

# **HEALTHe NL HELP PAGES**

Clinical Documents and

**Discharge Summaries** 

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#### **1. Clinical Documents and Discharge Summaries**

Clinical Documents and Discharge summaries are included in the "Clinical Documents" and "Discharge Summary" categories respectively. Discharge summaries are a type of clinical document, but are displayed in separate category of the CDV tree due to a clinical design decision giving faster access to them. They are displayed as links in the CDV tree. The title of each report link in the CDV tree indicates the name of the report, and the results section displays the dictated report.

A Clinical document report contains the following sections (Figure 31):

	· <u> </u>	ne Report Header S		To print the
	2) Tł	ne <u>Results (textual</u>	report) section	report click here.
Clinic Note (4 months ago)			Print	
Clinic Note				↓ The Report
Dictated By BUTLER	-14 11:17:00 Status , Dr. Agnes Report ID ience Centre Other Providers	Draft 1401-0001 5 -		Header
Report Eastern Health General (Health Science 300 Prince Philip Drive St. John's, NL A1B 3V6 709-777-6300 Clinic Note	s Site)			Any comments associated with the report are displayed after the main information in the header, as part of the header. Suppressed when no such
Address: BOX 1103 HCN ST DAVIDS, NL DOB: 22 A0N 1X0 Pt Age: 53 Fam/Phy: POWER,DR. LYNE	/04/61 TTE M. Location: BU-ICU TACEY Service Date: 14/0:			comments exist.
Preston Barry is fifty voiding and was subsequ had a catheter for a lo His serum creatinine is and red cells. His cat him on the books for ea	three. He had a cystoscopy ently able to void and then ng period of time. He has 102. His glucose is 8.6. heter is draining well. H rly April or late March. : manage him and change his	He has hiding. cells he have hday	<ul> <li>2 section (textual report).</li> </ul>	
MARCH,DR. JOE Dictated Date: 18/02/1 Report#: 2602-1119 Tran	5 Transcripted Date: 26/0: scribed By: DFRE	2/15		Clinicians who
DR. Debbie Martin DR. Joe Smith			)	have been copied on the report.

Figure 1: Clinic Document Example

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## **1.1 Clinical Documents and Discharge Summaries Header**

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A Clinical Document displays the following information in the header section: (Figure 32)

- 1. <u>Report Title.</u> This is the title of the report. E.g. Clinic Note
- 2. <u>Report Title (Bigger Font and blue).</u> This is the title of the report. E.g. Clinic Note
- 3. <u>Service Date</u>: This is the date and time the patient was seen by the clinician generally, for outpatient and ER visits, this is the admission date. In case of a Discharge Summary, Date and time the patient was discharged. **E.g.** 2015-Jan-14 11:17:00
- 4. <u>Dictated By:</u> The name of the clinician who dictated the report. E.g. Butler, Agnes Please note the Clinician name is a hyperlink to allow the user (when clicked) to view details on the provider in a popup window.
- 5. <u>Source</u>: The site associated with the result. E.g. Health Science Centre
- 6. This is the <u>age of the report</u>, calculated with the date from the report in the CDV tree. It appears in brackets next to the Report title **E.g.** (2 months ago)
- 7. <u>Status:</u> This is the Report Status. E.g. Draft. See <u>"CDV Tree Report Status Indicators and Read/Unread</u> <u>Reports"</u> for details on report Status for Clinical Documents.
- 8. <u>Report ID:</u> The order number associated in the source system. E.g. 1401-0001
- **9.** <u>Other Providers</u>: The names of providers associated with the report or the patient record, not necessarily the clinicians that were copied in the report. To see the name of the clinicians who have been copied on the report refer to the "CC" section found at the bottom of the results section of the report (*Figure 27*). When no Other Providers exist for the report, a dash is displayed instead to indicate no value.

**E.g.** "-"in the example below no Other Providers exist that is why a dash is indicated.

**10.** <u>Comments:</u> Any comments associated with the report. They are automatically displayed after all other header fields. Suppressed when no such comments exist.



Figure 2: Clinical Document Report Header Example

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### **1.2 Clinical Documents and Discharge Summaries Results Section**

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The Results Section displays the textual dictated report *(Figure 31).* The textual report is displayed as stored. The report text is displayed in a fixed font. It does not include a **result status**. As indicated in the section above, report status is displayed in the header.

In the case that a report has been cancelled, the header of the report is displayed but the textual report is not shown. Instead, the following is displayed:

Unavailable										
Cancelled.	Report	is	not	available.						

In the case that a report is pending, the header of the report is displayed but the textual report is not shown. Instead, the following is displayed:

Unavailable Pending report

In the case that a report has been retracted (pull back a report from view), the header of the report is displayed but the textual report is not shown. Instead, the following is displayed:

<b>Unavailable</b> Retracted - pl	lease	refer	to	the	Meditech	source	system	to	view	the	report.	Please
												note

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that at the bottom of each Clinical Document and Discharge Summary appears the disclosure shown below.

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