

# Release Notes Version Aurora 4.5.0

#### **Enhancements**

#### New! Introducing the next generation Scheduler in SMART!

The calendar function has been completely updated and is now available from the same icon in SMART as the brand new Scheduler! A few of the key improvements to this new Scheduler are:

- A modern interface that allows you to view your calendar by day, week or month
- Ability to view multiple staff member calendars at the same time
- Easily reschedule and update meetings
- Revised workflow for recording a session
- Expanded repeating events options
- Scheduler-specific privileges that gives clinics better control

To learn more, please visit our Training Materials available on the SMART Support Portal: <a href="https://support.smartmgmt.com/hc/en-us/sections/360003977020-Scheduler">https://support.smartmgmt.com/hc/en-us/sections/360003977020-Scheduler</a>. The SMART Scheduler will require a couple of very simple set up and migration steps. Please contact your Partner Success Manager to learn how to access this great new module.

#### Improved! Quantitative Services Review matched with Services Due reports (S2K-1959)

We have resolved a couple of issues that were causing certain services to be omitted from the Services Due reports. These modifications help to ensure that the Service Due variations match the numbers shown on the Quantitative Services Review Report, when run for equivalent time periods. The benefit to these changes is that now clinic staff can accurately track down which services are still outstanding by using the Services Due set of reports. These include:

- Services Due by Counselor
- Services Due by Medical Provider
- Services Due by Tx Unit
- Services Due by Type

#### **Updated!** Medication Strength will now print on standard takehome labels (S2K-2291)

Medication strength will now print on our standard Takehome labels for liquid methadone at the required 10mg per mL strength. This will populate on the label just below the indicated

dosage. Partners will also now notice that this strength is reflected in the Medication setup for liquid methadone and when receiving inventory for this drug. Because this is the standard strength for this drug, this is a non-editable field in those locations of the software.

For clinics that prescribe Suboxone, we can now support showing the full strength of this medication as well. Prior versions would only show the buprenorphine portion for this field. If your clinic is interested in this feature, please coordinate with your PSM as we will need to migrate your existing inventory such that the accurate strengths can be displayed. Once that is complete users will see the appropriate split of these medications print below the dosage of the takehome label (i.e. 2mg/0.5mg, 4mg/1mg, 8mg/2mg).

Special note: clinics that do not use our standard label will not see a change to their version.

#### **Resolved Issues**

Clinical		
Patient allowed to be admitted into the sar program when alread Active (S2K-2333)	them know that this action is not allowed and inform the user of the program that the patient is already enrolled in. While this did	
Medical		
Zubsolv: Split dose displays incorrectly preventing ability to dose (S2K-2363)	Clinics prescribing Zubsolv will no longer see a rounding error that prevents them from entering split dose orders for a new regimen particular to this medication. This issue has been resolved so now split doses will accurately represent the strength prescribed from the doses available to that clinic.	
Amendment note no visible on orders to s other than doctors (S 175)	taff now be viewed by any user from the patient inquiry module. The	
Reports		
Dispensing log generates very slowly (S2K-2103)	We have greatly improved the speed at which the dispensing log will generate in the software. Users that were used to waiting many minutes should now see this generated in less than a seconds. Variation will exist depending on the size of your database.	

#### *Important Notes*

Access to the features listed in this release will be available through 4.5.0.1 only.

Updating from versions **prior to 4.4.14.0**, requires UA setting adjustments for Fentanyl.

Updating from versions **prior to 4.4.13.0**, may require signature pad configurations.

Details on the above can be found in the respective release notes. Contact your Partner Success Manager with any questions or for assistance.

# Version Aurora 4.4.21.0

#### **Enhancements**

Improved! Expanded Aging categories on Patient and Third Party Summary Totals (S2K-2224, S2K-2225, S2K-2236, S2K-2249)

We have expanded the aging buckets that report out on the headings of several of SMARTs reports to view aged accounts past 120 days. These reports will now reflect aging categories out to a full year and lump any accounts beyond a year in the 365+ Days category. We've applied this to the following SMART reports:

- Third Party: Open Claims by Svc Date: Aging Summary Totals
- Third Party: Open Claims by Trx Date: Aging Summary Totals
- Billing: Balance Due: Aged Patient Accounts by Trx Date
- Billing: Balance Due: Aged Patient Accounts by Svc Date

The Aged Patient Accounts by Svc Date report is a new report that mimics its cohort but anchors the data based on the service date.

The new column headings are shown below:

New! Clinic administrators can now have more control over city, state and zip code combinations allowable in their data (\$2K-2269)

SMART generally adopts the standard zip code listing from the United States Postal Service and defaults the zip code relationship to the city, state and county to whatever the primary for that code is per the USPS. Sometimes, local zip codes change or have more specific city and county relationships that are known and accepted by mail carriers. Clinics can now control which of these is allowed in their data with the zip code information management feature. Users can still enter any combination to a patient record but if that combination is not recognized by the software they will get an error message and will be prompted to consider adding that as a formally accepted combination by this new feature. This will prevent future errors from showing when entering patient data for that city, state, zip code and county.

Zip Code Information Management		
Zip Code	02723 State Massachusetts	
City	Fall River	
County Bristol County		
☐ Save ☐ Delete ✓ Close		

Improved! Support for check numbers (TRN02 EDI segment) up to 50 characters in length (S2K-843)

SMART has expanded the allowable number of characters in the Reference Identification number field in our software to match the maximum specified in the EDI standard for this field (TRN02). Users can now successfully store up to 50 characters in this field in SMART for any returned check number without suffering performance issues. This change resolves an issues some partners have experienced when filtering on the Ref ID and finding that the SMART application will freeze. With this change, we have also updated several report formats to allow for displaying the full 50 characters in this field.

During this change in the software, we were also able to resolve issues previously observed when trying to capture long-character length bottle numbers within inventory management. Users should expect to see improvements in this area as well.

#### New! Doctors and nurses can now save incomplete blood test results from the lab (S2K-2187)

When blood test results are returned automatically from the lab, SMART populates those results in the patients records and requires a doctor, nurse or other authorized user to save those complete. We now allow that action even when not all results have been returned. Clinics should be careful to train their staff to review the results and not save any that are still pending; but this gives staff members the control to close out orders in a more time efficient way when they are not expecting further results to post. Upon attempting to save a test result that is not complete, the user will get a warning before they can proceed to help ensure the quality of work remains high.

#### **Updated! Update MA DPH to coincide with state requirements** (S2K-2171)

For clinics in Massachusetts only: An update to the state specification now requires that patient insurance information be sent to the state of Massachusetts with every enrollment and update message type. We made the necessary changes in SMART to support that our outbound transmission of information now includes the patient's insurance for any clinic planning to deploy our MA DPH electronic messaging feature. This feature is ready for pilot testing; please reach out to your PSM if you are interested in learning more about utilizing this time-saving feature for your clinic.

# Resolved Issues

# Administration

Program keeps reappearing after being retired (S2K-249)	We have resolved a problem where retired programs came back during the Start of Day Process.
Channel status screen for SMARTBridge is incorrectly reflecting the number of errors that need to be resolved (S2K-1829)	When managing UA errors on the SMARTBridge website, the amount of Unresolved Errors did not always match the errors listed when Manage Errors was clicked. We have resolved an issue that was causing this so UA error counts will be displayed accurately. This is a helpful tool to allow clinics to resolve UA error issues with their labs now that the data is presented consistently.

# Billing

Billing Edit List and Non-Billable Edit list are not including 'reasonnotbilled' (S2K-2230)	The Billing Edit List and Non-Billable Edit List now show services that will not bill with a reason !Unable to render embedded object: File (Transaction Amount Nets Zero) not found.!. This reason will alert the billing staff to potential configuration problems that should be addressed. Once the configuration problems are addressed, the billing staff should prepare the billing again and the edit lists reviewed to ensure all services are billable prior to posting the billing.
Unable to create a valid claim file (S2K-2239)	An error box will now alert the billing staff to coverage issues that will prevent the claim file from completing. The user should correct the coverage issue or deselect the identified patient in order to create a valid claim file.
Account History displays only 30 days when it should show 90 days (S2K-2219)	When viewing a patient's account history from the Patient Inquiry Screen, if you choose the radio button next to the "90 days" you will now see a full 90 days of history for this patient.  Previously there were examples that would only provide 30 days visibility.
Detailed Account Activity Tracer and Detailed Account Activity Listing ending balance is not correct (S2K-2260)	We have resolved an issue with the Detailed Activity Tracer where the Ending Balance was not displaying. The Ending balance for the Detailed Activity Tracer now displays the sum amount of all self-pay transactions that are within the date range of the report and beginning running balance.

