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## LAB BOOK REDISPLAY TEXT *(User's Manual, pgs. 1416-1417)*

You can use the Lab Book Redisplay Text feature to locate all of the tests that mention a particular word or phrase or combination of words connected by AND or OR in the Test name or Results sections of the Lab Book. This can be very handy if you are trying to find all references to a particular finding or part of the body. Let's see how this is done:

1. Press View\Lab Book.
2. Enter the name of the patient, such as Kelly Erickson.
3. Press Utility\Redisplay.
4. Suppose you want to see results of any CT of the brain or MRI of the brain. For **Text**, enter "CT brain or MRI brain".
5. Press **OK**.
6. Note that the program now displays the results of either test for this patient over the range of dates specified.

Date	Test	Abn.	Result	Low NI.	High NI.	Units
8-1-2016	CT BRAIN	NI.	normal CT brain			
3-1-2017	MRI BRAIN	Abn.	MRI SCANS:			
3-1-2017	MRI BRAIN	Abn.	Left parietal lobe infarct			

7. Now suppose that you want to find all of the patients whose chest x-rays mentioned a nodule. In the Redisplay Lab Book box, for **Test Name**, specify CXR.
8. For **Text**, enter "nodule".
9. Press the **Any** button to the right of **Patient** to include all patients in the practice.
10. Press **OK**.

* Date	Patient	Abn.	Result	Low NI.	High NI.	Units	
10-27-2012	ERICKSON, KELL	Indet.	questionable nodule RUL; followup in 3 months				<input type="checkbox"/>
2-5-2015	BOOP, ELIZABET	Abn.	RLL nodule				<input type="checkbox"/>
2-5-2015	BOOP, ELIZABET	Abn.	nodule				<input type="checkbox"/>
2-5-2015	BOOP, ELIZABET	Abn.	nodule				<input type="checkbox"/>
2-7-2015	JACKSON, ACTIC	Abn.	RLL nodule				<input type="checkbox"/>
3-1-2015	ERICKSON, KELL	Abn.	5 mm nodule LLE				<input type="checkbox"/>
9-8-2016	ERICKSON, KELL	NI.	cardiomegaly; bilateral pleural effusions; 3 mm right lower lobe nodule unche				<input type="checkbox"/>

11. Note that you now see a list of all of the patients' chest x-rays that mention a nodule.

This feature can be very powerful in locating all of the references to a particular finding within the Lab Book for a particular patient. Remember that you can combine multiple terms within the Text box connected with AND or OR. For example, if you type "lung AND nodule" you will get all results that have both words somewhere within them (even if the nodule is not a lung nodule) while using "lung nodule" will only match results in which that phrase appears exactly. If you want any mention of lung nodule or lung nodules, use "lung nodule OR lung nodules".

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