

User Manual





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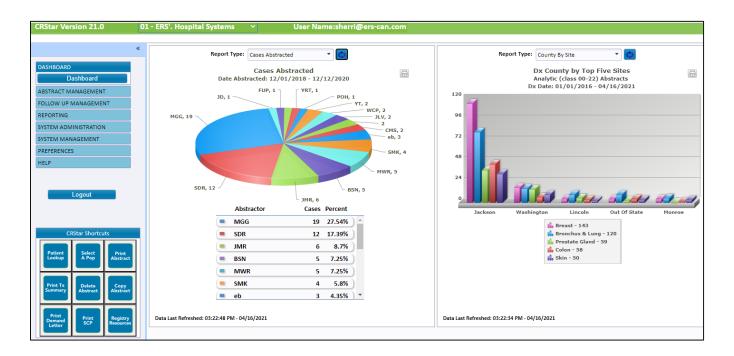
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Chapter 1: Dashboards

Dashboards let the user visualize summarized registry data at a glance and provide managers with the most up-to-date information based on key performance indicators.



- Dashboard configurations are set per facility. For the user to display the Dashboard reports for individual facilities, that facility must be chosen from the Facility Selection drop down menu, or groups of facilities may be chosen in the dashboard configuration.
- The Dashboard displays two reports on screen.
- The user may change the report by clicking on the Report Type arrow.
- To refresh the report, click on the Refresh icon beside the report name. Note: The report does not refresh when the user logs out and back in. User must click the refresh icon.
- The data displayed in the reports is generated from the settings in Dashboard Configuration tab.
- The following reports are available through the Dashboard:
 - o Cases Abstracted: This report selects off the Date Abstracted.
 - o Cases Completed: This report selects off the Date Case Complete (CoC).
 - Class by Site: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.

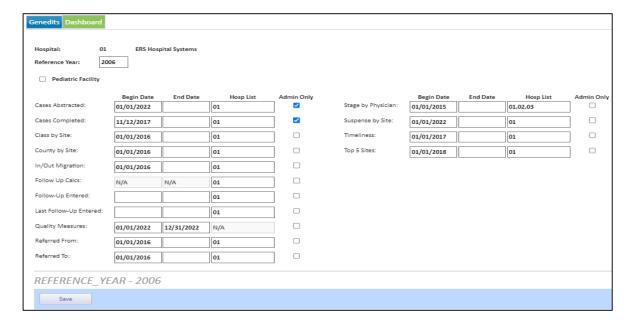
- County by Site: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- Follow Up Calculations: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date (150) three years before the current calendar year + Accession year (151) >=Reference Year (Excludes non-analytic cases). Reference year needs to be 2006 or later.
- o Follow Up Entered: This report selects off the Date Follow up Entered.
- o *In/Out Migration: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- o Last Follow Up Entered: This report selects off the Date Last Follow up Entered.
- Quality Measures: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- o Referred From: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- Referred To: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- Staged By: This report selects off the Diagnosis Date.
- Suspense by Site: This report selects off the First Contact Date.
- o Timeliness of Abstracting: This report selects off the First Contact Date.
- o Top 5 Sites: This report selects off the First Contact Date.

When Class In ('00') Then 'Diagnosed Here and Treated Elsewhere'
When Class In ('10','11','12','13','14') Then 'Diagnosed and Treated Here'
When Class In ('20','21','22') Then 'Diagnosed Elsewhere and Treated Here

Helpful Hints for Dashboard Reports

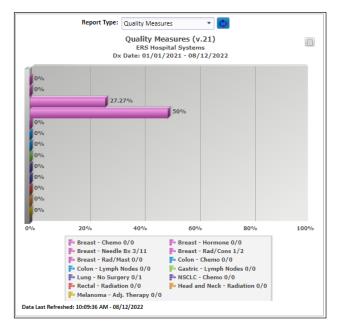
Helpful Hint #1: When the end date is left blank, the report generates from the start date entered to the current date. This eliminates the need for the user to modify the end dates to view data as of a current date.

Helpful Hint #2: In a Multi-Hospital setting the user may choose the facilities to include in each graph or to isolate to a single facility. This is accomplished as shown below. Enter the facility followed by a comma and no space. If no hospital code is entered, the reports display data from the facility in the green dropdown.

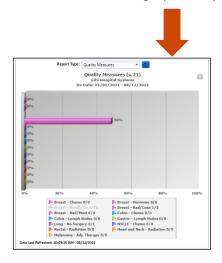


^{*}Breakdown of analytic cases for the In/Out Migration report:

Helpful Hint #3: The Quality Measures dashboard report currently looks at the cases that match the eligibility criteria for each measure. This report also looks at only the facility chosen in the green drop down.



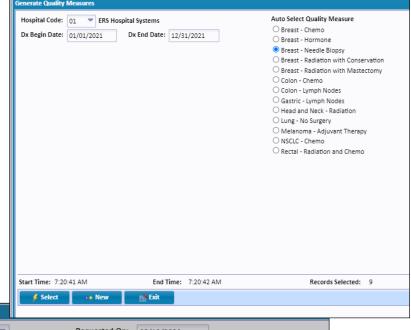
By clicking on the Measures in the legend, the user can add/delete them from the graphic display.



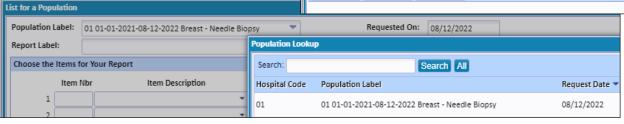
When running the Quality Measures in CRStar, the system tells the user how many cases match the criteria for the study. In the example above, for the Breast Needle Biopsy measure, **11 cases** are eligible to receive the recommended treatment, but only 3 met the measure. The system auto selects a population, and it is stored in the Select a Population, so that the user can take the population and run various reports, graphs, and letters.

Steps to Run Quality Measures

- Click on Reporting
- Click on CPM Reports Menu
- Click Qlty Measures Tab
- Enter Hospital Code or leave it blank to include <u>All Facilities</u>
- Enter Begin/End Date (If end date left blank, it will auto-fill to today's date)
- Click Select

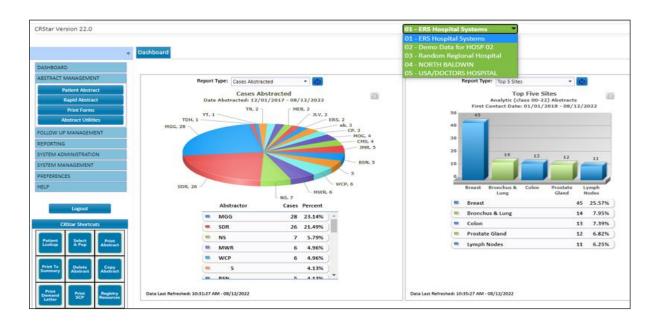


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Chapter 2: Facility Selection Drop-Down Bar

The Facility Selection Drop-Down Bar is located on the green bar at the top of the CRStar screen. The user can click on the drop-down arrow and change the facility selection. The drop-down bar includes all facilities in the user's database.



Below are the functions that the Facility Selection Drop-Down Bar controls:

- The Dashboard configurations are set per facility. For the user to display the Dashboard reports
 for individual facilities, that facility must be chosen from the green drop-down menu. If the user
 wishes to configure the dashboard reports to include more than the facility in the green drop
 down, the facilities to be included should be entered in the dashboard configuration.
- When running follow up letters for different facilities, if the user does not select a specific
 facility letter (i.e., DOC 01, DOC 02, and DOC 03) CRStar chooses the letters associated with the
 facility shown in the Facility Selection Drop Down (green bar). In this example, the user needs to
 change the facility from the drop down. Note: If a facility letter with the hospital number is
 chosen, selecting the facility from the drop down is not necessary.

- The state of the facility displayed on the green bar drives which state screen is displayed in the abstract. For users that have facilities in multiple states, the drop down needs to be changed before abstracting a case in that particular state.
- The county codes in the address fields are driven by the state of the facility displayed in the green bar. Again, this would apply to users with facilities in multiple states.
- The state exports are driven by the state of the facility displayed on the green bar. If the user submits data to multiple states, the facility must be changed in the drop down before using the state export function.

Chapter 3: Abstract Management

- Patient Abstract
 - o Lookup CRStar Shortcuts Patient Lookup
 - Quick Links and Help Notes
 - o **Suspense**
 - Entering Non-Reportable Cases
 - Patient Patient Maintenance
 - Diagnosis Diagnosis Maintenance
 - Adding Physicians and Diagnostic Test
 - Diagnosis Maintenance Screen Lookups and Searches
 - o Staging Maintenance SEER
 - o Staging SSDI
 - o Staging AJCC
 - o Treatment Treatment Summary
 - Treatment Surgery Maintenance
 - Treatment Radiation Maintenance
 - o Treatment Chemo Maintenance
 - o Treatment Hormone Maintenance
 - o <u>Treatment Hematopoietic Maintenance</u>
 - o Treatment Palliative Maintenance
 - o Treatment Other Maintenance
 - Outcomes Outcomes Maintenance
 - State Specific State Maintenance
 - CPM Accreditation Audit Screens
 - General Audit Screen Information
 - CPM Cancer Program Maintenance
 - BPM Breast Program Maintenance
 - RPM Rectal Program Maintenance
 - User Defined 1
 - O User Defined 2
 - Case Admin Case Admin Maintenance

- o Clinical Clinical Maintenance
- o Research Research Maintenance
- o Retired Retired Maintenance
- o Rapid Abstract

• Print Forms

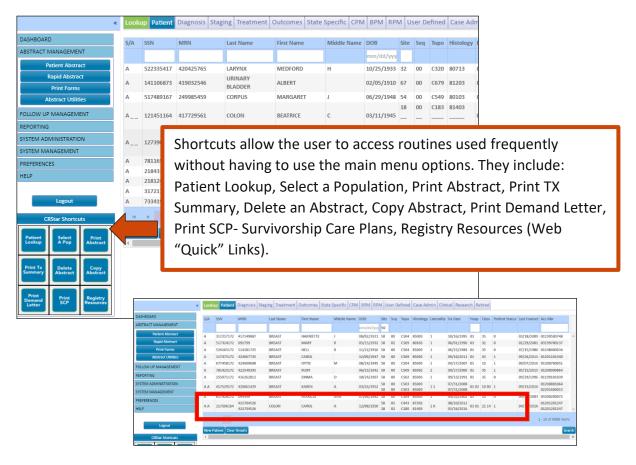
- o Print Abstract
- o Print Tx Summary
- o Print Tx Summary Custom
- o Print QA Form
- o Print Survival Care Plan (SCP)

• Abstract Utilities

- o <u>Delete Abstract</u>
- o How to Find and Delete Cases with Demographics Only with No Associated Primary Site
- o Copy Abstract
- o Combine Patients

Patient Abstract

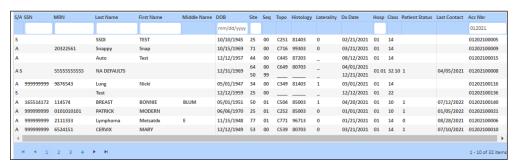




- The Lookup Feature is located under Abstract Management, or under the CRStar Shortcuts Tab-Patient Lookup.
- The Lookup feature allows the user to lookup <u>Suspense cases</u>, <u>Abstracted cases</u>, or <u>Non-Reportable</u> cases.
- Each patient is listed once with subsequent primaries listed below. See patient highlighted example above.
- Patients can be searched by the following criteria:
 - First and/or Last Name
 - o Social Security Number
 - Date of Birth
 - Accession Number
 - Medical Record Number
 - Site Code
 - Hospital Code

- The Lookup feature displays the following patient information:
 - Location of Case: Suspense/Abstract
 - Social Security Number
 - Medical Record Number
 - o Last Name, First Name, Middle Name
 - Date of Birth
 - Site Code, Sequence of Primary, Topo
 Code, histology, and laterality

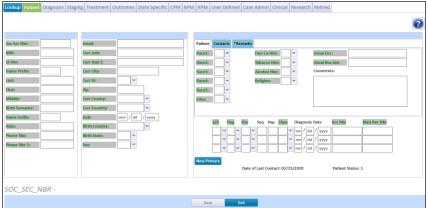
- Diagnosis Date
- Hospital Code
- Class of Case
- Patient Status
- Date of Last Contact
- Accession Number
- To search for a patient, the user may enter full or partial first or last name of the patient and click
 Search or Enter key.
- To go from page to page, the user can click on the page numbers or forward or backward arrows under the displayed list.
- All column headers may be sorted alphabetically or numerically by clicking on the header.
- When the patient is displayed click the patients name and the system moves to the Patient Maintenance screen of the abstract.



• Click Clear Results for a new search.

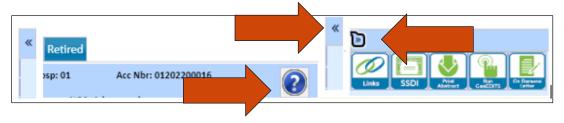
Clicking **New Patient** opens the Patient Maintenance screen of the abstract, where the user can enter a

new case.



Clicking Exit exits the Lookup screen taking the user back to the Main Menu screen.

Quick Links and Help Notes



- In the upper right and left corner of each screen of the abstract, there is a shift icon (<<) highlighted in blue. Click on the right icon to bring up the **Quick Links** selection icons. Note: Quick Links is only visible when in an active abstract.
- The Quick Links can be collapsed by clicking on the right (>>) icon. To collapse the left side click the shift icon (>>) in the upper left corner.
- In addition, each screen displays a question mark icon at the top right corner of the screen. In any field within the abstract, while in the field, clicking the (?) or the F1 key displays Help Notes for that field. If the field is a required field by the CoC, the Help Notes are from the STORE manual.
- By clicking on the Links icon, the **CRStar Quick Links** below are accessable:





While in a patient's abstract the SSDI icon can be selected. If that patient is expired and has been entered in the SSDI, the user is taken to that patient's entry within the SSDI. If the patient is not in the SSDI, the user receives a message that the patient does not exist. (Note as of 2013 SSDI does not display SSDI records for individuals who have died within the previous 3 years.)



Print Abstract Utility

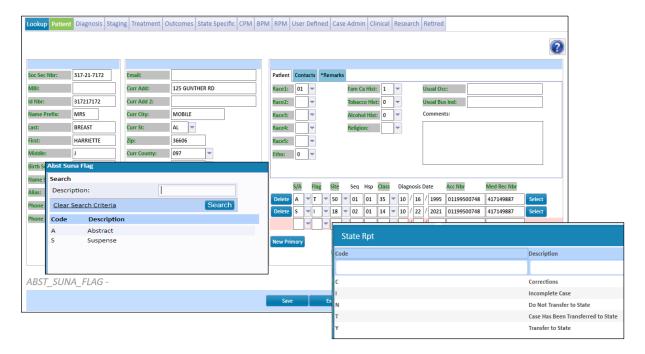


• Run GenEdits on any screen of the abstract once inside the primary, Edits cannot be run on the Patient Maintenance screen.



• Run letters on demand on any screen.

Suspense



- In CRStar, the status of the case is recorded in two fields, the Suspense/Abstract field ("S/A" field) and the State Report Flag ("Flag" field). Both fields are located in the Primary grid, located in the lower right corner of the Patient Maintenance screen.
- The 2-digit site code is used in CRStar to calculate the correct site group for canned reports, such as
 the Site Distribution table. This code is not exported to your State or the NCDB. In most cases, the 2digit code will be the same as the first two numerical digits in the Topography code (the "Cxxx"
 code).

NOTE: Lymphomas and Extranodal Lymphoma sites are the exception: each category is coded differently in CRStar. The two-digit site code for <u>All Lymphomas</u> must be coded to "77" (lymph nodes). The actual location of the cancer (lymph nodes or extranodal site) is coded in the Topography field located on the Diagnosis Maintenance screen. The Topography Code IS exported to your State and the NCDB. The Topography Code for Nodal Lymphomas will be the appropriate lymph node code (C770 – C779). The Topography Code for Extranodal Lymphomas should be coded to the Extranodal site. For example, in the case of Lymphoma of the Stomach, code Site to 77 and Topography Code to C160 – C169.

- To enter a Suspense case, go to Abstract Management, Patient Abstract and Lookup. Click New
 Patient and the Patient Maintenance screen appears for entry of the new patient. Only use this
 option when a patient does not exist in the database.
- Enter all necessary demographic information available.
- When entering the site, sequence, etc. information in the multi valued fields in the lower right section of the screen, <u>click on the field labeled S/A</u> and choose 'S' Suspense.

- The **State Report Flag** field has been added to the **Patient** screen and retained on the **Case Admin** screen for user convenience.
- A **Suspense Remarks** text field is available.
- The user **MUST** go to the Diagnosis Maintenance screen to enter either the **Date of Discharge** or the **Date of First Contact** to run Suspense reports. This is because these two fields are "primary" specific and must be located within the abstract of each primary.

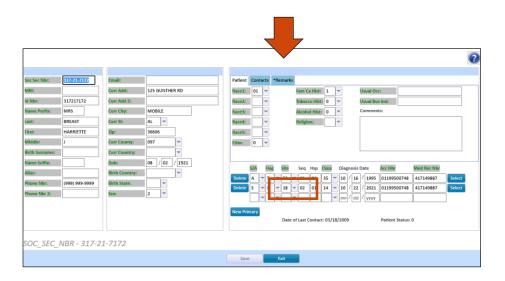
Note: <u>See Imports configuration and note that if the Date of First Contact is blank then the next</u> import defaults the new date in Date of first Contact.

- <u>All fields on all screens may be collected</u> while the patient is in Suspense if that information is available to the user.
- **Date Case Initiated** auto fills with the current date. This field is located on the Case Admin screen of the abstract.
- To run a **Suspense** report, please see section under Reporting.

Suggestions on How to Mark Cases as Non-Reportable in the Database

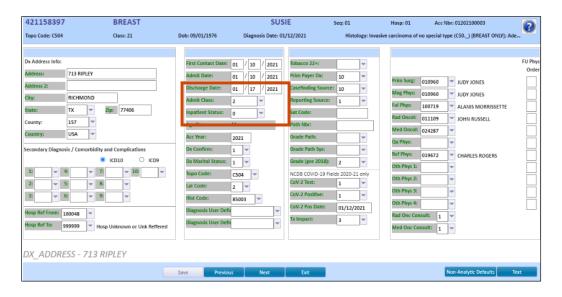
1. Patient Maintenance Screen

- S/A field must be coded to an "S" for Suspense
- Flag field must be coded to an "N" for not reportable [Rationale: By marking the cases with an N in this field, can easily exclude these cases from being pulled into the list of Suspense Cases to abstract.]
- Optional: Suspense Remarks Box enter the date the case was reviewed, the abstractor initials of who reviewed the case and the reason the case is Not Reportable [Rationale. If this is in the Suspense Remarks Box, it is easier when re-reviewing or case finding initially because users do not have to leave the patient maintenance screen.]



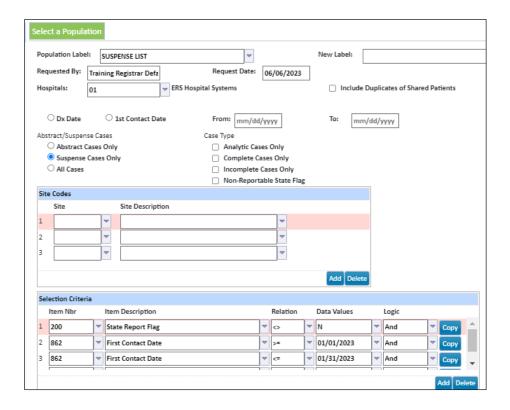
- 2. **Diagnosis Maintenance Screen** <u>Located within the text screen</u>. Click the TextPad button.
 - o **Dx Comment Field**: Enter the date the case was reviewed, the abstractor initials of who reviewed the case and the reason the case is Not Reportable.
 - <u>Rationale</u>: If the registry plans to pull the N cases out into an excel spreadsheet to contain a tally sheet or end of year summary, etc. this field could be utilized in the report to match the Site-Specific Code. This is better for a report than the Suspense Remarks Field because the Suspense Remarks box could contain information regarding additional admission dates for Other Sites if it were chosen to be utilized for the imports.
 - Delete the Date of First Contact OR Admit Date OR Discharge Date (whatever is appropriate for the facilities Import options.)
 - <u>Rationale</u>: If a "trigger" is required to know that these NR cases came back to re-review, there is an option in the import configuration to UPDATE date of first contact OR admit date OR discharge date of existing suspense cases... so If the facility is using this option,

then delete the date (of choice) when it is marked N.... because the import will only update the date of choice if it is <u>EMPTY</u>.

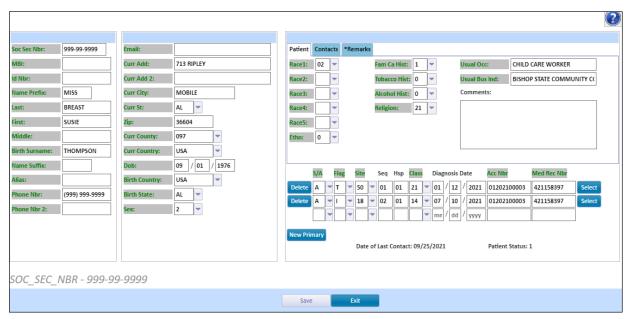


To Exclude Non-Reportable Cases From the Suspense List

- Select the population, Click the radio button for Suspense Cases Only and enter the range of dates needed.
- Enter item number 200 State Report Flag NOT EQUAL to N as shown below.



Patient - Patient Maintenance



- To move from field to field, use the Tab key or mouse.
- The CRStar screens can be collapsed from both the top left and right.
 - Click << to collapse the left side hiding the CRStar Modules.
 - Click >> to open the quick links window.
- Online help is available for all fields. Click the (?) icon in the upper right corner to bring up the Help Notes or hit F1.
- Entries can be done in upper or lower case. <u>Keep in mind, the case used is how reports are</u> displayed.
- Cases should be coded here as to their case status, i.e. Suspense, Abstract or Non-Reportable.
- The field State Report Flag has been added to this screen and retained on the Case Admin screen. If a change is made to this field, it automatically updates on the Case Admin screen.
- Addresses: After entering the street address, enter the zip code and the city and state autofill.
- Secondary Contact Information is located on this screen. Click on the Contact tab to view or enter data.
- The **Patient** tab allows data entry for race, history, occupation, etc.
- The user can click the TextPad button to type in any of the text fields. The character count
 (Current Length) is located at the bottom center of the screen. The number of characters turns
 red once the user has exceeded the character count exported to the state per text field.
- The user can cut, copy, and paste from one text field to the other or from other applications.
- The user can choose codes and descriptions from the drop-down or manually enter the codes.
- Multiple primaries are displayed in the multi valued section in the lower right section.
- <u>To add an additional primary</u>, enter the information on the next available line.
- Clicking on Add Primary adds a new row.

- <u>Cases that are shared between facilities in a multi hospital database</u> are listed in the multivalued section.
- The user may enter the year date as the last two digits and the century auto fills.
- <u>True unknown dates or partial unknown dates are allowed</u>. For example, 99/99/9999, 02/99/2013, etc.
- **Key fields** may be changed on the screen. Key fields include Site, Sequence, Hospital Code, Accession Number, ID number and Medical Record Number.

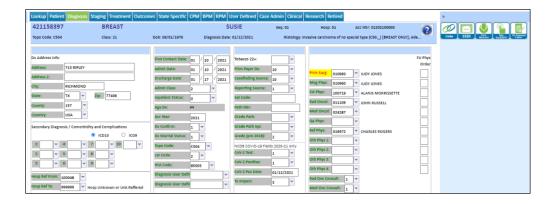
NOTE: The HOSPITAL CODE must be filled out with the two-digit facility code for ALL cases entered into CRStar. Omitting this code will keep the case in "Inquiry Mode".

• If the case is flagged as an "A" abstract, the key fields <u>must</u> be filled out. If the case is marked as a Suspense or Non-Reportable case, the hospital code, site, and sequence <u>must</u> be entered. Accession number may be left blank for these cases.

Note: The hospital field must be coded to run reports.

- Data saves as the user advances to the next screen or clicks Screen Tab or Previous button..
- To move to the **Diagnosis** tab, the user must choose **Select** beside the primary to view.
- Accession Number is preceded by the Hospital Number in CRStar (it is an 11-digit field. The 9-digit standard field is exported to standard setters). Accession Numbers can be configured to automatically assign the next available Accession Number (refer to the "Initialize Accession Numbers" portion of this manual). If the numbers have been initialized, just enter the Accession Year and the rest of the number will be automatically assigned. For example, if you are abstracting a 2023 case for Hospital 05, if you enter "2023" in the Accession Number field, CRStar will assign the next available 2023 number (i.e. 05202300025).
- A Patient's primary may be deleted from this screen using the delete key next to the primary.
 VERY IMPORTANT!!!!!! This will only delete the one selected primary abstract. It will not delete the entire patient record. To delete the entire patient, use the Delete an Abstract function!

Diagnosis - Diagnosis Maintenance



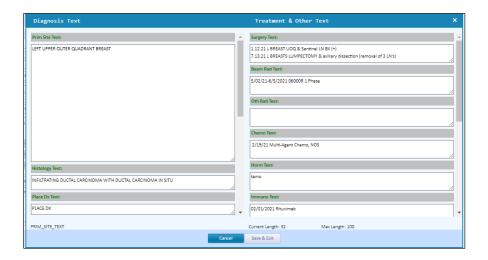
- The Quick Links are located by clicking the << at the far right top of the CRStar screen.
- Quick Links available include:
 - Quick Links websites:
 - ERS Help Desk (CRStar Client Portal)
 - Cancer Forum
 - SSDI
 - NPI Registry
 - CoC Datalinks
 - CS Site Specific Schema
 - SEER I&R
 - SEER Rx
 - Hematopoietic Database
 - SEER Summary Staging Manual
 - EOD Data SEER RSA
 - STORE Manual
 - Solid Tumor Rules
 - SSDI Grade/Manuals
 - Join a GoToMeeting
 - CTR Guide to Radiation Coding
 - Print Abstract
 - o SSDI
 - Run Edits
- The CRStar screens can be collapsed from both the top left and right.
 - Click << to collapse the left side hiding the CRStar Modules.
 - Click >> to open the quick links window.
- <u>Tab through the Dx Address</u> information for it to auto fill from the Current Address. Only change the Dx Address if it differs from the Current Address on the Patient screen.

- <u>Comorbidities and Complications Codes</u> display when ICD9 is selected. <u>Secondary Diagnosis</u>
 <u>Codes</u> display when ICD10 is selected. Click the drop-down arrow to search for codes and descriptions or manually enter.
- Click drop-down arrow for <u>Hospital referred to and from</u> or manually enter. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- Age at Diagnosis is automatically calculated when the user enters DOB and Date of Diagnosis.
- When the Date of First Contact is entered, the Accession year will auto default.
- Two user defined fields are available on the Diagnosis Maintenance screen. Refer to the System Admin chapter of creating user defined fields.
- Click on the **Phys** field to enter each specialty. Click the drop-down arrow to search for a physician or manually enter the physician's ID number. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add.
- The <u>Non-Analytic Default</u> can be used for <u>Non-Analytic cases</u> where some fields may be unknown to the user. Setting the Non-Analytic default will default the following fields to unknown values:
 - Diagnosis Date
 - Tumor Size
 - Grade
 - Lymph Nodes Positive and Examined
 - Primary Payer
 - Dx Marital Status
 - Diagnostic text fields/Rx text
 - Diagnosis Address
 - Note: If known, the user may tab through these fields to fill in from the current address before clicking Non Analytic Default
 - o General Stage and General Stage text
 - Date of Initial Treatment
 - All Rx texts

Adding Physicians and Diagnostic Text



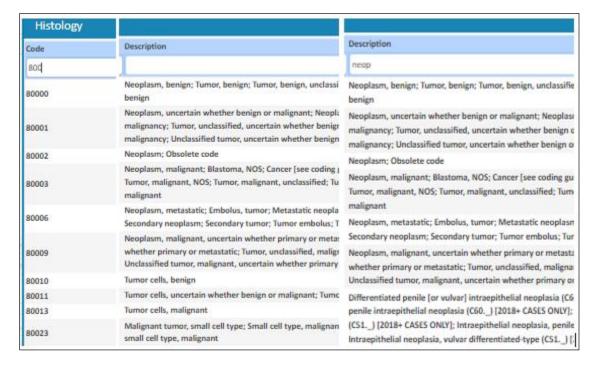
Note: The only physician that auto copies to the Outcomes screen is the Follow-up Physician. User can number the physicians in the second column in sort order of physicians to follow up and they will copy into the outcomes screen.



- Click on the individual text fields to enter <u>Diagnostic (Clinical)</u> text. Click in any of the text boxes
 or headers to bring up the text editor.
- The user can <u>cut</u>, <u>copy</u>, <u>and paste</u> text from one text field to another or from other applications.
 NOTE: Text copied from other programs should be pasted into Word prior to pasting into
 CRStar to capture invisible characters. These characters can prevent reports from running completely.
- Each text field <u>displays the number of characters</u> exported to the state.
- When typing in the text boxes once the maximum number of characters has exceeded the number of characters turns red, the user may continue to add text in the box and it will be saved.

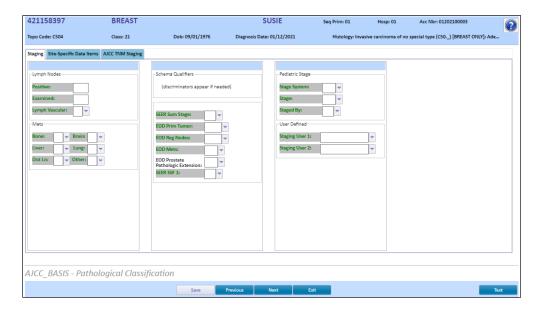
Diagnosis Maintenance Screen - Lookups and Searches

- There are many Lookup tables on the Diagnosis Maintenance Screen. Some are:
 - Comorbidities and Complication/Secondary Diagnosis Codes
 - Hospital Referred To and From
 - ICDO-3 Topography Codes
 - o ICDO-3 Morphology Codes
 - Physicians
- The functionality in each lookup is the same. In this example, ICD0-3 Morphology Codes are used.

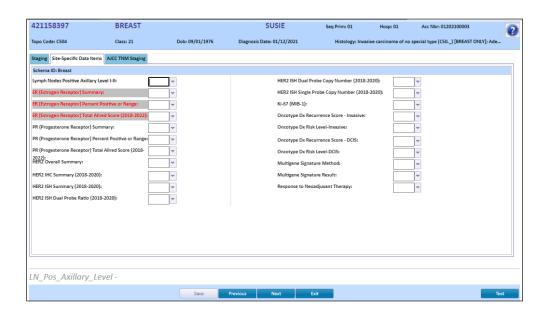


- o If the code is known, it can be entered or start typing in the description field.
- Typing in the code or description will start generating a list in order of characters as typed.
- o To select a code and description, single click on selection.
- Click Cancel to return to the field.

Staging - Maintenance (SEER)

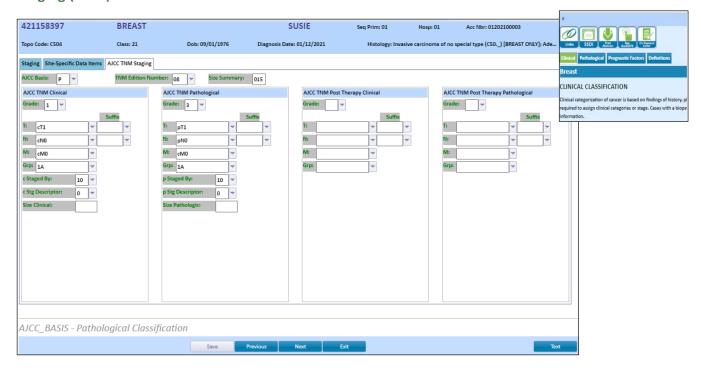


Staging (SSDI)



SSDI Fields generate dependent of sites with Site Specific Data Items assigned.

Staging (AJCC)



• SEER, SSDI, AJCC/Grade AJCC Manual* are all in one screen with individual tabs for 2018+ diagnosis.

<u>IMPORTANT:</u> AJCC Stage Basis <u>MUST</u> be coded to use field index number 568 Summary AJCC Stage in reports.

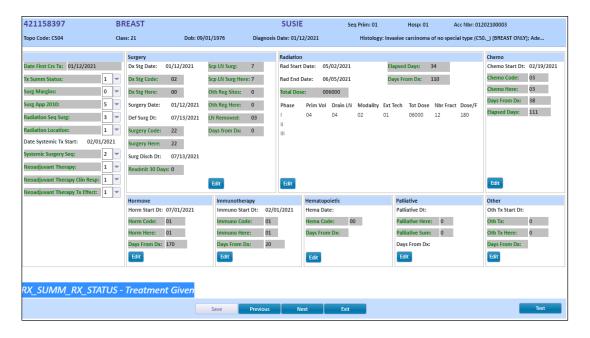
Note: Summary AJCC Stage only populates cases with a P or C (Only cases with an AJCC Basis of C or P are included in reports AND must have the respective group assigned).

- Path, Clinical and Post TNM codes and descriptions are site specific.
- **Stage Group** field displays all the **AJCC*** site-specific group combinations. This field does not auto fill.

IMPORTANT: The staging User Defined Fields in the bottom-third section labeled **Staging User 1** and **Staging User 2** fields are for internal use only. <u>These fields are not exported</u>
<u>to the state or NCDB, however may be used in reports.</u>

Click the (?) icon for individual Help Notes

Treatment - Treatment Summary

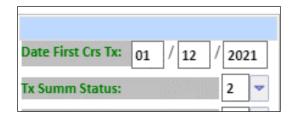


- The Treatment Summary screen is a summary of all treatment modalities entered on individual treatment screens.
- Treatment text is entered using the TextPad button or on the individual treatment modality screens.
- Users must **SAVE** data entered on the treatment summary page prior to editing individual treatment modalities or complete this page after adding individual treatment modalities.
- To enter data for individual modalities, click EDIT.
- Date of Initial Treatment and Date of First Systemic Treatment are <u>calculated automatically</u>.

