

Epi**Care** *Tip Sheet*

Advanced Care Planning (ACP) Note and DNR Order

Advance Care Planning is a face-to-face counseling discussion of advanced directives with a patient, family members, and/or surrogates. Specific documentation guidelines must be met in order to be reimbursed by Medicare. To assist providers with meeting those requirements, an "ACP Note template" was created. When appropriate, a DNR order will need to be placed to update the code status in the patient banner.

Try It Out

- 1. From the patients open encounter, click 'More'.
- 2. Click or Hover over 'Additional Notes'.
- 3. Click 'ACP Note'.



4. Click 'Create Note'.

5. Click within the Note and hit 'F2' to complete the updated Smart Text.

When appropriate...

A DNR order must be placed in Epic. Placing this order will update the code status on the patient banner for both inpatient and outpatient settings.

- 1. On bottom left, Click 'Add Order'.
- 2. Type 'DNR'.
- 3. Select 'Do Not Resuscitate' house Icon Order.
- 4. Open the DNR Order Composer from shopping cart.
- 5. Hit 'F2' and select appropriate code status.
- 6. Click 'Accept'.

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