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VERSION 5.2 RELEASED!

We are proud to announce the release this month of Version 5.2 of **Welford Chart Notes Essential, Professional, and SQL Version**. This new version has so many new features, we can't fit them all in this newsletter! Some of the new features in version 5.2 include:

- **@LabSinceLastVisitWith<Provider>**: looks up all of the patient's results stored in the Lab Book since the last time the patient had a visit with a particular Provider.
- **Allergy Editor Sort**: alphabetizes the data in the Allergy Editor.
- **Appointments Transfer Future to Another Provider**: you can transfer appointments from one Provider to another starting at some future date. This is handy if one Provider is leaving the practice, and another one is taking over that Provider's patients.
- **Attaché Supports Appointments**: Appointments and Forbiddens are stored in the Attaché.
- **Batch Importer New Settings**: the Batch Importer can automatically add Lab Book Vocabulary and Providers.
- **Calculator Insert Commas**: the Calculator can separate numbers greater than 999 with commas.
- **Datebook Transfer When User Deleted**: when a user is deleted, you can transfer that user's private Datebook items to another user.
- **Datebook Trigger Upcoming**: you can choose which Datebook items are to be displayed in the Upcoming Reminders window.
- **Diagnosis Auto-Check Rule Reminders**: Rule Reminders relevant to a diagnosis are automatically checked whenever a patient has a diagnosis added.
- **File Report Shows Users**: the File Report shows the number of licensed users at your installation.
- **Guided Tour**: describes the new features in each version.
- **In-Box Send Collapsed Lab Book Results**: you can Send an entire set of collapsed Lab Book results with a single click in the In-Box.
- **Indications by Diagnosis**: See all of the medications that are indicated for a particular diagnosis.
- **Interaction Overriding**: you can require that certain users provide an explanation why they are deciding to override an Interaction warning. You can also forbid certain users from prescribing a drug with a particularly dangerous Interaction. You can grant permission to certain users to change the Severity Level of particular Interactions. You can also view a Log of each of these changes and explanations.
- **Medication Auto-Check Rule Reminders**: Rule Reminders relevant to a medication are automatically checked whenever a patient has a medication added.
- **Medication Summary**: see a detailed monograph of all of the information about a medication, such as dosage, interactions, alerts, brochures, test reminders, indications, cross-reacting allergies, and references.

- **Name Editor Birthdate Search and Automatically Check Birthdates Option:** the program can search for all patients who share the same birthdate, and can do this automatically when you add a new patient. This helps to avoid creating two different charts on the same person under two different names.
- **Parser Quick Summary Colors:** you can adjust all of the colors in the Parser Quick Summary.
- **Patient Lab Letters Batch Print Limit Providers:** you can send Patient Lab Letters to only the patients of a particular set of Providers, rather than to the entire practice.
- **PQRI Quality Reminders:** analyze your practice for the Physician Quality Reporting Initiative (PQRI) and send the results to Medicare.
- **Prescription Log and Prescription Writer Vocabulary Classmates:** see the medications that belong to the same Class as a particular medication when using the Prescription Log or Prescription Writer. This is helpful if you can't remember the name of a drug, but you can remember the name of a related drug.
- **Prescription Log Fax or Print Prescriptions:** you can fax and print prescriptions from the Prescription Log. This is handy if you are reprinting a previous refill.
- **Prescription Writer Include Birthdate Option:** you can have prescriptions include the patient's birthdate.
- **User Delete Unhide Hidden Diagnoses and Visits:** when deleting a user, you can unhide that user's hidden diagnoses and visits, so that they will be visible to someone once that user is gone.
- **Writer Events Auto-Open:** a window showing Events can be automatically displayed each time you open the Writer.

JULY QUARTERLY UPDATE RELEASED

This month we are releasing the July, 2007 Quarterly update. The update includes new medications, diagnostic terms, drug interactions, drug dosing information, spelling words, drug-disease Alerts, Web Links, algorithms, medication test reminders, cross-reacting allergies, indications, and dozens of new patient education brochures. This update has over 7300 drug interactions with over 2700 references, over 11,600 Alerts, over 9900 Web Links, over 7500 Indications, and over 1400 Brochures, including new or revised Brochures on aliskiren, dasatinib, paliperidone, panitumumab, posaconazole, rotavirus vaccine, telbivudine, claudication, colorectal cancer, diabetic gastroparesis, Fabry disease, fecal incontinence, hyperparathyroidism, hypertension, malignant melanoma, prostate cancer, schizophrenia, SIADH, superior vena cava syndrome, and others.

HOW DO I GET THIS NEW VERSION?

To obtain version 5.2 and the July Quarterly Update, you must be an active subscriber to the Comprehensive Support Package. If you have let your support package lapse and would like to renew and obtain the latest version, contact MEDCOM Information Systems at 800-424-0258.

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