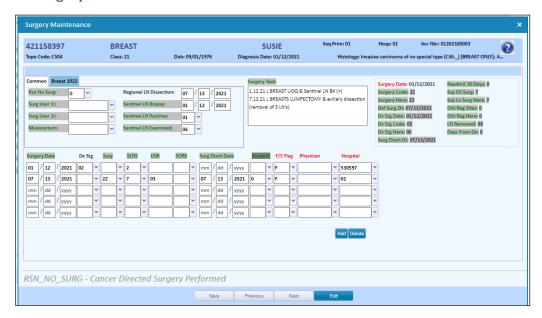
IMPORTANT: When a patient is NOT TREATED for any reason (i.e., refused treatment, comorbid conditions, expired, Active Surveillance etc.), code the Treatment Summary

Status as 0, 2 OR 9. When any of these codes is entered, the Date of First Course

Treatment becomes active and the user may enter the date no treatment was decided, refused, etc. See example below.

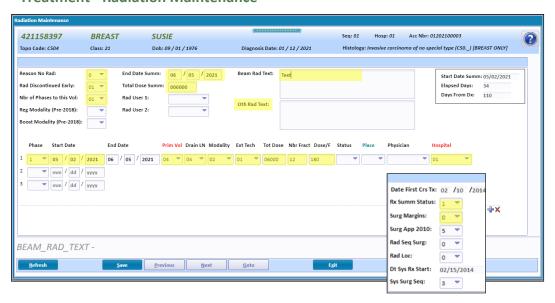


Treatment - Surgery Maintenance



- Note this screen has two tabs labeled Common and Breast 2022.
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two User Defined fields are available to use to record extra information for Surgery.
- Surgery text may be entered on this screen or on the TextPad screen.
- All text fields have Copy/Cut and Paste functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is to record whether the treatment is <u>First</u> or <u>Subsequent</u> treatment. This field <u>MUST</u> be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the
 page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Diagnostic and Staging Procedures</u> (01-09) AND <u>Cancer Directed</u> surgery codes (A000-A990) may be entered.
- To add a row of treatment, click the **Add** button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is <u>automatically calculated</u> and displayed on the Treatment Summary screen.
- When data entry is completed, click **SAVE** and then **EXIT**.

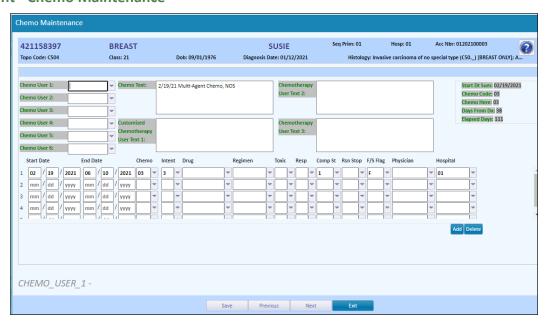
Treatment - Radiation Maintenance



The highlighted fields are the fields that need to be filled out for radiation therapy. They are in the radiation box and on the summary page. The non-highlighted fields are optional fields for internal reporting purposes only. Only 3 fields on this grid are used for summary fields. All other highlighted fields must be coded manually.

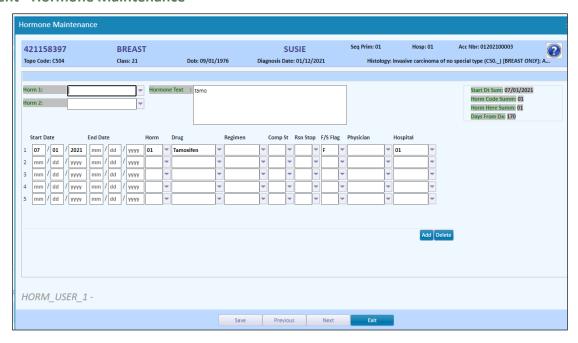
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two User Defined fields are available to record extra information for **Radiation**.
- Radiation text may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screens.
- All text fields have <u>Copy/Cut and Paste</u> functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor auto advances from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **Phase** is used to record the treatment types 1,2,3, or <u>Subsequent</u> treatment, click drop-down, Choose S.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u> and <u>Physician</u> fields have been added. <u>These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.</u>
- **Total Dose** is a manual entry. This is a required field.
- To add a row of treatment, click the Add button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the **Treatment Summary** screen.
- End date summary is a manual entry and is a <u>required field if radiation is administered</u>.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Treatment - Chemo Maintenance



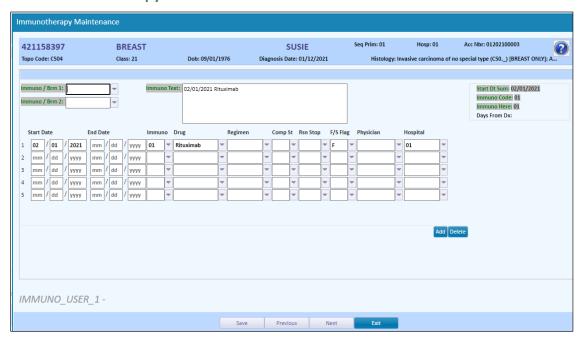
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Six User Defined fields are available to use to record extra information for **Chemo**.
- <u>Chemo text</u> may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screen. This field is the only chemo text field exported to the state and NCDB.
- Three User Defined Text fields have been added.
- ALL text fields have <u>Copy/Cut and Paste</u> functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is used to record whether the treatment is <u>First or Subsequent treatment</u>. This field **MUST** be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the
 page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page.
 Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- Intent, Drug, Regimen, Toxicity, Response, Completion status, and Reason for stopping fields are
 provided for optional internal use. These fields are not required and not exported to any
 standard setter.
- To add a row of treatment, click the Add button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the **Treatment Summary** screen.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Treatment - Hormone Maintenance



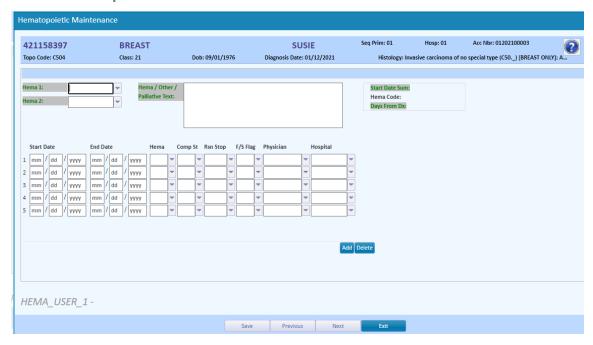
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two <u>User Defined fields</u> are available to use to record extra information for **Hormone**.
- Hormone text may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screen.
- All text fields have <u>Copy/Cut and Paste</u> functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is to record whether the treatment is <u>First or Subsequent treatment</u>. This field **MUST** be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page.
 Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Drug</u>, <u>Regimen</u>, <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u>, and <u>Physician</u> fields are provided for optional internal use. <u>These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter</u>.
- To add a row of treatment, click the Add Button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the **Treatment Summary** screen.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Treatment - Immunotherapy Maintenance



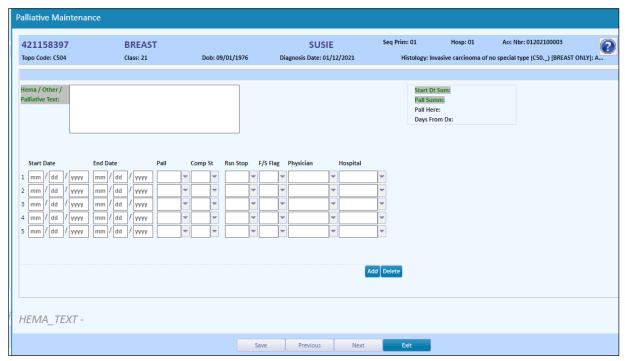
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two <u>User Defined</u> fields are available to use to record extra information for **Immunotherapy**.
- <u>Immunotherapy text</u> may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screen.
- All text fields have <u>Copy/Cut and Paste</u> functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is used to record whether the treatment is <u>First or Subsequent treatment</u>. This field MUST be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Drug</u>, <u>Regimen</u>, <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u>, and <u>Physician</u> fields are provided for optional internal use. These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- To add a row of treatment, click the **Add** button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the Treatment Summary screen.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Treatment - Hematopoietic Maintenance



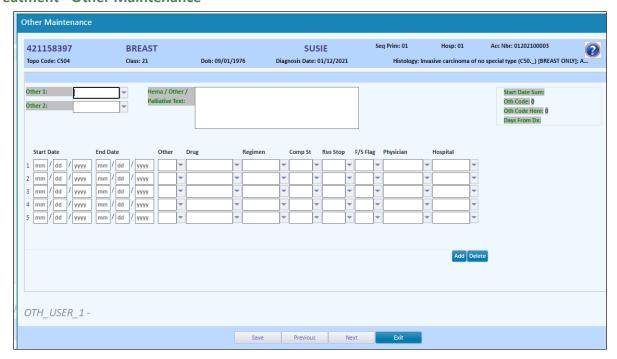
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two <u>User Defined</u> fields are available to use to record extra information for **Hematopoietic** treatment.
- Hematopoietic text may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screen.
- Palliative, Hematopoietic, and Other treatment share the same text field
- All text fields have Copy/Cut and Paste functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is used to record whether the treatment is <u>First or Subsequent</u> treatment. This field MUST be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page. Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u>, and <u>Physician</u> fields are provided for optional internal use. These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- To add a row of treatment, click the **Add** Button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** Button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the Treatment Summary screen.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Treatment - Palliative Maintenance



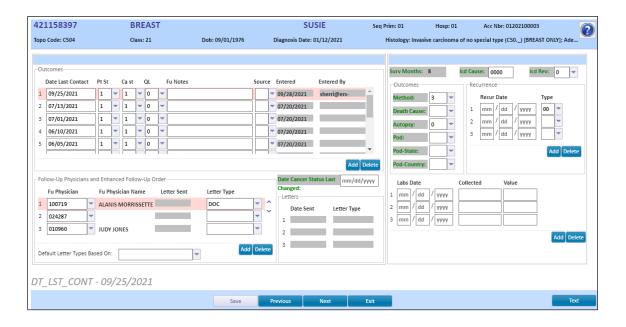
- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- <u>Palliative text</u> may be entered on this screen or on the **Summary** screen.
 Note: Palliative, Hematopoietic and Other treatment share the same text field
- All text fields have Copy/Cut and Paste functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is used to record whether the treatment is <u>First</u> or <u>Subsequent</u> treatment. This field MUST be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the
 page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page.
 Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u>, and <u>Physician</u> fields are provided for optional internal use. These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- To add a row of treatment, click the **Add** button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the **Treatment Summary** screen.
- When data entry is completed, click **SAVE** and then **EXIT**.

Treatment - Other Maintenance



- <u>Fields with drop-down arrows contain codes and descriptions</u>. Values may be manually entered or click the down arrow to display codes and description.
- Two <u>User Defined</u> fields are available to use to record extra information for **Other** treatment.
- Other text may be entered on this screen or via the TextPad button screen.
 NOTE: Palliative, Hematopoietic and Other treatment share the same text field
- All text fields have <u>Copy/Cut and Paste</u> functionality.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- The use of unknown dates is allowed. For example: 99/99/9999, 10/99/2013, 99/99/2013, etc.
- **F/S Flag** is used to record whether the treatment is <u>First</u> or <u>Subsequent</u> treatment. This field MUST be filled out.
- Record the <u>treating physician</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating physician. If the physician is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the
 page. Click the **New Physician** tab to add. This is an optional field.
- Record the <u>treating hospital</u> number. If the number is not known, click on the arrow to look up
 the treating facility. If the hospital is not on the list, the user can add it without leaving the page.
 Click the **New Hospital** tab to add.
- <u>Completion status</u>, <u>Reason for stopping</u>, and <u>Physician</u> fields are provided for optional internal use. These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- To add a row of treatment, click the **Add** button icon.
- To delete a row of treatment, click the **Delete** button icon.
- The information in the top right corner of the screen is automatically calculated and displayed on the Treatment Summary screen.
- When data entry is completed, click SAVE and then EXIT.

Outcomes - Outcomes Maintenance



Outcomes

- Enter the Date of Last Contact
- F/U Notes is a free text field.
- Source may be entered for each occurrence (required in some states/optional in others)
- "Entered" and "Entered By" are auto-filled by CRStar.
- Date Cancer Status Last Changed is a manual entry.
- Survival Months is auto-calculated.
- If a Treatment Date is entered that is more current than the Date of Last Contact, the Treatment Date is copied here, along with the previous patient and cancer status.
- <u>Date of Last Contact</u> and <u>Patient Status</u> is copied to other primaries or for primaries shared in multiple facilities.

Letters

- To enter a <u>Following Physician</u>, enter the ID number or click the down arrow to search for the physician by name. The Physician Name will auto-fill.
- Letter Type is auto-filled when a letter is generated.
- The field "Default Letter Types based on" must be coded to the enhanced follow-up template.
- When a letter is generated the Date Sent will auto-fill.

Recurrence

- Enter the Date of Recurrence.
- Enter Recurrence Type by clicking on the down arrow.
- To add rows, click the **Add** button icon. To delete rows, click the **Delete** button icon.
- If Recurrence is unknown, enter 99/99/9999 for the date and 99 as Recurrence Type.
- If patient was never disease free, leave the date blank and enter 70 for Recurrence type.
- If the patient had a valid recurrence (local, regional, or distant) enter a valid date and the appropriate Recurrence type code.
- If Recurrence type is left blank, the field exports with a 00.

<u>Labs</u>

- Multi-valued fields to collect repeating <u>Lab Values</u> are provided.
- These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- The fields <u>Collected</u> and <u>Value</u> are free text fields.
- To add rows, click the **Add** button icon. To delete rows, click the **Delete** button icon.

State Specific - State Maintenance

If a state collects information not required by <u>NAACCR</u> or the <u>CoC</u>, CRStar provides a state screen to collect these data elements. The **State** screen follows the **Outcomes** screen.

Click Next or State Specific screen tab. State screens and the data collected vary from state to state.

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CPM - Accreditation Audit Screens

In order to assist programs with the required chart reviews and provide a way to report on this respective data, CRStar has added an audit screen to correspond with the American College of Surgeon's three cancer programs.

General Audit Screen Information

Audit screens have been designed for an easy point and click experience as you process through the medical record. The audit screen can be found in the **CPM**, **BPM**, and **RPM** tab along the top of the abstract.

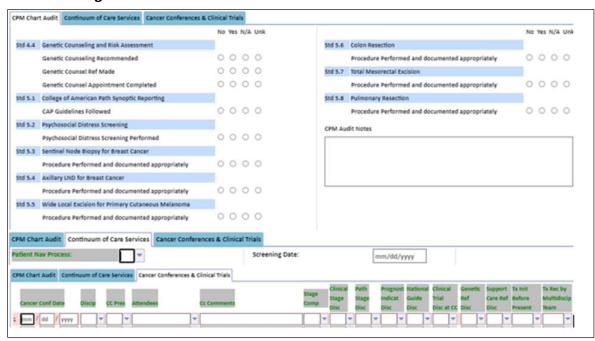


- To view help notes, select the applicable line, then choose the the screen.

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- Labels will include the standard number and the subsequent audit elements that fall within each standard.
- Users will notice that fields that previously resided on the accreditation screens (that are now part of the audit checklist), have been relocated from their previous positions to the audit screens.
- Audit note text fields have been added for each screen.
- Field index numbers for reporting have been added to the Illustrated and Excel lists found on the CRStar Resource page.
- Answer choices for each question include: No, Yes, N/A, Unk.

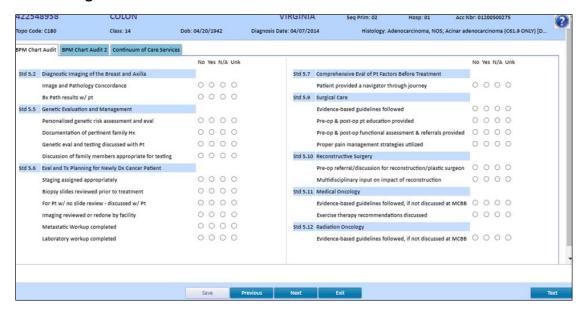
CPM - Cancer Program Maintenance



- An Accreditation Audit screen to collect, monitor, and report on cancer program standards has been provided.
- Answer choices for each question include: No, Yes, N/A, Unk.
- These fields are <u>not required and not exported to any standard setter</u>. They are extremely valuable for tracking and reporting on program standards and initiatives.
- <u>Cancer Conference</u> fields are multi-valued to collect multiple conferences.
- <u>Unknown Dates</u> may be used. For example, 99/99/9999, 99/99/2013, etc.
- Attendees and CC Comments are free-text fields.
- The user can code <u>staging completeness</u>, <u>clinical stage discussed</u>, and <u>national guidelines</u> discussed for individual conferences.
- Click the down arrow to select codes and descriptions. You must use the tabs to go from one screen to another.
- To add rows, click the **Add** button icon. To delete rows, click the **Delete** button icon.
- Clinical Trial fields are multi-valued to collect multiple trial information.
- <u>Trial Name</u> can be either free-text or codes, and descriptions can be set up in the Global Dictionary.
- <u>F/U (Following status)</u> is a user defined field and can have codes and descriptions set up in the Global Dictionary.
- Enter the <u>Tracking Physician's ID</u> number or click the drop-down arrow to look up the physician. Highlight the Physician name in the list and click to enter.
- Reason Withdrawn from Trial is a free-text field.

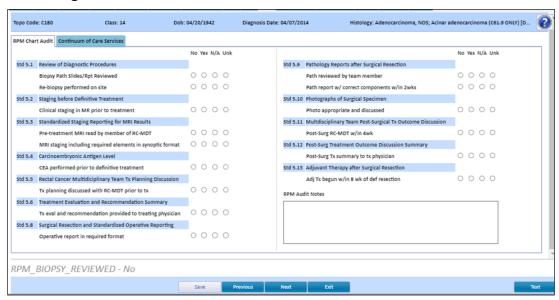
- An array of fields is available to collect <u>Continuum of Care</u> information. Click the dropdown for codes and descriptions.
- Five customizable <u>User Defined</u> fields are available to collect additional information. Please see "Chapter 6 System Administration" to set up User Defined fields.

BPM - Breast Program Maintenance



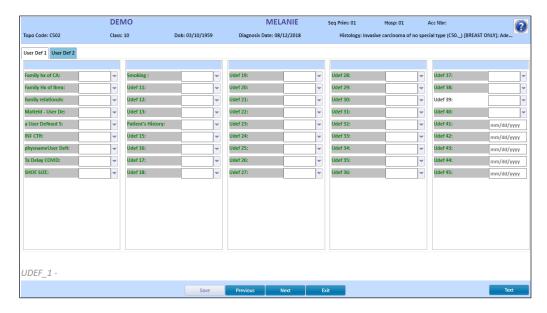
- Two <u>Accreditation Audit</u> screens to collect, monitor, and report on Breast Program standards has been provided.
- Answer choices for each question include: No, Yes, N/A, Unk.
- There are five <u>User Defined</u> screens. Use the tabs to go from one BPM screen to another.
- <u>These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter</u>. These are extremely valuable for tracking and reporting on program standards and initiatives.
- Click the down arrow to select codes and descriptions.
- Five <u>Customizable User Defined</u> fields are available to collect additional information. Please see "Chapter 6 System Administration" to set up User Defined fields.

RPM - Rectal Program Maintenance



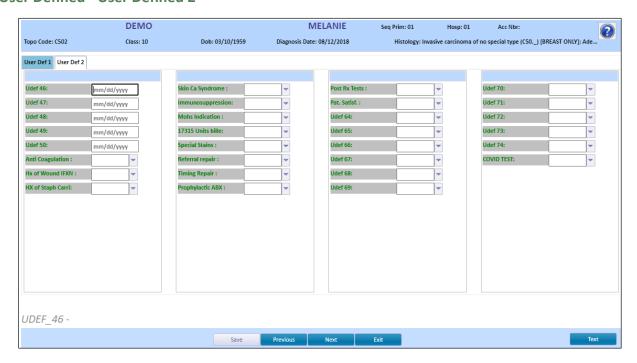
- A screen to collect, monitor and report on Rectal Program standards has been provided.
- Answer choices for each question include: No, Yes, N/A, Unk
- <u>These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter</u>. These are extremely valuable for tracking and reporting on program standards and initiatives.
- Click the down arrow to select codes and descriptions.
- <u>Five Customizable User Defined</u> fields are available to collect additional information. Please see "Chapter 6 System Administration" to set up User Defined fields.

User Defined - User Defined 1



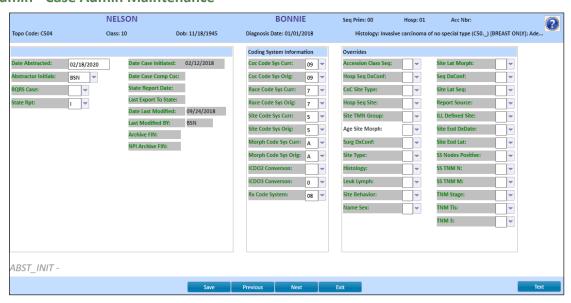
- There are two <u>User Defined</u> screens.
- These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- To select a screen, click on **User Def 1** or **User Def 2** at the top of the screen.
- While on the **User Def 1** tab, click **Next**. The system will bypass **User Def 2** and go to the <u>Case</u> Admin screen. You must use the tabs to go from one user defined screen to another.
- Dates are entered as MM/DD/YYYY. The cursor will auto advance from MM to DD to YYYY.
- Unknown dates can be entered. For example, 99/99/9999, 99/99/2013, etc.
- All the UDF fields, except the 10 date fields (41-50) can hold 50 characters.

User Defined - User Defined 2



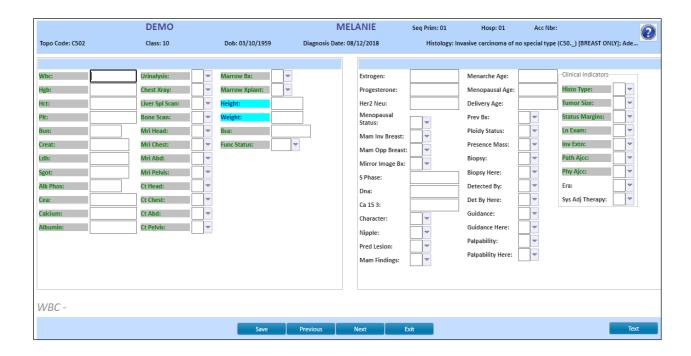
- These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.
- Seventy-five user defined fields are available for use.
- User Defined 41-50 are true date fields.
- · Field labels can be changed.
- Codes and descriptions can be created to fit the user's needs.
- All UDFs are available to use in the Reporting module.
- Help Notes can be created for each UDF.
- Color coding and required status may also be utilized.
- Please see "Chapter 6 System Administration" to set up User Defined fields.

Case Admin - Case Admin Maintenance



- Date Abstracted automatically fills with the current date.
- Abstractor's Initials will default based upon the user's login.
- RCRS Case field is a non-required field; however, it is helpful in tracking RCRS cases.
- <u>State Report</u> field allows the user to indicate if the case is reportable and ready to be submitted to the state, non-reportable, incomplete, etc. <u>This flag must be coded to a Y to be exported to the state</u>. *This field has no bearing on NCDB case selection*.
- When a population of cases has been submitted to the state, the Y will change to a T to indicate they have been transmitted and the date of the export will auto-fill on each case in the field State Report Date. This date will never be overwritten.
- If a case is re-exported for any reason, the date will auto-fill in the field Last Export to State.
- Date Case Initiated auto-fills when the case is entered manually or through a merge.
- <u>Date Case Comp Coc</u> auto-fills when all the fields required by the CoC are filled (depending on Class of Case).
- <u>Date Last Modified</u> and <u>Last Modified By</u> is auto-filled each time an existing record is updated/modified.
- <u>Last Export To State</u> records the most recent date the case has been re-exported.
- <u>CoC Coding Systems</u> are generally filled in based on diagnosis date and rarely need review or change. To access a field, click the down arrow.
- Overrides should be set only if edits are run and an edit indicates that a case must be reviewed and that an override is appropriate to set. Only set the override that is indicated in the edit error message.
- This screen is the last required screen of the abstract. Click Save. Click Quick Links to access the GenEdits box to run state specific edits, standard NAACCR edits, NCDB edits, and RCRS edits.
 After a correction is made to a field on any screen, click save and the Quick link to re-run the edit to ensure the edit cleared.

Clinical - Clinical Maintenance



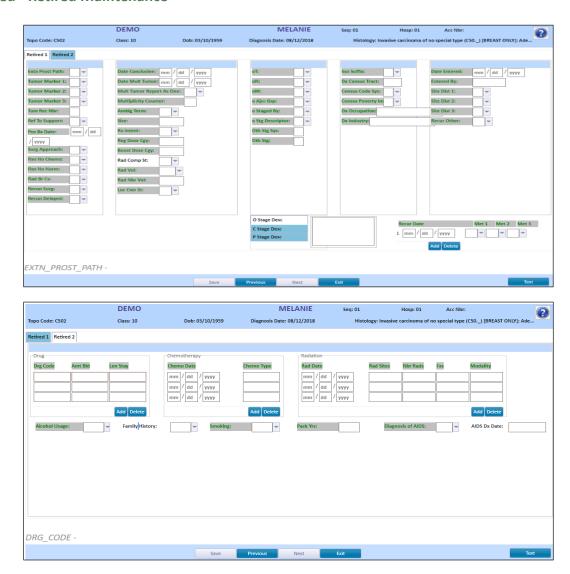
• These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.

Research - Research Maintenance



• These fields are not required and not exported to any standard setter.

Retired - Retired Maintenance



• These fields are no longer required and are only exported to a standard setter for applicable historical cases.

Rapid Abstract

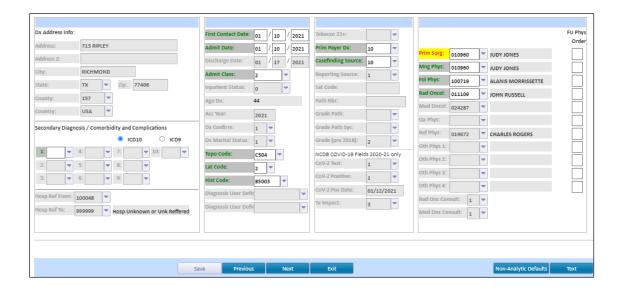
CRStar has a Rapid Abstract feature. The Rapid Abstract feature can streamline abstracting when facilities do not collect all fields. Facilities should consider their individual data collection needs to see if the Rapid Abstract is right for all cases or for collecting select cases. Possible uses of the feature beyond the full abstract may include state reporting only cases, non-analytic cases, reportable by agreement or special study cases.

Note: Users may view the same case in the full abstract as well as in the Rapid Abstract.

The Rapid Abstract enables users to disable fields either not required by a standard setter or not collected at the facility.

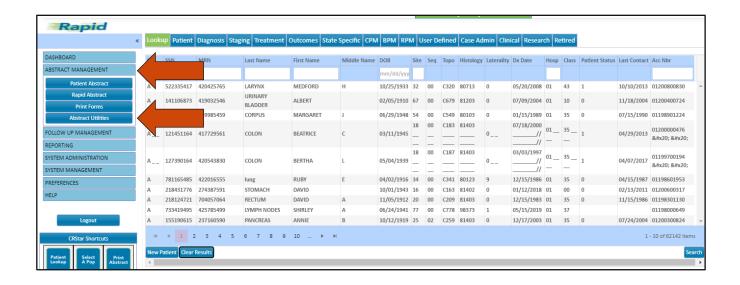
- When a field is "turned off," it greys out the field for an easy visual indicator.
- The user's cursor will skip any fields that have been excluded in the Rapid Abstract when tabbing through the fields.

Note: The Rapid Abstract tab activates on the Abstract Management Menu once a field has been set.

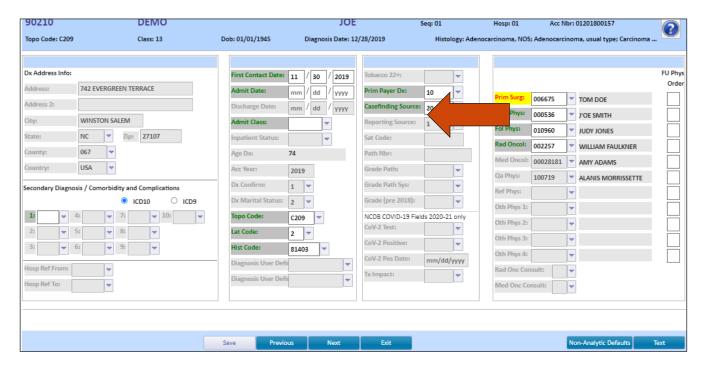


The Rapid Abstract is located under Abstract Management. When a user clicks the Rapid Abstract tab, the Rapid Icon will appear in the top left corner of the screen.

Note: At least one field needs to be disabled before the rapid tab is accessible.



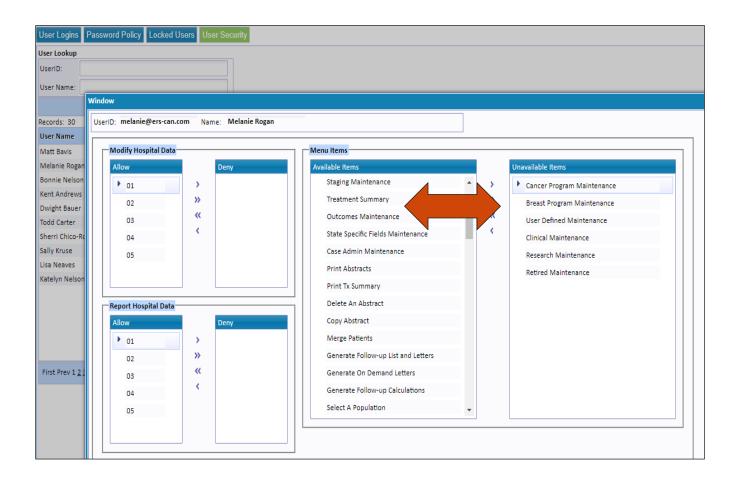
Below is an example of the Diagnosis Maintenance screen with the Rapid Abstract set up with desired fields disabled. Note: The Non-Analytic default is available in the Rapid Abstract.



Helpful Hints:

- In a multi-facility setting, the Rapid Abstract is set for all facilities.
- When excluding dates, the user must exclude the day, month, and year, which are separate field index numbers.
- Remember that entire screens of the abstract may be hidden if not collected per user by going to <u>System Admin</u>, <u>Security Maintenance</u>, and <u>User Security</u>.

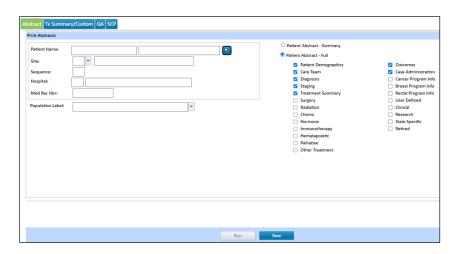
- When setting up the Rapid Abstract, use the CRStar Field Index Number Illustrated List as a guide. This document is located on the CRStar Resources page under the Reporting Insights.
- To disable fields, go to <u>System Admin</u>, <u>Utilities</u>, <u>Global Directory</u>.
- Both the Full Abstract and the Rapid Abstract can be utilized depending on the type of case.



Print Forms

Print Abstract

The Print Abstract function is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Print Forms</u>, and <u>Abstract</u>. This utility is also available within the abstract with the **Quick Links**.



- Click the magnifying glass to open the <u>Patient Lookup</u>. The patient may be searched by name, social security number, DOB, accession number, site code, hospital code, or medical record number. When searching, full or partial names and numbers may be used.
 Note Population Label will remain blank if printing an individual case.
- 2. Click the drop-down arrows beside the <u>Site</u>, <u>Sequence</u>, and <u>Hospital</u> number of the primary to print. Note: If only one primary exists in only one hospital, this can be left blank, click enter.
- 3. Choose either <u>Patient Abstract-Summary</u> or <u>Patient Abstract-Full</u>, which has many more screen options. When the full abstract option is chosen, the default of the screens to print are the required screens (demographics, care team, diagnosis, staging, treatment summary, outcomes, and case admin).
 - Caution: <u>Printing all screens will result in many pages</u>. Both versions may be viewed on screen and/or printed. The printed abstract of both options is in portrait format. To display with the shaded section headers, while in print preview go to more settings. Check the background graphics box.
- 4. Click RUN.
- 5. To print multiple abstracts at one time, the user may first select a population of cases under the Reporting tab.
 - NOTE: The program is written to print less than 300 cases at a time. The system will give the user a message that the population is too large to print.

Print TX Summary

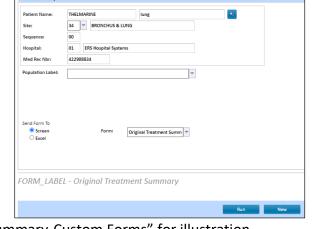
The <u>Treatment Summary</u> feature is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Print Forms</u>, and <u>TX</u> Summary\Custom. These can be printed individually or in a batch by selecting a population.

In addition to the <u>Treatment Summary</u> provided, the user can create custom forms that can be printed from this tab. This is addressed later in the instructions.

To print individual forms:

- 1. Click on the magnifying glass to do a Patient Lookup. Click on the desired patient name.
- 2. Use drop-down arrow to select which primary Site to print.
- 3. Use drop-down arrow to select the Form to print.
- 4. Choose to send the form to the Screen or Excel.

 Note: If Excel is chosen the form will default to the treatment summary. This is because the treatment summary is the only form that CRStar is providing and it is hard-coded in Excel. If the screen option is chosen and the user has created custom forms, those forms are available in the drop down. See "Print TX Su

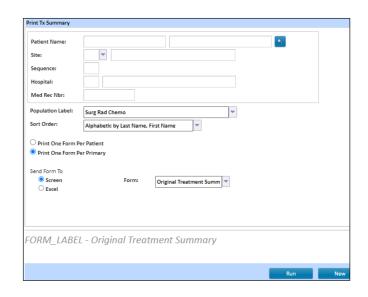


- forms are available in the drop down. See "Print TX Summary-Custom Forms" for illustration.

 5. Click Run. Depending on browser settings, either Excel will open automatically, or the user will
- receive a message to open or save the abstract to a specific location.
- 6. Once in Excel, the form may be modified, saved, or printed.

