Research ID Med Orders

Training Materials

Orders for investigational medications can be entered by the study coordinator and co-signed by the ordering provider. (If the order is an inpatient medication it must be entered by the ordering provider or other credentialed clinical user.)

This Tip sheet will cover:

- 1. How coordinator will create an "Orders Only" encounter.
- 2. How order to be signed displays in Provider In Basket

1. Creating an Orders Only encounter

- 1. From the Epic button drop down, click Patient Care ----> Orders Only
- 2. [Note that if you save "Orders Only" as a Favorite, it will remain at top of your list (see 1)]







3. You will be prompted to Select the patient (Check your Recent or enter MRN)



4. You will be prompted to enter Provider and Department. Click Accept



5. The chart and visit navigator will open , click Meds & Orders

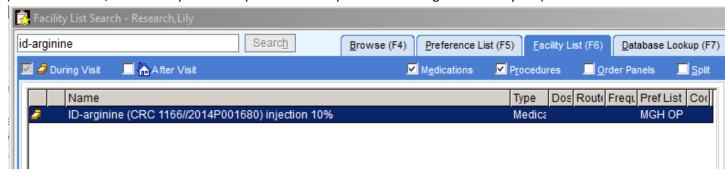


- 6. Click PNew Order and see Search box. NOTE BENE: Below box there are 2 options.
 - a. **During Visit** with a Bed icon this is checked if ordering a med to be administered during the patient visit and Nursing will need to document on the MAR
 - b. **After Visit** with a House icon this is checked if ordering an outpatient prescription that will be given to the patient by study staff

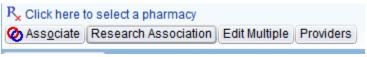


7. "During Visit" med order - Type in the ID med name, IRB protocol number, or CRC number to find the med on the Facility list.

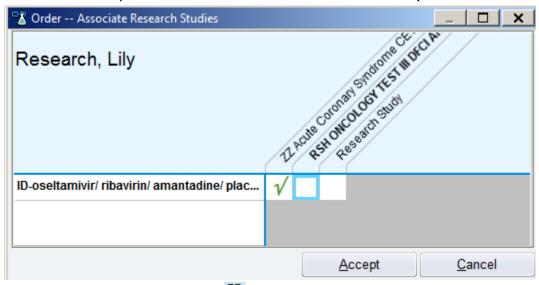
(If it is not found, call the Help Desk to open ticket to report med missing from Facility List)



- 6b. "After Visit" med order Type in the ID med name, IRB protocol number, or CRC number to find the med.
- 8. Select your order and click Accept.
- 9. This will open the Order Details. Fill out any needed information indicated by 👤 and click **Accept**.
- 10. Click the Research Association button before filing

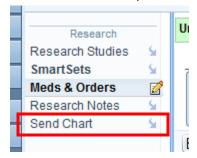


11. Indicate which study this order should be associated to and click Accept

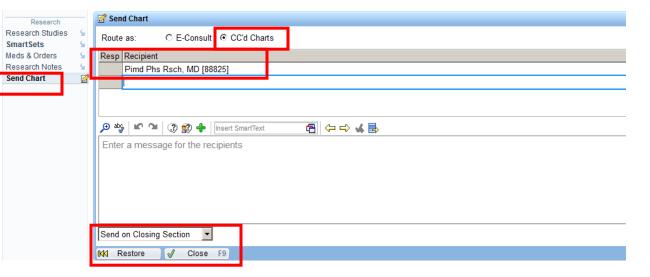


- a. You will then see the beaker 🍍 next to the order you just associated.
- 12. Click **Pend** (since you do not have signing privileges for medications (Must be an MD)

- a. If you click **Pend**, the orders will sit on the chart until someone else takes action to sign them (you will need to notify the authorizing provider to sign them in order for them to be actionable).
- 13. After med is **Pended**, Click **Send Chart** in the navigator. (This will send the chart via InBasket)



- 14. At the Route As prompt: Make sure CC'd Chart is checked
- 15. Enter the authorized provider's name as the recipient.
- 16. When you click **Close** the chart will be sent to the provider.
 - a. It is best to also page the provider that orders to be signed are sent to In Basket



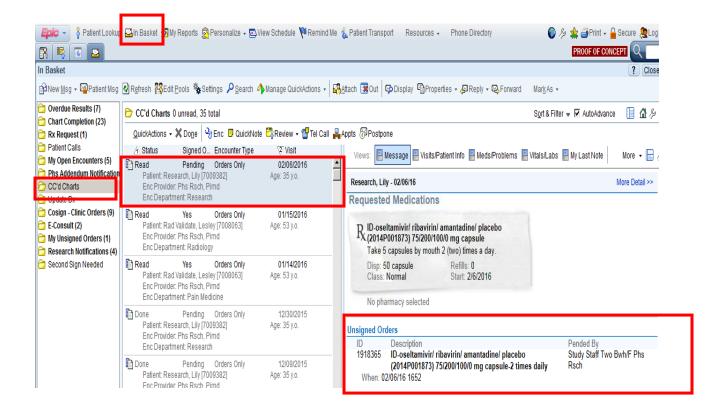
Notes:

- Signing orders can be done by study coordinators for all orders other than medications
- Pending orders is used when study staff enter medication orders and do not have signing privileges as nonlicensed staff.
- If orders are pended you cannot act of them until the PI/MD signs the orders in Epic.
- Page or notify the PI or CoI that orders have been sent to In Basket

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2. Provider In Basket for Signing

- 1. Log into Epic and click **In Basket** (In Toolbar, usually 2nd option)
- 2. Click **CC'd Charts** to find orders needing to be signed



- 3. Double click the Patient chart and it will open
- 4. Go to Unsigned Orders and click Sign

