

HEALTH^eWV *Newsletter*

Sharing Knowledge and Best Practices

Issue 7



New Release Slated for Summer 2010

What's New in IT8? Below are some of the enhancements (not a comprehensive list) that will be available with the new release.

Prescriptions:

- The Last Fill date has been changed to be Last Rx date.
- A new option exists on the Prescription Order Entry (POE) page for displaying just the most recent prescription for each drug.
- When you write a prescription under POE, it updates it on the patient's summary page under the patient's medication list with last Rx date and SIG.
- E-prescribe functionality is a part of the IT8 release but will need to be pilot tested before it is rolled out to all the clinics.

HEALTH^eWV *Mission*

To improve the health of West Virginia's rural communities by linking national advancements with local expertise to meet community health care needs.

Monthly Lunch & Learn Sessions

HEALTHeWV offers Lunch & Learn sessions on the third Thursday of each month from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Each session runs approximately 30-45 minutes and concludes with a question and answer period. The May Lunch & Learn session focused on the Dental Template and adding the Dental Exam to an existing template. The dental template is multifaceted and contains exam areas for the oral cavity exam, occlusion, periodontal, orthodontics, prosthodontics and panoramic radiography results.

Health care providers can also view images of the teeth with corresponding findings. Each exam area contains default verbiage for normal findings as well as drop down choices for abnormal findings. It also provides the flexibility to use free text and/or auto text. Users may access training modules at any time through the HEALTHeWV Training website at <http://hewvtraining.nttc.edu>. If you have a topic you would like to learn more about please contact the HEALTHeWV Helpdesk hewvhelpdesk@nttc.edu.

Prescriptions

Display Items for Last Months (Include Most Recent Per Drug All [Set as Preference](#) [Get List](#))

[Write New Prescriptions](#) [Renew Selected Prescriptions](#) [Enter Addendum](#) [Hide SIG/Comment Detail](#)

Select	Prescribed Drug	Date	Prescribed By	Refills	DAW	SIG/Cmt	eRx/Fax	Print
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nasacort AQ 55 mcg Nasal Spray Aerosol	28 May 2010	PLATTER,KATH...	0		SIG		
	SIG: Inhale 1 spray in each nostril by intranasal route once daily; Quantity: 1 Unit(s)							
<input type="checkbox"/>	Codeine 60 mg Hypodermic Tab	16 Mar 2009	GAUS,MICHAEL...	0		SIG		
	SIG: Take 1 tablet (60 mg) by oral route every 4-6 hours as needed for pain; Quantity: 1 tab							
<input type="checkbox"/>	Zyrtec-D 5 mg-120 mg 12 hr Tab	16 Mar 2009	GAUS,MICHAEL...	0		SIG		
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Reporting:

- Ability to report on any tasks, order types, or referrals by date range, status, e.g. open, closed, all and filter by priority
- Percentage (%) option has been added for the detail report to allow users to see the base count of patients used for the report and the resulting percentage that match report criteria.
- Those that have the Lookup Patient Access user role will have the ability to view the patient's Face Sheet. This has been added to the View Task page to the right of the View Demographics button.

Other:

- A new Administrative/Support Staff userrole has been added that works similar to the current Nurse Staff user role. This allows for administrative/support staff users to do "non-clinical notes without having to be given the sign/approve privileges.
- A new "Documentation Note" type has been added for eNotes. This new type allows for the generated/printed note to indicate that the note was "documented by" the user rather than saying "seen by" like it does for the other types such as "New Patient", "Preventive Visit" and "Consultation".

HEALTHeWV program's software deployment, application hosting, implementation, training and technical support are funded by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

Clinic Spotlight

Brooke County Health Department

The Brooke County Health Department (BCHD) received a \$13,805 grant award from the West Virginia Rural Health Systems. The grant was made possible through collaborative efforts by Bethany College, Wheeling Jesuit University (WJU), and the BCHD. The funds will be used to purchase technology to enable the Health Department and Bethany College student health services to further implement HEALTH^eWV (HeWV). BCHD partnered with WJU in 2009 to become the first health department in West Virginia to begin using HeWV. Although larger agencies such as hospitals have used electronic systems for years, small agencies such as health departments and college health services do not have the resources to make the transition. Through working with the University, BCHD and Bethany College have been able to change the situation for small agencies through efforts to participate in the HeWV program. The health department has a variety of preventive health care programs for



Pictured left to right are Health Department Staff Norma Provenzano, Mike Bolen, Jane Rush, Beth Swager, Bethany College President Dr. Scott Miller, and Health Department Director, Karen McClain.

children, men and women and through the use of HeWV clients are provided with disease management and education based upon national benchmarks. This is particularly important for the medically underserved patients the health department typically sees who otherwise do not have access to resources

to manage their health care needs. The program also enables the health department and Bethany College to go paperless and contribute to the “going green” movement. Under the direction of Karen McClain, the health department has successfully collaborated with academic institutions to address

health needs and to improve the quality of life for Brooke County residents. The first partnership began in 2001 with Bethany College to provide community wellness outreach programs which continues today. In 2003, the health department began and maintains a partnership with UNC at Chapel Hill for public health workforce development.

Linsky Named Interim Director

J. Davitt McAteer, Vice President for Sponsored Programs has appointed Sandy Linsky as the Interim Director of HEALTH^eWV. Previous director, Mazarullah Shaik has accepted another position out of the area.

Ms. Linsky also serves as the Director of

Sponsored Programs at Wheeling Jesuit University. She has been employed with the University for twelve years and previously served as Director of Human Resources.

Please feel free to contact her at slinsky@nttc.edu, or 304-243-4344.

HEALTH^eWV's Impact

HEALTH^eWV continues to improve patient care throughout the state, making an impact on people's lives and our communities.

- 34 clinics
- 640+ users
- 620,328+ prescriptions generated
- 474,544+ patient encounters
- 181 providers/staff trained

HEALTH^eWV is a congressionally sponsored program supported by the **National Technology Transfer Center (NTTC)** at Wheeling Jesuit University. For more information, contact Melissa Mealy: 304-243-4375, mmealy@nttc.edu, or visit www.healthwv.net.

HEALTH^eWV Participating Clinics

- Beckley Health Right
- Bluefield State College Student Health Center
- Brooke County Health Department
- Cabin Creek Health Systems
 - Clendenin Health Center
 - Dawes Health Center
 - Riverside Health Cntr. School-Based Clinic
 - Sissonville Health Center
 - Indian Health Center School-Based Clinic
 - Pioneer Health Center School-Based Clinic
- Eastern Panhandle Free Clinic
- Ebenezer Medical Outreach
- Good Samaritan Clinic
- Health Access Inc.
- Hinton Health Right
- Mercer Health Right
- Mercer County Health Department
- Milan Puskar Health Right
 - Preston County Clinic
 - Fairmont Clinic
- Monongahela Valley Assn. of Health Centers
 - Fairmont Clinic
 - Shinnston Medical Center
 - East Fairmont High School Wellness Center
 - North Marion Campus Wellness Center
- Susan Dew Hoff Memorial Clinic
- West Virginia Health Right
- Wheeling Health Right
 - Belmont County Clinic
 - New Martinsville Clinic
- Wheeling Jesuit University Student Health Center
- Wirt County Health Services Assn.
 - Coplin Health Center
 - Jackson County Schools Wellness Center
 - Ripley Family Medicine Clinic
 - River Valley Health Center
 - Wirt County Schools Wellness Center