To print population of forms:

- 1. First select a population of cases, under the Reporting tab.
- 2. Use the drop-down arrow to click and choose the Population of cases to print.
- 3. Choose a Sort order. The default is alphabetic, but other choices are available by clicking on the drop-down arrow.
- 4. Choose the appropriate radio button for what to print.
 - a) Print one form per patient will only print one form even if the patient has multiple primaries. In doing so, the program first looks at the sort option. Then selects the first patient that it finds. This is based on



the first case entered in to CRStar; usually, but not always being the first primary. Some examples of when the user might select one form for patient would be things that are patient driven and not primary driven.

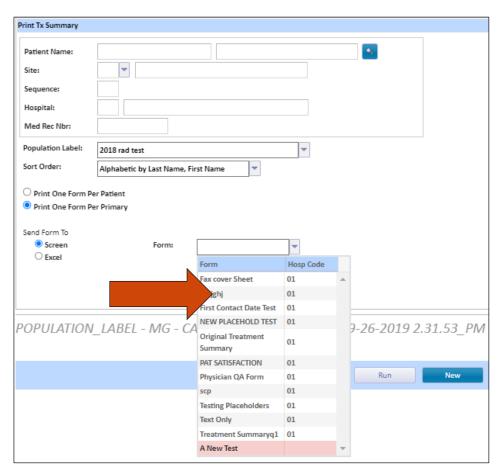
Two examples: If the user created a patient satisfaction survey or a patient registration form for a screening, clinical trial, or special study.

- b) <u>Print one form per primary</u> will print a form for each primary that exist for that patient within the population selected.
- 5. Choose to send the form to the Screen or Excel.

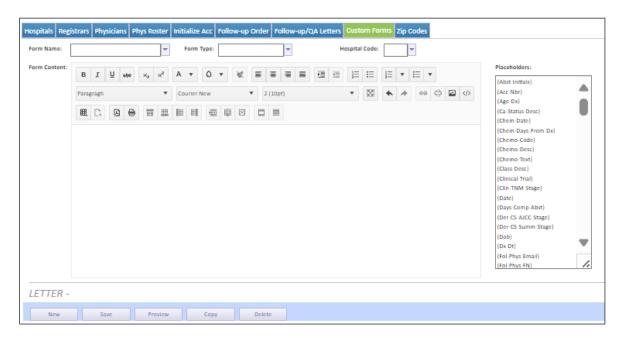
Note: If Excel is chosen the form will default to the treatment summary. This is because the treatment summary is the only form that CRStar is providing and it is hard coded in Excel. If the screen option is chosen and the user has created custom forms, those forms are then available in the drop down. "Print TX Summary-Custom Forms" for illustration.

- 6. Click Run. Dependent on browser, Excel will open automatically.
- 7. Once in Excel, the form may be modified, saved, or printed.

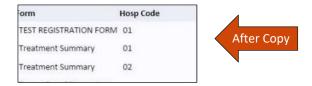
When the screen option is chosen, other form templates the user may have created are visible from the drop down as shown below.



The Treatment Summary template can be found under <u>Systems Management</u>, then Custom Forms tab. Click on the arrow to display the drop-down menu. Note: There is one Treatment Summary labeled Hospital 01. In a multi-facility system, this template can be used for all facilities. The only time the user would need one per facility would be if different facilities wanted to modify the template to meet their own needs. The template can be copied from one facility to another and then modified as shown below.



- 1. Click on the form name and select the form to copy. In this example, Treatment Summary Hosp Code 01.
- 2. Choose the copy feature.
- 3. Enter a new form name and the hospital code to copy to.
- 4. Click OK.



Important: <u>Follow-Up letters and the Forms share the same table</u>. If a Follow-Up letter already exists, for example named Treatment Summary, the Form must be given a different name and vice versa.

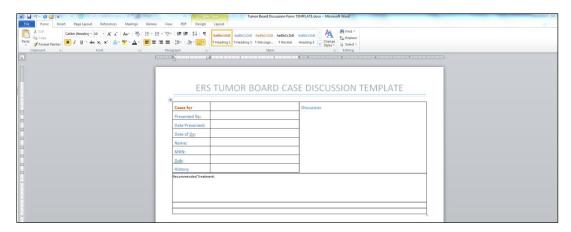
If not given a different name, the form will not copy.

Print TX Summary – Custom Forms

Users can create Custom Forms. Forms may be created in Word in a table format and copied into the form template.

Note: When creating a table in Word, it is suggested to <u>make all updates to the table prior to copying into the form template</u> in CRStar. Below is an example of creating a table in Word and copying it into the form template. This is an example of the Tumor Board Case Discussion form.

After the form template has been created in Word:

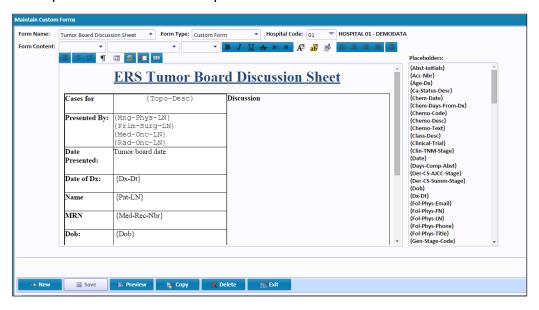


- 1. Copy the form in Word.
- 2. Go to Systems Management, then Custom Forms.
- 3. Enter a form name and the appropriate hospital code.
- 4. Paste into the body of the form template in CRStar.

Special Note: It is ok to copy letter templates from Word, but when doing so the whole letter should be copied at the same time so it all has the same hidden formatting. Hidden formatting can cause issues, for example, if someone enters the header in CRStar, but then copies a block of text from Word, then goes back to editing in CRStar. Word uses formatting different from regular HTML, so our advice is that whenever a letter template is going to be copied from Word, be sure to copy the whole letter template and not just cut portions of the letter from different sources. If the whole letter was not copied and pasted and the letters are not printing correctly, to fix the issue, copy the template to Notepad which strips out all the hidden formatting, and then copy back to CRStar. This could be useful if the user has changed the font to something other than Courier New and later decide to change back to Courier New. They can start from a clean slate by copying from Notepad.

- 5. Customize as needed, changing fonts, size, colors, etc.
- 6. Place holders are provided for fields that exist in the abstract to auto-fill into the form. The user can drag and drop a placeholder to a certain location or copy and paste.
- 7. Use Preview to see how the form will look when printed.
- 8. Click Save.

The form template after it has been copied from Word:

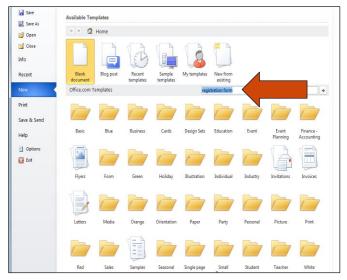


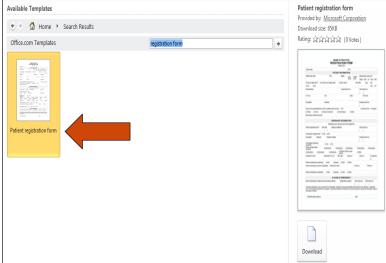
The form after it has been printed:

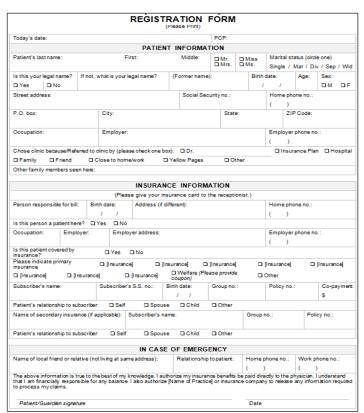
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Helpful Hint:

There are many templates available in Microsoft Word. Use these forms as a basic template and customize and save to meet individual needs. These template folders can be searched for various types of templates. See below.







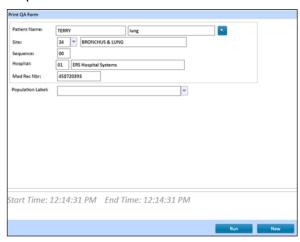
This is an example of a Registration Form
Template that could be customized in Word and
saved as a Custom Form in CRStar.

Special Note: When using letter templates from Word, the entire letter template must be used to retain the hidden format. HTML formatting differs from offline formatting and can create errors. An example is entering a header in CRStar and then copying a block of text from Word and editing that text in CRStar. If there is hidden formatting creating issues, copy the template to Notepad which strips out all the hidden formatting. Once hidden formatting is stripped, copy, and paste the text back into CRStar. (This step is useful if the user has changed the font to something other than Courier New and then decides to return to Courier New.)

Print QA Form

The QA Form feature is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Print Forms</u>, and <u>QA</u>. These can be printed individually or in a batch by selecting a population.

To print forms:

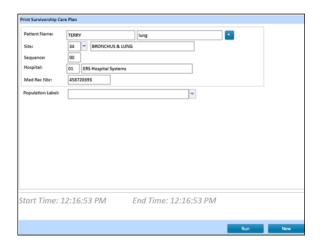


- 1. Click on the magnifying glass to do a <u>Patient</u> <u>Lookup</u>, click on the desired patient name.
- 2. Use drop-down arrow to select which primary Site to print.
- 3. After the patient or population has been selected, click **Run**.
- 4. The QA form auto populates the screen.
- 5. The QA form can be printed or saved as a PDF document.

Print Survival Care Plan

The SCP Form feature is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Print Forms</u>, and <u>SCP</u>. These can be printed individually or in a batch by selecting a population. For more information, please see the Insight titled "NEW Survivorship Care Plan" under the Abstracting Category located on the CRStar Resource page. A link to the Resource Page is available under the "Help" menu in CRStar.

To print SCP:



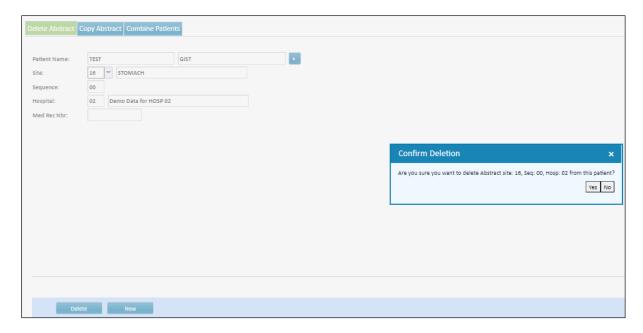
- 1. Click on the magnifying glass to do a <u>Patient</u> Lookup, click on the desired patient name.
- 2. Use drop down arrow to select which primary <u>Site</u> to print.
- 3. After the patient or population has been selected, click **Run**.
- 4. The SCP form auto populates to the screen.
- 5. All fields are editable from the screen prior to printing.
- 6. Check boxes are active and can be checked on the screen prior to printing.
- 7. The SCP form can be printed or saved as a PDF document.



Abstract Utilities

Delete Abstract

The Delete an Abstract utility is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Abstracting Utilities</u>, and <u>Delete Abstract</u>.



- 1. Click the search icon to display the lookup and then select patient. The patient may be searched by name, social security number, DOB, accession number, or medical record number. When searching, enter partial names, dates, or accession numbers. For example, when entering SM for a name, the system will search for any last name beginning with SM. If 012022 is entered in the accession number search field, the search will bring up all 2022 cases.

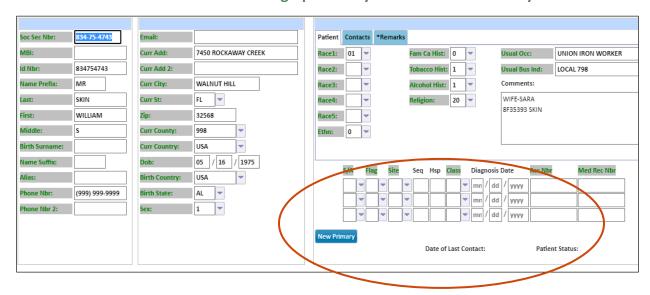
 Important: Remember to enter the hospital number before the accession number.
- 2. Click the drop down to display all the patient's primaries and hospitals if they are a multi-facility. Choose the abstract to delete. If site and sequence is not filled out, the entire patient is deleted from the database.
- 3. Click **Delete**.
- 4. A message pops up as shown to alert the user the case is going to be deleted. Caution: If deleting a case that has more than one primary, please ensure that the message popup states the patient's Site, Sequence, and correct Hosp. If the message only states the patient MR#, all cases belonging to that MR# will be deleted. It is especially important when entering the case identifiers on the patient screen that the site, sequence, and hospital code are entered. These key fields identify which case should be deleted.

5. To continue, click **OK**.

Please note:

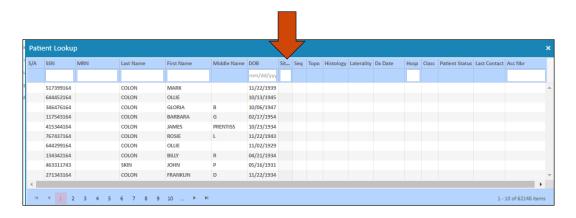
- If a patient has an abstract record and Suspense Record and you only want to delete the Suspense Record, use the **Delete** button on the primary grid of the <u>Patient Maintenance</u> screen and click **Save**.
- If you want to delete an entire record, demographics and all, use the **Delete an Abstract** function under <u>Abstract Utilities</u>.
- Please watch the video titled "Delete Abstract" located in the Abstract Management Section of the Video Library located on the CRStar Resource page. A link to the Resource Page is available under the "Help" menu in CRStar.

How to Find and Delete Cases with Demographics Only - No Associated Primary Site



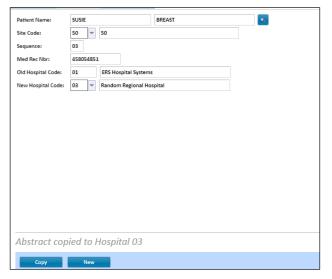
- 1. Click Abstract Management Tab.
- 2. Click Abstract Utilities Tab.
- 3. Click <u>Delete Abstract</u> Tab.
- 4. Click magnifying glass to do a lookup.
- 5. Click on the <u>Site</u> in the top blue bar to sort by site.

 Note: The ones without a site will appear on the top.
- 6. Click and delete each one that comes up without a site.



Copy Abstract

The Copy Abstract utility is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Abstracting Utilities</u>, and <u>Copy</u> Abstract.



- 1. Click the magnifying glass for the patient lookup. The patient may be searched by name, social security number, DOB, accession number, site code, hospital code or medical record number. When searching, the full or partial names and numbers may be used. The patient may be searched by name, social security number, DOB, accession number or medical record number. Important:

 Remember to enter the hospital number before the accession number.
- 2. Click the drop down to display all the patient's primaries and hospitals if they are a multi-facility. Choose the abstract to copy.
- 3. In <u>New Hospital Code</u> enter the facility number to copy the abstract into.
- 4. Click Run.

NOTE: Once the abstract has been copied into the new facility, it is necessary to fill in the hospital specific fields in the new abstract to complete the abstract:

- Class of Case
- Accession Number
- Medical Record Number
- Secondary Diagnosis/Comorbidity & Complications
- Hospital Referred to and From
- First Contact Date
- Accession Year
- Surgical Approach 2010
- Radiation Location
- Date Abstracted
- Abstractor initials
- State Report Flag

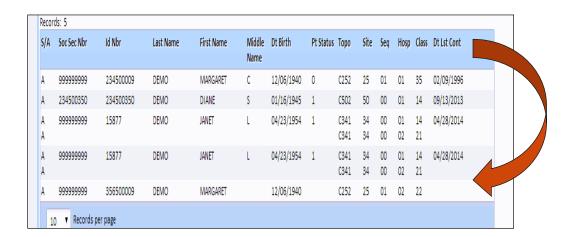
Combine Patients

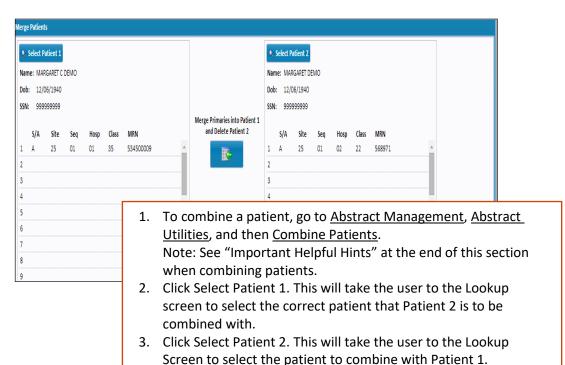
The Combine Patients utility is located under <u>Abstract Management</u>, <u>Abstracting Utilities</u>, and <u>Combine</u> Patients.

If a patient has accidently been entered in the database multiple times, creating duplicate cases, these cases can be combined. The Combine feature is in the <u>Abstract</u> Management Module under the Abstract Utilities tab and Combine Patients.

For example, Margaret Demo has been entered twice for the same primary but for two hospitals. These abstracts need to be combined for one patient record.

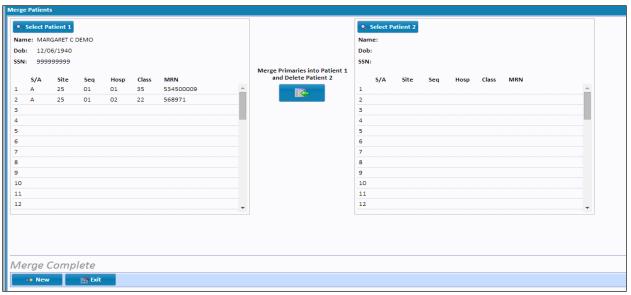
Note: When running a merge, import, or disease index, the system creates a duplicate case if the SSN or DOB differs at all or if the name is not spelled exactly the same dependent on the patient identifier settings for individual Imports.

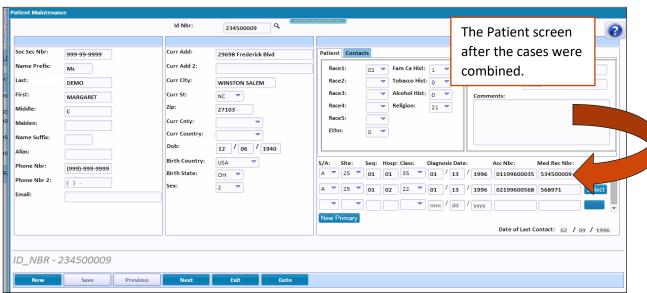




and Delete Patient 2.

4. In the middle of the screen, click Merge Primaries into Patient 1





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Important Helpful Hints When Combining Patients

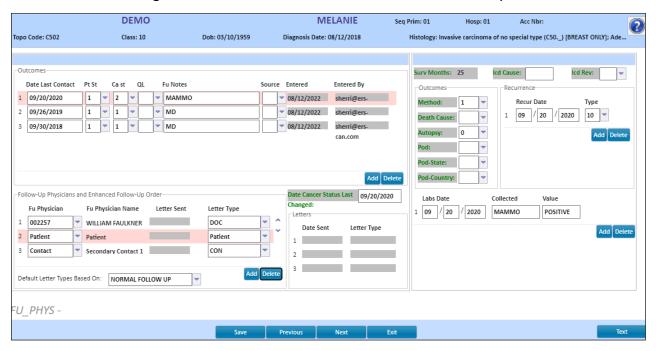
- When combining cases together, the system is merging primaries to eliminate duplicate cases. <u>It</u> is important for the user to rigorously evaluate which patient should be kept and which should be combined and deleted.
- It is very important to ensure that the patients being combined are the same patient and not different patients.
- Only one patient can be combined at a time.
- Patient 1 should be considered the patient to keep.
- Patient 2 is the patient that is combined with patient 1 and deleted.
- If the user is trying to combine two patients and either the name, DOB, or Social Security # do not match, a warning message will pop up. The user should review the case to ensure that it is the same patient.
- Any information the user wishes to retain from the Patient screen for Patient 2 should be
 entered on the Patient screen for Patient 1 prior to combining. For example, if the user wishes
 to retain the Comments from Patient 2, they can be copied and pasted into the comment field
 for Patient 1.
- All screens are primary specific. Any information past the Patient screen will copy over or combine as is.
- After combining a case, review treatment and follow up information for same primaries shared between hospitals.
- Review sequence numbers for accuracy after combining patients.
- A back-up is not required before combining patients. This feature is not deleting the abstract, but rather combining the primaries together. The only information that is deleted is the information on the patient screen of Patient 2.

Chapter 4: Follow-Up Management

- Follow Up
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Follow-Up

Special Note: The <u>Method</u> field located on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance Screen</u> of the patient abstract is one of the determining factors of whether a case is included in the follow-up list or letters.



These cases are included in both the Letters and FU List - if Method coded to:

- 1 Physician Letter
- 2 Patient Letter

FU List includes.
Method coded to:
Blank, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

These cases are included in FU List but not Letters - if Method coded to:

Blank

- **O Chart Requisition**
- 3 Phone Call
- 4 Other Hospital Contact
- 5 Other

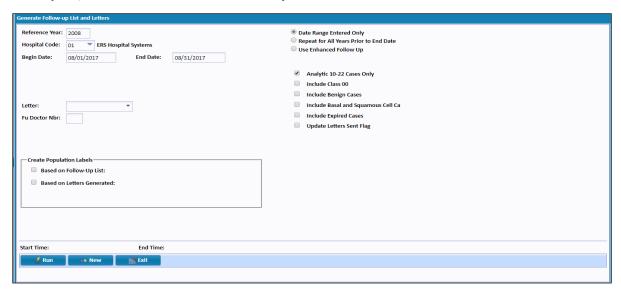
These cases do not appear in List or Letters - if Method coded to:

- 8 Foreign Residents
- 9 Not Followed

These cases are included in Lost To Follow Up Calculations and Lost Lists per COC standards.

Note: See page 84 for detailed information on the calculation.

Follow-Up - F/U Letters - Generate Follow-up List and Letters



- 1. Select the appropriate facility from the Facility Selection Drop-Down Bar.
- 2. Click on Follow-Up.
- 3. Click F/U Letters Tab.
- 4. Enter Reference Year to exclude all cases with accession year prior to facility's reference year. If this field is left blank, all eligible cases in the database are included.
- 5. Enter the Hospital Code.
- 6. Enter the Begin Date and End Date* of the timeframe requested to generate Follow-up List and/or Letters. (example: 08/01/2017 to 08/31/2017).
- 7. <u>Letter</u> Leave blank and the list and letters are based off the Method. To force which type of letter is sent, click the down arrow to choose the type of letter to be sent. This will override whatever is listed in the <u>Method</u> field and will send the letter specified regardless of what is coded in the Method.
- 8. <u>Fu Doctor Nbr</u> Leave blank and all physicians listed on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract will get a letter printed. To specify which physician should receive a letter, enter 1 to send letter to only the first doctor listed on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract, 2 to send to the second doctor listed in the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract, and so on.
- 9. Create Population Labels
 - a. <u>Based on Follow-Up List</u>, if checked A population of cases is created for the eligible cases on the follow-up list. (Those eligible cases whose Method is coded to Blank, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5). Must enter the name of the population to be created.
 - b. <u>Based on Letters Generated</u>, if checked A population of cases used for printing labels is created. These labels consist of physician, contact, and patient labels. If a physician has multiple letters, only <u>one</u> label per physician will print. There are 3 labels per row. The list of

cases is created for the eligible cases that will receive letters. (Those eligible cases whose Method coded 1, 2). Must enter the name of the population to be created.

- 10. Select type of Date Range. *Date Range = Date of Last Contact.
 - a. <u>Date Range Entered Only</u> Only selects eligible cases whose date of last contact is between the Begin Date and End Date. (In this example eligible cases whose date of last contact is in August 2017 are selected.)
 - b. Repeat for All Years Sselects cases for the month listed in Begin and End Date for the current year all the way back to the reference year.
 In this example if today's date was in the year 2018, eligible cases whose date of last contact is in August 2018+ August 2017+ August 2016+ August 2015+ August 2014+August 2013+August 2012, etc. back to August 2008 are selected.
 - c. Repeat for All Years Prior to End Date Selects cases for the months listed in Begin and End Date for each year all the way back to the reference year.
 In this example eligible cases whose date of last contact is in August 2017+ August 2016+ August 2015+ August 2014+, back to August 2008 are selected.
 - d. <u>Use Enhanced Follow-Up</u> Selects eligible cases within a 4-month range. Letters are generated based on the "Enhanced Follow-Up Order" on the Outcomes Maintenance Screen.

Note: Please refer to "Enhanced Follow-Up" section of the manual for more details.

11. Select Option(s) for Cases to be included in the follow up process. The options chosen depend upon the needs of the facility.

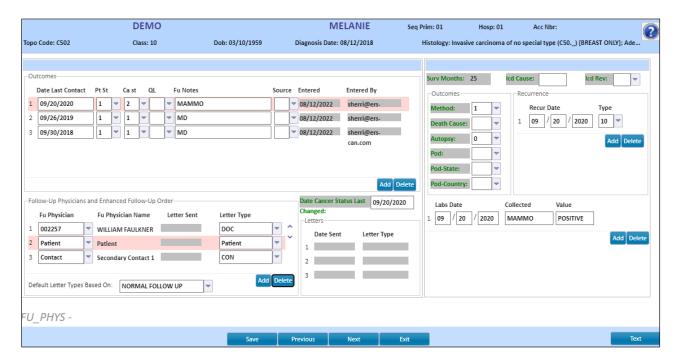
REMINDER: Letters and lists are also dependent on what is coded in the <u>Method</u> field on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the abstract.

- a. Analytic 10-22 Cases Only These are cases required to be followed by the CoC.
- b. <u>Include Class 00</u> The CoC does not require that these cases be followed, inclusion of these cases in follow-up procedures is strictly up to the facility. Whether these cases are lost or found has no effect on the Lost to Follow-Up Calculations. <u>These cases are excluded from Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations</u>.
- c. <u>Include Benign Cases</u> The CoC does not require that these cases be followed, inclusion of these cases in follow-up procedures is strictly up to the facility. Whether these cases are lost or found has no effect on the Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations. <u>These cases are excluded from Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations</u>.
- d. <u>Include Basal and Squamous Cell Ca</u> The CoC does not require that these cases be followed, inclusion of these cases in follow up procedures is strictly up to the facility. Whether these cases are lost or found has no effect on the Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations. <u>These cases are</u> excluded from Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations.
- e. <u>Include Expired Cases</u> Check this box to include expired patients.
- 12. Select Run.
- 13. The Status Box will appear showing the progress of the request. Use the **Cancel** button to cancel the process.

- 14. When the process is complete, a pop-up box will appear with a copy of the Letters and List.

 Toggle between the two reports by clicking on either <u>List</u> or <u>Letters</u> at the bottom of the pop-up box.
- 15. Option to **Print**, **Data Xfer** to Excel, or **Exit**.
 - a. **Print** sends either the List or the Letters to the printer, depending upon which is viewed. SPECIAL NOTE: Note on the bottom right of the pop-up box the <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u> option.
 - i. If viewing Letters, the default is set to <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u> once the Letters Print.
 - ii. If viewing List, the default is <u>not set to Update Letters Sent Flag</u>, is not updated if the list is printed, or if the Data is transferred to Excel unless the box is clicked/checked.
 - b. **Data Xfer** downloads the List/Letters Excel document. Note: The steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type.
 - i. One tab of the Excel Spreadsheet titled "Letters Data," displays a list of the cases to receive letters. (Eligible cases that method is coded to 1, 2).
 - ii. The other tab of the Excel Spreadsheet titled "Follow-Up List" displays a list of the cases due for follow up. (Eligible cases that method is coded to a Blank, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5).
 - iii. If using Enhanced Follow-Up, another tab of the Excel spreadsheet titled "No Additional Contacts," displays a list of the cases due for follow-up that have no additional contacts available. (Be sure to work this list to make sure additional contacts are coded on the Outcomes Screen of the individual records if possible.)
- 16. **Exit** exits the process.

Enhanced Follow-Up



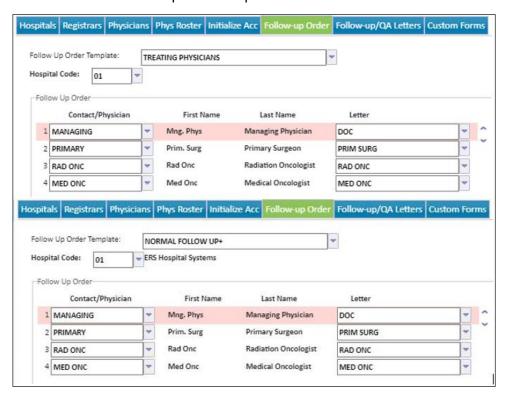
- If using Enhanced Follow-Up, it is suggested, if possible, four physicians/contacts be listed in the <u>FU Physician</u> Fields of the <u>Outcomes Maintenance Screen</u> of the patient abstract. When using Enhanced Follow-Up, four entries will give the greatest opportunity for collecting follow-up and keeping the case from going on the "Cases with No Additional Contact" list and quite possibly the "Lost" list after that.
- The field <u>Default Letter Types based on</u> must be coded to the enhanced follow-up template to order the physicians in the order selected for that template.
 - Enter the individual FU Physician codes by clicking on the down arrow, then entering the Physicians last name in the Description box and clicking on the selection.
 - o Enter Patient for a patient letter to be sent to the patient.
 - Enter Contact1, Contact2, Contact3, etc. for a contact letter to be sent to the corresponding Contacts listed in the <u>Patient Maintenance</u> screen of the abstract.

To create an **Enhanced Follow-Up Template**, from the main menu, go to **Systems Management**, then the <u>Follow-up Order</u> tab. The user may enter as many templates as desired, and up to four contacts for each template.

- 1. Name the template by typing in the field directly. If a template already exists and the user wishes to modify it, it can be chosen from the drop-down.
- 2. Enter the hospital code.
- 3. Enter the contacts in the order in which they will be scheduled. Up to four lines.

- 4. The user may type in MANAGING or MAN and tab through the fields and the first and last name will auto fill. Other examples FOL or FOLLOWING, RAD or RADONC, etc.
- 5. Click Save.

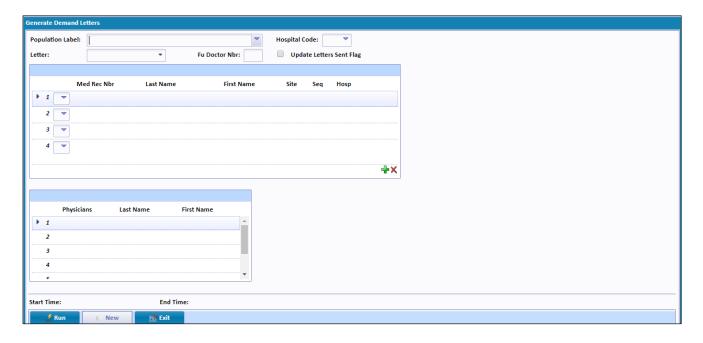
Below are two examples of templates:



Generate Follow-u	ıp List and Letters				
Reference Year: Hospital Code:		pital Systems		○ R	ate Range Entered Only epeat for All Years Prior to End Date se Enhanced Follow Up
Begin Date:	08/01/2017	End Date:	08/31/2017		se cimuneca ronow op
+	07/01/2017	to	07/31/2017	•	Analytic 10-22 Cases Only
+	06/01/2017	to	06/30/2017		Include Class 00
+	05/01/2017	to	05/31/2017		Include Benign Cases
					Include Basal and Squamous Cell Ca
					Include Expired Cases
					Update Letters Sent Flag
Create Popula					
	Follow-Up List:				
Based on	Based on Letters Generated:				
Start Time:		End Time:			
₫ Run	>* New	EX Exit			

- <u>Use Enhanced Follow-Up</u> Selects eligible cases within a 4-month range. Letters are generated based on the "Enhanced Follow-Up Order" on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance Screen</u>.
 - Eligible Cases with last contact in the first line of the Begin/End box will have letters sent to whoever is listed in the first line of the Fu Physicians box on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance Screen</u>.
 - Eligible Cases with last contact in the second line of the Begin/End box will have letters sent to whoever is listed in the second line of the Fu Physicians box on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> <u>Screen</u>.
 - Eligible Cases with last contact in the third line of the Begin/End box will have letters sent to whoever is listed in the third line of the Fu Physicians box on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> <u>Screen</u>.
 - Eligible Cases with last contact in the fourth line of the Begin/End box will have letters sent to whoever is listed in the fourth line of the Fu Physicians box on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> <u>Screen</u>.

Follow-Up - On-Demand - Generate Demand Letters



- 1. Select the appropriate facility from the Facility Selection Drop Down Bar.
- 2. Click on Follow-Up Tab.
- 3. Click on <u>Demand</u> Tab.
- 4. Choose a previously selected Population Label *or* manually enter the MR Number of the patient(s) to receive a letter.
- 5. If manually demanding a letter for individual cases, either enter the MR number directly into the MR Number field *or* click on the arrow and do a search for the patient case to receive a letter. Highlight the chosen case and the information auto-defaults in the box.
- 6. Enter the Hospital Code.
- 7. Clicking the box to <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u> auto-fills the date of letter sent.
- 8. Choose the type of Letter to be printed for the selected case(s). It will override whatever is coded in Method in the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the abstract. Leave Letter blank and it will default to the Method coded in the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract.
- 9. <u>Fu Doctor Nbr</u> Leave blank and all physicians listed on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract will have a letter printed. To specify which physician should receive a letter, enter 1 to send a letter to only the first doctor listed on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract, 2 to send to the second doctor listed in the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract, and so on.
- 10. <u>Special Note</u>: If demanding a letter from individual cases, the box at the bottom will show the physicians listed on the <u>Outcomes Maintenance</u> page of the patient abstract for the ID Number selected. To add or delete more lines for case selection, use the "+" or "X" buttons. If demand letter is from a population, the Physicians box will remain blank.
- 11. Select Run.

- 12. The Status Box will appear showing the progress of the request. Users may hit the **Cancel** button to cancel the process.
- 13. When the process is complete a pop-up box appears with a copy of the Letters and List. Toggle between the two by clicking on either List or Letters at the bottom of the pop-up box.
- 14. Option to **Print**, **Data Xfer** to Excel.
 - a. **Print** sends either the List or the Letters to the printer, depending upon which is being viewed.

SPECIAL NOTE: Notice on the bottom right of the pop-up box the <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u> option.

