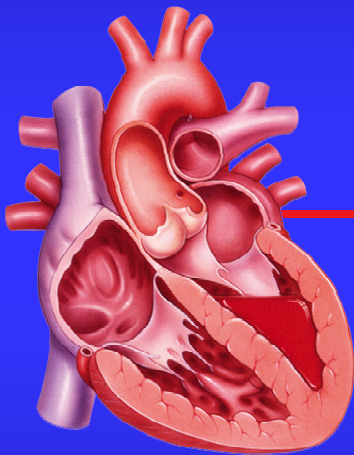
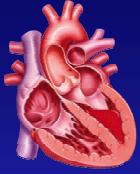


# *The Role of Information Technology in Disease Management: A Case for Heart Failure*



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# Quotes From Yesterday

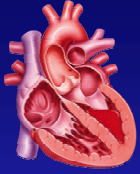
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We need to focus on the people who have the disease and not on the disease people have.”

“How many patient lives did you touch today?”

“We have opportunities to have a more complete picture of the patient.”



# Population Management

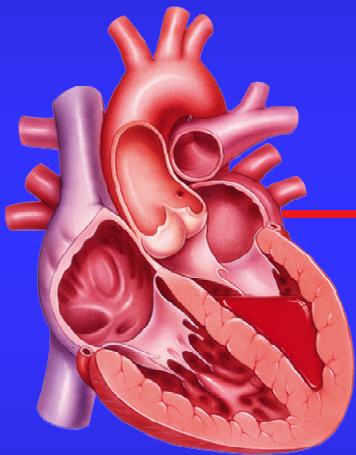
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**Level 1 – Chronic Care Management**  
With the right support patients can take active care  
In their treatment to prevent complications and disease  
Progression

**Level 2 – High Risk Patient Care Mgt**  
Disease/care management using evidence-based  
care protocols for specific disease

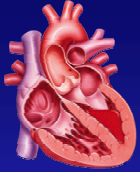
**Level 3 – Highly Complex Pt Case Mgt**  
Patient co-morbidities require special case  
management, usually by a nurse.

CHF  
Patients



***It is important to have the right information and knowledge in order to be able to identify those who are at most risk.***

Information is power when it is accessible and actionable by those who need it – when they need it.

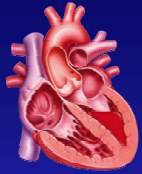


# What programs will help deliver good chronic disease management?

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- Better integration of health and social care
  - Multi-disciplinary team approach \*
- Quality outcomes framework
  - JCAHO Core measures \*
- Development in IT
  - Remote monitoring \*
- Developing new roles and new ways of working
  - Integration of HF & EP Clinics \*
- Role of Allied Health Professionals
  - NPs, Pas , RNs, VNA \*
- Practitioners with special interests & expertise
  - HF cardiologists, nurses \*

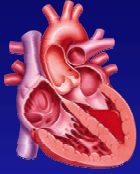
\* CHF application



# Essential Components of good disease management

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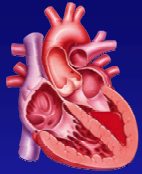
- Use of information systems to access key data on individuals and population
  - HF Registries
  - Integrated information systems ( Paceart, CareLink, CardioSight, EMR)
- Stratifying patients at risk
  - ACC/AHA Stages of HF
  - Risk stratification protocols
    - ADHERE Registry, Seattle Heart Model
- Involving patients in their own care
- Coordinating care (case managers, special clinics)



## Essential Components of good disease management...cont'd

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- Integrating specialist and generalist care
- Integrating care across organizational boundaries
- Reduce healthcare utilization
  - Minimize unnecessary visits and admissions
  - Provide care in the least intensive setting



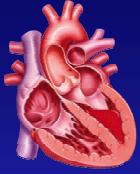
# Good chronic disease management can make a REAL DIFFERENCE



- Help prevent disease progression / deterioration
- Help prevent crises
- Help patient attain a good quality of life



