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# WELLSOFT WORKS

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## ICMS NOW INCORPORATES CDC EARLY WARNING SYMPTOM FEATURE

In response to recent world events and our clients needs, Wellsoft has introduced a timely new feature into the triage display of the *Integrated Clinical Management System*.

A field entitled 'CDC Early Warning Symptoms' has been incorporated. This field will allow the triage nurse to enter a number of presenting symptoms the patient may complain of via a pop-up menu into the Wellsoft system.

As with other triage fields, this field can be configured to be a required field. The grouping of symptoms was developed by a public health department and is supported by data from the CDC.

A report is available that will track these symptoms on a shift-by-shift basis. Every eight hours this report may be auto-faxed or e-mailed to the local health department. This feature will enable the health department to monitor for

epidemiological census spikes.

Wellsoft has been in close contact with the CDC and this is currently their preferred method of reporting. Wellsoft will continue to monitor the situation closely and make any necessary adjustments.

## ICMS SYSTEM EXPANSIONS

Wellsoft is pleased to report that a number of our current clients have significantly enhanced their ICMS systems recently. Wellsoft strongly supports the concept of phased implementation. Adding functionality incrementally enables staff members to become familiar with the system one step at a time and has financial advantages for the hospital. Recent go-lives include:

**Moore Regional Hospital** — Nursing Documentation, Physician Documentation and Order Entry and Results to follow soon.

**Carilion Franklin Memorial Hospital** — Nursing and Physician Documentation. Four additional Carilion campuses to go live with documentation over the next three months.

**Pitt County Memorial Hospital** — Nursing and Physician Documentation, Order Entry and Results to go live late December.

If you think your department could benefit by adding new functionality call us for details at 800-597-9909.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- There is a new "Discharge Billing Needed" feature that is used to flag patients who need to make a payment prior to leaving the ED.
- The Wellsoft system operates on any wireless device utilizing any Windows operating system.
- Right clicking on the "Wellsoft help" button instantly shows the status of all workstations in the ED.
- Security options for Notes fields have been enhanced.
- To install Wellsoft requires .10 Gigabyte of storage versus up to 500 Gigabytes for some other systems.
- Wellsoft staff will walk users through any functionality simply by calling 800-597-9909.

## CONTRACT SIGNED

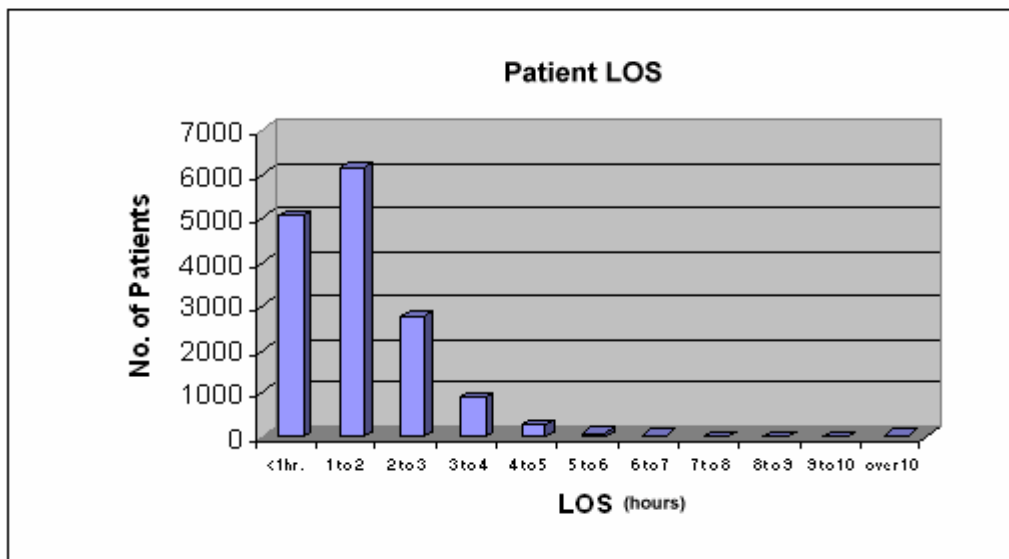
- **Duke Health System, Durham, NC** Duke Health System and Wellsoft have signed a contract to implement the *Integrated Clinical Management System* at Duke University Medical Center. Duke is a Level One Trauma Center that sees 65,000 patients per year.

## GREG WALTON, HIMSS CHAIR, SPEAKS AT PA ACEP

The Chairman of HIMSS (Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society), Greg Walton, VP and CIO of Carilion Health System is speaking on the successful implementation of the Wellsoft system across the multi-hospital enterprise. The featured speaker at the Pennsylvania Chapter ACEP (American College of Emergency Physicians), 7th Annual National Emergency Department Information Systems Symposium, Greg and Alan Vierling, RN, the project leader during the Wellsoft implementation, will discuss the successful 5 hospital thin-client implementation in their Roanoke, VA area hospitals.

## NEW LOS REPORT BY HOURLY INCREMENTS

A new standard report has been incorporated into the reporting feature of *ICMS*, bringing the total number of standard reports to thirty. The new report highlights the number of patients by the length of stay in increments of one hour, up to ten hours. Call Wellsoft at 800-597-9909 for any questions on this new report.



## WELLSOFT SPONSORS ENA LEADERSHIP CHALLENGE 2002

Wellsoft has expanded its support of the Emergency Nurses Association to the silver level by sponsoring the meeting signage and ENA Marketplace bags at the February meeting in Charlotte, NC.

ENA meetings provide invaluable support and educational opportunities for Emergency Department nurses and Wellsoft is proud to sponsor this important conference. We look forward to seeing you there!

## DRUG ALERT DATABASE TO BE ADDED TO *ICMS*

Wellsoft is in the final stage of the addition of a web-based drug alert database to the Wellsoft system. The database will enhance the system's current drug product information, with alerts for Drug-Drug, Drug Allergy, Therapeutic Duplication and Allergic Cross-Reactivity Checking.

Look for this new functionality to be available within the next quarter.

## UPCOMING EXHIBIT SCHEDULE

- December 2-5, 2001** PA ACEP EDIS Symposium, Las Vegas, NV — Booth 26 & 27
- January 27-31, 2002** HIMSS 2002, Atlanta Georgia — Booth 2414
- Feb 28 - Mar 2, 2002** ENA Leadership Challenge, Charlotte, NC — Booth 400

Wellsoft Corporation will be exhibiting its latest products at the meetings listed. We look forward to seeing you there!