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| Clinical Reminders Reports Reports can be created by the following criteria:   * Individual Patient * Hospital Location: Future appointment/ past encounter by clinic or stop code: inpatients by current inpatients or by admission date * OE/RR Team (all patients in team) * PCMM Provider (all practitioner patients, either all patients or those with PC assignment only) * PCMM Team (all patients in team)   A SUMMARY report displays totals of how many patients of those selected have reminders due or applicable.  *The SUMMARY report may include several reminders.*  Adetailed report displays patients with reminders due in alphabetical order. The report displays for each patient the date the reminder is due, the date the reminder was last done, and the next appointment date. The detailed report can also list all future appointments. Detailed reports for Location or Provider may also be sorted by next appointment date.  *The DETAILED report is for one reminder only.* | **Clinical Reminders Reports** Clinician Desktop Service **Office of Information**  **Department of Veterans Affairs**  [REDACTED](http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders) | Clinical Reminders  **Reports**  ***Striving for Higher Quality in Patient Care***   * **Quality Assurance measures for clinicians and management** * **Profiling of Guideline Compliance** * **Decision support tools** |

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| ***Reminders Reports for Clinicians***  Clinical Reminder reports can be defined and used for patient care in many ways, including the following:   * Patients in a panel or a clinic who have a reminder due * Identify patients who will be in a clinic in the next month who need an intervention * Identify patients who left the clinic in the past week who missed having an intervention * Inpatients with a reminder due, to define interventions needed prior to discharge * Inpatient education, exams, immunizations   **Reminders Due Report: Detailed**  Reminders Due for P/C CLUTIER for 6/20 to 7/4/2000  Pneumococcal vaccine: 7 patients have reminder Due  Date Due Last Done Next Appt  1 XXXXXS,XXXXN 6/20/2000 N/A 6/21/2000  2 XXXXR,X E 6/20/2000 N/A 6/21/2000  3 XX,XXXXXXD A 6/20/2000 N/A 6/23/2000  4 XXX,XXXXXX 6/20/2000 N/A 6/25/2000  5 XXXXXX,XS 6/20/2000 N/A 6/25/2000  6 XXXXXX,XR S 6/20/2000 N/A 6/28/2000  7 XXXXXX,XXXX 6/20/2000 N/A 7/2/2000  Report run on 123 patients.  Applicable to 102 patients. | ***Reminders Reports for Managers***  Clinical Reminder reports can be defined and used for management and quality assurance purposes.   * Aggregate reporting * Employee Health Tracking * Inpatient education, exams, immunizations * Reports on patients eligible for a study * Identifying high risk patients * Disease-specific reminders: HCV, HIV, Melanoma, AAA, Diabetes * Comparisons of disease distribution or severity of illness between panels or clinics * Identifying missed opportunities for intervention   **Reminders Due Report: Summary**  # Patients with Reminder  Applicable Due  ---------- ------  1 Pneumovax 33 4  2 TD-Adult 35 11  3 Diabetes-Lipid 12 3  4 Chr Hepatitis-AFP 2 1  5 Prev Health Ed 35 10  Report Run on 35 patients | ***Implementing a Guideline using Reminders Reports***  **Hepatitis C Reminder**   1. Evaluate the steps    1. Who does what?    2. Where does it get done?    3. What reminder(s) would help? 2. Create and implement a reminder for each step 3. Screen all patients for risk factors/behaviors 4. Test and educate patients with risk factors 5. Educate patients with Hep C on the disease and transmission 6. Evaluate Hep C patients for therapy 7. Evaluate Hep A status 8. Order interventions: AFP and ultrasound for Hep C and cirrhosis   **Monthly Report on all patients with this reminder due** # Patients with ReminderApplicable Due---------- ---Hep C Risk Factor Screen 172 16Hep C Test for Risk 30 7Hep C Diagnosis Missed 0 0Hep C Diagnosis 36 36Hep C- Dz & Trans Ed 36 27Hep C - Eval for Rx 36 15Chr Hep - Hep A Titer 45 3Hepatitis A Vaccine 19 4Chr Hepatitis - AFP 12 4Chr Hepatitis - U/S 13 6 **Report run on 175 patients.** |