# ***Burden of Heart Failure Disease***



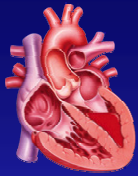
# Heart Failure Defined

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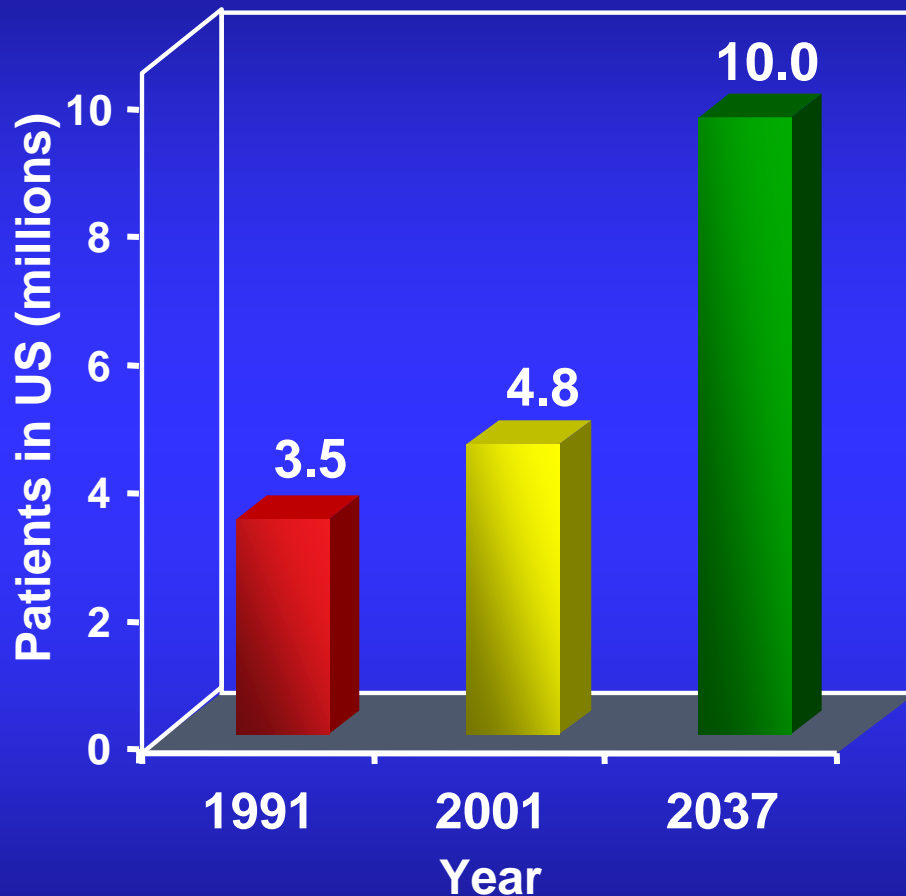
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“Heart failure is a complex clinical syndrome that can result from any structural or functional cardiac disorder that impairs the ability of the ventricle to fill with or eject blood.”

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# Epidemiology of Heart Failure in the United States

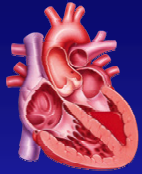


- 4.79 million patients<sup>1</sup>; estimated 10 million in 2037<sup>2</sup>
- Incidence: about 550,000 new cases each year<sup>1</sup>
- Prevalence is 2% in persons aged 40 to 59 years, progressively increasing to 10% for those aged 70 years and older<sup>3</sup>
- Sudden cardiac death is 6 to 9 times higher in the heart failure population<sup>1</sup>

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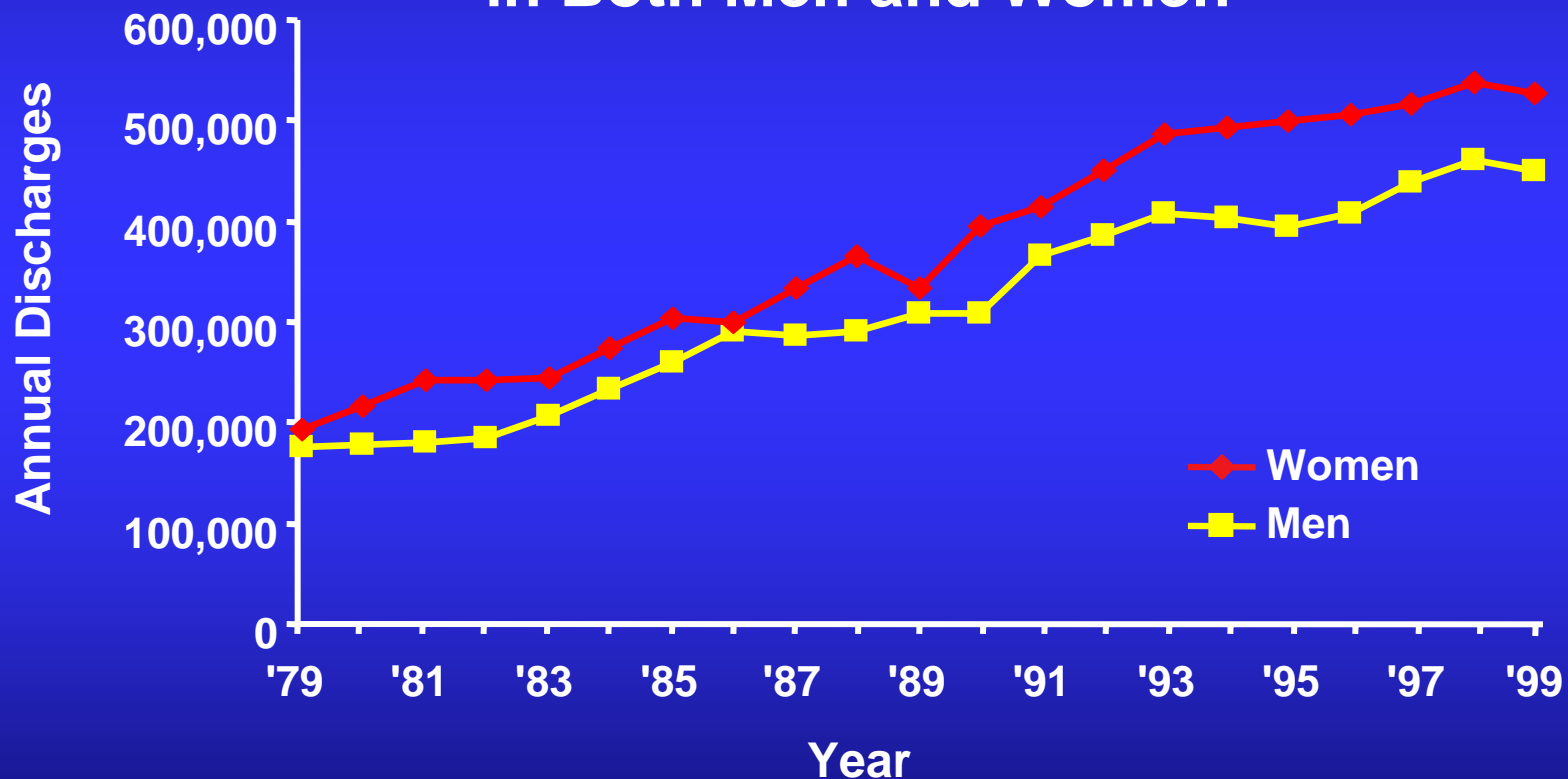
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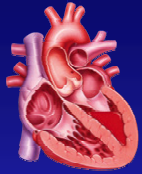
# Heart Failure Hospitalizations

