

Nationwide Children's Hospital Homecare

Home Visit Documentation on Epic

Beginning October 1, 2019, all Children's Hospital clinicians, and those in practices using CareLink, will be able access Homecare and Hospice visit documentation in Epic.

Infusion Pharmacy only and HME only patients will continue to follow-up with the referring physicians and staff via secure fax and phone.

Homecare visit documentation will be available in Epic for Homecare and Hospice nursing, therapy, and social work visits in the **Encounters tab**. For more information, you can also review the visits in the **Episodes tab**.

Epic In Basket will be used for communicating patient needs, sending orders for co-signature and Plan of Care documents for signature. Certificate of Terminal Illness is also sent to the In Basket.

As Homecare and Hospice integrates with Epic, you will have access to new orders and experience updates to existing orders.

Homecare referral orders have been consolidated and restructured. Listed below are the orders available at go-live when you search "**ref home**" to place an order in Epic.

- Referral to Home Care for Skilled Nursing
- Referral to Home Care for Clinical Therapies
- Referral to Home Care for Line Care and/or Infusions
- Referral to Home Care for Synagis
- Referral to NCH Homecare for Asthma Express Program
- Referral to Home Hospice
- Referral to Private Duty Nursing (PDN)
- Referral to Home-based Palliative Care

All other orders sent via phone and fax please continue to include the following patient referral information:

- Type of insurance/payer
- Patient name, address, date of birth, diagnosis
- Physician ordering care
 - Name and Telephone Number of Ordering Physician
 - Specific Orders for Services
 - Physician following patient once patient is discharged from hospital to home
- Detail Diagnosis with Patient care/equipment/infusion needed



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Service Area

Infusion pharmacy and home medical equipment and supplies services are available in the following counties:

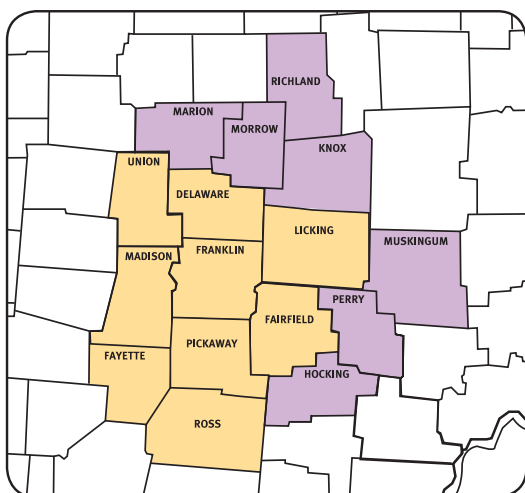
- Delaware
- Fairfield
- Fayette
- Franklin
- Hocking
- Knox
- Licking
- Madison
- Marion
- Morrow
- Muskingum
- Perry
- Pickaway
- Richland
- Ross
- Union

* Home medical supplies are available in all 16 counties. The majority of home medical equipment is limited to the nine-county nursing and hospice service region.

Nursing, Hospice and Palliative Care Services available in the following counties:

- Delaware
- Fairfield
- Fayette
- Franklin
- Licking
- Madison
- Pickaway
- Ross
- Union

* Patient referrals outside of service area accepted on a case by case basis.



Phone and fax referrals accepted
Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Phone: **(614) 355-1100** | **1 (800) 466-2727**
Fax: **(614) 355-1182**

For detailed information on all Homecare service lines and patient support materials, visit [NationwideChildrens.org/Homecare](https://www.NationwideChildrens.org/Homecare)



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