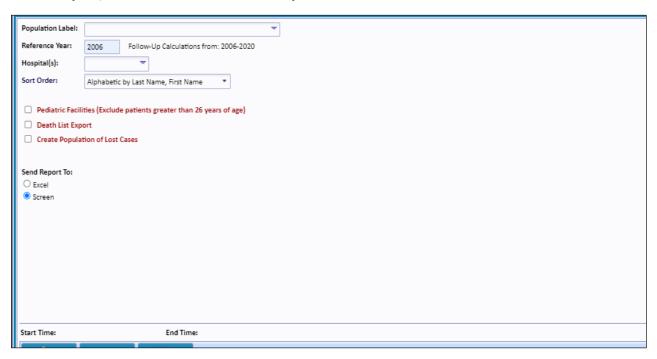
- If viewing Letters, the default is set to <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u> once the Letters Print.
- ii. If viewing List, the default is not set to <u>Update Letters Sent Flag</u>, Letters Sent field is not updated if the list is printed or if the Data is transferred to Excel unless the box is clicked/checked.
- b. Data Xfer downloads the List/Letters Excel Document.

Note: The steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type.

- i. The first tab of the Excel Spreadsheet titled <u>Letters Data</u> displays a list of the cases to receive letters.
- ii. The next tab of the Excel Spreadsheet titled <u>Follow-Up List</u> displays a list of the cases to receive letters.
- 15. Click the X at the top of the pop-up box to exit.

Tip: This screen is accessible via the shortcuts on the main screen. Or, within the abstract, by clicking the << at the top right of the screen to bring up the **Quick Links**, then click on the mail icon.

Follow-Up - F/U Calcs - Generate Follow-Up Calculations



- 1. Click Follow-Up Management tab.
- 2. Click Follow-Up tab.
- 3. Click F/U Calcs tab.
- 4. Enter Reference Year.

Note: Calculates from three years before the current calendar year.

- 5. Enter the Hospital Code(s) or leave *blank* to select all cases from *all* hospitals. To enter multiple facilities at one time, enter the facility number followed by a comma, no spaces, then enter the other facility/facilities.
- 6. Choose the <u>Population Label</u> if requesting follow-up calculations from a previously selected population, otherwise leave *blank*.
- 7. <u>Sort Order</u> will auto-default to Alphabetic by Last Name, First Name. To change the sort order, choose other options available.
 - a. Alphabetic by Last Name, First Name
 - b. Numeric by Social Security Number
 - c. Numeric by Medical Record Number
 - d. By Date of Last Contact
 - e. By Hospital Code
- 8. Click <u>Pediatric Facilities</u> (exclude patients greater than 26 years of age) box, if running Lost-to-Follow-Up Calculations for a Pediatric Facility, otherwise *do not check*.
- 9. Click the Lost List radio button to review a list of lost cases. Print list or Exit.
- 10. Click <u>Death List Export</u> if sending cases to other sources for follow-up information, otherwise *do not check*.

- a. If this option is checked after the report is run and lists are created, a small Icon titled "Download Deathlist" appears on the screen next to the <u>Death List Export</u> choice. Click on that icon and the report pops up in Notepad. Save this file to send to other sources for follow-up information. <u>Follow facilities HIPAA procedures before exporting PHI to</u> outside sources.
- 11. Click <u>Create Population of Lost Cases</u> if the creation of a population of Lost Cases is desired, otherwise *do not check*.
 - a. If this option is checked the <u>Lost Population Label</u> box will appear. To create the population, a name must be entered.
- 12. Check desired output of report. Click either **Excel** or **Screen**.
- 13. Click **Run**. The Status Box will appear showing the progress of the request. Click the **Cancel** button to cancel the process.
- 14. The report will appear.
 - a. **Excel** option downloads the Lost-to-Follow-Up Documents. The steps to open or save the Excel document will depend on what browser the client is using.
 - i. The first tab of the Excel Spreadsheet displays the Lost-to-Follow-Up Report.
 - ii. The second tab displays the Lost-to-Follow-Up List of cases.
 - b. Screen option downloads Lost-to-Follow-Up Documents to a pop-up box on the screen. Toggle between the two reports by clicking on either Follow-Up Report or Lost List at the bottom of the pop-up box. Click the Print option to print the chosen reports directly from the screen. Click Exit to close the pop-up box.
- 15. Click **Exit** to close the Generate Follow-Up Calculations Process.

Note: The Lost-to-Follow-Up calculations and list look at the criteria set by the CoC for cases to be included for follow-up, based on Class of Case (Only Analytic Cases), etc. The cases are included in both the list and calculation regardless of what the method of follow-up is coded to on the <u>Outcomes</u> screen.

Additional Notes:

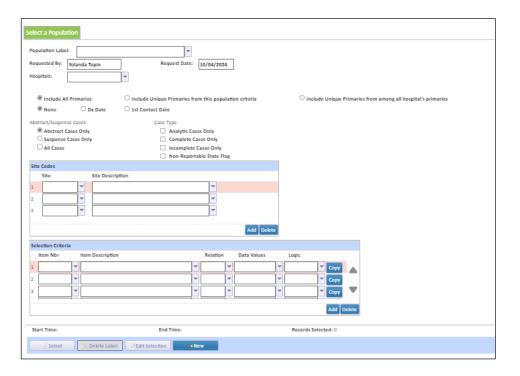
- Counts # of People, not # of Tumors.
- Calculations are based on the month of last contact.
- Only runs calculations on Abstracted Cases.
- Population based on (Diagnosis Date \geq 01/01/Ref Year) and (Accession Year \geq Ref Year)
 - o If Accession Year is *blank*, case is excluded.
- The Long Term Range is calculated using a rolling 15-year period where the "Most current year of completed cases" is defined as cases diagnosed 3 years before the current calendar year. The Short Term Range is calculated using a rolling 5-year period (where the current year is 3 years before the current calendar year).
- If running Lost to FU on a population, and a reference year <u>is not</u> entered, calculations will only reflect cases with Accession Years as displayed on the screen.
- Benign Case Category
 - Primary is Benign if Dx Year <2004 and (Site _code = 70,71,72 or Topography code = C751, C752, C753) And Behavior Code = 0,1) OR Histology = 80772,81482).
- Pediatric facilities exclude Alive patients whose age is >=27.
- Improper Date of Last Contact will result in a case being considered Lost to Follow-Up.

Chapter 5: Enhanced Reporting

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Select a Population



Selecting a population is a process used to identify and retain cases in an electronic queue. Case information is not displayed until the user utilizes the multiple reports in CRStar. The **Select a Population** function must be run to generate reports or graphs. With each selection, the population identifies all cases meeting the criteria. Select populations may be created in the <u>Select a Population</u> tab or on the same screen where the report features are selected. When a population in <u>Select a Population</u> yields 0 cases, that population is not available in the population list for reports under the tabs of:

- List Pop
- Graph Pop
- Xtab

If the user does not wish to include additional cases, do not re-select the population before running canned report.

- 1. **Select A Population for Reporting** Click on Enhanced Reporting Tab, then Select a Population tab.
 - a. Either Select a Pop Label: Click on \downarrow (down arrow) a complete list of all previously saved populations appears on the screen highlight selection.
 - b. Or, if this is a new request, type in the name of population at <u>Population Label</u> (i.e. 2016 Analytical Cases ERS HSP).
 - Note: Special characters such as dashes, quotes, etc. should not be used when naming a population label.
- 2. **New Label** Does not appear unless the user chooses a previously selected population. This is used for selecting a sub-population. (i.e. 2016 Analytical Cases has been selected to select a

- sub-population of male cases type in new label 2016 Males and add item number 9 SEX = 1 then click select a new population is selected on 2016 males).
- 3. **Request Date** System will auto-fill the date. <u>Important</u>: Users can Generate a Request Log of these populations by clicking on the Admin tab under the Enhanced Reporting tab.
- 4. **Requested By** The system will auto-fill based upon user log-in, user may also type name of requester directly over the auto-filled data. This information prints out under Request Log.
- 5. **Hospital** Type in the hospital number for selection.
 - a. For multi-facilities, a feature has been added that will include duplicate cases of shared primaries if checked or exclude if "Include Unique Primaries" is checked. By leaving hospital code blank in a multi-hospital system, it will select all primaries for all hospitals unless the unique **Primaries** button is used.
 - Note: The user must have access to report on all data to be able to leave the hospital code blank.
 - b. To pull cases in select facilities, the user may enter select hospital codes separated by commas. For example, entering 01,03,05 will select primaries for the facilities entered or to select cases in select facilities, the user may enter select hospital codes separated by commas. Using the <u>Hospital Lookup</u> gives the user the ability to select multiple facilities at once by checking the box beside the hospital name.
 - To select only unique primaries for specific facilities, leave the hospital code blank and enter the hospital codes desired in the selection criteria. For example, enter 54 Hospital Code = 01,02,03. If the Include Unique Primaries button is not chosen the report defaults to select all primaries.
- 6. **Date Options** None is the default. User can choose to enter dates to pull by either date of Dx Date or 1st Contact Date. These options can be left blank and selected via the <u>Selection</u> Criteria.
- 7. **Abstract/Suspense Cases** Use these boxes during selection to indicate Abstracted Cases Only, Suspense Cases Only, or All Cases.
 - Note: Non-Reportable cases can be selected by entering item number 200 State Report Flag equal to N.
- 8. **Case Types** Bubble help has been added to Case Type to alert the user of the criteria used for case selection.
 - a. <u>Analytic Cases Only</u> shortcut Check the box marked Analytic Cases only to select Class of Case codes 00-22. If selection criteria are limited to fewer analytic codes, use item number 147 (Class of Case) = the proper codes.
 - b. <u>Completed Cases Only</u> shortcut Check the box marked Complete cases only to select cases where the field State Report Flag on the Case Admin screen is coded to a Y (Transfer to State), T (Transmitted to State), N (Do Not Transmit to State) or C (Correction Case).
 Note: Code C only applies to those states that require corrected cases to be resubmitted.
 - c. <u>Abstract/Suspense Cases</u> Use these boxes during selection to indicate Abstracted Cases Only, Suspense Cases Only, or All Cases.

- d. <u>Non-Reportable Cases Only</u> Check the box marked Non-Reportable Cases Only to select cases flagged as Non-Reportable.
 - Note: Non-Reportable cases can be selected by entering the item number 200 State Report Flag equal to N.
- 9. **Site Codes** Type in the two-digit code or click the down arrow for a list of all sites, or leave *blank* to select all sites. The user may also begin typing in the site name under <u>Site Description</u> and the descriptions that match will come up automatically. Select as many sites as wanted, but only one site per line.

10. Selection Criteria

- a. <u>Item Nbr</u> Click the arrow for a listing of the Item number codes. The user may also manually type in the item number if known. In item description, the user may begin typing a key word and a list of descriptions with that key word will appear.
- <u>Relation</u> A code must be entered to relate the data item selected (dictionary item) to the codes in the field. Click the down arrow in this field to reveal these codes. Pressing tab or clicking in the Relation box with mouse will default to =.
 Note = Equal to is the only relationship where more than one value can be entered on a single line.
- **c.** Data Values Data values refer to the valid codes for the dictionary item selected.

Rules for Specifying Data Values

- When **relation** code is = may select multiple values separating each value by a comma but no spaces or dashes. The comma (,) indicates the logic "or".
- All dates must be in the format MM/DD/YYYY.
- Click on the drop-down arrow in data values for available data items for selection. Select multiple items from the list by highlighting choices one at a time. For any relationship other than = Equal To, only one data value is allowed in the field.
- Type in the Data Values (i.e. 151 Accession Year = 2013 or 3783 First Contact Date Year= *16 using the asterisk before the number will give all dates ending in 16 which would be all dates in 2016).

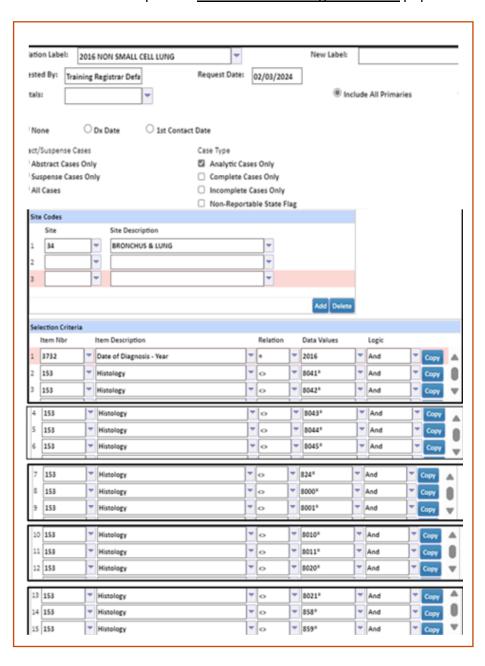
SPECIAL NOTE: Do not use multiple wildcards in a date field.



- The following commands are located at the bottom of the screen:
 - o <u>Select</u>: Clicking on **Select** will search and save the population.
 - Delete Label: Clicking on Delete will delete Population currently listed in Population Label. Use this
 function to delete previous saved populations that are no longer needed.
 - o Edit Selection: Clicking on Edit Select will open a box to review the query selection.
 - O New: Clicking on **New** will refresh the screen.

- 11. **New Label**: Does not appear unless the user chooses a previously selected population. This is used for selecting a sub-population. (i.e. 2016 Analytical Cases has been selected to select a sub-population of male cases type in new label 2016 Males and add item number 9 SEX = 1 then click select a new population is selected on 2016 males).
- 12. Adding a Row: Click the Add button.
- 13. **Deleting a Row**: Click the **Delete** button.
- 14. Copy a Row: Click the Copy button.
- 15. Insert a Row: Click the Insert key from the keyboard.

Below is an example of a Non-Small Cell Lung Carcinoma population.



• The ASTERISKS (*) are "wild cards".

Placing the * behind a number or text in Data Values will search for all values starting with that text or number.

Placing the * in front of a number or text in Data Values will search for all values ending with that text or number.

<u>Do NOT use multiple</u> wildcards in a date field.

Site Codes

Line	Sites	Description
1	34	BRONCHUS & LUNG (Selects all lung sites)

Checking the box "Analytic Case Only" will select class of case 00-22

Selection Criteria					
Line	Item Nbr	Item Description	Relation	Data Values	Logic
1	3732 First Contact Date-Year		+	2016	And
Selects all dates ending with 2016, therefore selecting the entire year					
2-25	153	Histology	<>	8041*	
Excludes histologies that begin with the code 8041					

- Repeat on the next lines <> 8042* etc. (Each histology must be listed on a separate line)
- Note: Utilize the copy row feature to copy the above criteria to subsequent rows, only changing the data values
- To add extra rows, click the Add button

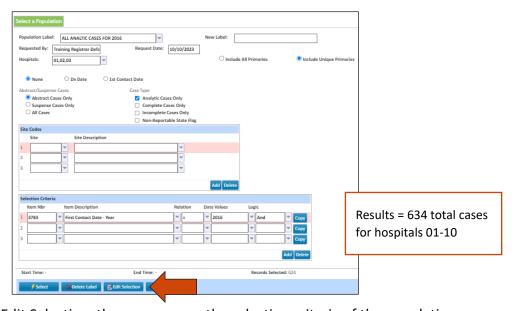
REMINDER: (=) "Equal To" is the only REL code where multiple values can be requested. When the REL is >GT, >=GE, <LT, <=LE and <>NE only one value per line is allowed.

Selecting Cases Per Facility for Multi-Hospitals

The user may enter multiple hospital codes in the "Hospitals" box at the top of the <u>Select a Population</u> screen. As a result, it is no longer necessary to use the "Edit Selection" box to select all cases vs. unique primaries. To select cases in a multi hospital system for cases in all facilities, cases for select hospital groups and unique primaries, see examples below.

Note: The examples below are using a test database that has 10 facilities.

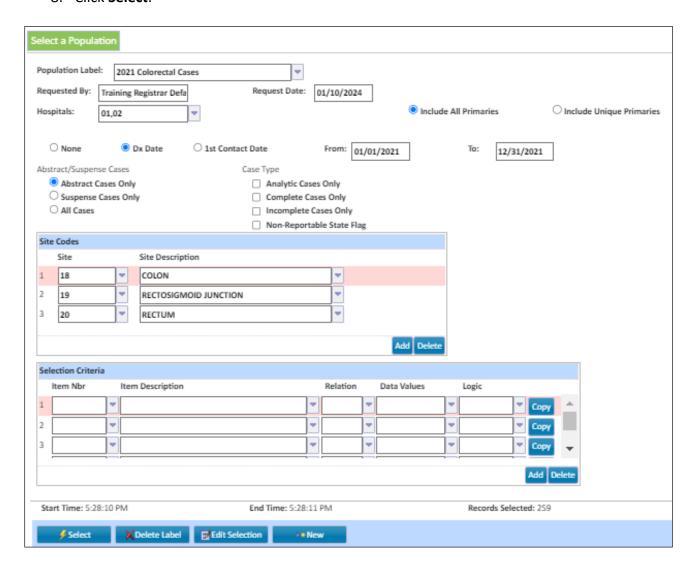
The population below shows how to select all unique primaries in a multi-hospital system for analytic cases diagnosed in 2017. By leaving hospital code blank, the system will select all 2017 unique analytic primaries for hospitals 01-10 in our database.



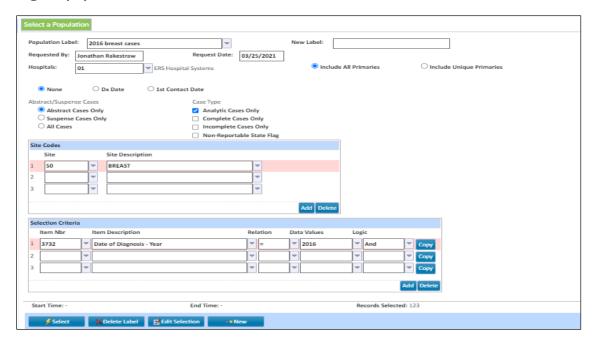
By clicking Edit Selection, the user can see the selection criteria of the population.

- 1. Choose to either create a new population label or select an existing population from the drop-down menu.
 - a. From all report screens within this module, in order to create a new population, the box beside <u>Create a Population</u> will need to be checked. Once checked, <u>Select a Population</u> options will become available.
 - b. Enter desired hospital numbers or choose from the drop-down menu and choose to include or exclude duplicates of shared cases.
 - Note: The user must have access to report on all hospitals' data to be able to leave hospital code blank.
- 2. If this is NOT selected, the class of case order that is used to determine which shared primary will be selected for the report is:
 - 14,13,12,11,10,22,21,20,00,40,32,31,30,37,35,33,38,43,49,34,36,41,42,99

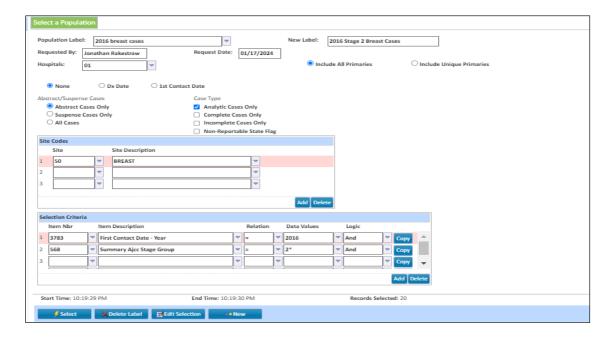
- 3. Choose date type/range, if applicable, and enter dates.
- 4. Choose Abstracts, Suspense Cases, or All.
- 5. Choose Case Type.
 - a. Analytic cases selection will include class of cases: 00,10,11,12,13,14,20,21 or 22.
 - b. Complete cases selection will include State Report Flags of cases with: "T, Y, or C".
 - c. Incomplete.
 - d. Case selection will include State Report Flags of "I".
 - e. Non-Reportable selection will only include cases with State Report Flags of "N".
- 6. Enter site, if applicable.
- 7. Enter any remaining selection criteria as needed.
- 8. Click Select.



Selecting Subpopulations - New Label



- Begin with an existing population. To select an existing population, click on the down arrow at <u>Population Label</u>. Highlight the desired label to select. In this example the original population label is 2016 BREAST CASES.
- 2. Enter a New Label as shown below. (2016 STAGE 2 BREAST CASES)
- 3. Add the additional criteria as shown. (568 Summary AJCC Stage Group = 2*)
- 4. Click **Select**. The original population has been saved and a subpopulation with the new criteria has been selected and saved.



Wild Cards

Below is an example of selecting dates by using the asterisk (*)

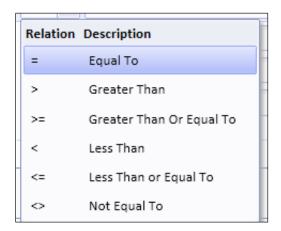
- *17 using the asterisk before the number gives all dates ending in 17 which would be all dates in 2017.
- 09* using the asterisk after the number gives all dates beginning in 09 (September).
- *09* using the asterisk before and after the number gives:
 - o all dates beginning in 09 (September)
 - o the 9th day of the month regardless of month or year
 - o all the 2009 years.
 - ** Possible combinations include 09/20/93 or 09/26/98 or 05/09/01 or 08/09/07 and all the cases in 2009 01/01/09 etc.

Asterisks surrounding the value are best used for selecting text. Below is an example of selecting text by using the asterisk **.

Cancer conference comment - Presented by Dr. Baker – Item number 258
 CC Comment = *Baker* selects all the cases presented by Dr. Baker

Relation Codes: What they can and cannot do!

- Never list multiple values in data values unless the REL is Equal To =.
- The most common error is using the REL Code of Not Equal To <> and then listing 1, 2 or whatever value that needs to be excluded from the population and it does not work.
- To exclude more than one value in a population it must be listed on different lines.
 i.e. 153 Histology <> 8041* AND 153 Histology <> 8042*, etc. to exclude small cell lung cancer from the population.



Logic: When to use "And" and "Or"

What this logic would select:

Item Nbr	Item Description	Relation	Data Values	Logic	
14	Age at Diagnosis	>	45	And	
9	Sex	=	1	And	
Selects all males diagnosed over age 45					

What this logic would select:

Item Nbr	Item Description	Relation	Data Values	Logic
14	Age at Diagnosis	>	45	Or
9	Sex	=	1	Or

Selects all sexes diagnosed over age 45, but will also list all males regardless of age

Do not mix "And" and "Or" when selecting populations.

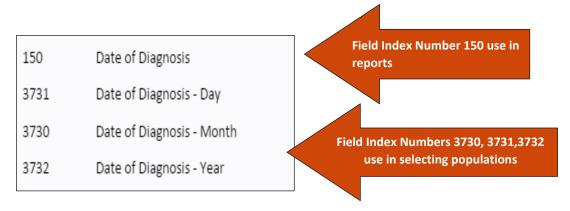
Using the Correct Date in Reports

The user will notice that date fields in a CRStar abstract display as three separate fields on the screen. However, there are four actual date fields. All four fields have Global Dictionary numbers used for reporting.

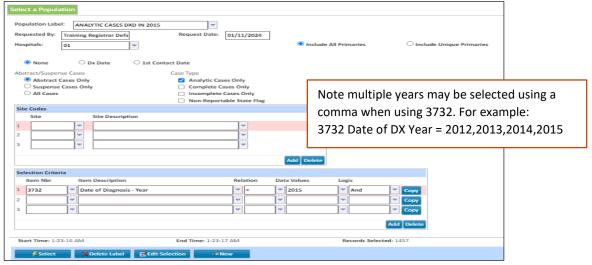


For example, Diagnosis Date has:

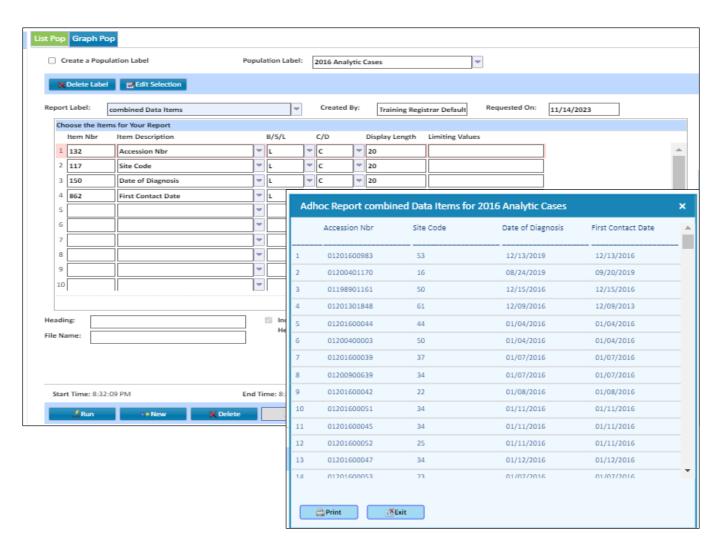
- Date of Diagnosis (Item # 150) displays the entire date 08/12/2018.
- Date of Diagnosis Month (Item # 3730) displays the two-digit month 08.
- Date of Diagnosis Day (Item # 3731) displays the two-digit day 12.
- Date of Diagnosis Year (Item # 3732) displays the four-digit year 2018.



When selecting a population of cases diagnosed in the year 2015, use Global Dictionary Number 3732 as shown below. Note, using the wild card (*) before the year is not necessary when selecting on the single field Date of Diagnosis



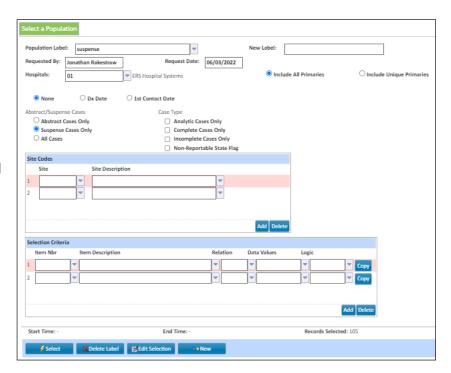
When displaying dates in reports, use the combined date that shows the entire date in one field versus three separate fields. In this example, use Global Dictionary Number 150 Date of Diagnosis.



Suspense Reports

Select a Population for a Suspense List

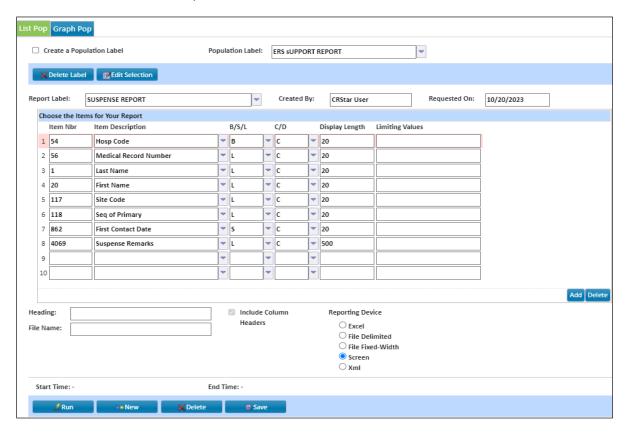
- Name the Population Label.
 Note: If the label is given a generic name as shown, the user can reuse the population by changing the dates each month.
- 2. Enter a Hospital Code.
- 3. Requested by and Requested Date are defaults, but can be changed by typing over the auto-filled data in the field.
- 4. Under <u>Abstract/Suspense</u>
 <u>Cases</u>, choose <u>Suspense</u>
 <u>Cases Only</u>.
- 5. In Selection Criteria Click the 1st Contact Date option and enter the date range. Or:



- a. Click the Dx Date option and enter the date range.
- b. Enter 862 First Contact Date Less than or equal to an End Date
 The rationale behind this is that any *blank* First Contact Dates, or First Contact Dates
 with typos, or any straggler cases entered since the last time the Suspense list ran, all
 these are captured in report.
- 6. <u>Important Note</u>: Please refer to the facilities procedures on date used when entering Suspense cases manually or when using the Merge (Automatic Casefinding Interface). Some facilities may use Discharge Date.
- 7. Click Run.
- 8. Add a row: Click the Add button.
- 9. <u>Delete a row</u>: Click the **Delete** button.
- 10. Copy a row: Click the Copy button.
- 11. Insert a row: Click the Insert key from the keyboard

Using Adhoc List for a Population to Generate a Suspense List

This is a suggested Suspense List. The user can choose report criteria as desired. For more detailed information on the List for a Population, refer to the Adhoc section of this manual.



- 1. Insert previously selected Population Label.
 - a. Click on the down arrow to retrieve saved population.
- 2. Name the Report Label.
 - a. Note: The report label is saved for future use.
- 3. Requested On and Created By are defaults, but can be changed by typing over the auto-filled data.
- 4. Choose the items to be displayed on the report.
 - a. Enter the item number if known. If not known, click the drop-down arrow under item description to display a numerical listing with descriptions.
 - b. The Global Lookup window pops up with the numeric listing and a search field. To search for a field, type in the description or partial description of needed item in the search field.
 - c. Click the search button to show possible options under the Item Description, click item from the list generating field into the report.

- 5. Choose to <u>B</u> (Break), <u>S</u> (Sort) or <u>L</u> (List) the items.
 - a. <u>B</u> breaks up the report by the item chosen, listing in order of each break with a tally for each break.
 - b. S sorts report list in order by item chosen.
 - c. L gives an unsorted list of items.
- 6. Choose to display the item numbers as <u>C</u> (Codes) or <u>D</u> (Descriptions).
- 7. The Display Length defaults as to how many characters are displayed on a printed report. This can be changed to avoid text wrapping.
- 8. Limiting Values Leave blank unless wanting to limit report display to certain values.
- 9. To insert a row, click the insert key on the keyboard.
- 10. To add a row, click Tab.
- 11. To delete a row, click the Delete key on the keyboard.
- 12. Type in a heading for the report, if desired.
- 13. Name the Filename if the report device chosen is File CSV or File Fixed-Width.
- 14. Choose Reporting Device.

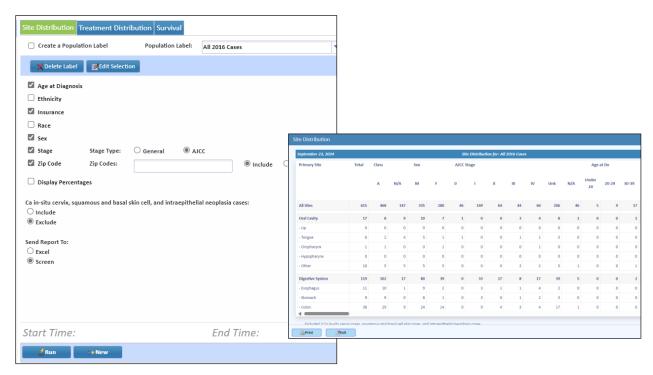
Note: If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type.

- 15. Select Run.
- 16. Add a row: Click the Add button.
- 17. Delete a row: Click the **Delete** button.
- 18. <u>Insert a row</u>: Click the Insert key from the keyboard.

Canned Reports

Site Distribution

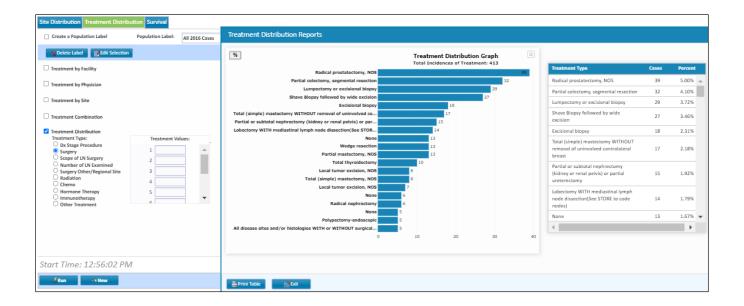
The Site Distribution report is in the Enhanced Reporting module under <u>Canned Reports</u>. The Site Distribution table breaks cases into Site groups and sub sites. Note Small Cell and Non-Small cell lungs are broken out individually as is Hodgkin's and Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas.



- 1. Choose either to create a population or use a *previously selected population* from the drop down.
 - Note: Only use a population that has all the cases with coded histology.
- 2. Check boxes of data items to be displayed within the report.
- 3. Choose a Stage Type AJCC or General.
- 4. Zip Codes Leave field blank to include all, or limit to a selection of zip codes.
- 5. Include or exclude non-reportable cases, i.e. basal and squamous of the skin, ca in situ of the cervix, etc.
 - Note: If exclude is chosen, the number of excluded cases is listed at the bottom of the report.
- 6. Choose report device. The report can be exported to Excel or viewed on screen as shown, where the report can be printed. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type.
- 7. Select Run.

Rx Distribution - Treatment Combination/Distribution

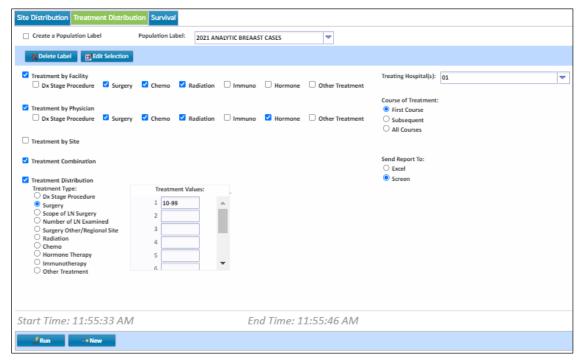
The Treatment Combination and Treatment Distribution reports are located in the Enhanced Reporting module under <u>Canned Reports</u>. The codes selected are for definitive cancer surgery. If no codes had been entered under Rx Values, all cancer directed surgery codes would have been displayed by default.



- 1. Choose either to create a population or use a *previously selected population* from the drop down.
- 2. Leave the Hospital Number blank if all treatment regardless of the treating hospital is desired. Only enter a hospital number if the report should be limited to a particular treating hospital(s).
- 3. Enter Rx Values if the report should be limited to a certain treatment. Leave Rx Values blank to include all treatment.
- 4. Choose the course of treatment.
- 5. Choose the type of Report to run Treatment by Facility, Treatment by Physician, Treatment Combination, and Treatment Distribution.
- 6. Choose report device. The report can be exported to Excel or viewed on screen as shown, where the report can be printed. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type.
- 7. Select Run.

Treatment Distribution

Sample Outputs for Treatment Distribution Reports

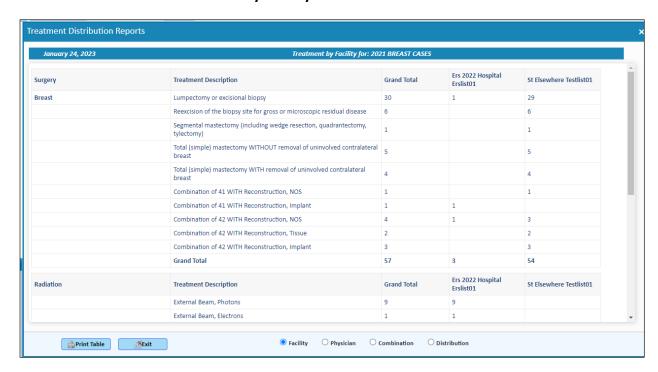


1. Choose treating hospital(s) to be included in the report by selecting the checkbox beside the hospital or users can manually enter hospital numbers separated by commas.