# Clinical

Unable to capture required signatures on Treatment Plans when the patient is discharged before all signatures are captured (S2K-407)	When a patient was discharged before all signatures were captured on Treatment Plans, the Treatment Plan no longer was available on the Signature Pending Tab. This has been resolved by adding a checkbox selection to
Signatures should be enabled after the form is saved complete (S2K-2188)	include discharged patients.  An issue was discovered that allowed clinic staff and patients to sign documents before they were saved complete. This resulted in signature invalidation when the form was actually finished and saved complete. We have improved the workflow such that forms must be saved complete prior to the signatures being enabled to avoid unnecessary duplicate signing. The fix for this issue has resolved the following additional
User unable to edit Treatment Plans that are marked Yes for completed from the Unapproved Treatment Plan tab (S2K-510)	tickets: S2K-252 and S2K-2185.  We have resolved an issue where the Unapproved TP tab Edit Button was not available even when the user setting was set with the appropriate user privileges of Approve Treatment Plan and Can Override Caseload Security.
Issue generating next Treatment Plan when Last Complete Date setting is used to generate (S2K- 1747)	For customers who are not using the configuration to "Mark Tx Plans Done When All Signatures are Captured" (its unchecked) and DO use schedule plans based on the Last Completed Date we have resolved a problem that was preventing the software from scheduling the next treatment plan in the patients' case history. These services will now generate based on the last completed date.
Users unable to save diagnosis code to Case History if duplicate primary keys exist for the code (S2K-2243)	We have resolved an error that was being created in the user logs which stemmed from old diagnosis codes being linked to the same actual diagnosis but entered with an upper or lower case. This inadvertently would cause occasional conflicts if the software was expecting an upper case code to be associated with it. This issue was important for data integrity but largely transparent to the user.
Unable to open MTQAS for discharged patients (S2K-2264)	We have modified the setup of discharge codes to not allow edits that will de-stabilize access to discharged patient records.
Fact sheet stuck due to date invalidation error (S2K-2266)	A user experienced an error in the fact sheet that led to SMART freezing; the root cause identified showed that they had entered a text string into the fact sheet date field; causing a disruptive back

end error. This has been resolved with a software
fix that will now prevent the user from entering
anything other than a date field into the fact
sheet.

## **Labs and Alerts**

Multiple Alerts for Positive UA's when confirmatory results post (S2K-603)	For confirmatory results, we have resolved an issue that was generating excessive alerts for positive UA results after modifying the original result using the "Edit/Correct UA History" feature in settings or when such results were automatically updated from the lab result. This problem only occurred when the "Retain original results, display most recent" setting was turned
	on for confirmatory UA results (under the Controls 5 tab in Clinic Settings).

# Medical

Dr. First (Rcopia 4) generating failure-to-save	Several improvements were made to the way that
messages in user logs (S2K-2233, S2K-1557)	SMART is handling error logging for Dr. First
	patient records. These improvements included
	recording responses from the Dr. First system
	more comprehensively which will aid in our ability
	to trouble shoot future potential problems. These
	changes are transparent to the user but will help
	SMART support our partners by directing more
	specific troubleshooting steps when issues with
	patient medications and prescriptions arise.

# Reports

For NY Customers: <b>PAS-45N form is missing</b> sections when printed (S2K-2162)	The PAS45-N form now properly shows the Trauma section on the printed version.
For NY Customers: <b>PAS-45N form printing</b> incorrect answers in the Trauma section (S2K-2220)	An issue was resolved that led to some answers on the printed version of the PAS-45N form to show incorrectly mapped answers to questions. All answers print accurately with this release.
For NY Customers: <b>PAS 44 Generating Redundant Pages</b> (S2K-163)	An intermittent issue would sometimes cause the PAS 44 form to print multiple pages

For NY Customers: <b>PAS 48 Printer Dialog Box shows up behind report</b> (S2K-170)	redundantly. An issue with the software was identified as the trigger for this duplication and resolved. PAS 44 will now print only the necessary number of pages with no duplication.  When a user tried to print the Monthly PRU Service (PAS-48N) from the Management section of the Reports module in SMART, the print dialog box was not appearing as it was hidden behind the report screen. This has been resolved so that the user can more intuitively see the print dialog and choose to print their report.
Dosing Summary by Carrier report Total Column does not show full result (S2K-2272)	We have resolved an issue with the Dosing Summary by Carrier Report where some of the columns were not wide enough to display the calculated results.

# Other

	When managing UA errors on the SMARTBridge
	website, the amount of Unresolved Errors did not
Channel status screen for SMARTBridge is	always match the errors listed when Manage
incorrectly reflecting the number of errors that	Errors was clicked. We have resolved an issue
need to be resolved (S2K-1829)	that was causing this so UA error counts will be
	displayed accurately. This is a helpful tool to
	allow clinics to resolve UA error issues with their
	labs now that the data is presented consistently.

# Release Notes Version Aurora 4.4.19.0

#### **Enhancements**

New! Central Registry (Lighthouse) Emergency Dosing File Upload (S2K-2011)

For users in states that leverage the Lighthouse Central Registry, we are pleased to inform you that we can now automate the delivery of your clinic's emergency dosing file. The central registry serves several purposes for your state's management and successful treatment of methadone patients; one is to ensure no dual enrollment will put them at risk and the other is to better prepare for emergency situations. To comply, clinics are required to upload a weekly snapshot of their full patient census' dosing schedules for the coming week. SMART is happy to announce that we can make this easier on clinic administrative staff by automating the creation and delivery of that file to your state's central registry. With this feature enabled, clinics will automatically generate the file (with no intervention required by the user) and SMART will save it to the corresponding secure server at Lighthouse. You will then see a 13-day forward looking dosing plan for every patient in your clinic that has a Central Registry ID saved to SMART by logging into your registry. For more detailed information on managing this, please see the Lighthouse Emergency Dosing File Upload user guide on our Support Portal.

#### Please note:

- States currently included in this central registry system include: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Kentucky, Mississippi, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Tennessee, Utah, and Wisconsin.
- To leverage this feature, the patient must have a Central Registry ID saved in SMART that matches the ID in your state's registry. SMART can help set this up initially and newly admitted patients can easily be added as you verify their dual enrollment status. See our release notes for <a href="Version 4.4.18.0">Version 4.4.18.0</a> or the <a href="user guide">user guide</a> for more information.
- This feature will require a data channel agreement; please reach out to your Partner Success Manager to learn more and ensure your clinic is set up correctly to leverage this feature.

### **Resolved Issues**

### Dosing

Signature pad disconnecting during slow internet connection times in dosing (S2K-2154)

In clinics with slow internet connections (latency greater than 50 ms), an issue has been resolved that resulted in signature pads disconnecting sporadically during the process of dosing patients. The disconnections were not uniform and would often happen during random times of internet slowness. A configuration setting was added that allows for more graceful handling when internet connection times are slow.

Note: Users may still see the issue when a patient signs for a dose but then the nurse hits "Cancel" on the signature and then chooses "Abort". In this scenario, the nurse must log off of SMART and log back in to allow the dosing and signing process to continue smoothly.

### Dosing

Sales Journal Summary with Period Information does not match Sales Journal Summary of the same date range (S2K-2169) Credits which were not partially or fully applied were being inconsistently recognized in the Sales Journal Summary and the Sales Journal Summary with Period Information reports. This has been resolved to consistently represent credits such that the reports pull information from the same source and will match.

Incorrect patient claims showing on the Resubmit Denied and Voided Claims Grid (S2K-2180)

Resubmit Denied and Voided Claims grid will no longer show duplicate claims.

# Release Notes Version Aurora 4.4.18.0

#### **Enhancements**

New! Dr. First Upgrade (S2K-1657)

Dr. First users must read! If your clinic participates in our e-prescribe service through Dr. First, it is essential that you upgrade to this version as soon as possible. Dr. First has updated their interface to Rcopia4 including several nice enhancements and will be retiring their old interface as of December 31 of this year. Failure to update before then will mean that you no longer can leverage Dr. First.

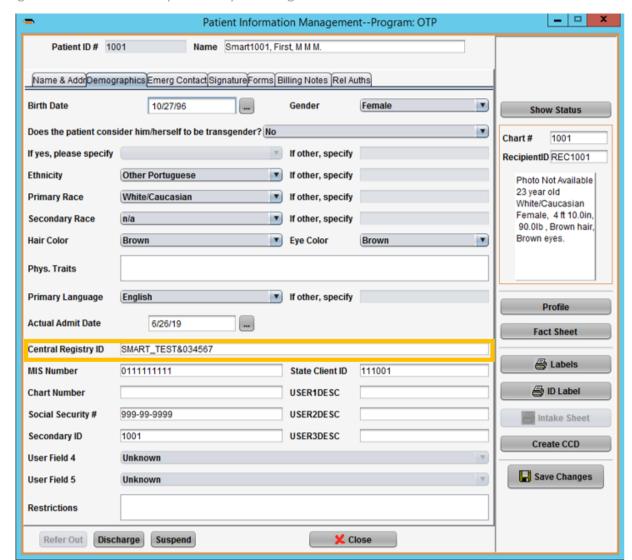
Upgrading will including improvements to:

- The interface and design easier navigation through a single view of all things related to the patient on the main screen
- Patient demographics made in SMART will now automatically synchronize to Dr. First
- Patient allergies can be cross referenced to Dr. First's drug database for leveraging full cross-allergy interaction alerts
- Prescription status in SMART is now auto-linked to a full view of any pending and active prescriptions in Dr. First
- Single sign-on allowing users to avoid multiple log-in screens once authenticated by Dr.
   First from SMART

For more information on these improvements and links to the updated Dr. First documentation, please see our Rcopia4 update notes here.