The Number of Heart Failure Hospitalizations Is Increasing in Both Men and Women

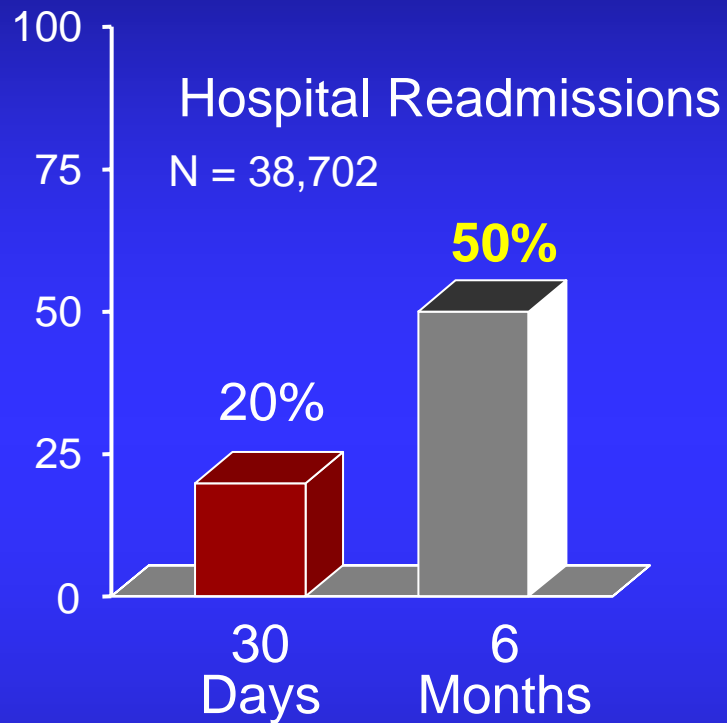


CDC/NCHS: hospital discharges include patients both living and dead.

