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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.

A detailed 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.

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***Striving for Higher Quality in
Patient Care***

- **Quality Assurance measures for clinicians and management**
- **Profiling of Guideline Compliance**
- **Decision support tools**

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
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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
 - a. Who does what?
 - b. Where does it get done?
 - c. 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 Reminder	
	Applicable	Due
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Hep C Risk Factor Screen	172	16
Hep C Test for Risk	30	7
Hep C Diagnosis Missed	0	0
Hep C Diagnosis	36	36
Hep C- Dz & Trans Ed	36	27
Hep C - Eval for Rx	36	15
Chr Hep - Hep A Titer	45	3
Hepatitis A Vaccine	19	4
Chr Hepatitis - AFP	12	4
Chr Hepatitis - U/S	13	6

Report run on 175 patients.