#### New! Central Registry Users can now enter their Central Registry IDs in SMART (\$2K-2052)

A new field has been added to the Patient Information Management screen that allows clinics that are in states leveraging a central registry to store their Central Registry ID (CRID) in this unique field. Clinics with Lighthouse-provided central registries are strongly urged to leverage this field in preparation for an upcoming release of compatibility with the Emergency Dosing file upload feature. Please contact your Partner Success Manager for more information on the timing of this feature and to arrange for an initiation data sync to allow the Registry ID field in SMART to be populated with any patients that are currently in the registry. After this initial data synchronization, Clinics will be responsible to keep this field updated after their patients'



Lighthouse enrollment by manually entering the CRID in this field.

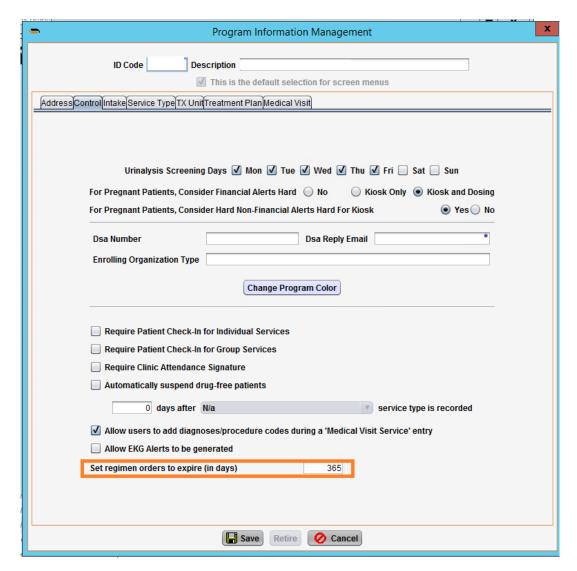
#### New! Custom Regimen Order Expiration Setting (S2K-1921)

A new setting is available to allow clinics to customize the standard time (in days) for the regimen order to be valid. This setting will default to one year but can be set to any number of days that the clinic or state requires.

This setting is available from SMART settings (gears icon). To access it:

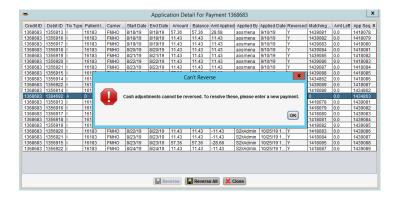
- Select Settings from the upper left corner
- In programs, click the Edit/Retire/Delete button

- Choose the "Control" tab and the setting will be on the very bottom of this screen
- Edit the field to the number of days you want regimen orders to expire within (by default) then click "Save"



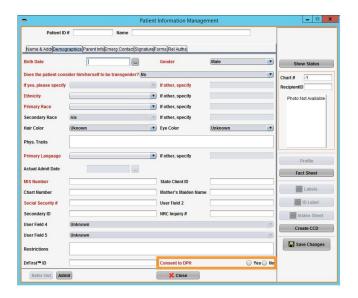
Improved! Reversing Account History will show cash adjustments but will not reverse them (S2K-2040)

To ensure financial reporting is correct, users will no longer be able to reverse the application of Cash Adjustments. If a user attempts to "reverse all" from this screen, the transaction will proceed for anything that is not a cash adjustment and they will be prompted to correct the cash adjustments with an error to instruct them to enter a new payment to offset these. The error will show as:



Just Added! For clinics in Massachusetts only: Setting for patient opt-in or out to sharing data with DPH (S2K-2146)

For clinics taking advantage of our electronic enrollment, updates, and discharge into Massachusetts DPH, a setting has been added to the patient information screen that will opt a particular patient into or out of sharing their data with the state. As this is managed by the clinic through patient consent, this setting must be marked as "yes" for the state to being receiving data about the patients in your clinic. DPH data sharing is required for all OTPs and will be available soon as an automated service in SMART.



# Resolved Issues

# Clinical

Duplicate suspensions are causing issues with reinstatement and dosing (S2K-132)	Users will now be able to reinstate if a patient has more than one suspension. This will correct the suspension record.
Search results return the same patient more than once when the patient has more than one tracker entry open (S2K-2145)	Searching for a patient that has two open entries in the tracker returned duplicate search results. This has been resolved and the search will be limited to single results.
Incorrect patient signatures inadvertently attaching to the wrong service (S2K-1141)	In order to prevent clinical staff from entering notes for the incorrect client, the user will now be prompted to close all open case history service notes prior to opening for a different client.
ASUs and FSUs are not saving information correctly when changes are made to the user interface (S2K-1961)	An issue was resolved that resulted in data being deleted from certain fields when the user had already filled it out and chosen to "Finish Later" or "Save Complete" and then subsequently a data element on the FSU or ASU form was altered to a different type. This issue has been resolved so that data is preserved in any completed field regardless of modifications to the elements that are configured to be on the assessment or fact sheet.
Duplicate listings on Services by Staff Detail Report (S2K-2159)	Services by Staff Detail Report was incorrectly duplicating patient's service listing. There are no longer duplicates showing on this report.
DSM4 displaying incorrect diagnosis for patients that have old diagnosis codes associated (S2K-1405)	An issue was resolved that caused old and retired DSM4 codes to result in the wrong diagnosis to be entered on that tab in the patient's case history.

# Billing

Concurrent Medical Visits are billing when patients primary carrier is not configured to bill them during 3rd Party Billing (S2K-97)	Medical visits will now pull correctly during the concurrent billing process.
Patient Inquiry Screen - Account not ordered by sequence number (S2K-1015)	Patient Inquiry Account Screen default view will be by sequence number which will accurately show reflect the sequence that transactions were entered.
Transactions not duplicating in the account screen (S2K-1019)	Patient Inquiry Account Screen will no longer show duplicate transactions.

# **Reports & Administration**

Duplicate suspensions are causing issues with reinstatement and dosing (S2K-132)	Users will now be able to reinstate if a patient has more than one suspension. This will correct the suspension record.
Direct Services by Counselor displaying null values (S2K-1966)	When no data is available, we now display zeros on the Direct Services by Counselor report instead of "null" in the duration and time columns.

For New York Customers: PAS 48 form was showing inaccurate group counseling counts (S2K-166)	The PAS 48 form now reflects the number of groups in the group counseling field rather than in previous versions where this count reflected the number of patients per group. The update maintains consistency with OASAS reporting standards.
Alphabetical list by Medical Provider is showing UUID instead of medication description (S2K-2157)	Alphabetical List by Medical Provider now correctly shows the medication description.

# Release Notes Version Aurora 4.4.17.0

#### Important Notes

Updating from versions prior to 4.4.14.0, requires UA setting adjustments for Fentanyl.

Updating from versions **prior to 4.4.13.0**, may require signature pad configurations.

Details on the above can be found in the respective release notes. Contact your Partner Success Manager with any questions or for assistance.

#### **Enhancements**

#### New! MA DPH Electronic Enrollment & Compliance

For clinics in Massachusetts, we have introduced the first phase of compliance with the new fully electronic enrollment and patient management message structure the state is requiring for all OTPs. This project will be deployed in stages and therefore careful coordination is required with your PSM to leverage this feature but it will dramatically streamline clinic compliance steps through automatically transmitting required patient data through admission, maintenance and discharge to the state. Reach out to your PSM to learn more! (S2K-1095)

#### **New!** Cash Adjustment Improvements

In order to ensure accurate reporting of payments, credits will no longer be available to cash adjust on the patient and Third Party Billing Cash Adjustment screens. (S2K-1017)

#### Resolved Issues

### Dosing

From the Dosing Prime Screen, the
default ordering of bottle numbers
does not reflect a logical sequence
(S2K-1090)

The Dosing > Prime screen will now list inventory of liquid medication first by medication type, then by manufacturer, then by lot number and finally by bottle number. This change will reduce the number of errors for users who accidentally selected the wrong bottle or lot.

# Clinical

Answers on print out of Discharge Summary appear blank even when provided in SMART (S2K-241)	An issue has been resolved that was causing the print- out of the Discharge Summary to show a blank box instead of printing the answers that were provided in SMART.
Printer calibration does not work causing UA labels to print mis-aligned with their sticker (S2K-2014)	For certain printer models, an issue has been resolved that did not allow for proper calibration of the printer resulting in labels being mis-aligned. The calibration method now works
With their states (SER 2011)	robustly for the Advantage model LBD24-2043-012G. These have been in production since 2012.
Clinical Users Unable to add General Note as Service to Case History (S2K- 2063)	An issue was fixed that prevented users from creating a general note as a service on a patient's case history when the patient was not admitted or discharged. SMART users can now create a general note regardless of the patient's status in SMART to better manage documentation for patients who are on the waiting list or have already been discharged.
Unable to scroll down on ASU and FSU (S2K-1873)	In certain screens of the FactSheet and ASU, the scroll bar would mistakenly disappear which did not allow the user to see the full set of questions and answers. This has been resolved such that the scroll bar is available on any window where the full screen is not view-able in a single pane.
The Fact Sheet button should always be enabled unless there is an unfinished Assessment/ASU (S2K-2051)	Resolved an issue that was causing the Fact Sheet (update or new) button to be disabled in the patient's Case History in conditions when it should be available to the user. The user can now create or update a fact sheet as long as there is no unfinished Assessment in the patient record.