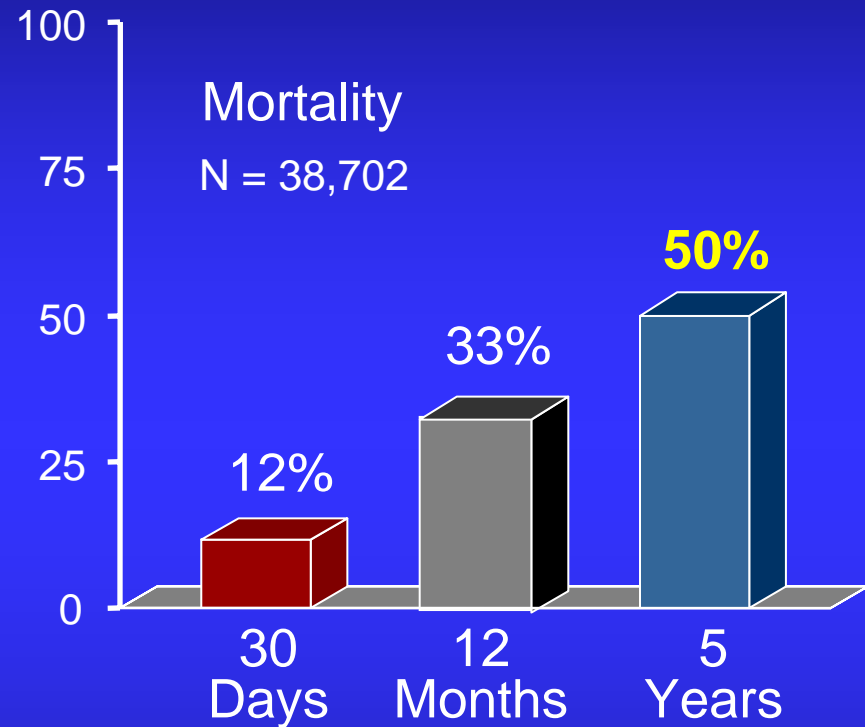
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## Outcomes in Patients Hospitalized with Heart Failure

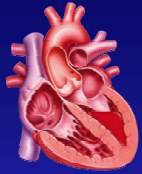


**Median length of hospital stay: 6 days**

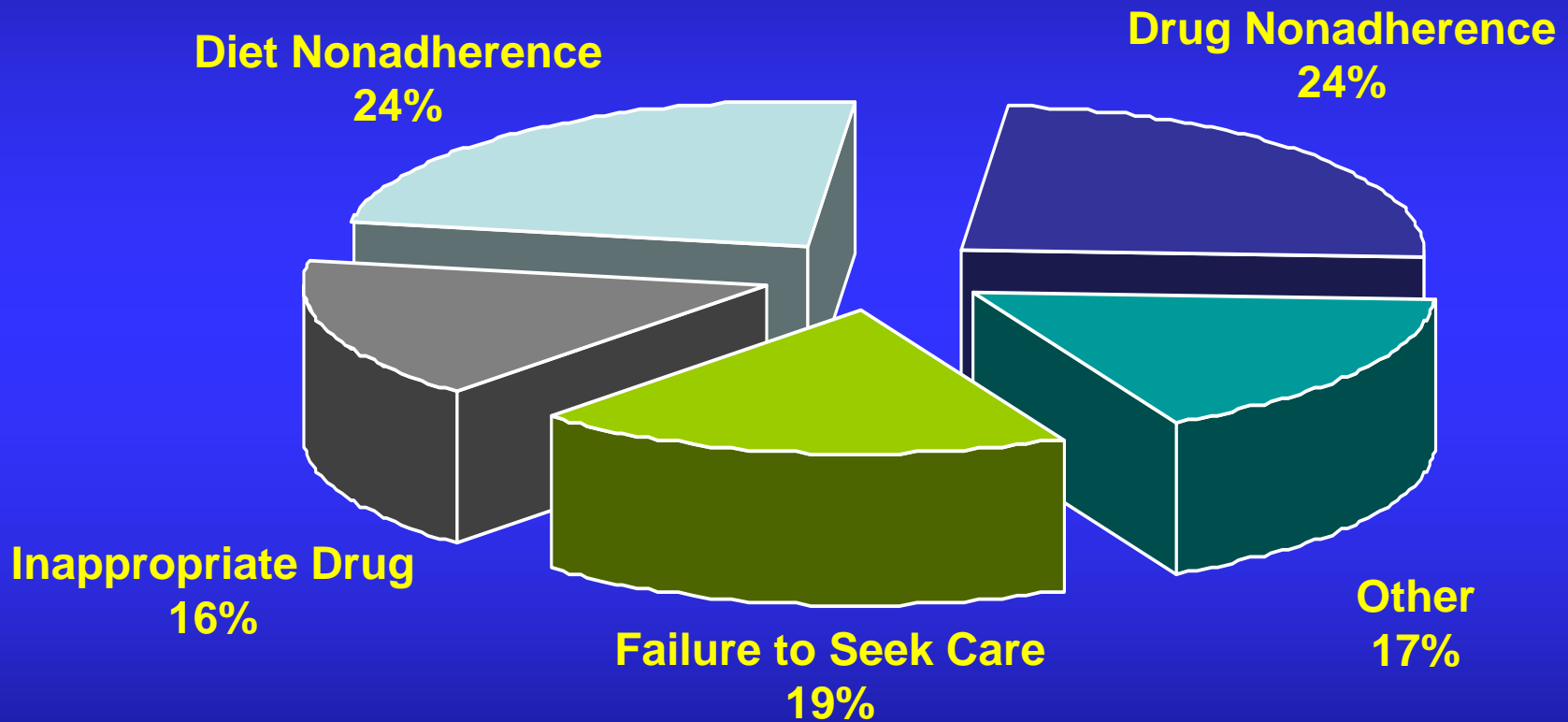


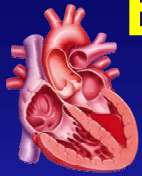
*We have better interventions  
but have a long way to go*

