlin Grzeslo,

& Urslin Fevrier-Thomas

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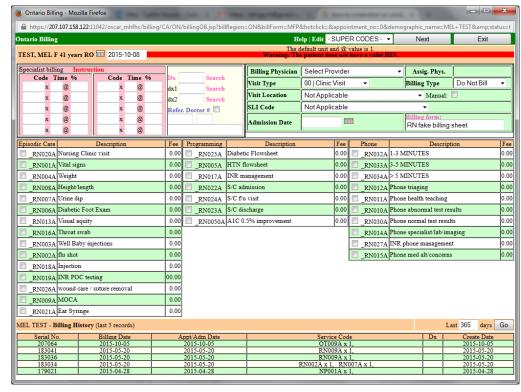
What is the problem we're trying to solve?

Workload Management and Data Tracking using OSCAR

- * Helps IHP's track quarterly stats through EMR (as work happens!)
- Helps program committees track QI measures
- * Helps to collect baseline data for programs or future clinic needs
- Helps admin track staff workload and time utilization
- Helps ED collect for Ministry reports
- Assessing the efficiency and sustainability of programs and resources

What does it take to implement?

- * Time deciding on codes, entering codes, staff training for how to use codes (follow "how-to"), data collection
- * Skills administration privileges... awareness and understanding of EMR (eg. Where to enter new codes)



RN Billing Sheet

What does it take to sustain and how does it impact patients?

* Sustain:

- * Updating codes as program needs change QI measures are adjusted, workload changes
- * Staff compliance

* Impact:

* Indirect impact through program planning and development eg. DM Management, INR

WILD CARD

No more chasing, no more books, no more ED's dirty looks!!!

Thank you!

* Questions?!?!

Leading Edge Custom Queries and their Applications Across Ontario

Hope Latam, QIDS Specialist

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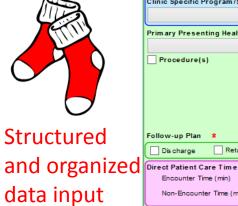
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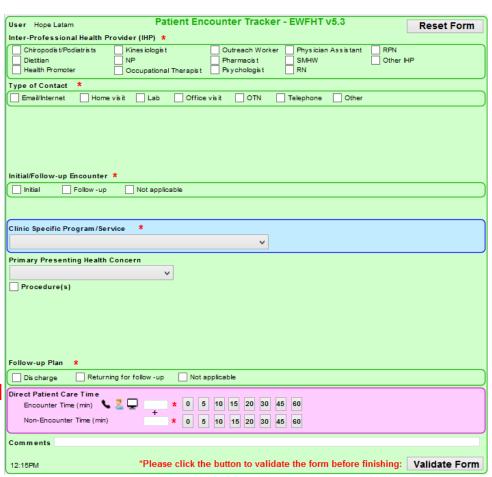
Custom Forms

Entering data in PS:

- Free text
- Stamps
- Encounter Assistants
- Custom Forms

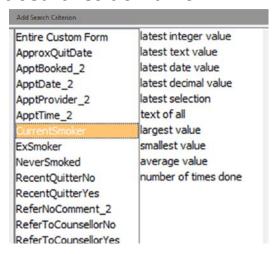




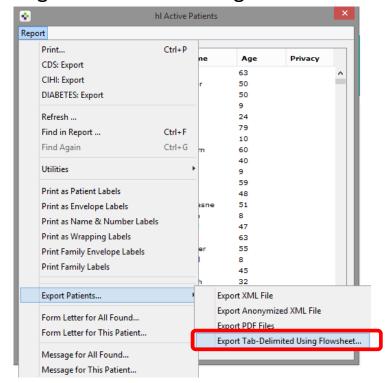


Extracting Data from Custom Forms

Basic searches don't work...

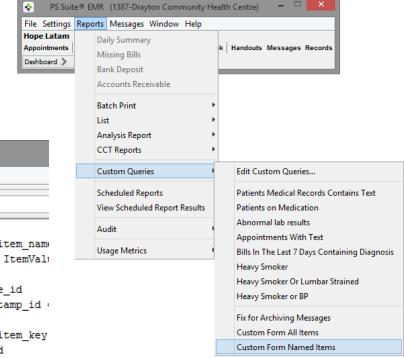


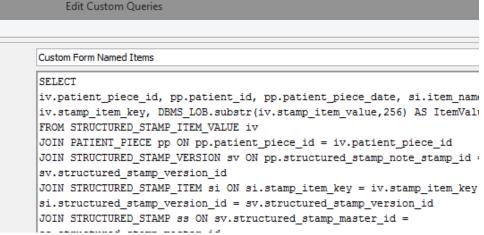
Tried exporting search results using flowsheets...