# Medical

Retired Strength's Still Reflecting in	Retired strengths will no longer show when receiving a						
Inventory Management (S2K-2058)	shipment on the Medication Information Management						
	screen.						
Users should be allowed to post a 0	An issue was resolved that was preventing users from						
mg medical order (S2K-2097) entering a zero dose order in the medical order. This was							
	capability previously allowed in SMART that had been						
	removed in a past release.						
Nurses should be required to dose	From the dosing screen, when a patient requires a split take						
the dispensary dose first before home dose, the software will now force nurses to fill the							
dispensing the split take-home (S2K-dispensary dose first. If they attempt to do the split take							
1099)	home first, an error message will tell them to handle the						
	dispensary and then move on to the take home second and						
	they will return to the screen with the dispensary selected to						
	avoid repeating this step again.						

# Billing

Users are unable to de-select the	On the patient's coverage profile, the auto-transfer					
auto-transfer checkbox for	checkbox will save correctly as checked or unchecked.					
SECONDARY PAYER (S2K-2089)						
Sales Journal Summary with Period	Sales Journal Summary with Period Information has been					
Information Credits should not defer	revised and will no longer report credits (adjustments) as					
(S2K-1161)	deferred or realized.					
Incorrect data displayed in Reprint	Financial transactions are now accurately reported on the					
Adjustment Journal, Reprint	following adjustment journals: Reprint Adjustment Journal,					
Adjustment Journal in Date Range Reprint Adjustment Journal in Date Range and Adjustment						
and Adjustment Journal in Date	Journal with Service Period Information.					
Range with Service Period						
Information (S2K-1384)						

# **Reports & Administration**

Patients Who Did Not Attend Services are not reporting data correctly (S2K-1002)	Three issues were resolved with the Patients Who Attended Services and Patients Who Did Not Attend Services reports:  1. These reports are only available if the Require Clinic Attendance Signature setting is checked in Program Information Management controls.  2. The report will now accurately reflect attendance at programs even when a service note on the patient record is not saved complete.  3. On the Patients Did Not Attend report, patients who have checked in but have not attended services will now show on the report. Previous behavior was not capturing any patient that had checked in even if they neglected to attend their scheduled service.
Users are unable to edit Substance Usage in the lookup table management (S2K-2057)  Medication Inventory Detail report	Resolved an error that was not allowing users to manage the Substance Usage table in their lookup table management. Fields can now be added or retired from this table for when it is applied to the ASU or FSU services in SMART.  Medication Inventory Report will run without errors and will
error log producing lot balance flags (S2K-2032)	provide an accurate account of the inventory detail.

NJ GEMS export not available in all New Jersey sites (S2K-1328)	Several retired buttons were preventing the NJ GEMS export from being accessible in all sites. We have streamlined this so that obsolete areas of the software are not impeding the export capability.
Unable to retire fields that have a special character in the lookup table (S2K-2123)	For lookup tables that utilize special characters (apostrophes are the most common), we have resolved an issue that prevented retiring these to create newly corrected ones.  Retiring any lookup field entry that does not match the users needs is recommended to prevent signature loss on services that use that field and therefore this was a critical issue for partners.

# Release Notes – Version Aurora 4.4.16.0

## **Important Notes**

- If updating from versions prior to 4.4.14.0, it is important to review the release notes regarding the UA setting adjustments required for the implementation of Fentanyl.
- If updating from versions prior to 4.4.13.0, it is important to review release notes instructions as signature pad configuration may be required with the update. Contact your Partner Success Manager for any questions.

#### **Enhancements**

#### **New! Clinical Fields Added!**

Two new fields have been added to SMART:

- Overdoses over the past 3 months has been added to the MTQAS periodic in SMART (\$2K-2017). This field will automatically appear on the MTQAS form.
- "Does the patient rent or own their house or apartment" has been added to the patient fact sheet (S2K-2008). Partners who wish to utilize this field should add it to their fact sheet form.

Partners in <u>Massachusetts</u> should pay special attention to these fields as they will be required for compatibility with the new DPH standards. This functionality is due out in a subsequent release but collecting this information now will help with the data quality that the state guidelines will expect.

#### **New Billing Features!**

Users now have the ability to enter a manual invoice for an insurance carrier with a countersigning provider for services rendered by a non-credentialed provider. (S2K-1439)

To enable this feature, go to the Invoice Entry Screen and select:

- 1. Service Type
- 2. Rendering Provider By Whom in Case History note
- 3. Countersigning Provider Clinical Supervisor in Case History Note
- 4. Enter Service Start Date and Service End Date
- 5. Units

- 6. Select Carrier from drop-down. Once the carrier is selected, the software will auto-populate:
  - a. Procedure Code
  - b. Modifier
  - c. Charge Carrier (application will calculate the units by the UCR amount.)
  - d. Expected payment (application will auto-populate)
- 7. Click "Save"

Once the invoice is saved, it is on the Produce New Claims Grid.

# Claims with active coverage record are red lined because the provider NPI does not exist (S2K-604)

When manually invoicing services for carriers that require rendering provider NPI and the selected rendering provider does not have an NPI entered on the user settings, the non-billable claim will now show as green instead of red.

#### **Resolved Issues**

#### Clinical

Verbal Order Doctor options not showing Nurse Practitioner on the list when the DoctorPostsFirstOrderFlag is off (S2K-1726)

 An issue with the NP appearing in the Verbal Doctor Order options list has been resolved. This issue appeared inconsistently and now presents the correct doctor names associated when entering a regimen, take home or incremental order.

Random Urine Screening not showing patients who need to be screened due to Nurse-Forced Test initiation (NFT) (S2K-1962)

• For random urine screening, patients with a pending NFT (Nurse Forced Test) will still get picked up for Random UA screening.

Discharge Summary By Whom Dropdown Defaulting to Alphabetical for Generated Service (S2K-733)

 When a user that completed the Discharge Summary is retired, the historical information will be retained when viewing and printing. Discharge Summary case history services that were started by a retired user and not completed will show the signed in user as the By Whom.

#### **Compliance Vital Signs are not functioning properly** (\$2K-1529)

Several issues have been resolved with the Compliance Vital Signs report including:

• The report is now appropriately available through the Admin and Reports modules

- It now accurately compiles UA results for the selected program and respects the through date that is selected
- When the report is run for all programs, the urine testing results compiled are respecting all programs and the selected through dates

#### Prepared Dose Details are not always recorded correctly for solid medications (S2K-1853)

• For clinics that prepare take home doses in advance, there were some instances (for pills only), where a dose that was prepared recorded incorrectly on the Dose Inventory Detail Report. This has been resolved.

#### Unfinished notes list printing for all programs when only one is selected (S2K-1963)

 Clinical Reports: Unfinished Notes Report respects program selection when viewing and printing.

#### **Billing**

#### Claims are not populating correctly on the Reproduce Existing Claims Grid (S2K-1925)

• New claims will populate correctly on the Reproduce Existing Claims Grid resolving an issue that was leading to more than one patient being included in one claim.

# Unable to apply patient payments to invoices created during the 835-payment transfer process (S2K-408)

• Patient invoices that were transferred during the 835-payment process will now be assigned to the correct program.

#### Payment posting (835) not matching on the check (S2K-1754)

 When processing an 835 that contains 2 payments and a take-back for the same invoice, the software now correctly processed that paid amount

#### Reports

#### Incidents are duplicating on the Incident Report Listing (\$2K-1757)

• Incident report no longer shows the incident more than once.

#### **Quantitative Services Report takes a long time to generate** (S2K-2046)

Performance has been improved when running the following reports Quantitative
Services Review Report, Quantitative Summary Report, and Quantitative Services
Review by Treatment Unit. The user will notice a significant improvement in speed when
pulling up these reports.

#### Other

From Settings, in the Clinic Information Management Screen, the Dispensary Reports has Daily Alerts checkbox which is missing. (S2K-2056)

- This issue caused the daily reports to automatically print even when set not to print.
- Both issues have been resolved so that the user can now check or uncheck the box and the report print behavior matches the settings.

#### Holiday setting is not saving (S2K-2059)

• In the Holiday Information Management screen, Holiday Setting 'Collections is closed on this holiday' now successfully saves the selected setting.

## Release Notes – Version Aurora 4.4.15.0

# **Release Highlights**

• **Update!** New York customers can now leverage updated PAS forms which align with all 2018 required fields.

## **Important Notes**

 Users updating from versions prior to 4.4.13.0 should be advised of the signature pad configuration issues that may result from their upgrade. See special instructions related to the 4.4.13.0 release for more information.