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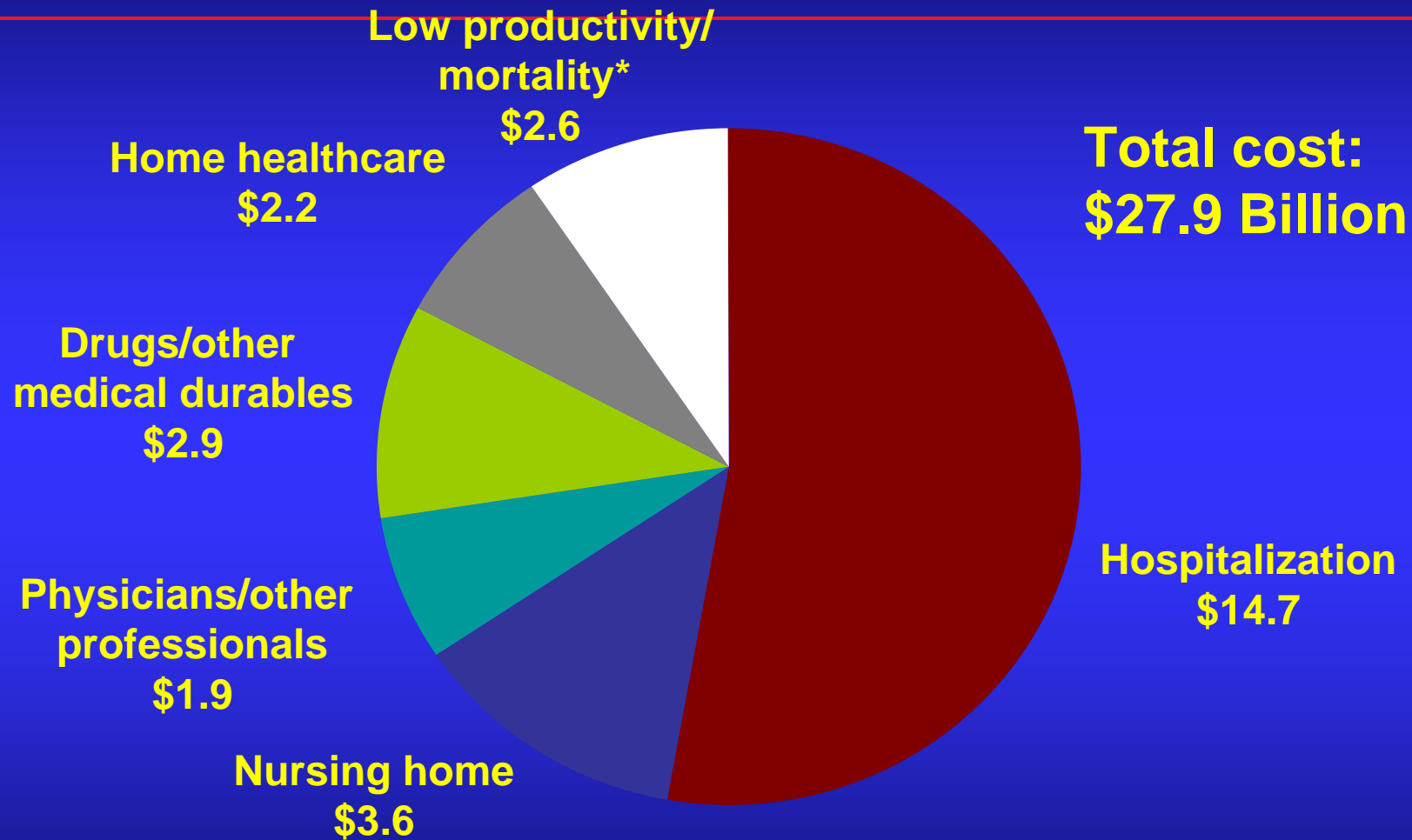


# Causes of Hospital Readmission for HF



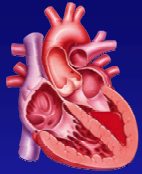


# Estimated Direct and Indirect Costs of Heart Failure in the US



\* Lost future earnings of persons who will die in 2005, discounted by 3%.

Reference: American Heart Association. Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics – 2005 Update.