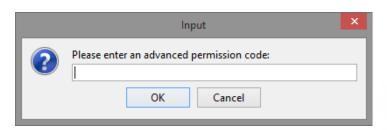
Custom Queries

Worked with TELUS and Cognisant MD to develop a set of custom queries





Deployment



Edit Custom Queries

Custom Form Named Items

SELECT

iv.patient_piece_id, pp.patient_id, pp.patient_piece_date, si.item_nam
iv.stamp_item_key, DBMS_LOB.substr(iv.stamp_item_value,256) AS ItemVal
FROM STRUCTURED STAMP ITEM VALUE iv

JOIN PATIENT_PIECE pp ON pp.patient_piece_id = iv.patient_piece_id

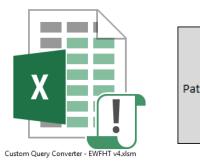
JOIN STRUCTURED_STAMP_VERSION sv ON pp.structured_stamp_note_stamp_id

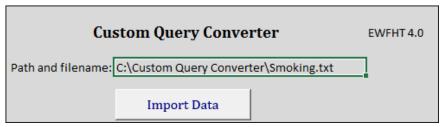
sv.structured_stamp_version_id

JOIN STRUCTURED_STAMP_ITEM si ON si.stamp_item_key = iv.stamp_item_key si.structured_stamp_version_id = sv.structured_stamp_version_id JOIN STRUCTURED_STAMP ss ON sv.structured_stamp_master_id =



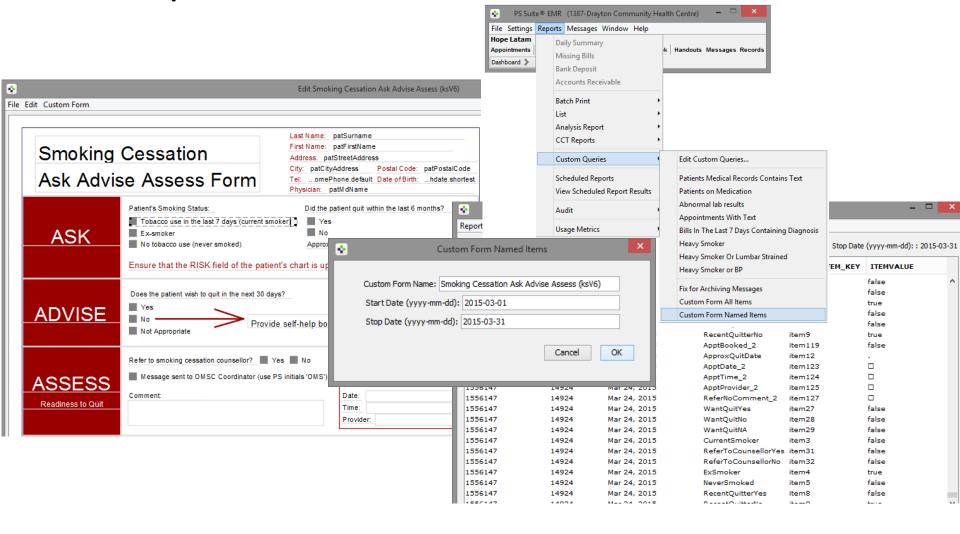
Custom Query Converter





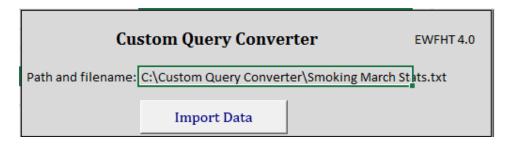
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2	Form 1	123	1-Apr-15	TRUE	FALSE	TRUE	1-May-15
3	Form 2	345	20-Apr-15	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	1-Jan-14
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Example



Example





	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J
1	PATIENT_PIECE_ID 🔄	PATIENT_ID 🔻	PATIENT_PIECE_DATE	CurrentSmoker 💌	ExSmoker 🔻	NeverSmoked 🔻	WantQuitYes 🔻	WantQuitNo 🔻	WantQuitNA 🔻	ReferToCounsellorYes 🔻
2	1534419	20802	2-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
3	1534767	6815	2-Mar-15	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
4	1534946	26075	2-Mar-15	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
5	1535228	11417	2-Mar-15	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
6	1535859	1803	3-Mar-15	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
7	1535882	4857	3-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
8	1536030	17002	3-Mar-15	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
9	1536381	15173	3-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
10	1536382	28844	3-Mar-15	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
11	1536601	8385	3-Mar-15	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
12	1536645	27951	3-Mar-15	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
13	1536777	21605	3-Mar-15	FALSE	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
14	1536787	20477	3-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE

Example

	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	1	J
1	PATIENT_PIECE_ID 🔻	PATIENT_ID 🔻	PATIENT_PIECE_DATE	CurrentSmoker	ExSmoker 🔻	NeverSmoked 🔻	WantQuitYes ▼	WantQuitNo 🔻	WantQuitNA ▼	ReferToCounsellorYes
7	1535882	4857	3-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE
9	1536381	15173	3-Mar-15	TRUE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE	TRUE
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Success Stories

Prior to the Custom Query, I would spend hours creating searches in the EMR. This was very time consuming and I was not always confident in the accuracy of these searches. With the Custom Query, I can enter the name of the custom form and exact date range I want to search. Within seconds I have all of the data fields extracted and ready to be analyzed. The Custom Query Converter is like the cherry on top! It takes out all the manual work of sorting the columns, which allows for the data to be analyzed even faster. All of our custom form searching needs can be accomplished using this handy tool. I am very grateful to be able to have the Custom Query in our EMR and be able to provide my team with true, relevant data.

-Desiree Leslie, New Vision FHT

Success Stories

Thank you EWFHT for developing the custom queries and the excel converter! We have just recently completed our quarter 4 IHP stats and used these new tools quite extensively. Previously, it would take the better part of a week to tabulate quarterly IHP stats but with the help of these queries and some custom form development we have managed to reduce the time to just a few hours. AMAZING!

-Joe Szeplaki, Garden City FHT