#### **Enhancements**

#### **Updated PAS Forms for New York State**

- PAS form 44 (Admission) was brought up to 2018 standards such that any form initiated in SMART with a date of October 1, 2018 or later will be compliant with New York state guidelines. Changes to this form included:
  - Modified selections for "Child of Alcoholic/Substance Abuser" to include:
    - Both COA and COSA to Both
    - COA to Child of Alcoholic
    - COSA to Child of Substance Abuser
- PAS form 45 was brought up to 2018 standards such that any form initiated in SMART with a date of October 1, 2018 or later will be in compliance with New York state quidelines. Changes to this form included:
  - Added the field for "Orientation to change" including responses of:
    - Ambivalent
    - Change Oriented
    - Planning Change
    - Active Early Recovery
    - Ongoing Recovery and Relapse Prevention
  - Added several responses to the "referral" category including:
    - Recovery Community and Outreach Center
    - Youth Clubhouse
    - Peer Advocate
    - Open Access Center
    - Family Support Navigator
    - Regional Addiction Resource Center

 Removed "Discharged due to regulatory requirements (note: crisis programs)" from Discharge Disposition

#### **Resolved Issues**

#### <u>Clinical</u>

#### **Dose History date range did not reflect 90 days** (S2K-1931)

• Within the Patient Inquiry screen, the dose history tab was showing inconsistent results when selecting to view the 90-day window. The intention of this view is to see the patient dose history sixty days in the past from the current date, and 29 days in the future (today being day 1) for a total 90-day view. This has been resolved so that it performs as intended.

# Patient Form Screen signatures incorrectly enabled when the form was saved as "finish later" (S2K-1855)

 Patient signatures were enabled when the Patient Form screen was saved as "finish later." The patient signature should only be allowed when the form is "saved complete" so this issue was addressed and resolved to work properly.

#### **Prepared doses incorrectly subtracting from inventory** (S2K-1634)

 Prepared doses are now excluded in the calculation on the Manage Medication Inventory Screen. As the inventory is moved to the prepared dose inventory, this screen and the summary report will not include that inventory. The Medication Inventory Summary report and the Manage Medication Inventory Screen will now match at the medication level.

#### **Billing**

#### Rendering Provider's NPI output is flawed in claim file (S2K-1922)

- Rendering provider's NPI and taxonomy did not output correctly in the 837-5010-P
   2310B loop of the claim file. When billing by rendering provider:
  - The rendering provider's user setting needs to include an NPI and taxonomy code.
  - 2. On the General Tab of the Edit Carrier Detail, Separate Claims by Provider is selected. Dispensing Rendering provider should be selected, Medical Director will include the Medical Director's NPI and Taxonomy and Dispensing Nurse will include the dispensing nurse's NPI and taxonomy. For UA services, the rendering provider is the medical director.

# Carrier Configuration – ProviderID Required cannot be saved unchecked (S2K-1737)

• On the Edit Carrier Detail General Tab, the Provider ID Required checkbox showed as checked regardless of what was saved in the data. The screen reflects the actual setting. This checkbox should only be used when the insurance carrier requires the rendering provider's secondary provider ID to be included in the Ref segment of the rendering provider loop in the 837-5010-P claim file. The secondary provider ID and qualifier are configured on the Provider Numbers tab on the user settings.

#### Reports

# Roll Forward realized revenue not captured on unless within the date range (S2K-1901)

 An issue has been corrected with the Roll Forward report where realized revenue and credits were not showing on the report unless there was a transaction for revenue or adjustments (credits) within the report date range.

# Amounts Collected report gathering incorrect data for large date ranges (S2K-1955)

 An issue was resolved which prevented accurate payment data from being displayed in the Amount Collected report when the user selected a long-term date range such as a year. The report now generates accurate information.

#### Other

#### Label layout improvements to BLASTER label (S2K-1872)

For users of the BLASTER label: variations of this label were discovered to include too
much information to fit on the label. Improvements were made to re-locate the barcode
for certain label configurations to ensure that it can be scanned at the clinic or lab. For
users who do not currently scan, provisions were made to ensure their text fields were
legible and included on the printable area of the label.

#### **Dr. First Error log improvements** (S2K-1886)

 Excess error logs have been corrected in the Dr. First embedded application which will allow for more consistent and streamlined data to be displayed in the historical records within Dr. First. Users should notice improved run times and consistency when using the e-prescribe and other functions of Dr. First.

## Release Notes – Version Aurora 4.4.14.0

# **Release Highlights**

- New! Orlaam has been replaced with Fentanyl for Urine Toxicology
- New Report! Billing departments can now view roll-forward balances for self-pay patients in an integrated report
- Various bug fixes

#### **Important Notes**

 Users updating from versions prior to 4.4.13.0 should be advised of the signature pad configuration issues that may result from their upgrade. See special instructions related to the 4.4.13.0 release for more information.

#### **Enhancements and Fixed Issues**

#### Orlaam has been replaced with Fentanyl for Urine Toxicology

Orlaam drug for Urine Toxicology test results has been removed from the SMART Software. It has been replaced with Fentanyl for Urine Toxicology. Users will now be able to configure Fentanyl for one or more UA Panels, receive results in its own category on the UA Panel, and have reports that reflect the data.

Please note: It is recommended to watch the overall UA test results closely after the software update when confirmatory results are posting. Fentanyl test results are returned.

#### Following are some key points:

- Orlaam has been replaced with Fentanyl for Urine Toxicology in SMART software
- UI and legends on the U/A tab and reports have been updated to display Fentanyl in SMART Software.
- If the patients in the past had Orlaam test results, those historical drug test results for Orlaam will still exist in SMART Software under column 10 on UA Tab in Patient Inquiry.
- Historical UA drug test results for Fentanyl will remain in the Other column
- Following the software update to 4.4.14.0 (and drug mapping update for SMARTBridge), Fentanyl test results will be in Column 10
- If an over result remains positive due to prior fentanyl result in column 16 as positive, even though the confirmatory for fentanyl result is negative, System administrator can go to Edit/Correct UA History to edit the latest row to remove

the Fentanyl drug test from column 16, so that the overall test result is displayed accurately.

#### Example:



#### • Reports:

- Initially the reports will reflect data for Fentanyl under Other column but eventually as data builds for Fentanyl under column 10, the reports will be more useful for the users.
- After the software update 4.4.14.0, following reports will display data for Fentanyl in its own category in column 10.
  - Negative Results Posted Report
  - Patient UA Result Posted Report
  - Positive Drug by Type Report
  - Positive Results Posted by Medical Provider
  - Positive Results Posted Repor
  - Substance Summary
- Following picture displays the Legend on the reports

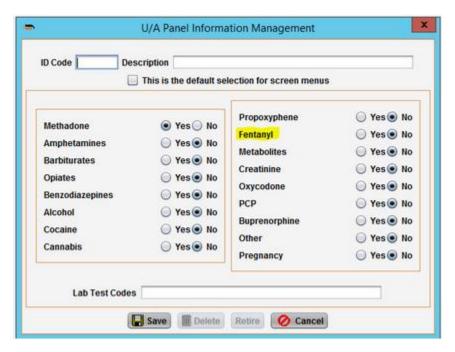


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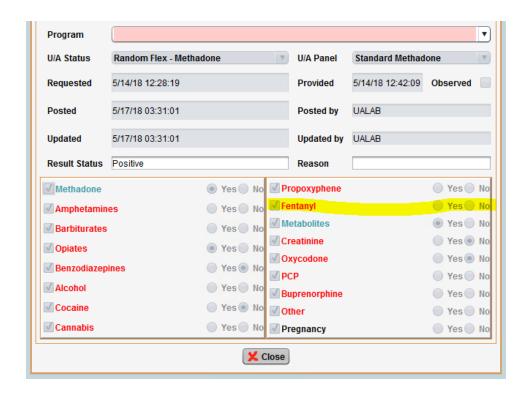
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Ensure the following steps have been taken to ensure Fentanyl drug is tested and drug test results are posted accurately:

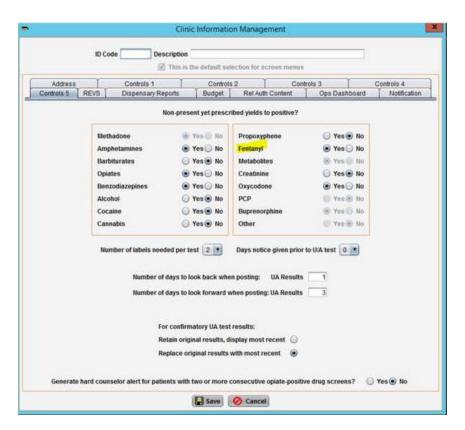
- Ensure the System Administrator for each database has configured the U/A
  Panel in Administration (Gears) module for Fentanyl. This setting is in Admin
  module > Settings > Other Tab > U/A Panel Information Management.
- Fentanyl can be added to an existing panel or a new panel can be created with Fentanyl in it. Ensure the lab test codes are correct and match what the respective laboratories has provided to identify what drugs will be tested in the panel.



 The following screenshot displays historical result with Fentanyl being added to the existing panel. The prior test results will have Fentanyl in it with radio button selected but no results for it.