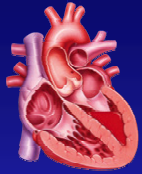


## Top Five Medicare DRGs: On Average, Hospitals Lose Money

DRG Description	1999	2000	2001	2002
Heart failure and shock	+	+	+	-
Simple pneumonia and pleurisy	+	+	-	-
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	+	+	+	-
Major joint and limb reattach (low extremity)	+	+	+	-
Intracranial hemorrhage and stroke with infarction	+	-	-	-

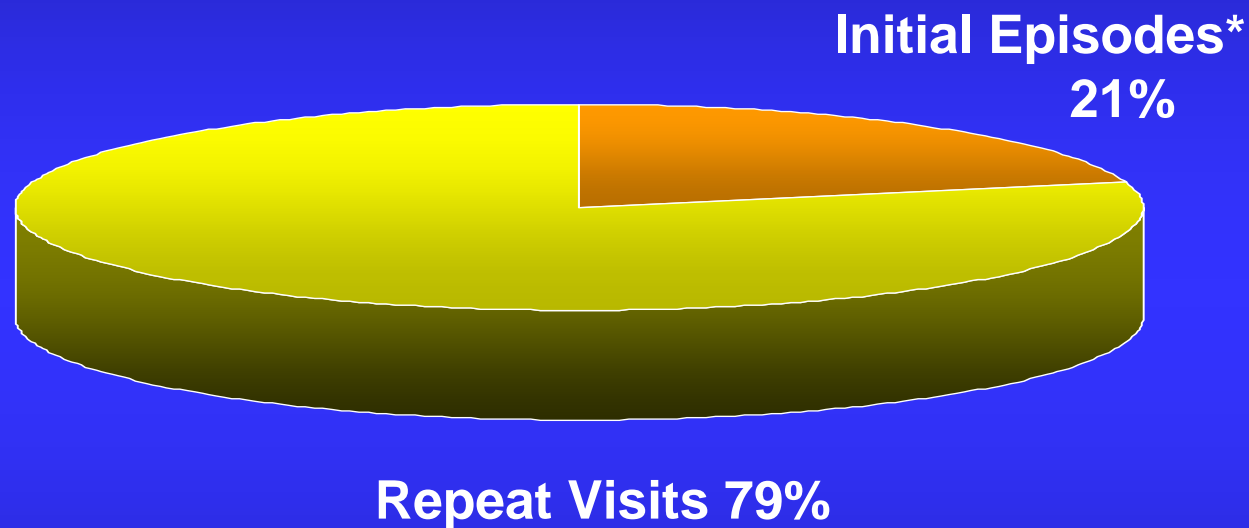
+ Reimbursement is greater than cost  
- Reimbursement is less than cost





# Hospital Visits for Congestive Heart Failure

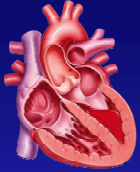
## Emergency Department Presentations



**Approximately 80% of ED visits for HF result in hospitalizations**

\*Requires full evaluation for reversible causes of heart failure.

Aghababian RV. *Rev Cardiovasc Med.* 2002;3(suppl 4):S3–S9.