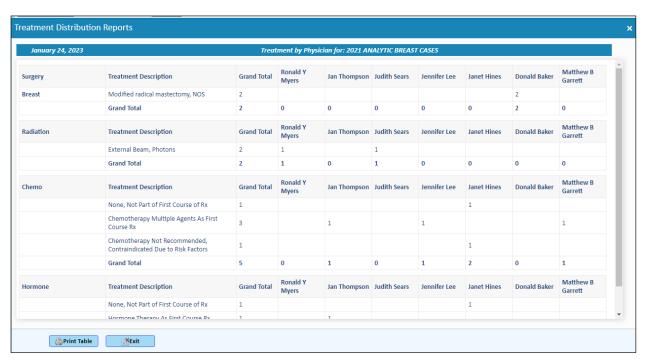
Note: When this field is left blank, the report will include all treating facilities.

- 2. Select Course of Treatment
- 3. Choose type of Report:
 - a) Treatment by Facility
 - Choose the treatment types to include
 - b) Treatment by Physician
 - i. Choose the treatment types to include
 - c) Treatment Combination
 - d) Treatment Distribution
 - Select Treatment Type: Surgery, Scope of LN Surgery, Number of LN Examined, Surgery Other/Regional Site, Radiation, Chemo, Hormone Therapy, Immunotherapy, Other Treatment
 - ii. To limit the report to certain treatment values user will type individual treatment values. Ranges can be placed in these spaces as well.
- 4. Choose to run the report to the screen or Excel.
- 5. Click Run.

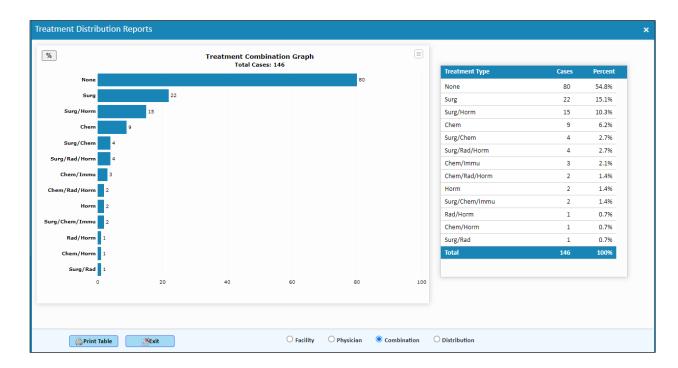
Treatment Combination Distribution by Facility



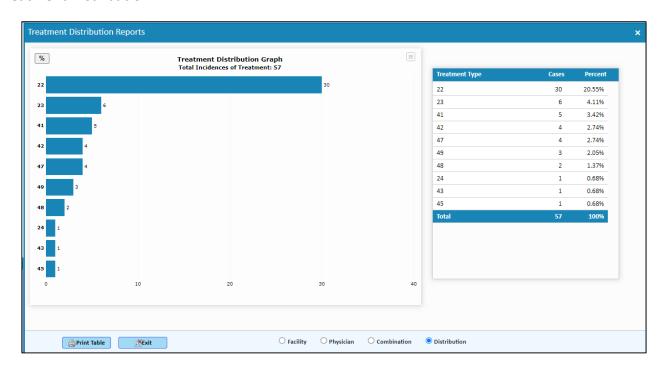
Treatment Combination Distribution by Physician



Treatment Combination



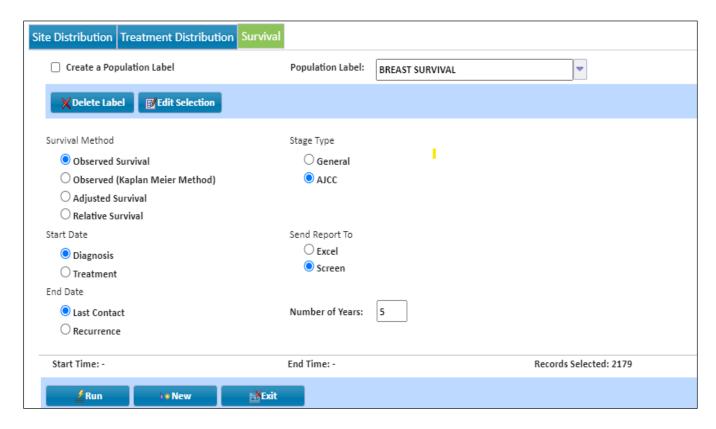
Treatment Distribution



Survival Reports

Select a Population of Cases for Survival

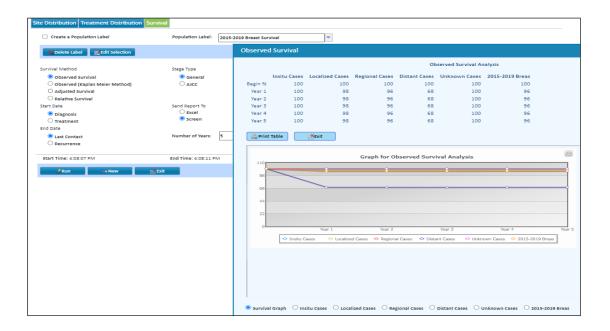
- 1. Select or create a population.
- 2. Choose Survival Method Observed Survival, Observed (Kaplan Meier Method), Adjusted Survival, or Relative Survival.
- 3. Choose Stage Type General or AJCC.
- 4. Choose Start Date Diagnosis or Treatment.
- 5. Choose End Date Last Contact or Recurrence.
- 6. Choose to send the report to Excel or the screen.
- 7. Enter number of years desired, if different than 5 (5 is the default).
- 8. Click Run.



Important: AJCC Stage Basis <u>must</u> be coded to use field index number <u>568 Summary AJCC Stage</u> in reports.

Note: Summary AJCC Stage only populates cases with a P or C. Only cases with an AJCC Basis of C or P are included in reports *and* must have the respective group assigned. Otherwise they are counted as NA and Unknown.

Survival by Stage



- 1. Select or create a population.
- 2. Click on the Enhanced Reporting Tab, then Canned Reports Tab, then on the Survival Tab.
- 3. Choose the Population Label name of the population previously selected (i.e. BREAST-SURVIVAL 2003-2008).
- 4. Check Survival Method NCDB Benchmark uses Observed Survival.
- 5. Check Stage Type NCDB uses AJCC Stage.
- 6. Defaults are checked for Start Values Diagnosis and End: Last Contact Date.

 Note: <u>Date of First Treatment and Date of First Recurrence can be chosen for Disease free</u> survival.
- 7. Choose output device Excel or Screen.

 Note: If Excel is chosen the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 8. Click **Run**. The system will create a survival by stage graph automatically.

Survival by Stage Output Reports

Multiple reports are generated and displayed when running survival by stage. A line graph plotting the five-year survival by stage is displayed first, as shown below. In this example, the screen output was chosen. The user may print directly from the screen. At the bottom of the screen, Survival graph is chosen. All other reports can be displayed by selecting the correct radio button. A report has been created for each stage using the Actuarial Life Table Method. See example of Stage 1 cases below.

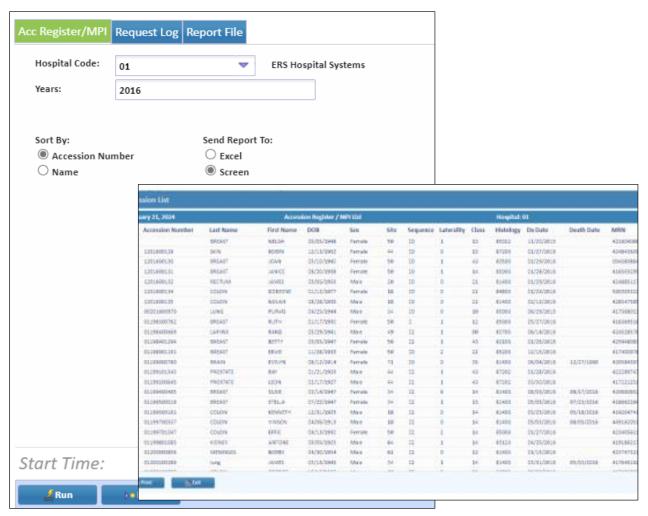


Survival Rate Calculation by Actuarial (Life Table) Method Population for this study: Regional Cases										
De	ad In	Last Seen	Exposed	Prop.	Prop.					
M	onth	In Month	To Risk	Dying	Surv					
58	2	3	56.5	0.035398	0.9646					
53	0	3	51.5	0						
50	0	4	48	0						
46	0	3	44.5	0						
43	0	3	41.5	0						
40	0	4	38	0						
36	0	5	33.5	0						
31	0	2	30	0						
29	0	7	25.5	0						
22	0	2	21	0						
20	0	0	20	0						

Admin Reports

Accession Register/Master Patient Index

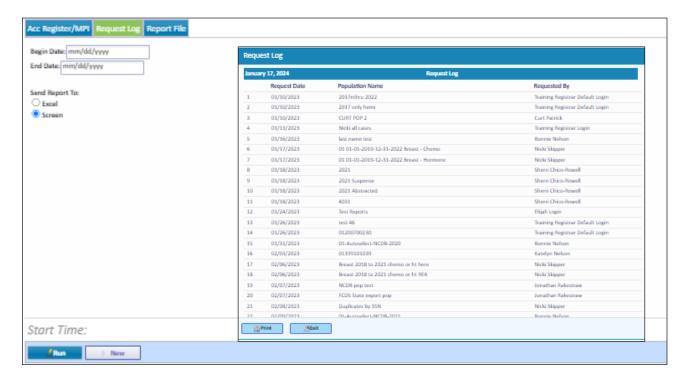
- Accession Register and MPI Listing are combined into one report and located under <u>Enhanced</u> <u>Reporting module under Admin</u> tab.
- User can choose multiple hospitals to run at once.



- 1. <u>Choose Hospital(s)</u> To select multiple hospitals, choose the drop-down icon and check the boxes beside the hospitals to be included in the report, or enter hospital numbers separated by commas.
- 2. Choose accession year(s) If selecting multiple years type the years separated by a comma.
- 3. Choose to sort by Accession Number or Name.
- 4. Choose to send the report to Excel or the screen.
- 5. Click Run.
- 6. Click Exit.

Request Log

The Request Log report is in the <u>Enhanced Reporting</u> module under <u>Admin</u>. The Request Log is generated from the saved populations in <u>Select a Population</u>. It lists the Requested Date, the name of the population, and Requested By.

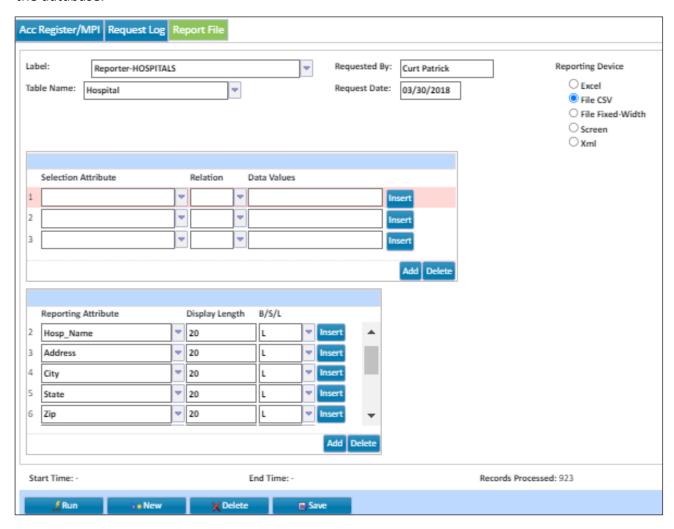


- 1. Enter a Begin and End Date. This report can be generated in any selected date range, i.e. one week, month, quarter, or year.
- 2. Send report to Excel or screen.

 Note: If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document is dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 3. Click Run.
- 4. Click Exit.

Report File - Report for a File

It is recommended to seek advice from a member of the CRStar Support Team if you are not yet familiar with this function. This function can be utilized in *many* ways to create reports from a table in the database.



- 1. Go to Enhance Reporting tab, then Admin, then click on the Report File tab.
- 2. Type in the name of the report or select one from the drop-down menu for "Label" if a report already exists. CRStar defaults "Reporter-" before any label name.
- 3. Select the Table Name from the drop-down menu you would like to select data from.
- 4. Once the table is selected, the attributes are then activated with options. Choose a "Selection Attribute" to limit the search or leave blank if you want the entire table of data. When choosing a Selection !ttribute, the Relation is required. Select the relation option from the drop-down menu (Equal to, Greater than, Less than, etc.) to enter the Data Value.

 Example of a selection attribute row Discharge Date (attribute) greater than (Relation) 02/12/2012 (Data Value).
- 5. Choose the Reporting Attribute based on what information is needed in the report.

- 6. If using the Tab key, the display length and B/S/L will default. You do have the option to set them as desired. The display length is modifiable, increase or decrease as needed.
 - a. B = Break the data into sections with total sum by item.
 - b. S = Sort the data numerically/alphabetically.
 - c. L = List the data.

Depending on which line they are entered, that is the attribute executing the command. For example, if State in the example above was set to "S" instead of "L" – then the report would sort the rows of data by the *State* column. And if State was set to "B" – the report would group all of Hawaii's together, then a line break, then the next state group would begin, and so on.

- 7. The number of rows is limitless. To add a row to the "Selection Attribute" and/or the "Reporting Attribute", click the <u>insert row</u> icon to the right of each row or insert a row by clicking inside the row, and pressing the **Insert** key on the keyboard. This inserts the row above the field the where the command commenced.
- 8. To add a row to the bottom, click the green (+). To delete a row, click the red (X).
- 9. On the top right corner of the window, select the "Reporting Device" preference. The Excel, File CSV, File Fixed-Width, and XLM choices dictate designation and report file type. If "screen" is chosen, the option to print is available once the report is complete.
- 10. Click **Run**, to view, print from screen or save the excel report.
- 11. Exit.

Report File - CRStar Audit Trail Report

Audit Trails track and log inserts, changes, and deletions on fields and entire cases for both Suspense and Abstracted cases.

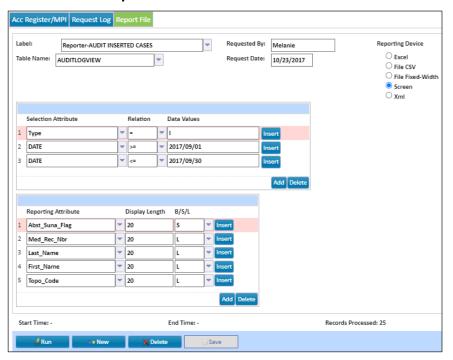
Reports can be generated using <u>Report for a File</u>, located in the <u>Enhanced Reporting</u> module, <u>Admin Reports</u>, and <u>Report File</u>. Things to remember when generating reports:

- When creating an Audit report, the table name to use is AUDITLOGVIEW, as shown in the examples.
- Usernames are how a user signs into CRStar, with underscores (_) substituted for hyphens (-) and periods (.). For example, the user's log in to the software is melanie@ers0100.com, the username for the audit report is melanie@ers0100_com
- There are three types of reports the user can select. Type is one of the Selection Attributes:
 - I Insert Cases that have been added.
 - U Update Cases that have had updates or changes made to fields within the case. Old and New values of the fields changed can be listed in the report. Audit tracking also recognizes changes made behind the scenes, such as a field that auto copies to another field, a field that would trigger a change in a derived field, survival months, etc.
 - D Delete Cases or primaries that have been deleted.
- The Audit Trails include changes made during global data changes and imports.
- Reports can include the date, time, and user ID of the person who made the modifications.
- Attributes available for selection and listing in reports:
 - Abstract/Suspense Flag
 - Accession Number
 - Class of Case
 - o Date
 - Date of Birth
 - o Field Name
 - First Name
 - Hospital Number
 - o ID Number
 - Last Name
 - Medical Record Number
 - Middle Name
 - New Value
 - Old Value
 - Sequence of Primary
 - Social Security Number
 - o Table Name
 - Time

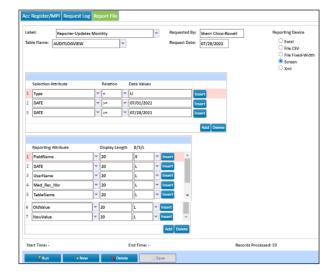
- Topography Code
- Type (Insert, Update, Delete, View)
- User Name

Below are various examples of running reports based on three classifications (I, U, D)

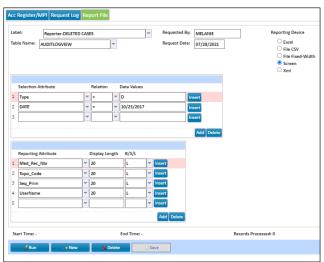
Insert – New Suspense or Abstract Cases



Updated Cases



Deleted Cases

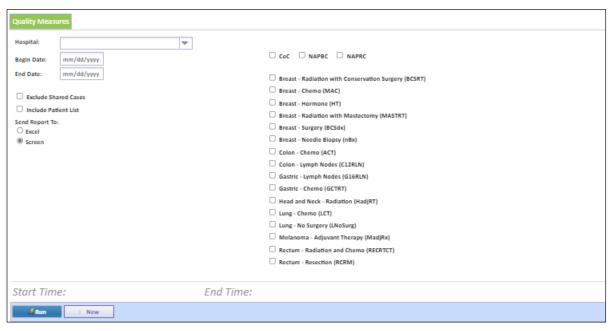


If assistance is needed, please log on to the Support Portal and submit a ticket.

CPM Reports

Quality Measures

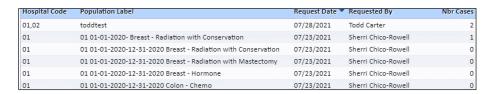
The Quality Measures report is in the <u>Enhanced Reporting</u> module under <u>Accreditation Reports</u>. When running Quality Measures, the system tells the user how many cases match the criteria for the study. In this example, for the Breast Radiation with Conservation measure, 31 cases are eligible to receive the recommended treatment. The system auto-selects a population, and it is stored in Select a Population so that the user can take the population and run various reports, graphs, and letters example below.



To Generate the Selections:

- Enter the Hospital code or leave blank to include all facilities.
- Enter the Start Date and End Date. Leave End Date *blank* to include cases up to diagnosis date of the current run date.
- Select the study to run.
- Click Select.

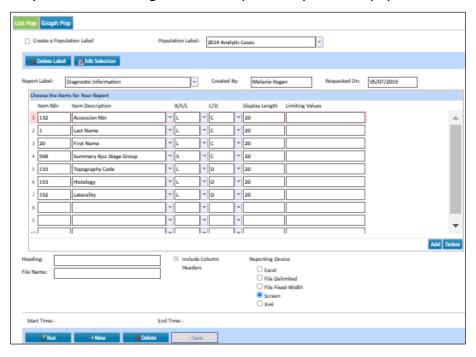
The populations below can be used to create custom reports and graphs:



Adhoc Reports

List Pop - List for a Population

List for a Population is in the Enhanced Reporting module, under Adhoc Reports, then List Pop. This report is especially useful for limiting criteria on a previously selected population.



Designing reports for a population varies according to the data wanted to retrieve.

The example above is designed to break by AJCC stage (#568 AJCC summary stage looks at the stage basis ["P", "C" etc.] and selects the stage from that code. This ensures only one stage is selected for each case).

Notice several values have been added to the last column - "Limit Values". This saves time by not having to select a new population to display a portion of the data. Other items that users may want to consider adding to this report are "Cancer Directed Surgery #827" and "Chemotherapy Code #839". This would provide information on the cases that had surgery and chemotherapy.

All the criteria for this report are saved by the name given on the Report Label. Click on the arrow to view any previously saved report labels. <u>Always name the Report Label after the criteria requested, not the population's label</u>. This creates a template for future use for populations needing the same criteria.

- 1. Population Label Select or create a population.
- 2. Report Label Always name the Report Label a generic name, not the name of the population. Once the report is generated, the Report Label and the items with break/sort/list options are

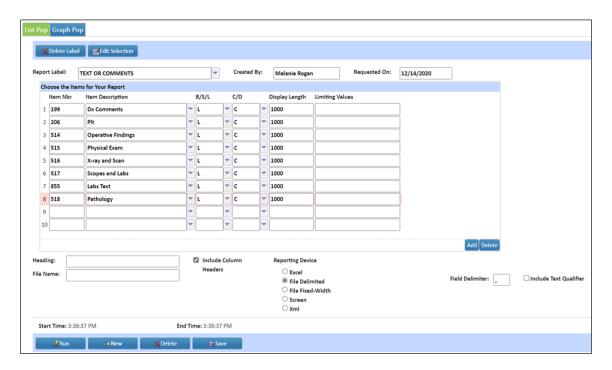
- saved and can be used repeatedly. This saves time when requesting the same report on a different population. To review or select previously saved reports click on the right down arrow.
- 3. Item Number Type in the item number desired or click the arrow to bring up codes and descriptions. Also, in item description, type in the description of the field. After entering the item number, hit **Tab** to fill in the description.
- 4. B/S/L
 - a. <u>B = Break</u> Sorts the report on the data item selected and generates a sub-total on each data value.
 - b. $\underline{S = Sort}$ Sorts the report on the data item selected.
 - c. $\underline{L = List}$ Lists the data items on the report (default value).
- 5. C/D
 - a. $\underline{C = Code}$ Displays the code for data item selected (default value).
 - b. $\underline{D = Description}$ Displays the description for data item selected.
- 6. Display Length This number is preset and indicates how many characters are displayed on a printed report prior to text wrapping. This number may be changed to increase the amount of characters displayed.
- 7. Limit Values Enter values for this data item to limit the details of the report. Multiple values may be entered using a comma between the data values. Entering values in this field limits the details of the report. For example, entering 0,1,1A,1B,2,2A,2B for "Stage" limits the report to only those stages requested.
- 8. Add/Delete Rows Use the **Add** or **Delete** buttons.
- 9. Heading Type in a heading to display on report.
- 10. Filename Type in a file name if saving the report to a File Delimited or fixed-length format. For example: breast.dat
- 11. Reporting Device Choose to send report to:
 - a. Excel
 - b. File Delimited
 - c. File Fixed-Length
 - d. Screen
 - e. Xml
- 12. Click Run.

List Pop - Exporting Text to Excel

This section explains how to display long text fields using the "Adhoc List for a Pop" in CRStar. The Excel output option creates an .xlsx file that will truncate any text over 255 characters. By utilizing the File Delimited output option, this enables the user to display long text boxes all at once by following the steps below.

To get all text characters to export to Excel, the user should follow the steps below:

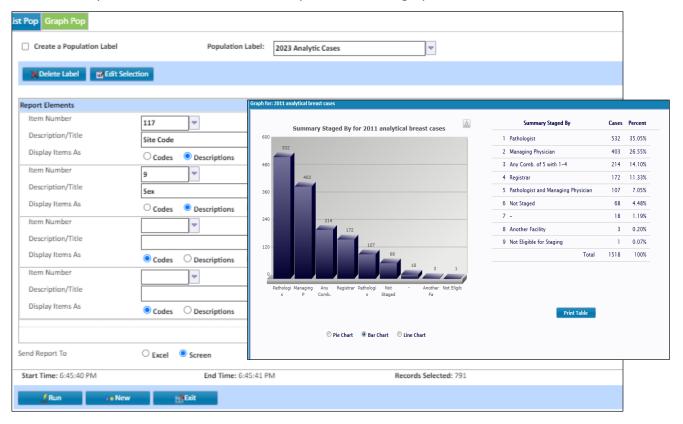
- 1. In "Adhoc List for a Pop", set the display length to 4,000 characters.
- 2. Choose the File Delimited option.
- 3. Once the file is downloaded and saved, open Excel, and then open the CSV file using Excel. All the text information is there. Below is an example of a CSV file opened using Excel. The text box had 996 characters.



	А	В	С	D	E	F
1	Dx Comments	Place of Dx	Operative Findings	Physical Exam	X-ray and Scan	Scopes and Labs
2	DX COMMENT	County Hospital South	AND SENTINEL LN BX	ASYMPTOMATIC FOR ROUTINE SCREENING MMG	9/08/19 SCRN MMG SHOWED SUSPICIOUS AREA OF CALCIFICATION LOQ LEFT. 9/10/19 DX MMG/US- 1.3 CM DISCREET MASS WITH CALCIFICATIONS HIGHLY SUSP FOR MALIGNANCY	N/A
3						
4						
5	DX	PLACE	OP	EXAM	XRAY	SCOPE
6						
7	TEXT	TEXT	TEXT	TEXT	TEXT	TEXT

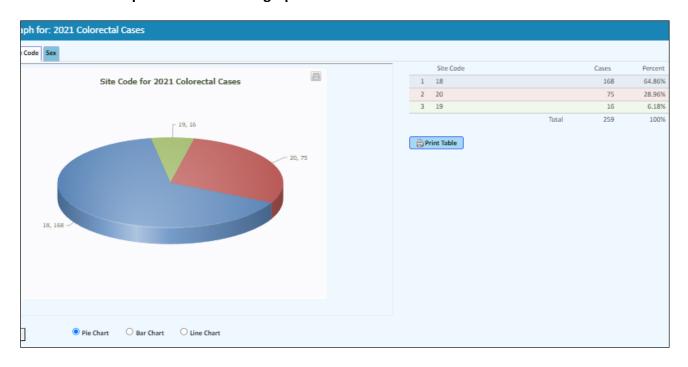
Graph Pop - Graph Item

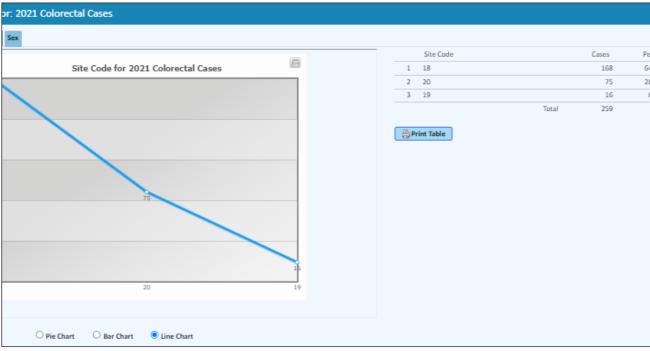
Graph for a Population is in the <u>Reporting</u> module under <u>Adhoc Reports</u>, then <u>Graph Pop</u>. Graphs are available on all selected populations and can be generated on any one of the data items in the global dictionary. The user can select between pie, bar, or line graphs.



- 1. Select or Create a population. Click the down arrow for all saved populations.
- 2. Under "Report Elements", choose the item number from the Global Dictionary. Manually enter the item number or click the down arrow for a list. The user may also type in a description of the item number and the field will come up.
- 3. Choose to display Codes or Descriptions.
- 4. Select Graph type. If more than four reports are needed, click the **Add** button for additional graph rows.
- 5. Choose to send the report to Excel or view on the screen. If screen is selected, user may choose the color of the graph.
 - Note: The graph is customizable in Excel. In screen view, there is a print option.
- 6. When exporting to screen, each graph displays in individual tabs.
- 7. The style of the graph may be changed by clicking a radio button for the desired style.
- 8. Choose a graph type: Pie, Bar or Line.
- 9. Bar and Line Color Selection This option is only visible to the user when either Bar or Line is chosen. This allows the user to select the color of the graphs.
- 10. Click Run.

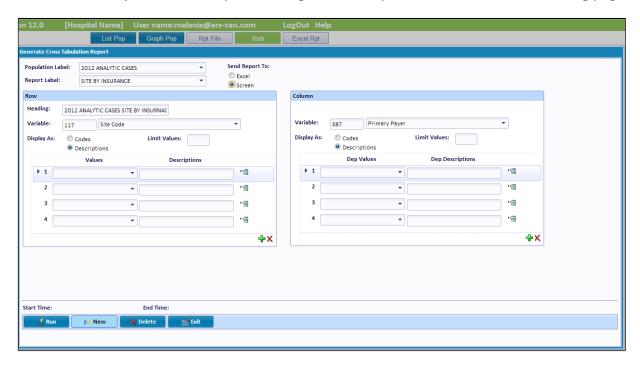
Additional examples of Pie and Line graphs





Xtab - Generate Cross Tabulation Report

The Cross Tabulation report, also referred to as the Xtab report, is in the <u>Reporting</u> module under <u>Adhoc Reports</u>. The Xtab report compares any two variables and displays data both vertically and horizontally. Numbers and percentages are displayed. Xtab reports can be generated using any items in the Global Dictionary. Several examples of using the Xtab report are shown on the following pages.



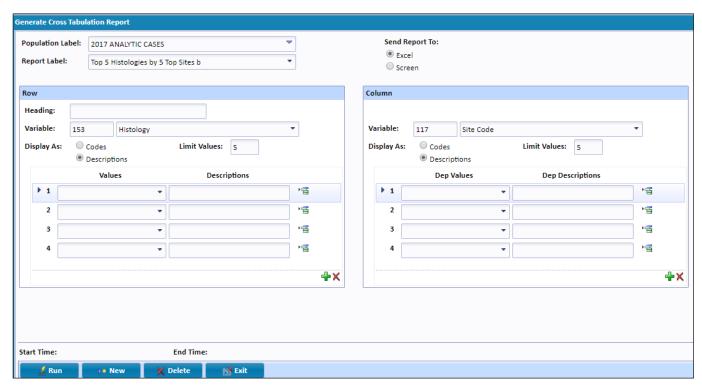
- 1. Choose a previously selected population from the drop down.
- 2. Name the Report Label or choose an existing label from the drop down.
- 3. Type in a heading for the report.
- 4. In the Row section, enter the global dictionary number of the field to be used or type in the description, i.e. Site Code and the global dictionary number is displayed.
- 5. Choose to display in Codes or Descriptions.
- 6. To limit values, enter a value. For example, entering a 10 limits the report to the top 10 sites. If left blank, the report is generated based on all sites in the population.
- 7. To add a row to the bottom, click the green (+). To delete a row, click the red (X).
- 8. In the column section, enter the global dictionary number of the field to be used or type in the description, i.e. Site Code and the global dictionary number are displayed.
- 9. Repeat steps 5-8.
- 10. Click Run.

Histology by Top Five Sites Using Limit Values

Cross-tab enables the user to limit the values to a specific number in either the row or the column variable. This is useful for multiple reports, but especially to easily determine the top five sites (or any number) compared to histology.

Below are the directions for using this feature in the cross-tab.

Note: <u>Do not put any values or descriptions in the columns when using limit values</u>. Please refer to "Appendix Listing Field Index Numbers" in the CRStar manual if you wish to choose the values for the cross-tab.



- 1. Select the population to limit the values (i.e. 2017 ANALYTICAL CASES)
- 2. Click on the Reporting tab
- 3. Click on the Adhoc Reports tab
- 4. Click on Xtab.
- 5. Insert the Population Label name of the population (i.e., 2017 ANALYTICAL CASES) or use the drop-down menu to select the pop.
- 6. Name the Report Label (i.e. FIVE TOP HISTOLOGIES BY FIVE TOP SITES).
- 7. Enter 153 HISTOLOGY in Row Variable if using this example.
- 8. The heading defaults to "Histology".
- 9. Display as Click "Description" (if code is checked the code numbers display on the report).
- 10. Limit values Put in 5 (or the number of values to limit i.e. 10)

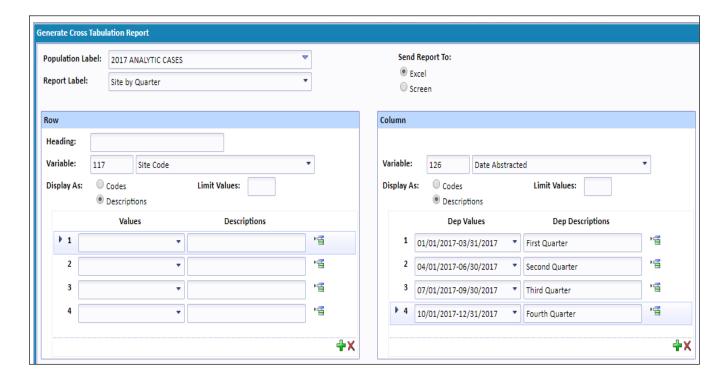
Note: Leave Values and Descriptions blank to list all values.

- 11. Enter 117 SITE CODE in "Column Variable" if using this example.
- 12. Display As Click "Description" (if "Code" is checked, the code numbers display on the report).
- 13. Limit values put in 5 (or the number of values to limit i.e. 10).
- 14. Output is limited to the top five (or whatever number was in the limit values) Histologies and Site codes.
- 15. Send report to Excel.
 - Note: If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type.
- 16. Send report to screen. There is a print option from the screen.

Using Dashes in the Cross-Tab Report

The Cross-Tabulation report allows dashes to select a range of numbers. This is helpful in selecting numbers or dates.

The example below is a productivity report by quarter for cases abstracted in 2011. This same report can be used for any accession year to determine the sites diagnosed (#150 Diagnosed Date) by quarter or first contact date (#862 First Contact Date) by site and quarter. Just change the Pop Label (i.e.: 2011 Analytical Cases) and Dep (i.e.: 862 First Contact Date - Dashes can be used for any range of numbers. This also is helpful in sorting age groups (i.e. 00-19, 20-29 etc.).



- 1. Population Label Enter the name of population or click on left arrow next to Pop Label to review all saved populations.
- 2. Report Label SITE BY QUARTER
 - a. Always name the Report Label a generic name, not the name of the population. Once the report is generated, the Report Label options are saved and can be used repeatedly. This saves time when requesting the same criteria on a different population.
 - b. Click on the right arrow next to the Report Label to view all the saved report names.
 - c. Click on Delete Report to delete report labels that are no longer useful.
- 3. Row Variable 117 SITE CODE
 - a. Enter the Global Dictionary number of the controlling data item or type in a partial description of the data item followed by the "*" and select it from the cross-reference list. The Controlling data item is listed vertically along the left side of the report. For example, to use the SITE CODE as the controlling data item, enter the Global Dictionary number 117, or type Site and choose 117 Site code.
- 4. Values Leave blank to list all the values.
 - a. Or enter the values to be listed vertically along the left side of the report. Entering the values limits the report to those values. Multiple values may be listed on a single line of the report by entering values separated by commas in the values field or using dashes for sequential data. For coded data items, such as site code, click on the arrow to list values available for the controlling data item. May select values from this list to be included on the current row of the report.
- 5. Heading Type in a heading for this field.
- 6. Display As Select Codes or Descriptions
- 7. Column Variable 126 DATE ABSTRACTED
 - a. Or enter the Global Dictionary number as explained in step 3. The column data item (Column Variable) is listed horizontally across the top of the report.
- 8. Display As Select Codes or Descriptions
- 9. Dep Values Copy the values in column 1 and the description in column 2. Or leave blank to list all the values.
 - NOTE: Assigning a number in values, only pulls those that apply. Example, entering a 5 returns the top five and are displayed in order of total occurrence.
- 10. Output Select output device (Screen or transfer to Excel)
- 11. Click Run.