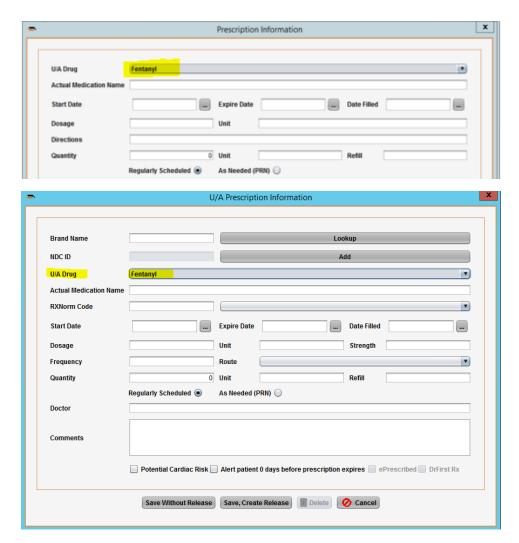
- Non-present yet prescribed yields to positive setting: Ensure the system
  administrator has configured the 'Non-present yet prescribed yields to positive'
  setting if it is needed for Fentanyl for your clinic or database.
  - This setting checks if the drug as 'yes' should yield a positive result if they
    are not present in the specimen but are prescribed to the patient.
  - This setting is in Admin module > Clinic Settings > Controls 5 Tab.



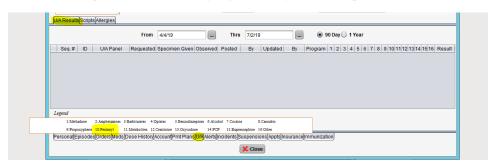
- Fentanyl can be configured as a U/A drug that can be prescribed:
- This setting is in Gears > Other Tab > U/A Drugs > Add New



- User can add Fentanyl as a prescribed U/A drug:
  - It's located in Tx > Find a patient > Select a patient > Profile button > Scripts Tab > Add New.



- U/A Tab: UA Tab on Patient Inquiry will now reflect Fentanyl test results in its own category column 10.
  - Following screenshot displays the updated legend on the UA tab.



#### Roll Forward balances available in a report for Self-Pay patients

- The roll-forward summary report for self-pay rolls the accounts receivable balance from the prior period (Beginning AR) adds the sales, credits, payments, cash adjustments and bad debt which results in the current period accounts receivable balances (Ending AR) and Ending AR Credit Balance.
- Who will benefit from using this report?
  - Finance departments
  - Accountants
  - Auditors
- What are the benefits of using this report?
  - The Roll forward Summary for Self-Pay Report can be used in addition to or replacing other financial reports including:
    - Balance Due Summary
    - Sales Journal Summary with Period Information
    - Sales Journal Summary and Receipts Journal Summary by Carrier
      - Note: The Receipts Journal by Carrier includes self-pay.
- How to run the report?
  - The report is found in the Reports Menu > Management > Roll Forward Summary Self-pay
  - Select a From and Thru Date for the desired reporting period
  - Select program: the report can be run by a single selected program, multiple selections or all programs
  - Then click Generate Report

#### **Resolved Issues**

#### **Periodic Dosing Summary Limiting Medication Names** (S2K-1856)

 On the Periodic Dosing Summary, medication names greater than thirty-five characters in length would previously not display properly. Changes were made so that the software will now wrap medication names up to 100 characters in length. Medication names with more than 100 characters should be shortened in order to display properly.

#### **Unable to save MTQAS Periodic in Massachusetts** (S2K-444)

 The Employment Reason Field on MTQAS is no longer grayed out. The field can now be used and saved.

# **Discharge Summaries are not printing for customers in Massachusetts** (S2K-1858)

 Partners affected are only those that are licensed for MA DPH. This issue has been resolved such that discharge summaries can now print.

#### **Quantitative Services Review could not run for partners in New York** (S2K-1697)

- Several reports have been resolved so that they can now run for New York partners.
   The following reports now run and can be displayed properly:
  - Quantitative Services Review New York
  - Quantitative Services Review by Provider New York
  - OASAS Units of Service Detail
  - OASAS Units of Service Program Summary
  - OASAS Unit of Service Provider Summary

#### **271** Eligibility response file generates errors and times out\_(S2K-1640, S2K-107)

 An issue was discovered that did not allow the application to match on the patient's social security number which resulted in the 271 Eligibility response to error and eventually time out. This issue has been corrected so that the 271 can process.

#### **Duplicate Invoices on the Apply Payment or Credit Screen** (S2K-607)

 An issue was identified and corrected where the apply payment and credit grids were showing duplicate invoices.

# Roll Forward (Self Pay and Third-Party versions) now include services that do not have service dates entered (S2K-1874)

- An issue with the Roll Forward Self Pay and Third-Party reports was identified where sales and credits that were entered without a start and/or end date were not included in the report calculations.
- The report now includes all realized and deferred revenue and credits that have service date ranges within the report parameters regardless of the transaction date.
  - Sales and Credits that do not have a service start and/or end date
  - When there is no service start or end date, the transaction date will be used.
  - When there is a service start date and no service end date, the service start date will be used for the service end date.

# Roll Forward (Third Party Report) not accurately accounting for partial sales and credits due to transaction date (S2K-1854)

- An issue with the Roll Forward Self Pay and Third-Party reports was identified where all realized and/or deferred revenue and credits were not always included in the summary calculation when the transaction dates were outside of the report parameters.
- The report now includes all realized and deferred revenue and credits that have service date ranges within the report parameters regardless of the transaction date.

#### **Active Patients Reports listing different total Active Patient Amounts** (S2K-1871)

The Alphabetical Listing by Level of Care was not including patients that did not have an
initial Level of Care History, leading to inaccuracies in the total active patient amounts.
 This report now includes patients without an initial Level of Care History and will display
them on the report.

# Positive Results by Medical Provider Report does not generate when run for all programs (S2K-1870)

• The Positive Results Posted by Medical Provider Report now runs for all programs

# Positive Results Posted by Medical Provider can mistakenly include negative patient results (S2K-1869)

• The Positive Results Posted by Medical Provider now only shows patients with positive results

# Release Notes - Version Aurora 4.4.13.0

# **Release Highlights**

- New report! Billing departments can now view roll-forward balances for third party carriers in an integrated report.
- Many improvements were made to the handling of structural communication in the SMART platform to yield more efficient process execution for users.
- Enhanced application security by updating to a more current version of Java
- Improvements to the handling of disconnected signature pads
- Various bug fixes

## **Enhancements and Fixed Issues**

# **New! Roll Forward Summary Third Party Report**

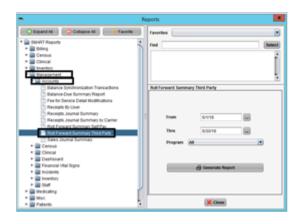
The roll-forward summary report for third party rolls the accounts receivable balance from the prior period (Beginning AR) adds the sales, credits, payments, cash adjustments and bad debt which results in the current period accounts receivable balance (Ending AR).

Who will benefit from using this report? Finance departments accountants and auditors.

What are the benefits of using this report? The Roll forward Summary for Third Party Report can be used in addition to or replacing other financial reports: Aging Summary Totals by Transaction Date, Sales Journal Summary with Period Information or Sales Journal Summary and Receipts Journal Summary by Carrier

#### How to run the report?

- The report is found in the Reports Menu > Management > Roll Forward Summary Third Party
- 2. From and Thru Date for the desired reporting period.
- 3. Select program: the report can be run by a single selected program, multiple selections or all programs.
- 4. Generate Report





#### **Report Definitions**

- Payer: This column displays the carrier name
- Type: This column displays the Carrier Type
- **Beginning Accounts Receivable Balance (A/R)**: This column displays the accounts receivable balance.
  - This amount is calculated total of all transactions as of the day before the From Date.
- Sales: Sales column includes the sum total of invoices with a transaction date in the current reporting period.
  - Realized revenue, deferred in previous month/s, are included in Sales when realized within the reporting period.
    - Realized revenue is defined as invoices with a transaction date prior to the current report period and with service dates within the current reporting period.
    - Realized revenue is calculated: Amount divided by total number of days in service date range multiplied by the number of days in the current reporting period.
  - Deferred sales are included in the Deferred column and will not be included in the Sales column.
  - Invoices to bad debt are included in the Uncollectible column and will not be not be included in the Sales column.
- Adjustments to Sales (Credits): Adjustment to Sales column includes the sum total of credits with a transaction date in the current reporting period.
  - All categories and subcategories are included except for:
    - Category Uncollectible and Sub-Category Bad Debt.

- Payments: Payments column includes sum total of payments with a transaction date in the current reporting period.
- Cash Adjustments: Cash Adjustments column includes all cash adjustments with a transaction date in the current reporting period.
- **Uncollectible:** Uncollectible column includes the sum total of invoices and credits with a Transaction Category of Uncollectible and Transaction Sub-Category of Bad Debt and a transaction date in the current reporting period.
- Ending A/R: This column displays the accounts receivable balance.
  - This amount is calculated total of all transactions as of the thru date (last day of current period).
- Deferred: Deferred column includes invoices and credits with a transaction date prior to the Thru Date of the current reporting period and service dates after the current reporting period.
  - Deferred revenue is calculated: Amount divided by total number of days in service date range multiplied by the number of days after the current reporting period.

## **Billing**

# **Incorrect Rendering Provider During Concurrent Billing (S2K-1603)**

**Description:** For clinics that are configured to use concurrent billing, the software does not respect the 'Separate Claims by Provider' setting for each of the Manual Carriers when the Automated Carrier is not set to 'Separate Claims by Provider'. This caused the claims to have incorrect information on them, including rendering provider.