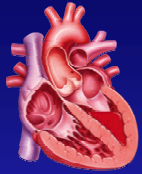
# JCAHO Core Measures

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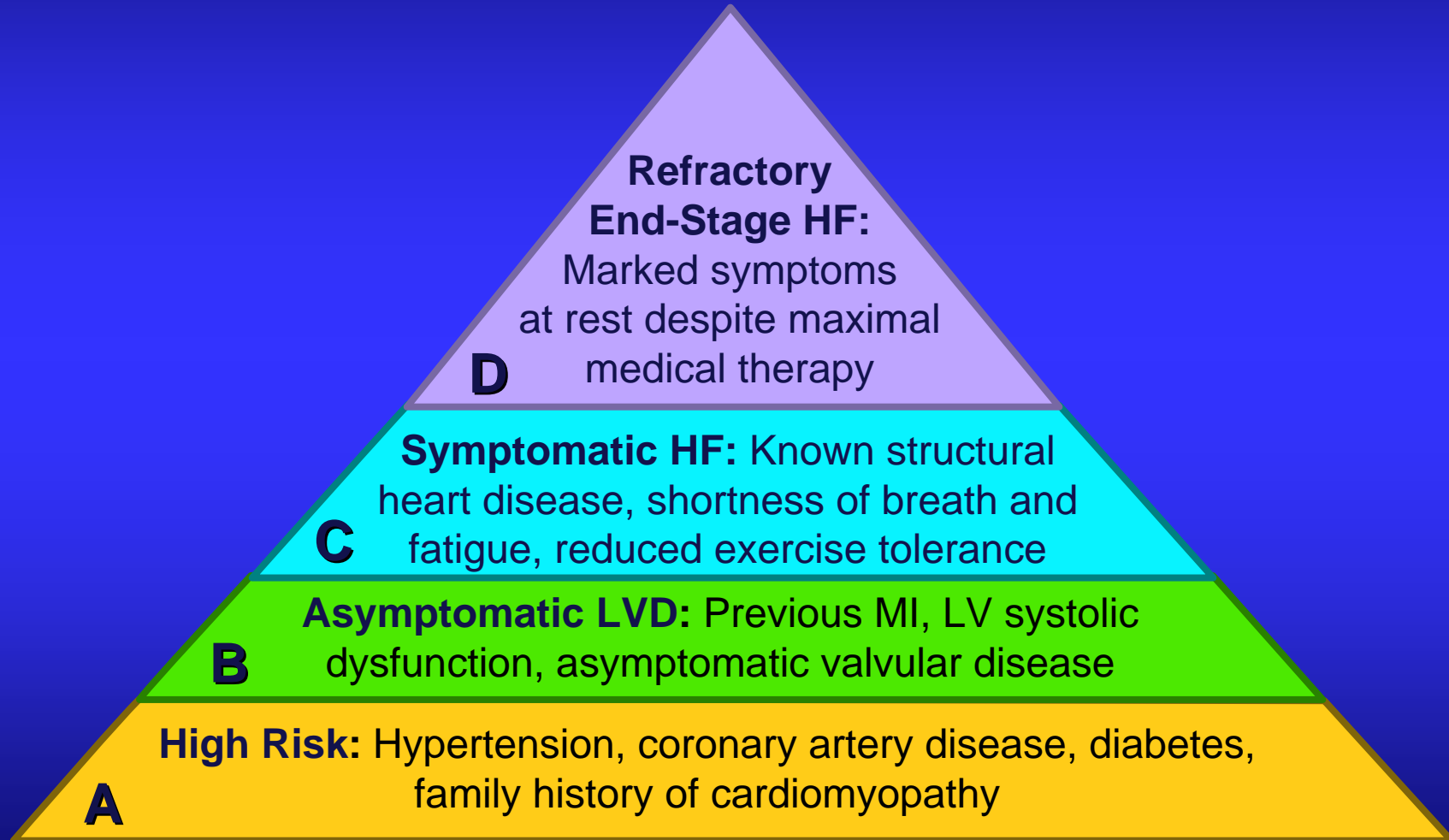
## Hospital Core Performance Measures/ORYX

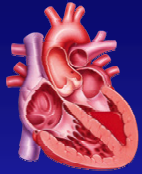
- Complete discharge instructions in the medical record
- Appropriate use of ACE inhibitors at discharge
- LVEF evaluated before or during admission or planned after discharge
- Smoking cessation advice/counseling

Heart failure (HF) measures. JCAHO Web site. Available at: <http://www.jcaho.org/accredited+organizations/hospitals/oryx/core+measures/information+on+final+specifications.htm#Heart>. Accessed January 2003.



