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FetaLink Workflows - Cheat Sheet

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What: Workflows for FetaLink, as listed below, should be followed when charting in Cerner.

Why: This adds consistency, accuracy and efficiency to system-wide charting.

Associate Monitor

Log-in to FetaLink

- **1.** Select the room where the patient is being monitored.
- 2. Scan the patient's wrist band.
- 3. Scan the monitor.
- **4.** Click the Apply button.

Associate Monitor Manually (scanner broken)

From Census View

- **1.** Select the room where the patient is being monitored.
- 2. Click the Monitor Association Icon
- 3. Click the Patient Search Icon
- **4.** Enter the patient criteria (*i.e.*, *FIN*,*LN*, *FN*, *DOB*)

NOTE: FIN is the suggested search criteria to select the correct encounter.

5. Click the Apply button.

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NOTE: An encounter will need to be selected from the Census view unless the patient search included the FIN.

Reason for Monitoring

From the Census Screen

- 1. Single-click in the Reason for Monitoring column associated with your patient.
 - The Reason for Monitoring dialog box will display.
- 2. Enter the Reason for Monitory
 - a. Use the Quick Pick options or
 - **b.** The free-text field.
- **3.** Click the Sign button.

Annotate Strip

From the Patient's Tracing

- **1. Double-click** in the tracing at the time you wish to annotate.
- **2.** Enter the annotation
 - **a.** Use the Quick Pick options or
 - **b.** Type your note in the annotation box.
- **3.** Click the Sign button.

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Transfer Patient Room

From the Census View

- 1. From Census View, click the room you wish to move the patient to.
- 2. The transfer patient window opens. Scan the wristband.
- 3. Scan the monitor

Finalize Strip

From the Census View

- 1. Select Patient to Open strip.
- 2. Click the Finalize button. Finalize



- 3. Enter a Reason for Monitoring from the quick pick or free text.
- 4. Leave the Send PDF box UNCHECKED (unless requested by physician).
- **5.** Click Yes to finalize. The patient will disappear from the Census.

Find an Archived Strip for **Previous Patient**

From Census View

- 1. Click on Archive Search Icon
- 2. Click Patient Search
- 3. Search by entering patient details (name/dob, etc)
- Select Patient from Name List
- 5. From the patient Archive Screen, you can select which episode you would like to view.

Modify or Mark "In Error" an **Annotation**

1. **Double-click** the annotation. The annotation opens.

To Modify

- 1. Delete the current annotation.
- 2. Enter the new annotation.
- **3.** Click the Sign button.

To Mark "In Error"

- 1. Type "In Error".
- 2. Click the Sign button.

Notes:

- Revision history saves any previous entry(ies).
- One end-user cannot change another end-user's annotation.