Small Cell vs. Non-Small Cell Lungs in Cross-Tabs

This is another example of using ranges and dashes in the Xtab report. This report is selecting ranges of Small Cell Lung cases vs. Non-Small Cell Lung.

NCDB Histology Ranges:

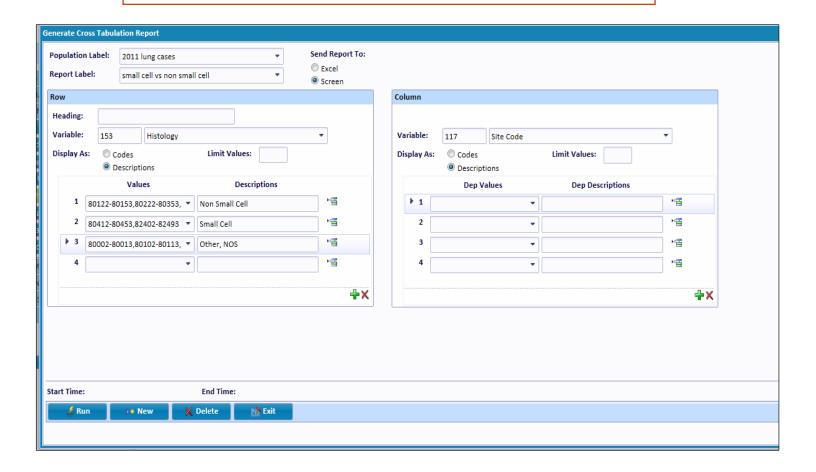
Small Cell 8040-8045

Non-Small Cell 8012-8035, 8046-85763

Histology Ranges based on MPH Rules:

Small Cell 80412-80453, 82402-82493

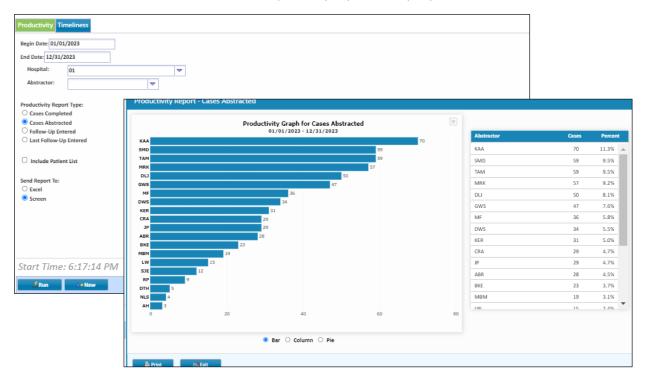
Non-Small Cell 80122-80153, 80222-80353, 80462-82303, 82502-85763



Registry Management Reports

Productivity - Generate a Productivity Report

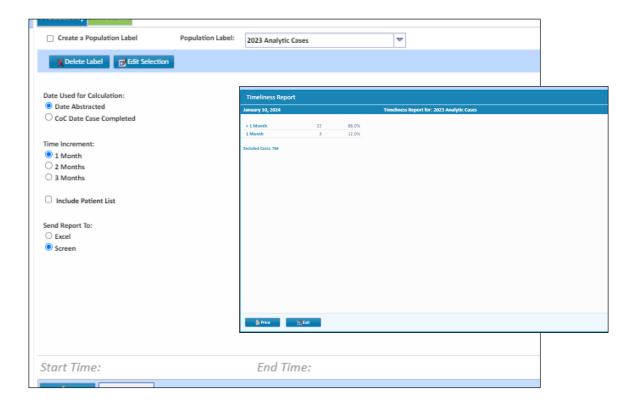
The Productivity Report can be used to monitor productivity with cases abstracted, on cases complete CoC, and Follow-up. This report can be generated at any given time period. In this example, the report is based on cases abstracted in one week, i.e. 06/11/2012-06/15/2012.



- 1. Enter date range with a begin and end date.
- 2. Enter a hospital number. This may be left *blank* for a single hospital. For multi-hospital facilities, if left *blank*, the report is generated for all facilities in the multi-hospital system. Manually enter the hospital code or begin typing the name of the facility in the display field, i.e. HOSPITAL ONE.
- 3. Choose Productivity report type:
 - a. Cases Completed Generate from the Date Case Complete (CoC) field on the Case Admin screen.
 - b. Cases Abstracted Generate from the Date Abstracted field on the Case Admin screen.
 - c. Follow-Up Entered <u>Caution using this one for productivity. This will give all follow-up</u> entered on a given patient.
 - d. Last Follow-Up Entered Use this for productivity. This displays the most current entry or Last Follow-Up entered.
- 4. Choose to send report to Excel or view and print from screen. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 5. Click Run.

Timeliness - Generate Timeliness Report

The Timeliness Report automatically creates a report in Excel or on screen listing the First Contact Date and the Date Case Complete (CoC), also calculating the number of days and months from the First Contact Date to the Date Case Complete (CoC), and the percentage of cases abstracted less than or equal to six months and greater than or equal to seven months. The report contains Accession Number as a patient identifier if any cases need review. It is suggested to review the report for any blank dates. Blank dates would cause the case to be excluded from the Timeliness calculation.

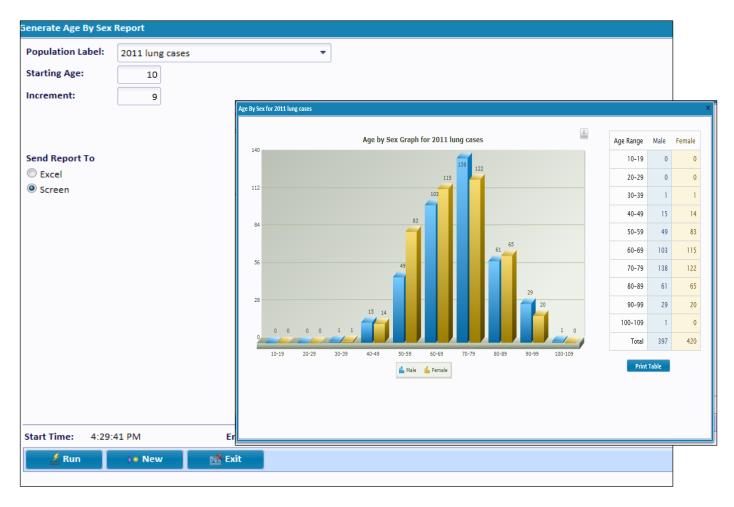


- 1. Select a previously saved population. In this example 2014 case completed to date was used.
- 2. Choose to send report to Excel or view and print from screen. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 3. Click Run.

Miscellaneous Reports

Age by Sex - Generate Age by Sex Report

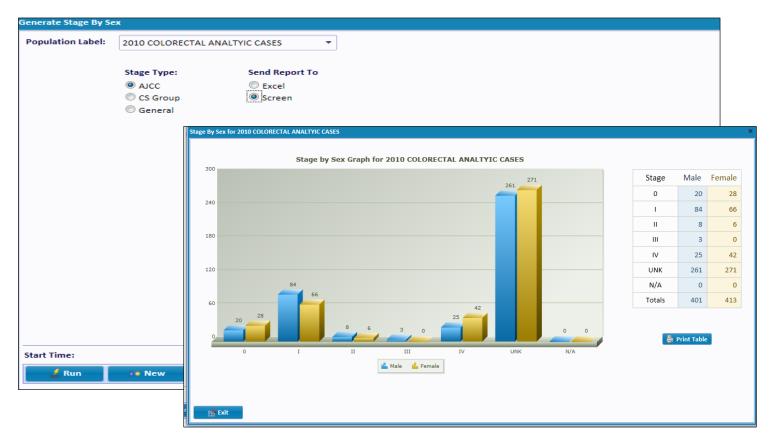
The Age by Sex graph is in the Reporting module under Miscellaneous Reports.



- 1. Select a previously saved population from the drop-down arrow.
- 2. Starting age and Increment are preset. However, they may be changed by replacing each value. In this example, the starting age begins at 10 years of age and has a range of 9 years. For example, 10-19,20-29,30-39, etc.
- 3. Choose to send the report to Excel or to the screen. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type. Once the Excel Document is opened the graph can be customized. There is a print option from the screen.
- 4. Click Run.

Stage by Sex - Generate Stage By Sex

The Stage by Sex graph is in the <u>Reporting</u> module under <u>Miscellaneous Reports</u>. It can be generated on any selected population of cases. This report can display the stage as General (SEER Summary), AJCC, or CS stage.

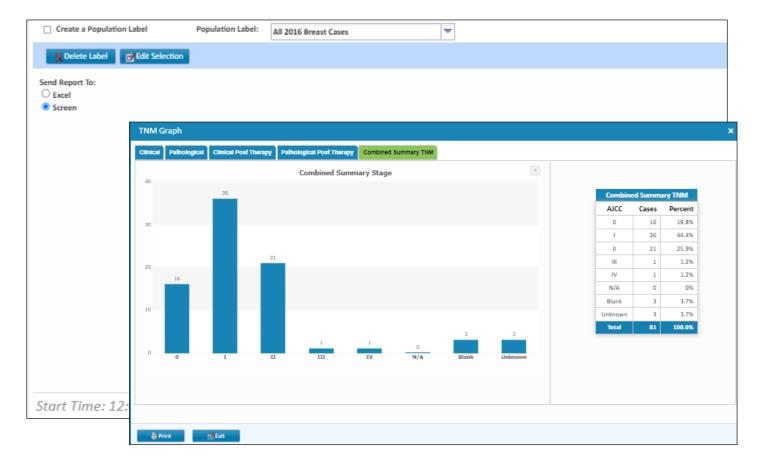


- 1. Select a previously selected population label.
- 2. Choose a Stage Type.
- 3. Send report to Excel or view on screen.

 Note: If Excel is chosen the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 4. Click Run.

TNM Stage Graph

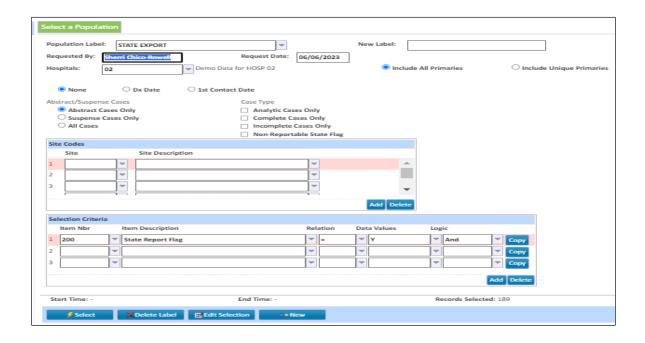
The TNM Stage graph can be run on any selected population of cases and can be run on AJCC TNM stage or CS Stage Group.



- 1. Create a population or select population from the drop down.
- 2. Choose report device. The report can be exported to Excel or viewed on screen as shown, where the report can be printed. If Excel is chosen, the Excel document is created and the steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type. There is a print option from the screen.
- 3. Select Run.

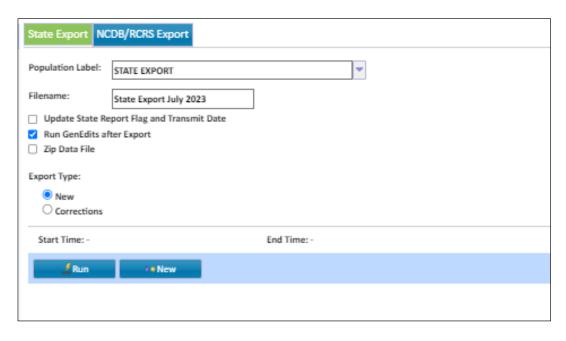
Data Exports

State Export - Export State Data



Step I. Select the population of cases ready to go to the state.

- 1. Click CRStar Enhanced Reporting Tab
- 2. Click Select a Population Tab
- 3. Enter the of name the Populated Label STATE EXPORT
- 4. Enter the Hospital Number for the cases to Export
- 5. Go down to the Selection Criteria box and enter Item 200 STATE REPORT FLAG = Y And
- 6. Click Select
- 7. After the process is complete the user will see in the task bar a Start Time, End Time, and Records Selected
- 8. Click Exit after case selection complete



Step II. After the population has been selected, create the State Export file

- 1. Select the appropriate facility from the Facility Selection Drop Down Bar.
- 2. Click the CRStar Enhanced Reporting tab.
- 3. Click Data Export tab.
- 4. Click State Export tab.
- 5. Choose the name of the Population to export. (In this example chose the population named STATE EXPORT).
- 6. Name the Filename In this example, State Export July 2023, indicating the file was created and submitted in July 2023. When the export runs, the file is downloaded to the computer. Note: Depending on the browser (and browser version) the file will then either be placed automatically in the download folder, or the user receives a message box to choose where to download the file. Google Chrome automatically saves it to the Download folder. The user can copy and save to the location of choice.
- 7. Check "Run GenEdits after Export".
- 8. Click Run.
- 9. After the GenEdits Report runs, print the report, and fix all errors.
- 10. Repeat Steps 1-7, but this time also click "Update State Report Flag and Transmit Date".
- 11. Make sure to submit the file created to the state!

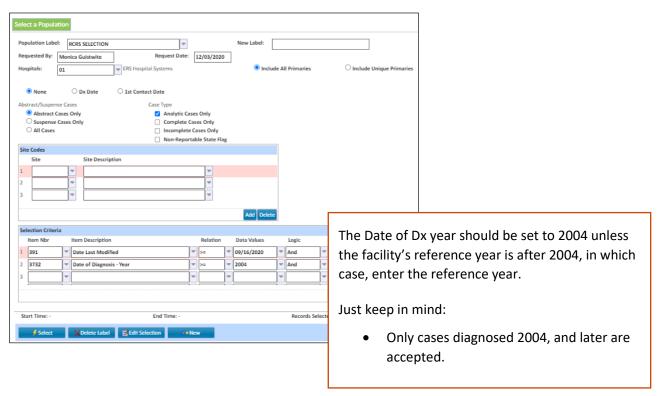
NCDB Export

Clients are provided with specific instructions and documentation for each year's Call for Data. This documentation is located on the CRStar Registry Resources under Webinars. Please reference these materials.

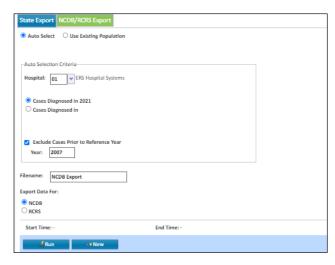
NCDB Export - RCRS Export

- 1. Select Population of cases based on the RCRS criteria below. Use the same Population for each submission, "re-selecting" prior to each export to capture additional cases.
 - a. Select the appropriate facility from the Facility Selection Drop Down Bar.
 - b. Click Enhanced Reporting tab.
 - c. Click Select a Population tab.
 - d. Enter Population Label RCRS.
 - e. Enter Hospital Code.
 - f. Select "Analytic Cases Only" Button.
 - g. Select "Abstract Cases Only" Button.
 - h. Enter criteria as seen below.
 - i. Click Select.

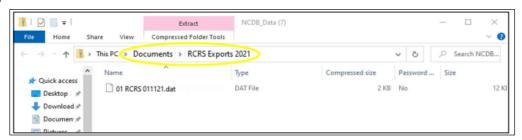
NOTE: In subsequent months going forward, the same population can be used repeatedly, just update the "Date Last Modified" to the last date the population was selected (ex: January export pop selected on 1/15/21, so February population will need date last modified >= 1/15/21). This will capture all new and modified records since the last selection.



- 2. Export RCRS Data using NCDB Export Data.
 - a. Click Enhanced Reporting tab.
 - b. Click Data Exports tab.
 - c. Click NCDB Export tab.
 - d. Select "Use Existing Population" button.
 - e. Choose RCRS Population.
 - f. It is recommended that the file name be changed to add the date (example: 01 RCRS EXPORT 02222021).
 - g. Select "Export Data For RCRS".
 - h. Click Run.



- 3. A list of the cases in the export displays on the screen. Print or Download the list. Exit.
- 4. Once the NCDB/RCRS Export is executed, the file is created in proper XML format and timestamped and will be in a zip folder in the downloads. Within the zip file are the individual file(s) to submit to NCDB/RCRS. Open/Extract the zip file/s.
- 5. Do not forget to unzip/extract the file to a new location! Failure to do this step prevents ability to run the zipped file in GenEdits Plus, inhibiting successful submission of the RCRS. Do not forget this step!



6. Run edits on the un-zipped RCRS export through GenEdits Plus using the most current RCRS metafile. Correct cases if errors found/repeat steps and submit to RCRS.

NOTE: For any and all assistance with GeneditsPlus, please contact NCDB at NCDB@facs.org.

Reporting Utilities

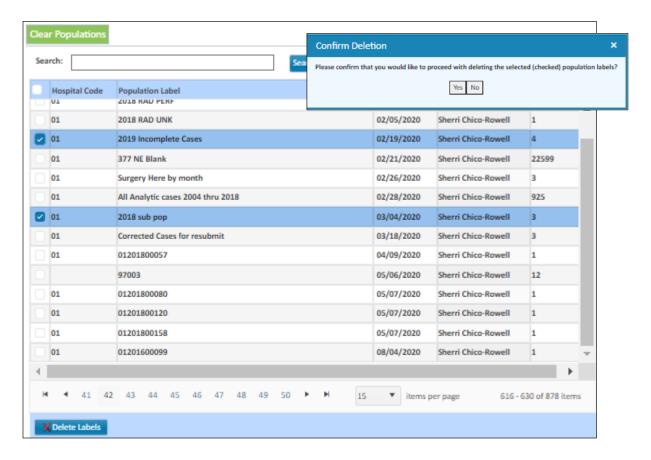
Clear Populations

Clear Populations allows the user to delete multiple populations at once. The feature is located under the <u>Reporting tab</u>, <u>Reporting Utilities</u>, and <u>Clear Populations</u>.

To clear more than one population or groups of populations:

- 1. The user may either search for a particular population to delete or scroll through the list of populations.
 - Note: The user may change the view to view up to 1,000 populations at a time.
- 2. Put a check beside the population labels(s) to delete. The labels will turn from black to blue, highlighting the labels for an easy manual review.
- 3. Click "Delete Labels".
- 4. Window message pops up asking to confirm the deletion of the selected populations. Click **Yes** to delete. Otherwise, click **No**.

NOTE: These populations should be reviewed for clearing on a routine basis. The maximum number of reports that can be stored is 2,100. If this number is reached, further populations cannot be created.



Chapter 6: System Administration

System Administration is the most powerful of all the functions in the CRStar system. This feature allows the system administrator to issue passwords, control security of the users, do global changes, mass deleting, etc. In addition, this is where all the functions are located to maintain the system.

The person assigned as the system administrator should be a knowledgeable registrar familiar with the system. It is the responsibility of the administrator to restrict this function.

Security Maintenance

- <u>User Logins</u>
- Password Policy
- Locked Users
- <u>User Security</u>

Data Management

- Global Data Change
- <u>Import Import Function</u>
- Mass Delete

Utilities

- Global Dictionary
 - o Global Dictionary Color Coding
 - o Global Dictionary Creating User-Defined Fields
 - o Global Dictionary Rapid Abstract
- Import Configuration
- DB Validation Database Validation Checks

Security Maintenance

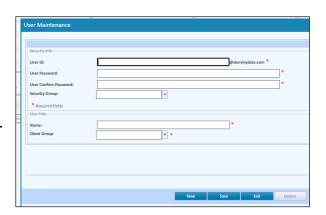
User Logins

The System Administrator can access the security maintenance tab by going to <u>System Administration</u> then <u>Security Maintenance</u>. This is accessible to any user who is part of the "Client Admin" security group. Available maintenance tab options are: User Logins, Password Policy, Locked Users and User Security

Create New User Login

Click on User Logins and then click on the "New User" button. The following screen will appear:

- Enter UserID for the new user. This is not case sensitive but is <u>recommended to be all</u> <u>lower case and follow a pattern of user's first</u> initial followed by last name.
- The @ers###.com is automatically defaulted as this is specific to each database.
 Note: above example uses @dummydata.com



- 3. Once the UserID is filled in, click the **Save** button, then click the **Exit** key.
- 4. Enter a temporary password. Confirm password (this password forces a re-set the first time the user logs in).
- 5. Select the appropriate security group that this user belongs to.
- 6. Enter the user's full name (First and Last Name).
- 7. Select the client group.
- 8. Click Save.
- 9. Exit or select "New" to enter another new user.
- 10. After the user's name has been created, the System Admin must add the registrar's initials under System Management Registrars. The registrar initials can be 2 or 3 characters. Enter the registrar's name and state ID if your state requires it. If not, leave blank. The CRStar UserID should be first-initial, last name @ers#.com. For example: jdoe@ers0601.com.
 <a href="mailto:Note: If this step is not completed the registrar's initials will not automatically save when a case is abstracted, modified, or follow-up entered. This is a crucial step!
- 11. Click Save.

Deleting a UserID

Once a UserID has been created – the actual UserID cannot be modified and/or changed (userID@dummydata.com – for example).

If a change does need to occur, <u>a new UserID must be created to make that change</u>. Then the old UserID can be deleted.

- 1. Select "User Logins" and search for the User Name to be deleted. Select the name.
- 2. Once the UserID is selected, click the **Delete** button.
- 3. A message will pop up asking for confirmation. Select "yes" if this is the UserID you wish to delete.
- 4. <u>Do not delete the registrar's initials in System Management!!</u> It is important to leave those initials for historical purposes.
- 5. The System Administrator <u>must also disable the user in the Support Portal</u>. Instructions are available on the CRStar Resource Page in the "Policies & Procedures" section.

Modifying an existing UserID

Includes changing and/or re-setting a password because this form <u>cannot</u> be saved until a new password has been entered. User is prompted to change it when they login again.

A modification may include any of the following:

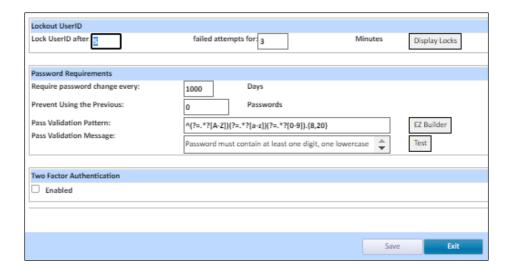
- a. Change Security Group.
- b. Spelling of the User's Name.
- c. To update the user's security group.

Note: Only one client group choice exists so this may not be changed.

Once changes have been made and the password has been filled in, click SAVE.

Password Policy

Allows the Client Admin to define the password restrictions/policy for the database.



Locked Users

Lockout UserID:

- After the number of failed login attempts, the UserID is locked and unable to login until the account becomes unlocked.
- The UserID unlocks automatically after the "set" minute timeframe.
- A client admin can use the **Display Locks** button on this screen to choose to unlock the user manually. This can also be done from the <u>Locked Users</u> tab from the top as well.



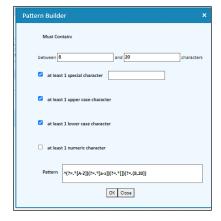
CRStar default settings for this screen are:

- Lockout a user after 3 failed attempts for 15 minutes.
- Require a user to change their password every 90 days.
- Prevent using the past 3 passwords.
- Password patterns of Must contain at least one digit, one lowercase character, one uppercase character, and be between 8 and 20 characters long.
- Pass Validation Msg The default text is shown in the above screen shot, but if the client admin changes the pattern then they should also re-type the text to match. This is the "message" that users see if they attempt to set a password that does not meet the set pattern selected for the database.

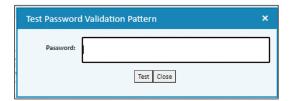
NOTE: It is highly recommended to remind all users to set a strong password which usually contains a mix of upper and lower-case characters, numbers, symbols, and is <u>not</u> a word that can be found in any dictionary and does not include normal substitutions in a word (i.e. HOuse – this is <u>not</u> a strong password just because the "o" is substituted with a zero).

The Client Admin can reset these settings as needed to meet their database security policy. The password validation pattern can be set using the **EZ Builder** button, or the pattern can also be typed in with any REGEX pattern. Click on the **EZ Builder** button for a user-friendly way to build the pattern

using a few common restrictions.



- Once the Password Policy screen is edited, click **Save**.
- A Test button is available to test settings of the password pattern, if needed.

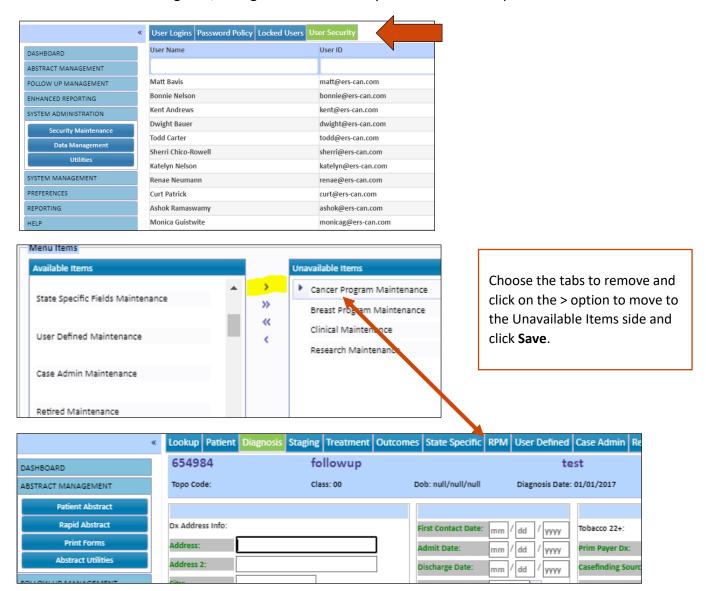


User Security

Hide Screens/Tabs

The User Security Definition allows the administrator of the system to limit access to different functions in CRStar. This function hides the screens (tabs) per user.

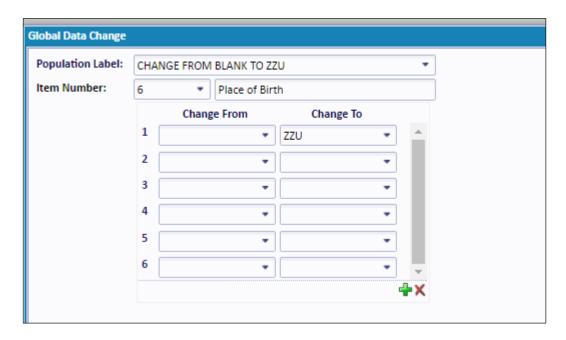
- 1. Important: Do not change anything if there are no limitations to the user.
- 2. Go to System Administration > Security Maintenance > User Security. Choose the user name.
- 3. Highlight each function to remove from the user. Use the > option to move the tab to the unavailable side.
- 4. Click Save and Exit.
- 5. When the user signs in, changes are immediately seen across the top of the abstract.



Data Management

Global Data Change

Before making any global data changes, it is recommended to seek advice from a member of the CRStar Support Team. In addition, it is especially important to request a backup of the database prior to any global change.



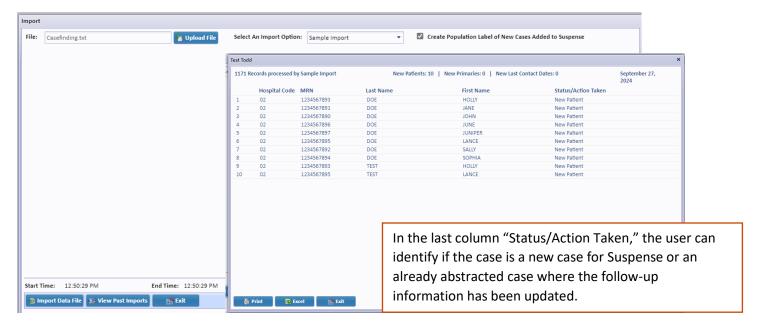
- 1. Select a population of cases for the global data change.
- 2. Insert the selected population. Click on the down arrow for a list of saved populations.
- 3. Enter the item number of the field requiring the global change. To access the item numbers, click the drop-down arrow for a list of item numbers or begin typing the name of the field in the description field.
- 4. In "Change from" enter the old value.
 Note: If changing the entire population regardless of the values in the field, type the word "ALL".
 If "Change to" is to be a blank value, leave the field blank (empty). If the field is a coded field, click the drop-down arrow for choices.
- 5. Changes may be made on a data field or multiple changes in the selected field.
- 6. Click **OK**. The "Confirm Global Change" message pops up. User is asked: *Please confirm that you would like to proceed with this Global Change and that you have a backup of your data. Click "Ok" to continue, otherwise click "Cancel"*. Click **OK**. Once completed, the system indicates the global change has been made. Click **Close** on the Global Change Results Box.
- 7. Click **New** to make another global or **Exit** to leave the screen.

^{*}Special Note: <u>If making a global change on a Date, each of the Month/Day/Year and Summary Fields</u> must be changed.

Import - Import Function

The import function imports data from other sources for casefinding and follow-up, such as from the facility's EMR, Redsson, EPath, etc. The import function must be custom written by our technical team prior to using. A support request should be submitted by the client to begin the process.

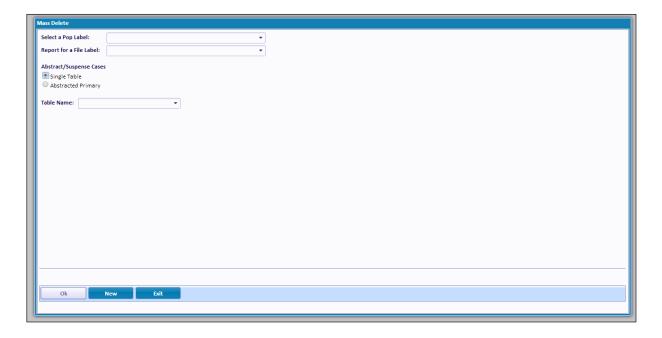
It is recommended to seek advice from a member of the CRStar Support Team if unfamiliar with this function. In addition, it is especially important to have an import configuration set-up that correlates to the data file type for import before that file type is imported the first time.



- 1. Go to the System Administration tab, then Data Management, and click on the Import tab.
- 2. Select the data file type to import by clicking on **Upload File** and finding the file location on the computer.
- 3. Select the name of the <u>Import Option</u> from the drop-down list.
 - a. NOTE: <u>If you do not see the appropriate option that matches the data file type you wish to import</u>, then your facility needs to set one up using the Import Config screen first.
- 4. Check the appropriate boxes on the right if you would like to have a population automatically created under the reporting tab for further report needs. This step is always strongly recommended.
- 5. Click on **Import Data File**.
 - a. NOTE: If the import is in use by another user, a message will pop-up.
- 6. A window appears that displays the completion status of the import file.
- 7. Once the file is completely imported, a report is displayed to the screen with the information that was set up in the configuration function for this file type. Choose print or download the report to Excel and/or exit the screen when complete.

Mass Delete

It is recommended to seek advice from a member of the CRStar Support Team if unfamiliar with this function. In addition, it is especially important to have a good backup <u>before</u> deleting files. There are multiple ways to utilize this function and can be used to delete multiple abstracts, suspense cases, physician files, and other files from the database.



- 1. Go to the <u>System Administration</u> tab, then <u>Data Management</u>, then click on the <u>Mass Delete</u> tab.
- 2. Select the Population or the Report for a File name that contains the data to delete from the appropriate drop-down list at the top.
- 3. Choose "Single Table" if deleting from a single table, then select the name of the table from the drop-down list "Table Name."
- 4. Choose Abstracted Primary if deleting cases. These can be complete abstracts or incomplete cases.
- 5. Click **OK**.
- 6. When complete, click **Exit**.

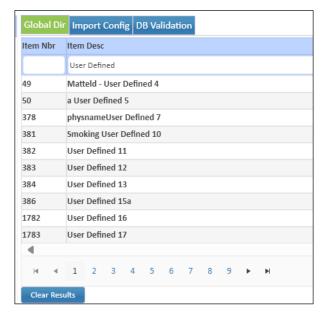
Utilities

Global Dir - Global Dictionary

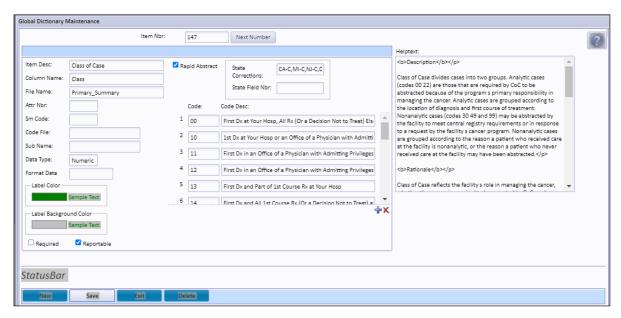
The Global Dictionary is where all fields in CRStar reside and where codes, descriptions, and Help Notes are maintained. These include required, non-required, and user-defined fields.

Searching for Global Dictionary Number

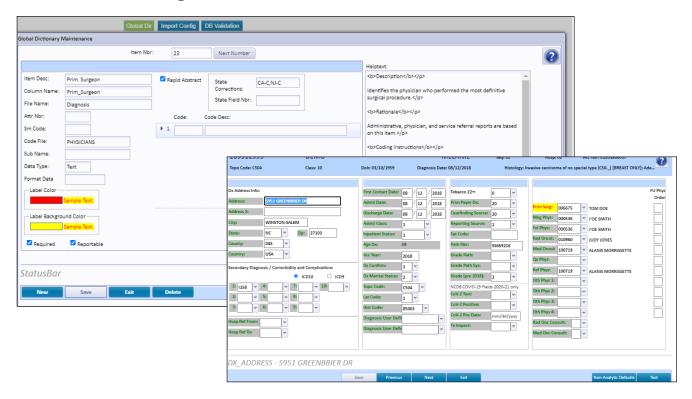




- 1. To search by global number, enter the field item number and click "Search". Item numbers are listed in numerical order as shown. The user can go from page to page. The number of records shown per page may also be changed.
- 2. To search by item description, type in the entire description and click "Search," or type a partial description and the Enter key.