**Solution:** This issue has been resolved. Now, when the clinic is configured to use Concurrent Billing, the software will respect the 'Separate Claims by Provider' setting for each carrier during the prepare billing process. The rendering provider's information should be displayed on the claims when the carrier is set to 'Separate Claims by Provider'.

# **Clinical**

# All UA's Generating as Standard (S2K-594)

**Description:** The U/A panel drop down on all the screens were defaulting to the 'Standard' Panel regardless of the panel configured on the patient's individual UA Status Tab in patient's Profile.

**Solution:** This issue has been resolved. Now the software will display the panel that the patient's individual UA status is set up as and not the standard panel in the U/A panel drop down field.

### **Reports**

## **Balance Due Summary Report (S2K-1725)**

**Description:** Balance Due Summary Report was not showing the correct patient status as of the run date of the report.

**Solution:** The Balance Due Summary Report correctly identifies the patient status as of the run date of the report. Additionally, the report shows future discharge dates for patients who were discharged after the run date of the report.

### **Stability**

## **Connection Pooling (S2K-1678)**

**Description:** SMART's legacy platform architecture included a system that required discrete connections between the data base and the application to run tasks that the user was requesting of it. Managing these discrete connections has led to a slow-down in performance across various tasks as the connections take time and overhead from the system. We set out to reduce that overhead by pooling connections in such a way that users could gain from speed improvements across the application.

**Solution:** Improvements were made to the time SMART's operations take to process across a variety of tasks in the application including start of day, end of day and various billing tasks. Depending on a user's workflow, time savings will vary. Updates to the infrastructure of SMART are now allowing us to manage our internet connections across customer sites in a more controlled manner.

**Known Issue:** To accomplish the speed enhancements across the application, users will notice that the log-in window to access SMART will open slightly slower than prior releases. The slowness will be offset by various speed improvements throughout the rest of the day's operations.

# Signature Pads will be available after a disconnection (S2K-1704)

**Description:** Signature pads can occasionally become disconnected within the clinic environment for accidental or intentional reasons. When this happens, SMART would crash and the user would have to log back in to resume work causing a delay in their daily tasks.

**Solution:** We updated the drivers of the signature pad and improved other connection processes between SMART and the pad to improve the performance such that SMART will not crash during intentional or accidental disconnects.

#### Workaround:

Only if dosing pump is connected to COM1 and the Serial Signature Pad is connected to COM2

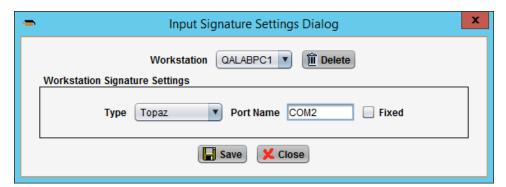
- On checking the Device Manager > Ports (COM & LPT):
- COM1 is connected to the Dosing Pump
- COM2 is connected to the Serial Signature Pad

On Smart2K, perform the following

- Click on Administration > Settings
- Click Edit against Clinic
- Click on Controls 4
- Click on Workstation Comm Settings

On the Input Signature Settings Dialog

- The Workstation is name of the Computer being used
- The Type is Topaz
- The Port Name is COM2
- Click Save:



Log out of the application and log back in.

# **Upgrade Java (S2K-1833)**

**Description:** This release includes work to upgrade to a more recent version of the JAVA library which runs our application. The update includes security enhancements for the latest protection against risks and also includes background bug fixes to the underlying JAVA operations.

**Solution:** Code updates were implemented to align to an updated Java release. While this change is transparent to the user, the upgrade allowed SMART to leverage best-practice security for the application. It is a necessary action in our software maintenance strategy.

# Release Notes – Version Aurora 4.4.12.0

#### **Fixed Issues and Enhancements**

#### Reports

# S2K-387: Events Scheduled report shows Completed Event Status as Pending

**Description:** Partner reported that when the event has occurred, session has been recorded, and signatures have been captured, the event still showed as Pending on the Event Scheduled Report instead of being shown as Completed Event.

**Solution:** The issue was with the services that required counter signatures to be configured. Those services were not showing the correct status on the Event Scheduled report. This has been fixed. After the signatures were captured and it's marked saved complete, the service should appear as complete and not pending on the report.

# S2K-447: Solid Medication Breakdown on Periodic Dosing Summary, Totals Only Report

**Description:** The Periodic Dosing Summary, Totals Only Report has been enhanced. This report is used for monthly and DEA audits.

- For solid medication it will now provide the strength breakdown.
  - Medication Column now displays medication strength for all solid medications.
  - 'Unit(s)' column has been added to reflect the number of medication per each strength that has been dispensed.

## **Example report before enhancement:**

04/19/19 02:52 PM				Page 1 of 1
	Medication	# of Doses	Average Dose	Total mgs
Inventory Location	on: Program A			
	Buprenorphine	1938	14.10	27326.00
	BuprenorphineNalox	302	12.34	3726.00
	Methadone Liquid	7685	76.09	584740.00
	Zubsolv	951	8.63	8203.10

# **Example report after enhancement:**

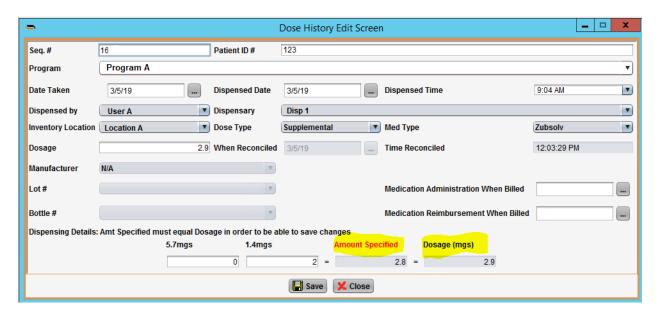
04/19/19 02:06 PM				-	Page 1 of 1
	Medication	Unit(s)	# of Doses	Average Dose	Total mgs
Inventory Locati	on: Program A				
	Buprenorphine 2mgs 8mgs Total	1,611 3,013 4,624	1,938	14.10	3,222.00 24,104.00 27,326.00
	BuprenorphineNalox 2mgs 8mgs Total	251 403 654	302	12.34	502.00 3,224.00 3,726.00
	Methadone Liquid		7,685	76.09	584,740.00
	Zubsolv 1.4mgs 5.7mgs Total	823 1,237 2,060	961	8.63	1,152.20 7,050.90 8,203.10

- During the development of this report, it was found that in rare and unusual cases, a discrepancy might exist between the total dosage dispensed and the units recorded.
- To account for these unusual circumstances, an "Unspecified" row was included in the report specification, but only to be shown if a discrepancy exists, as reflected in this example:

Page 1 of 1  Total mgs
Total mgs
722.00
5,176.00
5,898.00
148.00
664.00
812.00
100,179.00
198.80
1,322.40
0.10
1,521.30
1,521.50

In the example circumstance shown below, after the patient with a 2.8mg order for Zubsolv received their medication, their order was increased to 5.7mg starting that same day, which called for a 2.9mg supplemental dose.

The closest Zubsolv strength is a 2.8mg tablet, one of which was used to provide the patient with the additional medication. This caused the discrepancy shown here, which results in the "Unspecified" amount of 0.1mg:



**S2K-1000:** Add "Unspecified" row when medication strength is not specified on Dispensing Log and Dosing Summary by Type of Dose Report, to address circumstances as shown above.

### The following is the screenshot from Dispensing Log Report:

 Log Report with Unspecified Row.

 TOTAL FOR Lot # 103117D
 86.8

 TOTAL DOSES @ 1.4 mgs
 9.0

 TOTAL DOSES @ 5.7 mgs
 13.0

0.1

86.8

TOTAL Unspecified mgs

TOTAL FOR Disp 1

Following is an example from Dispensing

Following is an example from Dispensing Log Report without Unspecified Row.

TOTAL FOR Lot # 103117D	85.3
TOTAL DOSES @ 1.4 mgs	8.0
TOTAL DOSES @ 5.7 mgs	13.0
TOTAL FOR Disp 3	85.3
TOTAL FOR Zubsolv	182.0

### The following is the screenshot from Dosing Summary by Type of Dose Report:

Following is an example from Dosing Summary by Type of Dose report with Unspecified Row.

Following is an example from Dosing Summary by Type of Dose report without Unspecified Row.

 Total Doses @ 1.40 mgs:
 142.0

 Total Doses @ 5.70 mgs:
 232.0

 Total Unspecified mgs:
 0.1

Total Doses @ 1.40 mgs: 751.0
Total Doses @ 5.70 mgs: 1122.0

# Release Notes – Version Aurora 4.4.11.0

#### **Fixed Issues and Enhancements**

#### **Administrative**

#### S2K-1272: Redesigned toolbar buttons Images

**Description -** The SMART toolbar was designed with grey icons which implied to new users that the buttons were unavailable. Also, under some circumstances (like on older monitors), the icons were difficult to see.

