

Clinical Categories powered by IMO



Typical Problem Lists are often long alphabetical lists, which make it difficult for users to get a quick clinical snapshot of a patient. Clinical Categories, for Allscripts Professional EHR™, enables users to quickly and easily customize their Problem Lists to view them in the most useful and efficient way.

How the Clinical Categories service works

Intuitive sorting

Enables clinicians to see similar problems grouped together, while specialists can see all problems listed at the top of each of their patients' charts.

Organized Problem Lists create efficiencies

Providing a quick visual reference to all the patients' problems improves the clinician's experience by making it easier to get an accurate clinical snapshot more quickly, giving the clinician an alternative way to categorize problems.

Challenges we address

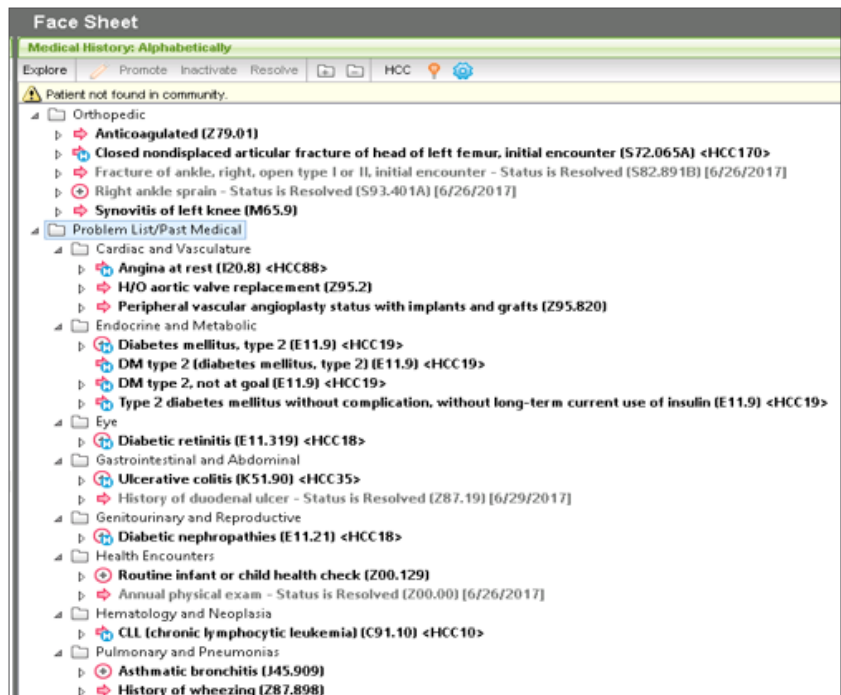
- **Disorganized Problem Lists**— Unorganized, redundant or inaccurate Problem Lists cause clinicians to struggle while they search for the information they need.
- **Gaining the full clinical picture**— The best patient care depends on how well clinicians understand the complete clinical picture. A disorderly Problem List can make it difficult for a clinician to access critical information quickly.
- **Nonintuitive sorting**— Alphabetically sorted Problem Lists do not put related problems next to one another.

“Now with a quick click on option settings, clinicians can now see similar problems grouped together, and specialists can see all of their problems listed at the top of each of their patient’s charts.”

Dr. Lisa Young
Physician and Partner,
Pediatric Clinic, LLC

Key Features

- **Clinical efficiency**—Manage the Problem List quickly and identify important problems, or spot issues such as duplicate diagnoses. With a simple click on Options Settings, users can now group and organize the Problem List view into categories, enabling staff to immediately see what’s happening in each clinical area.
- **Different list viewing options**—Organize all of the problems of interest to a specific specialty right at the top. For a multi-speciality group, a shared patient’s problem list will appear differently for each provider based the provider’s speciality default. The diagnosis codes will be grouped appropriately for that speciality and each provider’s speciality will appear at the top.
- **Installation and configuration are nearly instantaneous**—Once proper licensure has been established, practice administrators and users can quickly and easily customize their Problem Lists and view them in the most efficient way.



Clinical Categories are sorted by clinical relevance and make it much easier for a clinician to get a feel for the issues this patient has. Categories can also be customized based on speciality so the specialist sees all the relevant information at the top.



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