Global Dir - Color Coding



In the Global Dictionary, users have the option of choosing the color scheme for the Field Label Text and Background. Users may decide to color code required fields or shade the fields that are not required. If a color coding system is created by the user, be sure to include instructions in the facility's policy and procedure manual to define the color coding scheme. Please submit a support ticket for a list of suggested fields to color code.

Note: This is optional and the color scheme does not have to be changed.

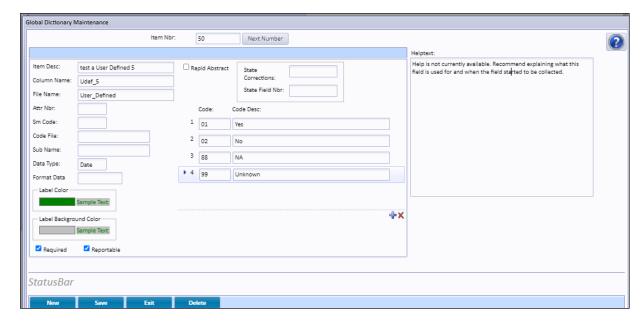
Instructions to Color Code

- 1. Click System Administrator tab.
- 2. Click Utilities.
- 3. Click Global Dir.
- 4. Enter the Item Number to code (from the Field Index list).
- 5. Choose the label and/or background color.
- 6. Check "Rapid Abstract" box.
- 7. Click Save.
- 8. Log out of CRStar.

Global Dictionary - Creating User-Defined Fields

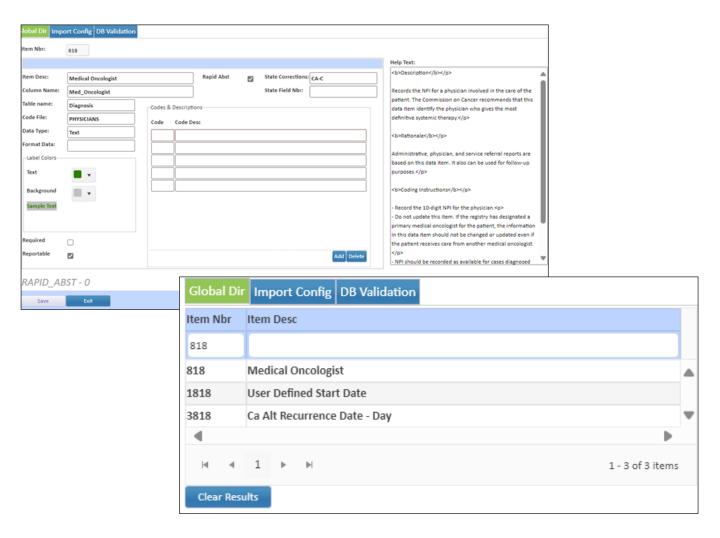
There are 75 customizable user-defined fields in the abstract located in the User-Defined section. Customize by changing the field name. Add codes with descriptions and create help notes. In addition, each screen of the abstract contains several user-defined fields.





- 1. Enter the item number of the user-defined field to create. Click "Search". Or type in the description of the user-defined field or partial description followed by the asterisk (*). For a complete list refer to Appendix I.
- 2. Add the name of the new UDF in front of the Item Desc. See example above.
- 3. Create codes and descriptions as shown. Accepts up to 50 alphanumeric characters.
- 4. To add rows, click the (+) icon. To delete rows, click the (X) icon.
- 5. Type in help notes as shown. Accepts alphanumeric characters.
- 6. Change the Label and Background Color by clicking on the arrow and selecting a new color scheme (optional).
- 7. Click Save.

Global Dir - Rapid Abstract



In the Global Dictionary, users have the option of choosing fields to bypass by graying them out. To set up the Rapid Abstract, the user must have System Admin rights. We suggest utilizing the Illustrated Field Index Number document located on the CRStar Resources page. This gives the user copies of each screen of the abstract, the fields and the field index numbers for each field.

- 1. Click System Administrator.
- 2. Click the <u>Utilities</u> tab.
- 3. Click Global Dir tab.
- 4. Enter the Item Number to exclude. Example shows field #818 (from the Field Index list)
- 5. Uncheck the "Rapid Abstract" box to remove the check mark.
- Click Save.
- 7. Log out of CRStar and back in to see the changes.

Caution:

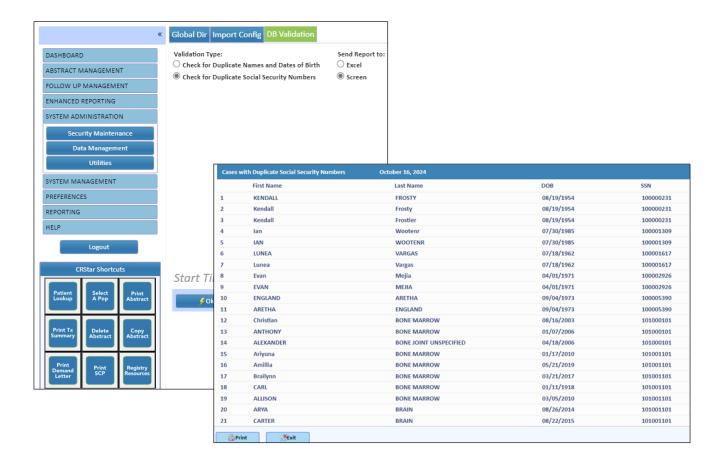
Do NOT use this function unless under direct supervision of a member of the CRStar Support Team.

DB Validation - Database Validation Checks

The Database Validation report is used to identify possible duplicate cases. Located under the <u>System Administrator</u> tab, <u>Utilities</u>, and <u>DB Validation</u>, the user has the choice of two reports. The first report checks for duplicate last names and dates of birth. For example, a patient could exist in the database with the Last Name Doe and Name Suffix JR. The same patient may similarly be entered with the Last Name Doe, JR, and the Name Suffix *blank*.

The second report checks for duplicate Social Security numbers for different patients. In the example below, the patients with the last name Bone Marrow all have the same Social Security number.

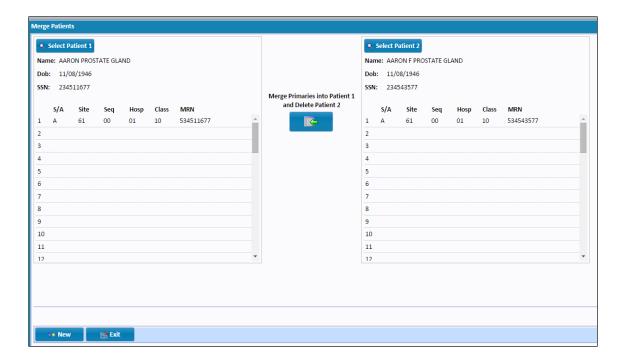
Note: This is a test database. All names, social security numbers, etc. are fictional.



The user has the option of sending the report to Excel and saving or viewing on screen, then printing if desired. After the user reviews the reports and identifies a case or cases that are duplicates, the Combine Patient feature can be utilized to merge the two cases together and delete the duplicate. This feature is located under the Abstract Management tab, Abstract Utilities, and Combine Patients.

To combine the two Aaron Prostate patients:

- Select Patient Number 1. This is the correct case.
- 2. Select Patient Number 2. This is the duplicate case.
- 3. Click "Merge Primaries" into Patient 1 and delete Patient 2.
- 4. Reference the section Combine Patients.



Helpful Hints When Combining Patients

- When combining cases together, the system is merging primaries to eliminate duplicate cases. It
 is important for the user to closely evaluate which case should be kept and which should be
 combined and deleted.
- It is particularly important to ensure that the patients being combined are the same patient and not different patients.
- Only one patient can be combined at a time.
- Patient 1 should be considered the case to keep.
- Patient 2 is the case that is combined with Patient 1 and deleted.

- If the user is trying to combine two cases and either the name, DOB, or Social Security # do not match, a warning message will pop up. The user should review the case to ensure that it is the same case.
- Any information the user wishes to retain from the <u>Patient</u> screen for Patient 2 should be entered on the <u>Patient</u> screen for Patient 1 prior to combining. For example, if the user wishes to retain the Comments from Patient 2, they can be copied and pasted into the comment field for Patient 1.
- All screens are primary specific. Any information past the <u>Patient</u> screen will copy over or combine as is.
- After combining a case, review treatment and follow-up information for same primaries shared between hospitals.
- Review sequence numbers for accuracy after combining patients.
- A backup is not required before combining patients as the abstract is not actually being deleted, the primaries are being combined. The only information that is deleted is the information on the patient screen of Patient 2.

Chapter 7: System Management

The System Management section in CRStar enables the user to define hospitals, physician's names, zip codes, county codes, and multiple other fields available in the abstract. This menu allows the user to maintain the data files that are used as parameters throughout the CRStar system.

Important: Most of the codes have already been defined; however, it is sometimes necessary to make changes and updates. <u>The contents of these files interact with all other areas of the system; therefore, changes affect the entire system.</u>

<u>Please ask a member of the CRStar Support Team for assistance with site, topo, morpho, surgery and TNM codes.</u>

System Management

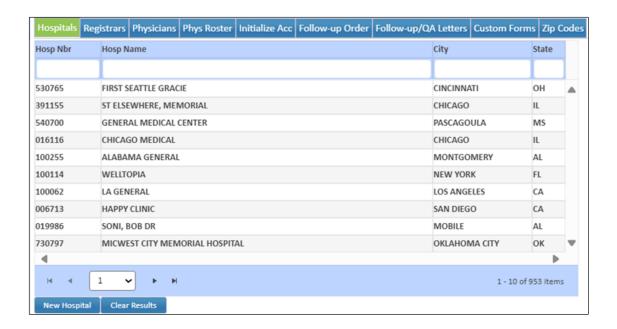
- o Hospitals
- o Registrars
- o Physicians
- o **Physician Roster**
- o <u>Initialize Accession Numbers</u>
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 - Follow-up Letters
 - QA Letters

Codes Maintenance

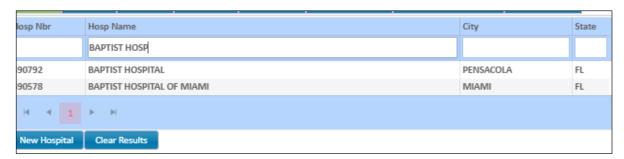
- Site Codes
- o Topography
- o Morphology
- o <u>County Codes</u>
- o <u>Zip Codes</u>
- o Surgery Codes
- o TNM Codes

System Management

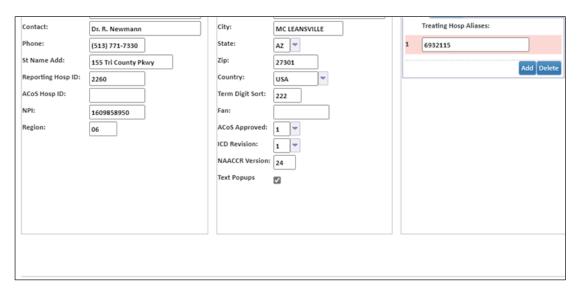
Hospitals



- 1. To search for a hospital, enter the hospital number if known, or part of the number if known, Click **Enter** key.
- 2. If the number is not known, type in the complete hospital name or partial name. Click the **Enter** key.
- 3. Click **Search** and the items that match will appear as shown above.
- 4. Highlight the hospital to select it.
- 5. To view another page, click the page numbers or arrows.
- 6. Columns can be sorted alphabetically and numerically by clicking on the column header.
- 7. Click **New Hospital** to add a new facility.

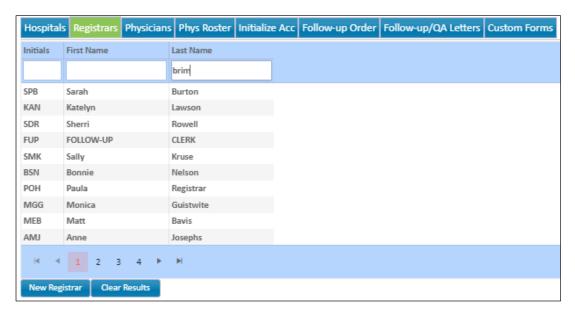


8. <u>Note</u>: A single hospital facility must be identified as Hospital 01. This impacts all the export functions. The facility may also be listed with the ACoS number, but do not delete hospital 01. This is also for adding facilities into the database. Multi-hospital facilities must be listed as 01, 02, 03, etc.



- 9. <u>Reporting Hospital ID</u>: This is the State number assigned to the facility. <u>It must be filled in to export data to the state</u>, even if it is the same as the ACoS number.
- 10. ACOS Hospital ID: This is the facility's ACoS number and must be filled in to export data to NCDB.
- 11. <u>NPI</u>: The NPI (National Provider Identifier) code that represents the data transmission source. This item stores the NPI of the facility registry that transmits the record.
- 12. <u>Rx. Aliases</u>: Use this field for other facilities whose treatments are considered done at the main hospital. Using this field allows the user to track the treatments done at that facility (record number in grid under RX Hospital) and is recorded as treatment done here on the next page).
- 13. <u>Address, City, and State</u>: The State Screen (if any) is in the abstract of the state recorded in this field. If the state field is not recorded, the State Screen is not available in the abstract.
- 14. <u>Term Digit Sort</u>: This field must be filled in to do a terminal digit sort. Terminal digit sort is a file system used by most Health Information Departments. (i.e. 2222 would be the last two digits, followed by the third two digits, followed by the second two digits, followed by the first two digits).
- 15. <u>Facility Association Number</u>: The Commission on Cancer assigns this number first 3 characters are for state, next 2 for type of institution, and last 5 for facility ownership.
- 16. ACoS Approved: Code status as approved or not an approved facility. This field may affect edits.
- 17. <u>ICD Revision Number for Co-Morbidity Codes</u>: This is to record which version of the ICD manual the facility is using, ICD 9-CM or ICD 10-CM, for the co-morbidity codes in the abstract.
- 18. <u>NAACCR Version</u>: Shows current metafile version in use at this facility.
- 19. <u>State Counties</u>: To collect county codes from more than one state, list the states including the main facility in this field. The counties listed are listed under the counties in the abstract. Note: <u>The more county codes</u>, the longer it takes to display when using the look up function. In the abstract, it is particularly important that the hospital address fields be filled.
- 20. In the example above, the Ohio county codes listed first, then the Michigan County codes listed second under state counties, and finally Pennsylvania county codes listed third.
- 21. Click Save.

Registrars



- 1. To search for a registrar, enter the initials if known.
- 2. If the initials are not known, type in the complete registrar's name or partial name.
- 3. Click the **Enter** button and the items that match will appear as shown below.
- 4. Highlight the name and click to select it.
- 5. To view another page, click the arrows to move forward and back, or click the page number.
- 6. Columns can be sorted alphabetically and by clicking on the column header.
- 7. Click New Registrar to add a new registrar.



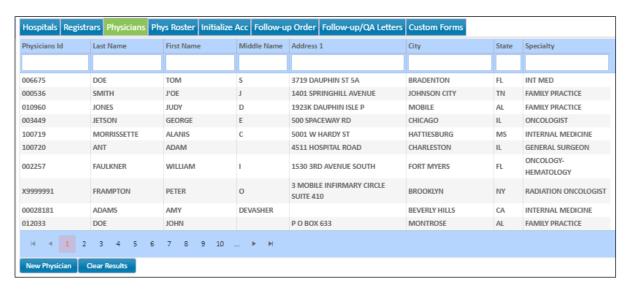
- 8. Enter the new registrar's information as shown.
- 9. Registrar's initials must be a minimum of 2 characters, maximum of 3 characters.
- 10. Department may be left blank.



- 11. <u>State ID</u>: This field is used for those states that have assigned ID numbers to the abstractors. This allows the abstractor to use their initials in the abstract and the state ID number exports to the state. (i.e. HLM in the abstract will export as HQ7). Leave this field blank and the initials in the abstract will export to the state. *Please check with the central registry for requirements*.
- 12. Enter the CRStar User ID used to log in to CRStar.

 IMPORTANT: The user ID format is FirstInitialLastName@ersfacilitynumber.com. Example above: hmorton@ers0794.com. The purpose of entering the user ID in the Registrar file is to have the system auto-fill the abstractor's initials on the Case Administration screen of the abstract. If this field is blank, the initials will not auto-fill.
- 13. Click Save.

Physicians



- 1. To search for a physician, enter the Physician ID if known.
- 2. If the Physician ID is not known, type in the complete physician's name or partial name.
- 3. Click **Enter** and the items that match will appear as shown below.
- 4. Highlight the name and click to select it.
- 5. To view another page, click the arrows to move forward and back, or click the page number.
- 6. Columns can be sorted alphabetically and numerically by clicking on the column header.



Add A New Physician

- 1. Click **New Physician** to add a new physician.
- 2. Physician ID number can be alphanumeric. Use numbers, letters, or a combination.
- 3. Enter a title, i.e. MD. PhD, etc. Be consistent with MD vs. M.D.
- 4. <u>Do not delete physicians that are in the database</u> to avoid data validation errors.
- 5. Enter a specialty if known. Various reports can be generated by specialty.
- 6. EXTREMELY IMPORTANT: Enter the 10-digit NPI number.
- 7. Remarks: This is an excellent place to record if the physician has retired, moved, etc.
- 8. Check "Do Not Contact" and a follow-up letter will not be generated for this physician.
- 9. Click Save.

Physician Roster - Generate Physician Roster

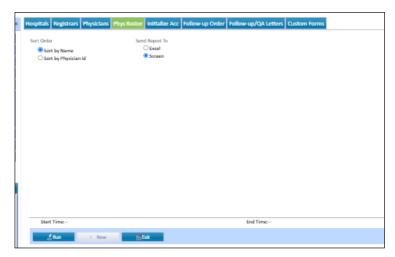
This feature is used to obtain a list of physicians entered in the system. The Physician Roster lists the ID,

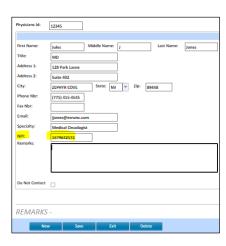
Physician Name, Address, City, State, Zip, and Phone Number.

- Check the Sort Order of the printed physician roster, either by Last Name or Physician ID.
- 2. Check desired output of report. Click either **Excel** or **Screen**.

Note: The steps to open or save the Excel document are dependent on browser type.

3. Click Run.



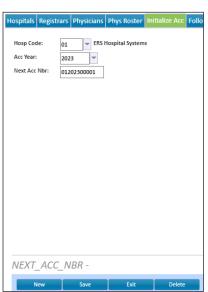


Initialize Acc - Initialize Accession Numbers

The STORE Manual states, "Numeric gaps are allowed. When a case is deleted from the database, do not reuse that accession number for another case. This will avoid any chance of two cases having the same accession number."

NOTE: Individual States keep track of accession numbers and will reject a case with duplicate numbers.

- 1. Enter the Hospital code, i.e. 01, 02, 03, etc.
- 2. Any number of years can be initialized. Simply choose the year to initialize by entering in the year.
- 3. <u>Important</u>: The accession number must be preceded by the hospital number followed by the year and then case number (01202200005).
 - Enter the next 11 digit accession number to use: (HSP# = 2 Digits, Year = 4 Digits, Case # = 5 Digits). The system will automatically assign the next number to the abstract when the year is typed in.



- 4. To initialize accession numbers at the beginning of a new year, enter the next accession number as shown above, i.e. 01202300001.
- 5. Click Save.

Follow-up/QA Letters

Follow-up Letters

Follow-up letters are provided in CRStar. The letters may be changed or modified to suit individual facility's needs. The letters provided are by individual hospital codes. For multi-hospitals, letters can be copied from one facility to another and then modified if needed.

The following are the types of letters provided:

- Patient Follow-up
- Patient Follow up in Spanish
- Secondary Contact Follow-up
- Physician Follow-up (this letter is also used to send to other cancer registries)
- Physician QA letter
- Physician TNM Staging Letter

Special Note: Every system must have a letter named Pat, Doc, QA, and Con.

Do not ever delete these letters from CRStar!

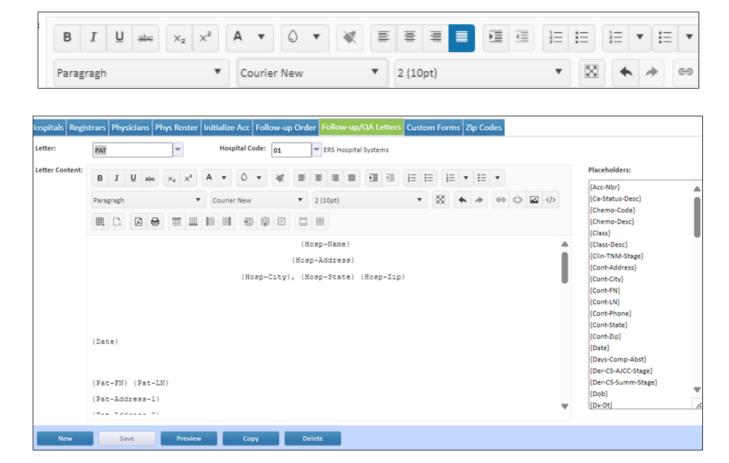
They can be modified, <u>but never deleted</u>! These are the letters that default when method is coded to Physician, Patient, or Contact, unless otherwise specified.

The letters can be used with hospital letterhead or plain paper. If plain paper is used the hospital name and address is centered at the top of the letter as shown.

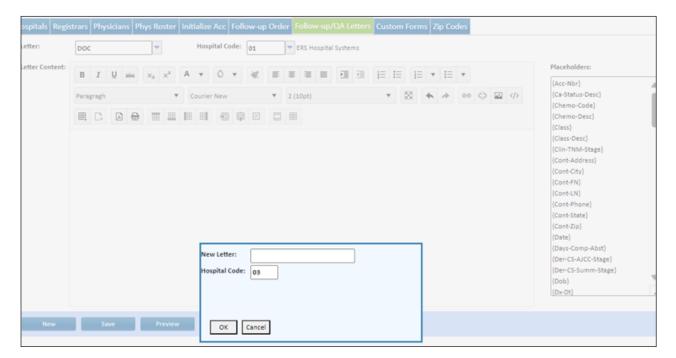
{Hosp-Name}
{Hosp-Address}
{Hosp-City}, {Hosp-State} {Hosp-Zip}

If letterhead paper is used, the user will need to modify the letters depending on where the letterhead is located. Note: This may take some trial and error.

The letters provided contain similar features to a Word document. The user can utilize any of these features to customize a letter. Some options are shown below:



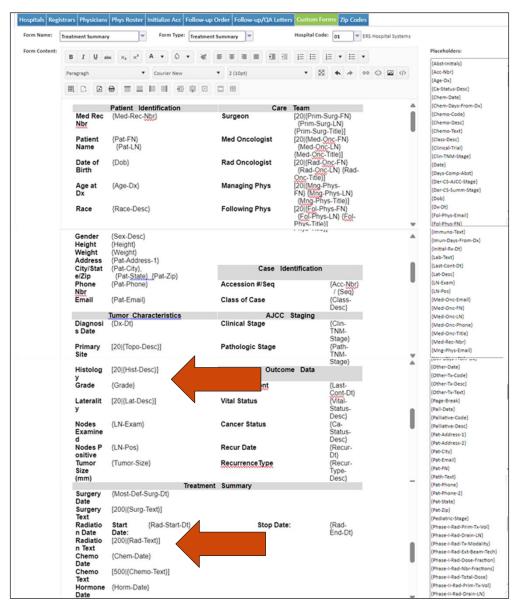
- To choose a letter type to modify, click the drop-down arrow. Each letter will have a Hospital Code, i.e. 01PAT, 02PAT, 03PAT.
- Standard and Recommended settings should be:
 - Letter Content-Normal
 - o Font- Courier New
 - Font Size- 2 (10pt)
 <u>Special Note</u>: The only font that can be used for letters requiring columns or fixed spacing is Courier New. If font is changed from the fixed-width Courier New, <u>it cannot be changed back</u>. If someone changes the font, and then realizes they need columns aligned, you will have to create a new letter to get the Courier New font again.
- Placeholders are data items that can be used in the letters. To add a placeholder, highlight it in the list on the right, right click on it, copy it, then right click and paste the placeholder name in the letter where it should appear. It is recommended that placeholders are added by copying and pasting instead of trying to type them manually.
- If any changes have been made to the letter, the **Save** button at the bottom is activated and changes need to be saved before exiting the letter.
- The **Preview** button at the bottom of the screen allows for a preview of how the letter will print.
- To copy a letter from one facility to another, select the letter to copy as shown:
 - o Click Copy.
 - Enter a title for the new letter. Note: Only do this if a different title is needed. If the letter should be named the same, leave New Letter blank.
 - o Enter the number of the hospital code where the letter should be copied to.
 - Click OK.



- To delete a letter, click Delete. A message will pop up asking to delete the letter. Click OK.
- Click Preview to preview changes or modifications.

QA Letter

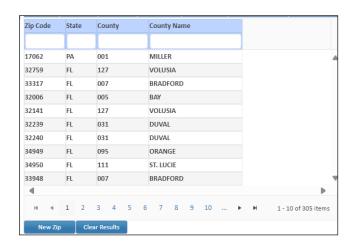
- A Physician QA letter is provided. It is <u>not</u> recommended to change this letter. <u>Do not change</u>
 <u>the font!</u> Courier New is a fixed width font. If the font is changed, the columns will not align
 properly.
- Note: As indicated by the arrows, codes and text in certain fields to be displayed in the letter have been assigned certain character values. <u>Do not change these!</u> The number is not visible when the letter prints.
- Letters can be created in Word and copied and pasted into CRStar, then modified to add the place holders.



Zip Codes

In CRStar, the City/State suggestions for entered zip codes come from the US Postal Service. Note: Additional cities added to CRStar zip code tables will not affect the CRStar lookups because they come from the US Postal Service. If an edit appears when entering a zip code in the abstract, the zip code has not been indexed, or the City and State does not match the city, state, or county on file. Manually enter the corrections/additions in these fields and **Save**. Ignore the popup by clicking **Cancel**.

- 1. To search for zip codes in a state, enter the state abbreviation or enter the zip code.
- 2. The zip code and state columns can be sorted by clicking the column header.
- 3. Click the **Enter** button and the items that match appear as shown.
- 4. Highlight the name to select it.
- To view another page, click the arrows to move forward and back or click the page number.



- 6. Click on the down arrow to change the number of records displayed on a page.
- 7. Enter the county code.

Note: Entering the county code will allow for automatic fill in the abstract. When entering a zip code, the system will automatically fill in the appropriate county code. For cities with more than one county, the system will default to the county on the first line but will not generate an edit for any other counties listed. Additional note: To do this, the county code and name must be entered here. However, if the county code is not entered, the system will allow manual entry.



Codes Maintenance

Site Codes

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Topography

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Morphology

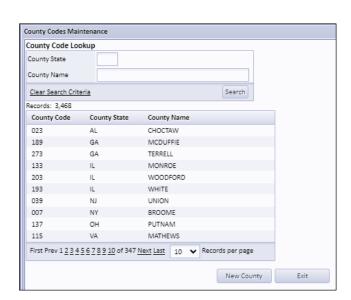
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County Codes

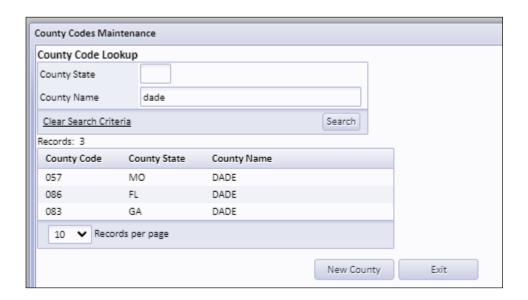
The County Codes for all states have already been entered in the software.

- 1. To search for county codes in a state, enter the state abbreviation.
- 2. The county code, state, and name columns can be sorted by clicking the column header.
- 3. To search for a county by name, type in the full county name or partial name.
- 4. Click the **Enter** button and the items that match will appear as shown below.
- 5. Highlight the name to select it.
- To view another page, click the arrows to move forward and back or click the page number.
- 7. Click **New County** to add a new county code.



- 8. Enter the county code and the state. The state can be chosen by clicking the drop-down arrow.
- 9. Enter a Township code and name if applicable.

 Note: Only a few states have township codes.
- 10. Click Save.



Surgery Codes

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TNM Codes

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Chapter 8: PREFERENCES

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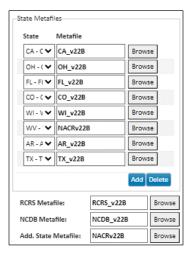
System Configuration

GenEdits

GenEdits Settings

The GenEdits utility is located under <u>Preferences > System Configuration > Genedits</u>. Edits need to be defined for <u>state specific</u> or the standard <u>NAACCR</u>, <u>NCDB</u>, and <u>RCRS</u> metafiles. The metafiles only need

to be loaded once for each set.



To set the <u>state specific</u> metafiles, first choose the appropriate state. Put the cursor in the
 <u>Metafile</u> field and click **Browse**. A window with an alphabetic listing of all metafiles opens. Use
 the scroll bar to view the metafiles. Choose the correct metafile by highlighting it. Users
 reporting to multiple states can set several state metafiles. These edits begin with the state
 abbreviation.

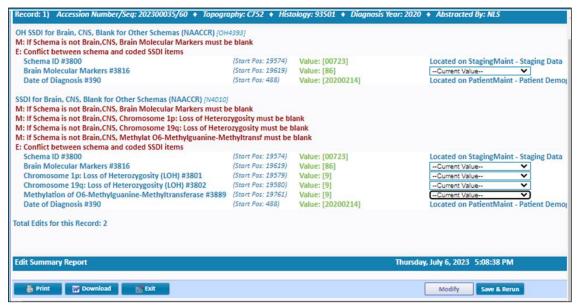
Note: <u>This section is for state specific metafiles</u>. <u>If the user does not use state specific metafiles</u>, <u>the standard NAACCR edits should be used here</u>. <u>Running edits from this location use the NAACCR export</u>.

- 2. To set the RCRS edit metafile, click **Browse**. Use the scroll bar to view the metafiles. Choose the correct metafile by highlighting it. These edits begin with RCRS. <u>Running edits from this location</u> use the NCDB export.
- 3. To set the NCDB edit metafile, click **Browse**. Use the scroll bar to view the metafiles. Choose the correct metafile by highlighting it. These edits begin with NCDB. <u>Running edits from this location use the NCDB export</u>.
- 4. Additional state metafiles may also be loaded. If state specific metafiles are used, it is recommended to load the standard NAACCR edits in this section and run both sets of edits. This may save time clearing edits at NCDB submission time because NCDB uses the standard NAACCR edit set. Some state specific edit sets may not have all the standard edits turned on. <u>Running edits from this location use the NAACCR export</u>. To set the additional metafiles, click **Browse**. Use the scroll bar to view the metafiles. Choose the correct metafile by highlighting it.

Running Individual Edits

- On any screen past the <u>Patient Maintenance</u> screen, click the << located at the far right top of the screen to bring up the Quick Link window.
- 2. Click the Run Genedits icon.
- 3. Choose the metafile to run.
- 4. Click **Run** for the report to display.



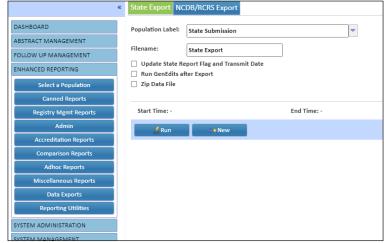


- 1. Click **Modify** to make the edits interactive.
- 2. Make corrections to the fields that are editable by correcting the field directly on the edit screen or choose Goto from the edit screen to go directly to the screen within the abstract.
- 3. Click Save and Re-Run.

Running State Export Edits

- 1. Go to Reporting.
- 2. Go to Data Exports.
- 3. Go to State Export.
- 4. Insert pre-selected population.
- 5. Name the Filename. NOTE: Do not use characters such as /or * in the file name.
- 6. Check Run Genedits after export.
- 7. Check Update State report flag and transmit date <u>only</u> if they are ready to transmit as clean cases.
- 8. Click Run.

9. Choose the type of export for your state, if applicable, i.e. New Case, Corrections, Follow-Up, etc.



- A list of all the cases in the export is created. The user can print the list if desired.
- Download will create another export file.
- Exit exits the report.



The edit print out will appear behind the list.

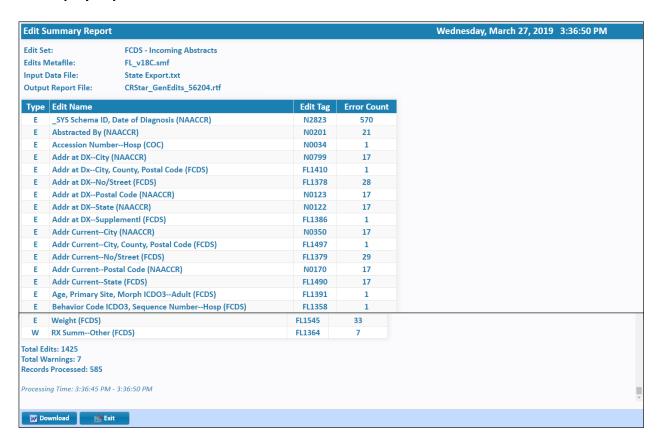
See next page.

Edit Display



- The edit display shows the edit set and date the report was run.
- Each case is listed as Record 1, Record 2, etc. separated by the blue bar and patient information.
- The display lists the number of errors per case.
- Errors are displayed in red font and the value entered in the abstract is displayed in green font.
- Edit tag numbers and NAACCR position numbers are displayed in light blue.
- The edit summary report is displayed at the bottom of the report.
- The **Exit** icon exits the screen. The **Download** icon downloads the edit report to Word, where it can be saved as an attachment or printed.
- The print icon will print without going to Word.