**Solution -** The icons have been redesigned to be more visible and indicate their availability status more clearly.

### **Billing**

#### S2K-1155 - Missing Claims When Deny claims and Resubmitting Claims

**Description -** When denying and resubmitting medication reimbursement claims, only the first medication reimbursement claim was available on the Resubmit Denied and Voided claims grid and the Reproduce Existing claims grid.

**Solution** – When denying and resubmitting claims including medication reimbursement services, all claims will be available to resubmit on the Resubmit Denied and Voided claims grid.

#### Dr. First

# S2k-1173 - Dr. First data not presenting in portal

**Description -** When patient's medication was entered in SMART and sent to Dr. First, the medication was not displayed in the Dr. First portal.

**Solution** – Patient medication entered in SMART is now presenting in the Dr. First portal.

#### Labels

S2K-1610 – Blaster 2 Label - Changes to Caution Statement on the Take Home Label

**Description -** The label on liquid and solid medications stated:

"CAUTION: State and Federal Law prohibits transfer of this drug to any person other than the patient for whom it was prescribed."

**Solution -** The label on liquid and solid medications was changed to:

"WARNING: State or federal law prohibits transfer of this drug to any person other than the person for whom it was prescribed,"

to adhered to WA Pharmacy Board regulations.

### **Reports**

S2K-188 – Active Certificate Reports days left column displays incorrect data

**Description –** The number of days left on the Active Certificates report were incorrect.

**Solution** – The report has been corrected. Now it displays accurate data in the Days Left column on the Active Certificates Report.

# **Stability**

S2k-1560 - Stabilize database processes to maximize data integrity

**Description –** Data integrity at risk when completing database operations.

**Solution -** Enhance data integrity by optimizing processes of saving updates to the database.

# Release Notes - Version Aurora 4.4.10.0

**Billing Note:** When a service is no longer billable to the insurance carrier, do not move to available services. Change the UCR and Expected Amount to \$0.

### **Fixed Issues and Enhancements**

#### Administration

#### S2K-592: DHPA- Generate Random Quality Reviews

**Description:** Earlier, the Generate Random Quality Review button in the Administration module, when clicked, processed indefinitely and did not complete the process.

**Solution:** When the user clicks on the "Generate Random Quality Review" button in the Administration module, it will complete the process and will generate "CQ - Clinical Quality Review" service in randomly selected patient's case history charts.

# Billing

# S2K-247: Ensure the claim# has delimiters when being printed on CMS1500 and UB04

**Description:** The claim number being sent out on paper claims (CMS-1500 and UB-04) was being generated in a different format than in EDIs (5010-837), but when 835s were received back, the processing only handled the EDI format and not the paper claim format. Therefore, the paper claims were not matched up successfully.

**Solution:** The claim number field on the CMS1500 form's Box 26 and UB-04 form's Box 3a is formatted correctly to allow the 835 file to match and process for paper claims.

S2K-408: Software is unable to apply patient payments to invoices created during the 835 payment transfer process

**Description:** During 835 payment processing, any balance transferred to the patient did not have a program ID assigned. This caused issues with applying payments and credits to the patient invoices and the invoices did have a program assigned on the Sales Journals.

**Solution:** The program ID of the original carrier invoice is now assigned to patient invoices that are created during the 835 payment processing allowing the application of the payments and credits. Note that patient invoices created prior to the update will not be corrected.

# S2K-412: Unable to configure Comprehensive Fee-for-Service detail for Vermont Medicaid Health Homes

**Description:** Customers who use Vermont Medicaid Health Homes were unable to select N/A as a Primary Service on the Browse Comprehensive Rate Details in Third-Party Billing.

**Solution:** All sites in need of Vermont Medicaid Health Homes can configure the services on the Browse Comprehensive Rate Details screen. Various combinations are available now:

- N/A as a Primary Service and service as a Secondary Service.
- Service as a Primary Service and N/A as a Secondary Service.
- The software prevents users from entering N/A for both primary and secondary service.

During testing, we discovered that users can add duplicate combinations on the Browse Comprehensive Rate Details Screen. It has been logged and will be resolved soon. (Ticket # S2K-1486)

# S2K-1327/1385: Incorrect information is going in the EDI file for Loop 2400 - SV104 and SV105 for Medication Reimbursement services.

**Description:** Medication Reimbursement Service screen does not have the units pane selection like other services such as Fee-For-Service, Medication Administration, and Comprehensive Service. The software was defaulting to "minutes" instead of "occurrence"; therefore, the claims were outputted with "MJ" instead of "UN" which caused the claims to be rejected.

**Solution:** This issue has been resolved by defaulting the medication reimbursement service to "occurrence" and not "minutes". Upon software update, if there are any medication reimbursement services that are defaulted incorrectly, they will be corrected automatically.

# S2K-1435: Search and Credit Open Invoices feature causing error when create credit on the same screen

**Description:** While not visible to end users, the Third-Party Billing's "Search and Credit Open Invoices" feature was causing multiple errors in error logs when user tried to create credits on the same screen.

Solution: This issue has been resolved.

# S2K-1468: Prevent the user from entering a service end date which is prior to the service start date on credit entry screen

**Description:** During research of S2K-477, it was discovered that the issue was caused by incorrect data entry on the Credit Entry tab. Specifically, an end date that was prior to the start date.

**Solution:** The user is now prevented from entering or selecting a service end date that is prior to the service start date on the Credit Entry Tab.

# S2K-1496: Comprehensive Service has no default unit selected when the service is saved/added to the carrier

**Description:** When a new carrier is configured with Comprehensive Service and if the user did not select the occurrence radio button upon saving, the software allowed the service to be saved with no occurrence selected. The software also did not allow the user to edit the comprehensive service and prevented the billing of comprehensive service.

**Solution:** The comprehensive service is always configured to have "Occurrence" as the unit selection. The radio button has been removed from the screen and the "occurrence" selection will be selected by default. This removes the option for user error and makes it one fewer click for the user during the configuration of Comprehensive Service for Third Party Billing. Please see the before and after screenshots of Comprehensive Service below.

#### Before:

<u>→</u> Ca	arrier Services - Edit	X				
Comprehensive						
Carrier	•					
Service	Comprehensive Services					
Carrier's Service Description	Comprehensive Services					
Carrier / Service Attributes						
Comprehensive rates are medication based						
Units:	Use Patient's Periodic Fee to Set CoPayment Amount					
Occurrence  Bill as 1 unit(s)	☐ Include Line Item Control Number on Claim					
bill as I ulliu(s)	Claim Form Type CMS-1500 🔻					
Summary: Amount entered in "Occurrence, Bill as" will be multiplied by the UCR amount.						
Procedure Code	UCR Amount \$0.00					
Modifier	Expected Payment Amount \$0.00					
Rate Code Place Of Service Code n/a	Co Payment Amount \$0.00					
Revenue Code	Charge Patient					
Comprehensive Service start and end dates should use						
Service Period:						
Start and end dates	The Service period is specified in:					
END for both start and end dates	Insurance Carrier Information Management					
START for both start and end dates	General Tab Group services by:					
Episode dates override Service Period start and end date	ates					
Save O Cancel						

### After:

<b>∽</b> Ca	arrier Services - Edit			
Comprehensive				
Carrier				
Service Carrier's Service Description	Comprehensive Services  Comprehensive Services			
Carrier / Service Attributes	Complianensive Services			
Comprehensive rates are medication based				
Units:	Use Patient's Periodic Fee to Set CoPayment Amount			
Occurrence, bill as 1 unit(s)	☐ Include Line Item Control Number on Claim			
Summary: Amount entered in "Occurrence, Bill as" will be multiplied by the UCR amount.	Claim Form Type (CMS-1500 🔻			
Procedure Code	UCR Amount \$0.00  Expected Payment Amount \$0.00  Co Payment Amount \$0.00  Charge Patient			
Comprehensive Service start and end dates should use  Service Period:  Start and end dates  END for both start and end dates  START for both start and end dates  Episode dates override Service Period start and end date	Note: The Service period is specified in: Insurance Carrier Information Management General Tab Group services by:			
Save O Cancel				

**S2K-983:** Direct Services Analysis Report by TX reporting inflated hours provided

**Description:** Previously, the hours on the Direct Services Analysis Report by Tx Unit were inflated for the same data as Direct Services Analysis Report.

**Solution:** The data on the report now matches given the input parameters.

**S2K-1465:** "Aged Open Claims Detail by Trx Date" report does not pull data in 31-60 day range

**Description:** Aged Open Claim Detail Report was not displaying the open invoice balances for category 31-60.

**Solution:** The SQL statement for the report has been corrected and the report now displays the 31-60 category on the Aged Open Claims Detail by Trx Date report.

**S2K-1346** and **S2K-1481**: Check-in time on the Patient Check-in Report is not accurate

**Description:** Previously, the check-in time could display as 00:00:00 regardless of the actual time the patient was checked in.

**Solution:** This issue has been corrected and the check-in time will be accurately represented in 24hr format.

S2K-1508: Dispensing report does not report correctly when "all" is chosen for a location

**Description:** When running the Dispensing Log Report and selecting "All" as the location, the report generated with null values.

**Solution:** The SQL statement for the report has been corrected and the report will generate correctly when "all" is selected for location.