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Regard User Guide

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Regard Overview

Regard is an artificial intelligence (AI) tool that reviews clinical patient data, recommends diagnoses, and generates relevant language and data to create or enhance clinician progress notes.

This guide will review the functionality and features of Regard.

Upon launching in a patient's chart, Regard analyzes the last Assessment & Plan from the current encounter and all available patient data. Regard will:

- Recommend new diagnoses not already mentioned in the note
- Generate relevant supporting evidence bullets for any covered diagnosis, both new and previously mentioned
- Alert the provider to recently updated evidence since the previous note
- Suggest diagnosis title modifiers in compliance with CDI guidelines

Providers can accept or dismiss recommendations at their discretion. Regard will remember these selections and monitor covered diagnoses until the patient is discharged.

Launching Regard

Regard is available as a tab within Cerner and Epic EHR. Although it appears that Regard is part of the EHR, it actually sits on top and pulls information from the EHR. Information in Regard does not become part of the legal medical record until the clinician pastes into and signs the note.

Cerner

From the left menu column. For new clients, the Regard tab is typically at the bottom of the menu. For established clients, it is located near the Documentation tab.





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If auto-launch is allowed and desired, Regard may be configured to launch automatically when a patient chart is opened. In Cerner, Right click on the Regard tab to make the default tab. In Epic, Regard can be moved to the Epic sidebar by clicking the window icon and selecting "Move to Sidebar".



Epic From the More Activities **•** menu

Note Overview - Diagnoses

Regard will recognize diagnoses mentioned by the provider in the base note and for which an algorithm has been created, as well as identify new diagnoses based on review of patient data from current and previous encounters. The green bar will show the number of previously identified diagnoses that have updated information, as well as any new diagnoses recommended by Regard.

2 updated and 6 new diagnoses detected

The screenshot below displays a non-covered diagnosis and Regard supported diagnosis that was in the base note, as well as a new diagnosis that Regard is suggesting.



Editing Diagnoses

Providers can add free text to diagnosis lines, as needed.



Adding Diagnoses

Additional diagnoses can be manually added by hovering between diagnoses and clicking the Add Dx button. Regard will automatically add a hashtag or number, based on the note format.

# <u>Hypertension</u> - 24hr BP range: (124-149) / (63-106) (1/16/24) - continue home: carvedilol 12.5 mg po BID, hydralazine, imdur and spironolactone, monitor , avoid					
hypotension with IV diuretisc on board. adjust meds as needed					
# <u>Hypokalemia</u> : mild to moderate, reaplce per protocol - potassium: 3.5 (1/16/24) up from 3.2 (1/15/24)					
- creatinine clearance: 76, creatinine: 1.1 (1/16/24)					

[•] If the added diagnosis is covered by Regard, the Live Dx feature will automatically launch. While the condition did not meet the criteria in the algorithm, once Live Dx recognizes the condition, Regard will display relevant supporting evidence and populate the Dx Details.

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	 TSH: 1.17 (1/16/24) sodium: 144 (1/16/24) up from 142 (1/15/24) completed: furosemide 10 mg/mL 40 mg currently on: bumetanide 1 mg iv q8h currently on: metolazone 2.5 mg po daily currently on: spironolactone 25 mg po daily
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Dismissing Diagnoses

Newly identified diagnoses will be automatically added to the note, unless they are dismissed by the provider using the diagnosis toolbar. Dismissed Regard covered diagnoses appear at the bottom of the note throughout the encounter, will continue to be monitored and can be restored, if appropriate.



Adding Specificity to Diagnoses

Regard highlights in peach diagnosis titles that are unspecified. When hovered over, a tooltip appears with a specification opportunity that complies with CDI guidelines.

As we do not change diagnoses written by providers, modification opportunities must be manually added to the diagnosis line.

Specification Opportunity: Specify if diastolic or systolic	C	Û	1¢	*	
9. Congestive heart failure: chronic					
- weight: 54.6 kg unchanged from 54.6 kg (11/7/23), est. baseline 55 kg					
- discontinued: hydralazine 5 mg iv, labetalol 5 mg iv					
- holding home: losartan po, metoprolol po					

Critical Lab Indicator

Regard will highlight critically high or critically low lab values indicated by \P , regardless of where the condition appears in the Regard note. In the example below, the critical lab indicator appears when the Covid-19 condition is listed in the main section, Shelved section and Dismissed Dx section of the Regard window.

- last abnormal lactate: 4.7 (1/12/24 20:33)
RR: 22 (1/15/24 12:27)	SHELVED SH
	last abnormal lactate: 4.7 (1/12/24 20:33)
	(4) Dismissed Dx
	 # Covid-19 - RR: 22 (1/15/24 12:27) - SARS-CoV-2 PCR: Detected (1/12/24) I ast abnormal lactate: 4.7 (1/12/24 20:33) - white blood cell count: 15.4, lymphocytes: 0 (1/15/24) - continue home: apixaban 2.5 mg po BID - currently on: remdesivir 100 mg iv daily (01/13/24 - current) - holding home: fluticasone 50 mcg - start: dexamethasone 4 mg iv daily (due 01/16/24)

Copying the Note

Once the note has been finalized, the provider can click **Copy Note** at the top of Regard to copy all text above the line to paste into their progress note. Icons, gutters, and evidence bullets below the line will not appear in the pasted text.



Diagnosis Details

Providers can see more information about a condition by clicking the condition name underlined in blue to view additional information in the Dx Details panel. In the example below, <u>Pneumonia</u> is selected and now highlighted, as the additional details for this condition are now displayed in the Dx Details panel.



Resources & Feedback

Two buttons appear at the bottom of the secondary panel:

- Help & Resources a quick guide to Regard's basic functionality, list of current diagnoses, links to diagnosis summaries and contact information for Regard technical support.
- Regard Feedback a comment box for users to submit feedback and concerns along with a screenshot to Regard's technical support team for review. Users can include their email address if they wish to be contacted with status updates.

	Regard Feedback
Please include the diagnosis and explain the issue with as much detail as possible.	Describe the issue* For respiratory failure, would be great to see bronchodilator
	^Required
	Email me status updates
	Email Address*
	doctor@hospital.org
Labs : TSH (mcIU/mL) HR • TSH	Cancel Screenshot & Send
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Technical Support

For more emergent support, users can contact Regard technical support at support@withregard.com. A support member will be in touch as soon as possible.