Edit Display Report



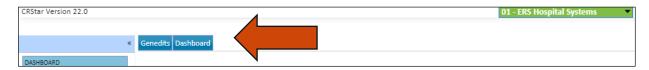
- The edit summary report displays the type of edits set.
- The edit metafile displays the version of edits being run.
- The input data file displays the name the user gave the file.
- The output report file is the name given when a user uses the **Download** option once the edit is displayed.
- Each error or warning is listed with the name of the edit, the Edit Tag number, and the number
 of errors or warnings for each. In addition to errors and warnings, additional messages
 associated with the errors may also be listed. Messages do not require corrections. They simply
 accompany the error message and provide additional information.

The total number of edits and warnings are displayed at the bottom of the report as well as how many cases were processed in the file.

Dashboard

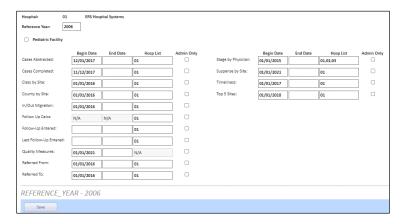
Dashboard Configuration

Users must have CRStar System Admin rights to view and set up this screen.



- 1. Go to <u>Preferences</u> > <u>System Configuration</u> > <u>Dashboard</u> tab.
- 2. The Dashboard Configuration window will appear and enables <u>many</u> customizable options to be set for each of the dashboard reports.
- 3. The hospital for which you are setting parameters displays at the top of the dashboard window. Example: Hospital 01 ERS Hospital Systems. To change display for a different hospital, simply exit this window and select the hospital from the green drop-down menu at the top of your screen. Then select the <u>Dashboard</u> tab again for the parameter window to open.
- 4. Fill in the reference year of the facility if it is newer than the ACoS default year for dashboard reports to utilize when calculating follow-up.
- 5. If setting for a pediatric facility, check the box. This excludes patients greater than 26 years of age for the "Lost to Follow-up" report calculations.
- 6. For each report, set the customized date range that is most appropriate for your needs. Note: Ranges must be valid dates, but can be days, weeks, months, quarters, etc. Follow the format as seen below: MM/DD/YYYY. If "End Date" is left *blank*, the system will refresh to current date.
- 7. In a multi-hospital setting, the user may choose the facilities to include in each graph or to isolate a single facility. Enter the facility followed by a comma and no space.
- 8. Checking the <u>Admin Only</u> box listed to the right of each report prevents all users <u>except</u> the users with admin logins from seeing that report on their dashboard screen. Keep in mind that users with System Admin rights can view this configuration screen to make changes.
- 9. Once dates are filled in for each report and selections made in the checkboxes, select **Save**, then **Exit**.

Return to this screen to make any changes at any time. The dashboard reports will continue to show the data within the date range set until it is changed to reflect other dates.

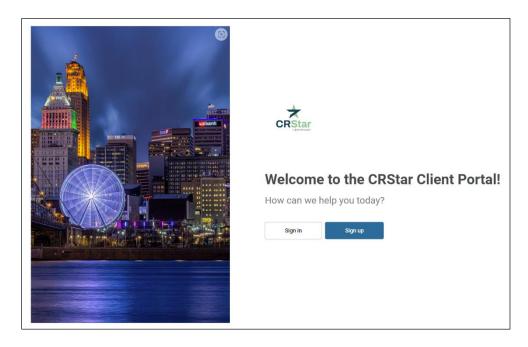


Chapter 9: Help

Support Portal

Bookmark the Portal

Link to the new Client Portal: https://ers.myportallogin.com/



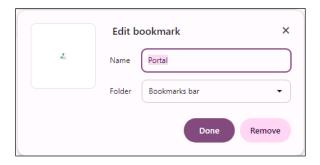
The CRStar Client Portal only supports the Google Chrome™ web browser, although the portal may work in other browsers. To bookmark the page in Chrome, click the Star icon in the upper right corner:





If you'd like to change the name (or just leave it Portal") or where the bookmark appears, select "Edit" and change the name or folder. Click "Done."

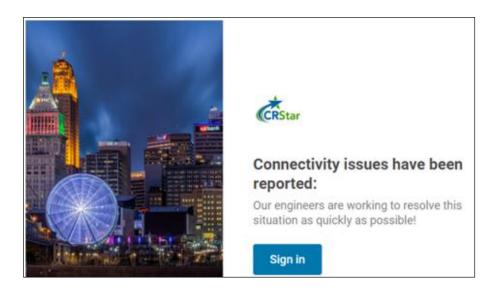
You can enter any name that you'd like (or just leave it Portal"). Select "Bookmarks bar" for the Folder location and click "Done":



You should now see the Portal Icon in your Bookmarks Bar:



In the event of CRStar connectivity issues, the following screen will be displayed:



In these circumstances it is not necessary to enter a ticket as we are already aware of the problem and are working on it. We will send updates as often as deemed necessary by our crisis team. Most connectivity issues are resolved rather quickly, so we recommend you check the page often.

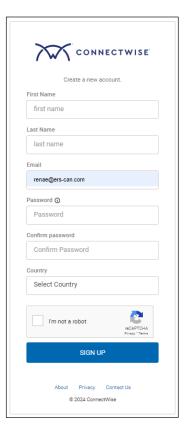
Sign Up for Portal Access

The first time you access the CRStar Client Portal, you must create an account. Click the "Sign Up" button on the homepage. You will be asked to provide some basic information and set your password. Make sure you check the "I'm not a robot" box and "Sign Up."

Please note: The CRStar System Administrator at your facility <u>must</u> create your portal account before you can sign up for access. Contact your System Admin if you have problems signing up for portal access.

You will receive an email with a link to validate your email address:

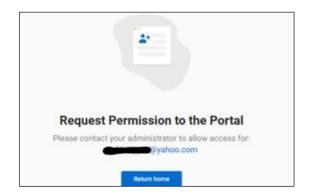




Click on the link and you should see this confirmation:



If your email is not recognized, you will get a message telling you to request permission to the portal from your system administrator:



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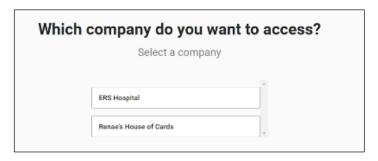
- Portal accounts are managed by the System Admin at each facility.
- If you do not have access, this must be reported to your System Admin, <u>not CRStar by Health Catalyst staff</u>.
- We may be able to help in an emergency, but members of the CRStar by Health Catalyst support teams do not have access to client account settings.

If your login is successful, you will receive a verification code:

Enter the code to complete the login.

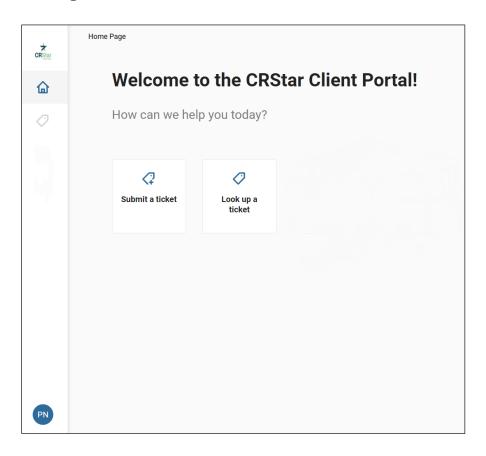


- If you work with a single facility, you will be taken directly to the Home Page.
- If you use CRStar at multiple facilities, you will be prompted to select the company for which you need support:



After selecting a company, you will be taken to the Home Page.

Navigate the Home Page



Navigating the Home Page is very simple. There are two main tabs, "Submit a ticket" and "Look up a ticket".

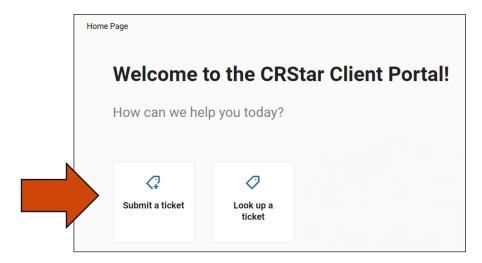
On the left side, there is a "Home" icon (clicking this will take you to the Home Page) and a "Ticket" icon (clicking this will take you to the "Look up a ticket" page).

You will see your initials in the lower left corner of the Home Page. Click on your initials and a "Logout" button will appear. Click on the "Logout" button to exit the Portal:

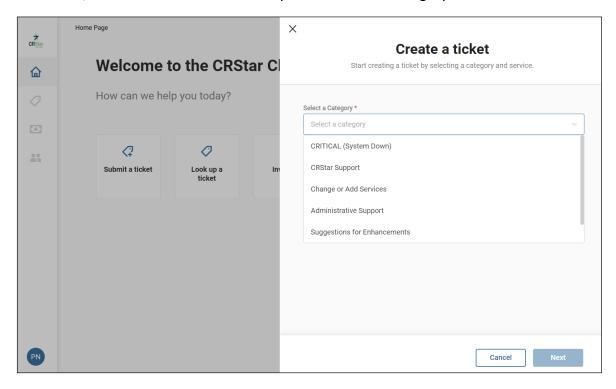


Submit a Ticket

From the Home Page, click the "Submit a Ticket" button:

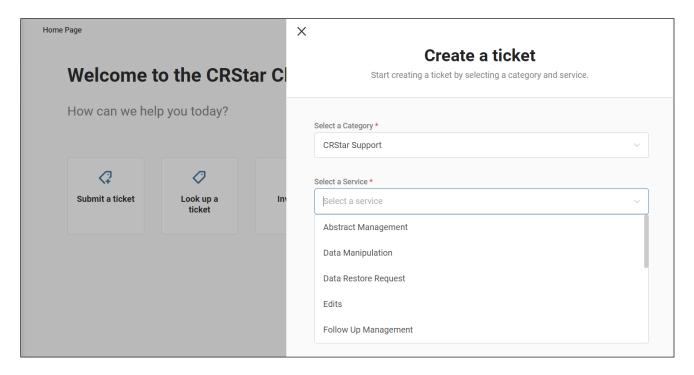


This will take you to the "Create a ticket" dialogue. First select a category. There are six categories to choose from: Critical, CRStar Support, Change or Add Services, Administrative Support, Suggestions for Enhancements, or Miscellaneous. You are required to select a category.



PLEASE NOTE: The Critical category is only to be used when users cannot work in CRStar due to a technical issue.

The categories CRStar Support, Change or Add Services, Administrative Support, Suggestions for Enhancements, or Miscellaneous contain multiple services. Once you have selected a category, select a service from the "Select a Service" drop down arrow:



Select the service that best describes your support needs and click on that service to submit a ticket.

To the right is a screenshot of the Edits service page.

To submit a ticket, simply fill in the appropriate fields and click the "Submit" button. None of the fields are required but providing as much information as possible will enable our support staff to resolve your issue more efficiently.

Most service tickets are configured using the following three components:

- 1. A drop-down menu from which you can select the most appropriate response.
- 2. A free text field where you can provide any details that are relevant.
- 3. An area to upload attachments.



As stated before, none of the fields are required to enter a ticket but providing as much detail as possible will ensure that the ticket gets assigned to the appropriate staff and gets handled as quickly and efficiently as possible.

Avoid using the "Other" service selection whenever possible.

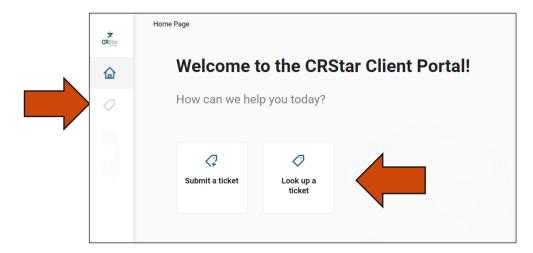
IMPORTANT

Do NOT include PHI or attach a document that includes PHI.

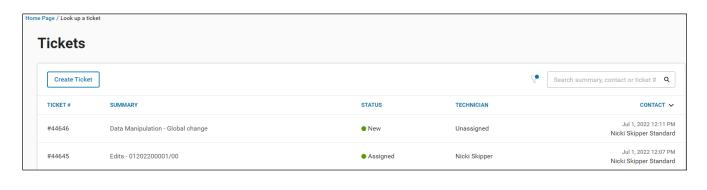
The CRStar by Health Catalyst support team deletes all PHI immediately.

Look Up a Ticket / Check Ticket Status

From the homepage, click the "Look up a ticket" box, or click the ticket icon:

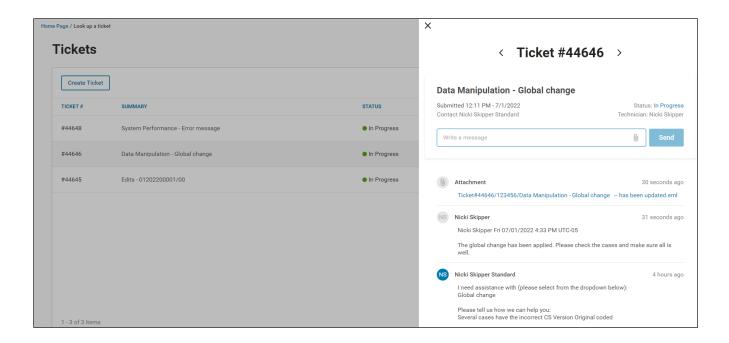


This will open a list of all your open tickets. There is also a "Create Ticket" button on this page which can be used to submit a ticket. Ticket status will change as the ticket is handled (from "New" to "Assigned" to "In Progress", etc.):

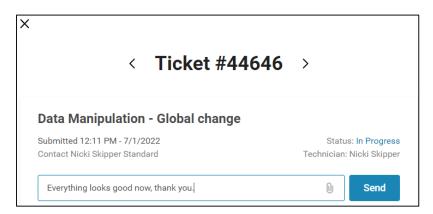




Click on any ticket to open it.

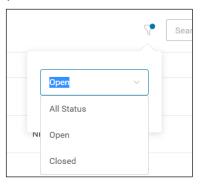


You can view all of the communication in the ticket here, including any attachments. To send a message to the technician, use the "Write a message" box.



Click the black "X" in the upper left corner to close the ticket.

The default view shows only open tickets. Use the filter icon to view any closed tickets:



The filter icon displays a blue dot when showing only open tickets. If there are no open tickets, this view will appear:

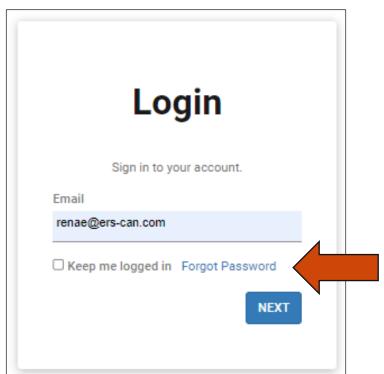


There is also a search window, where you can search by key words (from the summary), contact info, or ticket #:



Forgotten Passwords

Passwords can only be reset by each individual user. Do not report password issues to your system admin or to CRStar by Health Catalyst staff. To reset your password, enter your email address on the login screen and click the "Forgot Password" link. An email will be sent with a link to reset your password.



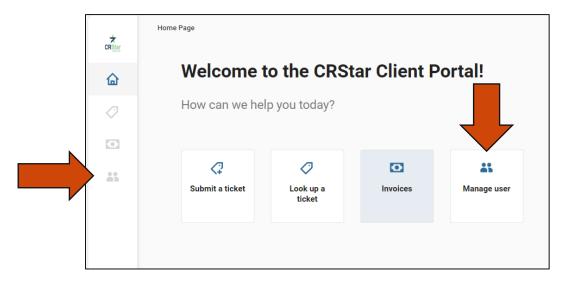
Portal User Management (for System Administrators)

In addition to the "Submit a ticket" and "Lookup a ticket" functions, system admins have access to "Manage user" functions.

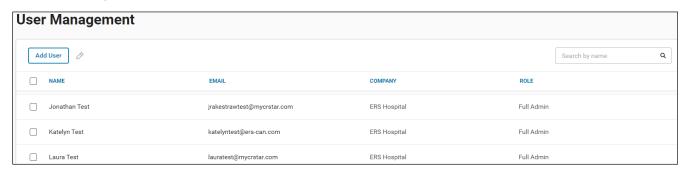
PLEASE NOTE:

Although you will see a "Make a payment" button, this function is not in use at this time.

To get to the user management screen, you can click the "Users" icon from the left toolbar, or click the "Manage user" box on the main screen:

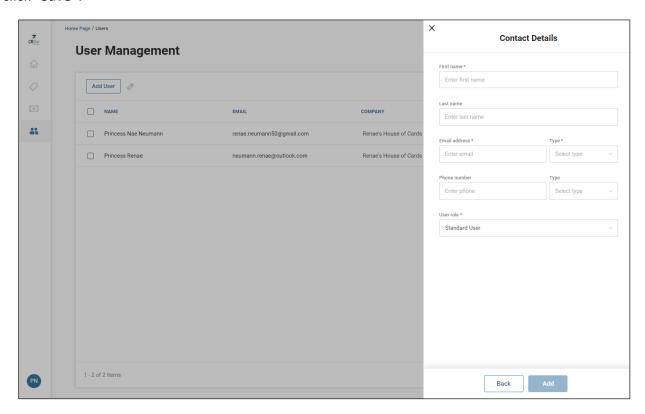


The User Management screen lists all users, their emails, company name and roles (level of permissions in the Portal):



To search for a user, use the search box in the upper right corner.

To add a user, click the "Add User" box in the upper left corner. The "Add a new contact" dialog will open. Enter the name, email and phone information, then select a user role from the dropdown and click "Save":



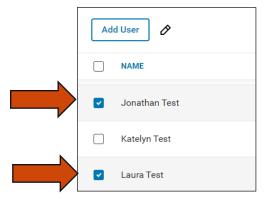
"Standard User" is the default role selected. Available roles are listed below:

	Log in to the portal	Submit a ticket	Look up own tickets	Look up all user tickets	View Invoices	Make a payment	View a project	Manage a user
Full Admin	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	√	✓	✓
Ticket Manager	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
Billing Admin	✓	✓	✓		✓	√	✓	
Ticket Read- Only	√		√					
Standard User	✓	✓	✓					
No Access								

PLEASE NOTE:

Invoices, payments, and projects are not currently available through the CRStar Client Portal.

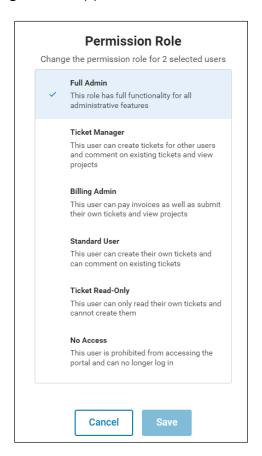
User roles can be edited one at a time or in groups. To select users, check the box next to the users names:



Checking any box will activate the edit icon (the pencil icon). Click on the icon to open the edit dialog:



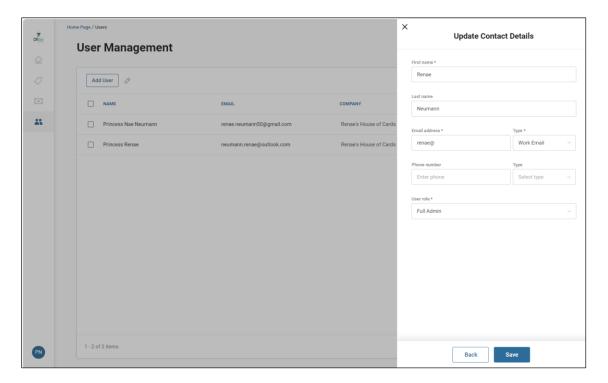
Select the role you wish to assign the user(s) and click "Save".



To update a user's contact information, click on the user (each user will turn grey as you hover your mouse over it):



This will open the "Update contact" dialog:



Click **Save** to save your changes.

CRStar PHI Policy for Clients

The CRStar Registry and Technical Support Staff frequently work with clients assisting with routine support issues that occasionally require the CRStar representative to see screen shots of abstracts, reports or to know the identity of a particular case to identify possible software related issues. The confidentiality of these records is of utmost importance. CRStar by Health Catalyst has strict internal policies in dealing with PHI and we ask that our clients adhere to the guidelines listed below to assure that we comply and do not breach patient confidentiality.

- 1. All data exported via Internet or e-mailed containing patient identifiers must be encrypted.
- 2. In the event hard copies containing patient identifiers are received in any CRStar office, they will immediately be shredded.
- 3. Faxes containing PHI must be redacted prior to transmission. Any faxed information not redacted is shredded.
- 4. Do not email or leave a voice mail for the CRStar representative with any PHI data.
- 5. Do not enter PHI in the "Issue" when submitting a support request through the Support Portal. If this is done, the CRStar representative that picks up the support ticket will delete the PHI from the ticket. This information can be obtained by the CRStar representative via phone call.
- 6. Do not send attachments via the support portal containing screen shots or reports with patient information.
- 7. Accession number should be used as a patient identifier. It is acceptable to include such information as site, sequence, and hospital code.
- 8. Information that is not acceptable to include are: Name, Address, Social Security Number, Phone Number, Date of Birth, and Medical Record Number. If such information is required by a CRstar employee, a phone call to the client, a Zoom session, or an encrypted attachment is acceptable.
- 9. <u>It is the responsibility of the Cancer Registry Manager/Supervisor to share this information with all new employees and or contract employees</u>.
- 10. This policy does not replace any BAA agreement between CRStar by Health Catalyst and the facility.

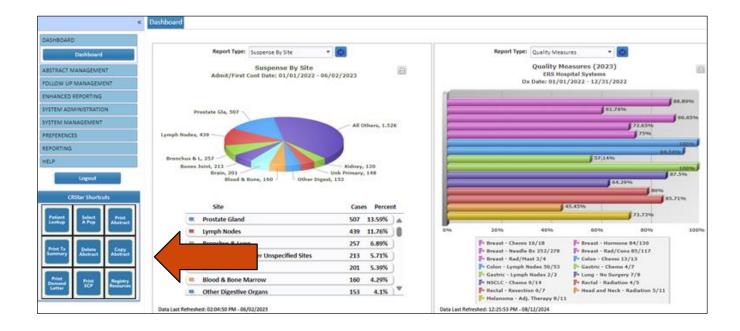
We appreciate your cooperation with this policy to keep your data safe!

Chapter 10: CRStar Shortcuts

Additional shortcuts have been added for convenience:

- Patient Lookup
- Select A Pop
- Print Abstract
- Print Tx Summary
- Delete an Abstract
- Copy Abstract
- Print a Demand Letter
- Print SCP
- Registry Resources (weblinks)

These shortcuts are located on the bottom of the left-hand navigation panel once logged into CRStar. These shortcuts take users directly to the task menu to perform that selected function.



Chapter 11: FAQs

Frequently Asked Questions

- How do I enter a new patient?
 While in <u>Patient Abstract</u> on the <u>Lookup Screen</u>, if the patient ID/Name does not appear, click the **New Patient** button at the bottom left of the screen.
- How do I add a primary to an existing patient?
 While on the <u>Patient Maintenance</u> screen of the patient, click the **New Primary** button located under the grid listing the patient primaries.
- How do I move to the next screen while on the <u>Patient Maintenance Screen</u>?
 While on <u>Patient Maintenance</u> screen, click the <u>Select</u> button next to the primary to access.
- Where do I enter the contact/next of kin information?
 On the <u>Patient Maintenance</u> page of abstract, there are two sections at the top:
 - Patient displays the patient info
 - Contacts displays contact/next of kin information

Click the **Contacts** button to enter contact/next of kin information. The button displaying information will appear white while the information under the tab that is not displayed is in blue.

- Where do I enter text?
 - On most screens, on the far-right side bottom of the screens notice the **TextPad** button, once clicked, the text screen pops up. All text fields are available here. Be sure to scroll to view all the text fields.
- How do I navigate around the abstract, move from field to field?
 Use the **Tab** key verses the **Enter** key to move from field to field.
- Are there help screens?
 While in any field, click on the ? icon located on the top of each screen.
- Why is the treatment information I entered not being saved?

 Remember when entering treatment, click the treatment modality and enter the treatment.

 User must click **Save** before exiting.
- How do I enter no treatment?
 - When there is no treatment given, on the <u>Treatment Summary</u> screen, enter a "0" in the Rx Summ Status field located at the top of the page. Once the Rx Summ Status field is filled in, the Initial Rx Date field becomes active. Then enter the date no treatment was decided.
- Where do I enter treatment text?
 Treatment text can either be entered within each treatment window or on the text screen on the far-right side bottom of this screen. Notice the **TextPad** button: once clicked, the text screen

pops up. Information entered on the treatment section of the TextPad transfers to the text boxes located within each treatment window and vice versa.

- Are the <u>CPM</u>, <u>BPM</u>, and <u>RPM</u> screens mandatory to complete?
 None of the information collected on the <u>CPM</u>, <u>BPM</u>, or <u>RPM</u> screens is required by any standard setter and none of the information recorded here is exported. While these fields are very useful to monitor the standards and will be utilized in future reports to generate information for the SAR Application, if a facility does not collect this information, click the <u>Case Admin</u> tab located at the top of the screen to bypass these screens completely.
- How do I run edits?
 To run the edits at the end of the abstract, click the >> on the top right side of the screen. Click on the GenEdits icon from the Quick Link selection.
- How do I adjust the screen size?
 Press Control and + to increase size or Control and to decrease size. Another option is to use the zoom feature in Google Chrome. Click on the icon that looks like three dark lines on the right top of the screen and adjust the zoom. Another tip, make sure the screen resolution settings are set to the optimal defaults for the monitor you are using.

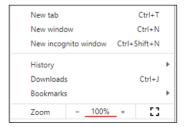
Miscellaneous

Screen Distorted

There are several factors that can affect the screen display of text and applications on your computer. You may need to adjust one or more of these settings to allow CRStar to display properly on your screen.

1. Change Zoom Level in Chrome

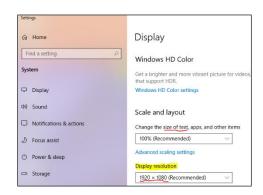
- Hit ctrl and + to zoom in.
- Hit ctrl and to zoom out.
 or
- Click the menu in the upper-right corner of Chrome and change the zoom level here.



We recommend starting with a zoom level of 100% until it is known that this is not the issue affecting your screen display.

2. Changing Screen Resolution

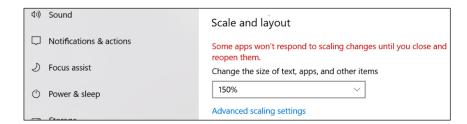
- Right-click on desktop.
- Choose "Display Settings."
- From here, choose a screen resolution for the monitor that is high and preferably a "recommended" resolution. In the screenshot below, note it set to 1920 x 1080, but this may vary depending on the computer and monitor.



3. Check and make sure the Text Size settings on your PC are set to 100% and not 125% or 150%.

From the same screen (above) where the screen resolution is changed, navigate to the
option to "Make text and other items larger or smaller." Changing this from 100% can
adversely affect how things appear on the screen. If it is set to "Larger - 150%" a warning

may appear, so make sure it is set to 100%, until this is ruled out as the cause of the issue.



Keyboard Shortcuts

Function	Shortcut			
Select All	Control-A			
Deselect All	Control-Shift-A			
Сору	Control-C			
Get Text or Image	Control-D			
Item Duplicate	Control-Alt-Shift-D			
Search and Replace	Control-F			
Lock Item	Control-L			
Lock Item Size	Control-Shift-L			
Group Items	Control-G			
Document Information	Control-I			
Delete Item	Control-K			
New File	Control-N			
Open File	Control-O			
Print	Control-P			
Quit	Control-Q			
Save	Control-S			
Save As	Control-Shift-S			
Ungroup Item	Control-Shift-G			
Paste	Control-V			
Close File	Control-W			
Cut	Control-X			
Edit with Story Editor	Control-Y			
Undo	Control-Z			
Redo	Control-Shift-Z			
Select All	Control-A			
DeSelect All	Control-Shift-A			
Zoom to fit	Control-0			
Zoom to 100%	Control-1			
Zoom In	Control-Plus			
Zoom Out	Control-Minus			
Zoom In/Out	Control-Mousewheel			
Smart Hyphen	Control-Shift-Minus			
Non Breaking Space	Control-Space			
Insert Page Number	Control-Alt-Shift-P			
Raise	Control-Home			
Lower	Control-End			
Raise to top	Home			
Lower to bottom	End			

Frame Break	Control-Return			
Column Break	Control-Shift-Return			
Stacked Objects, next in Z-order	Control-Shift-LMouse			
Resizing object when other object on top	Control-drag			
Resize proportionally	Control-drag			
Move image in image frame without entering	Control-Alt-drag			
frame edit mode	-			
Move frame/group with X/Y constrained	Control-drag			
Rotate a line or when creating a line, constrain	Control-drag and rotate			
the angle of rotation				
Rotate an existing item on the page other than a	Control-drag and rotate			
line and constrain the angle of rotation				
Resize to a square	Shift-drag			
New Line	Shift-Return			
Scale text	Alt-Shift-drag			
Scale text proportionally	Alt-Control-drag			
Move item 1 unit (current: pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)	Arrow keys			
Move item 0.1 units (current: pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)	Shift+Arrow keys			
Move item 10 units (current: pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)	Control+Arrow keys			
Move item 0.01 units (current: pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)	Control+Shift+Arrow keys			
Resize item 1 unit outwards (current:	Alt+Arrow keys			
pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)				
Resize item 1 unit inwards(current:	Shift+Alt+Arrow keys			
pt,mm,in,c,p,cm)				
Move to start of paragraph in text edit mode on	Control Up Arrow			
canvas				
Move to end of paragraph in text edit mode on	Control Down Arrow			
canvas				
Move to start of frame in text edit mode on canvas	Control Page Up			
Move to end of frame in text edit mode on	Control Page Down			
canvas				
Resize image while in image frame edit mode on	Alt+Arrow keys			
canvas				

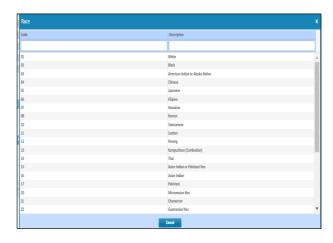
Mouseless Navigation

A new feature has been added to the abstract called "Mouseless Navigation". This feature is available in both the full abstract and the rapid abstract. As the feature implies, the user can move through the abstract, access drop downs, make selections, move between tabs on a screen, and use the navigation buttons without using the mouse.

Summary of Key Functions

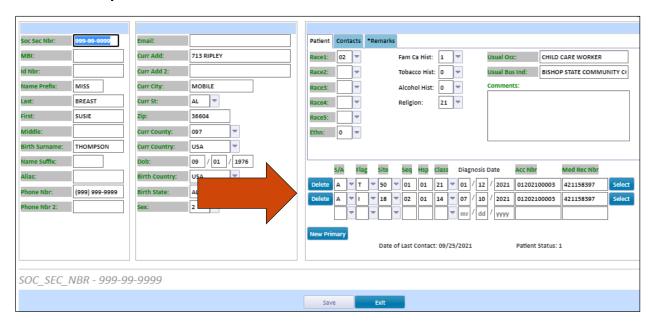
- **Tab** key: Moves from one field to the next field and moves through the navigation buttons at the bottom of the screen.
- Shift Tab: Moves from a field back to the previous field.
- **Down Arrow** key: Launches drop down window.
- Enter key: Makes a selection in a drop down.

Drop downs



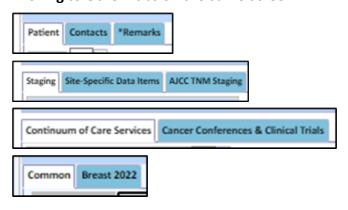
- Down arrow launches drop down window to open.
- To search start typing in the code or description field.

Patient Primary Grid



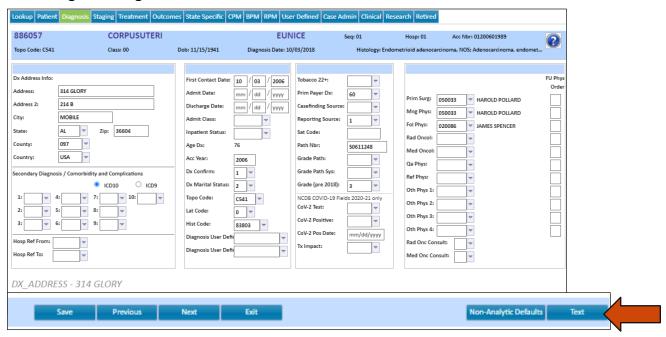
- When the user tabs through all fields and tabs on the patient screen, the cursor will go to the **Delete** button first and then through all fields of the first row until it reaches **Select**.
- If the cursor lands in any field that has a drop-down option, the down arrow key can be used to launch the look-up window.
- If the user continues to use the **Tab** key, the cursor will move through all three rows until it reaches the **New Primary** button.
- If the user is in a row and wishes to select that case to move to the <u>Diagnosis</u> screen, tab through until <u>Select</u> is highlighted, then hit **Enter**.
- If changes have been made, from the **New Primary** button, the cursor will move to the **Save** button. Hitting **Enter** will engage the save.
- The cursor will move from **Save** to **Exit.** Hit enter to exit the screen. To go return to <u>Select a Primary</u>, use the mouse.

Moving to Other Tabs on the Same Screen



Screens with multiple tabs, such as the patient, staging, Surgery Maintenance, etc., advancing through all fields on the screen activates the new tab. Or simply clicking on the screen label at the top.

Accessing the Navigation Buttons



- On each screen, when the user is in the last field, using the **Tab** key will move to the navigation buttons at the bottom of the screen.
- As the user tabs through each button, they will become highlighted. Hitting **Enter** will engage the button, i.e., **Save**, **Next**, **Previous**, etc.
- Screen tabs populate at the top once the diagnosis screen is activated. To change screens, click
 the screen tab of choice at the top of CRStar. There are also the **Previous** and **Next** command
 buttons at the bottom of the screen to work screen to screen. Using the down arrow key will
 engage the choice options.
- When on the **Text Pad** button, hitting **Enter** will display the text fields.
- After tabbing through the last text field on the text pad, the next tabs will highlight the **Cancel** and **Save & Exit** command button. Clicking **Enter** will perform the command.

Treatment Summary Screen



- On the treatment summary screen, when the user tabs through the last field in the first set of fields (Neoadjuvant Therapy Tx Effect), the cursor will advance to the Edit button in the surgery section. The Edit button will become highlighted.
- Clicking **Enter** will engage the **Edit** button and open the surgery section.
- If the user tabs without hitting **Enter**, the cursor will continue to move to the next **Edit** button in the next treatment section.
- When the user reaches the last treatment **Edit** button and continues to tab, the cursor will move down to the navigation button.