# Disease Progression of HF: ACC/AHA HF Stages

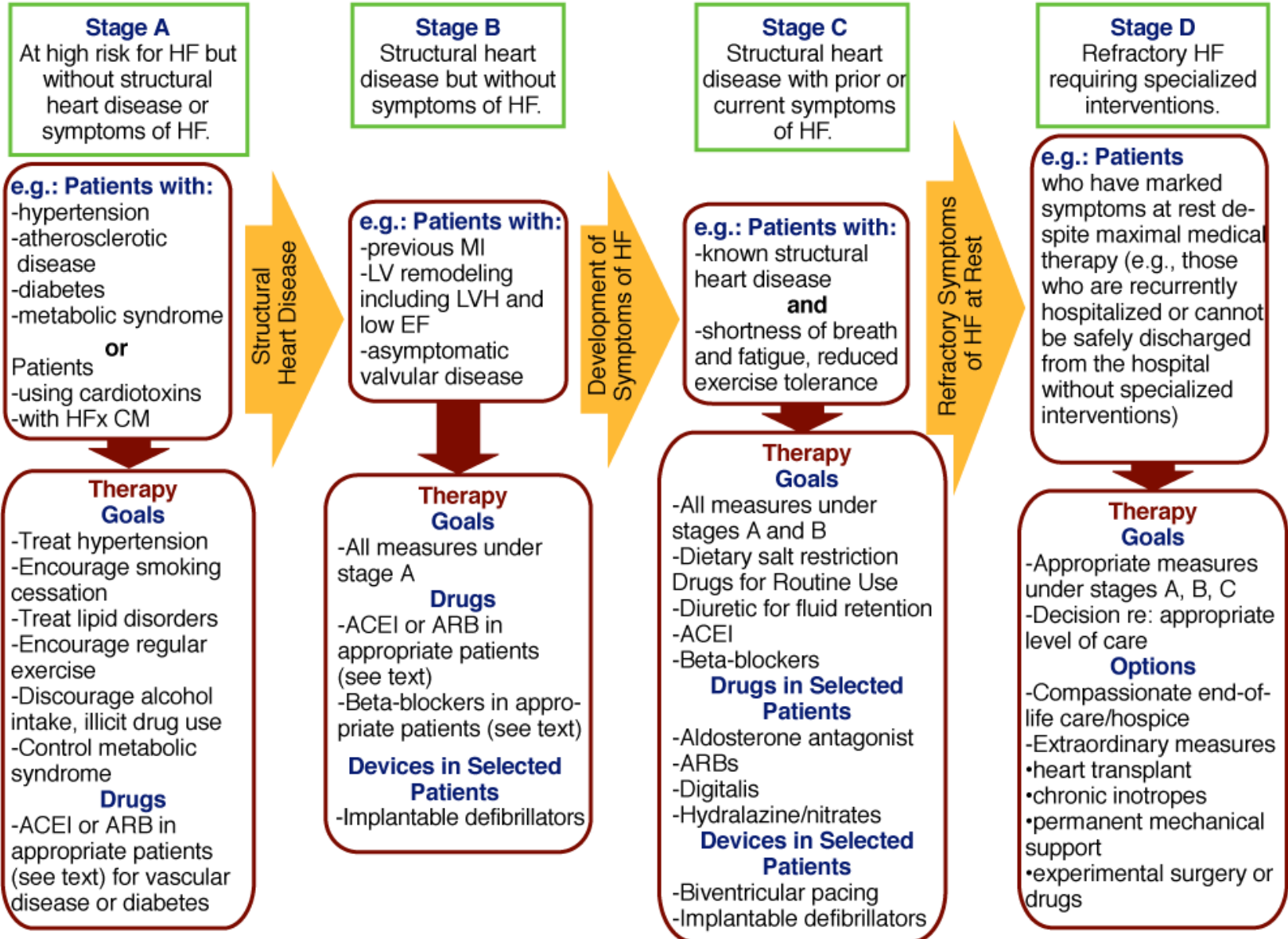


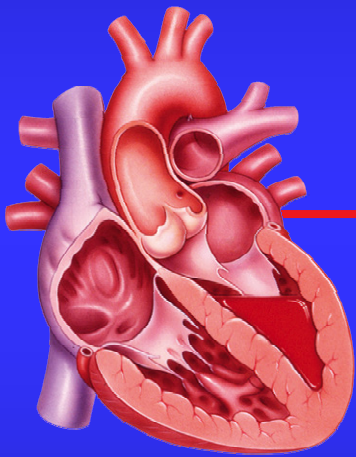


# ACC / AHA Heart Failure Guidelines

## At Risk for Heart Failure

## Heart Failure

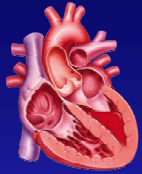




# *The Role of Registries in Heart Failure*

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***Acute Decompensated Heart  
Failure National Registry  
(ADHERE<sup>®</sup>)***



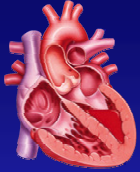
# ADHERE<sup>®</sup> Registry

- ADHERE Core Module
  - Largest US HF registry
  - Multicenter
  - Observational
  - Open label
  - Web based

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the ADHERE Registry interface. The browser address bar shows a URL starting with 'http://0117...'. The page title is 'Medical History (Prior to this episode of hospitalization)'. The interface includes a navigation menu on the left with options like 'Patients', 'Charts', 'Signatures', 'Documents', 'Admin', and 'Reports'. The main content area displays a list of medical conditions with associated data entry fields and radio buttons for 'Yes/No/Mention'.

Medical Condition	Response Options
1. Heart Failure	<input type="radio"/> No/No Mention <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes, please provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Prevalent LVEF (complete based on most recent prior evaluation)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="text" value="55"/></li></ul></li><li>b. HF etiology</li><li>c. Baseline (chronic) NYHA Class</li><li>d. Listed for Cardiac Transplant</li><li>e. Yes, please provide listing status</li><li>f. Number of hospitalizations for HF:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="text" value="1"/></li><li>A</li><li>B</li><li>2</li><li>No Mention</li><li>Other</li></ul></li></ul>
2. Coronary Artery Disease	<input type="radio"/> No/No Mention <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes, please provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Diagnosis by angiogram?<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> No/No Mention</li><li><input type="radio"/> Yes</li></ul></li><li>b. Prior MI?</li><li>c. Myocardial Infarction</li></ul>

- Registry of US patients treated in hospitals for ADHF

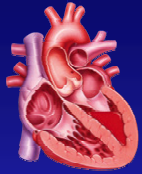


# Goals of ADHERE<sup>®</sup> Registry

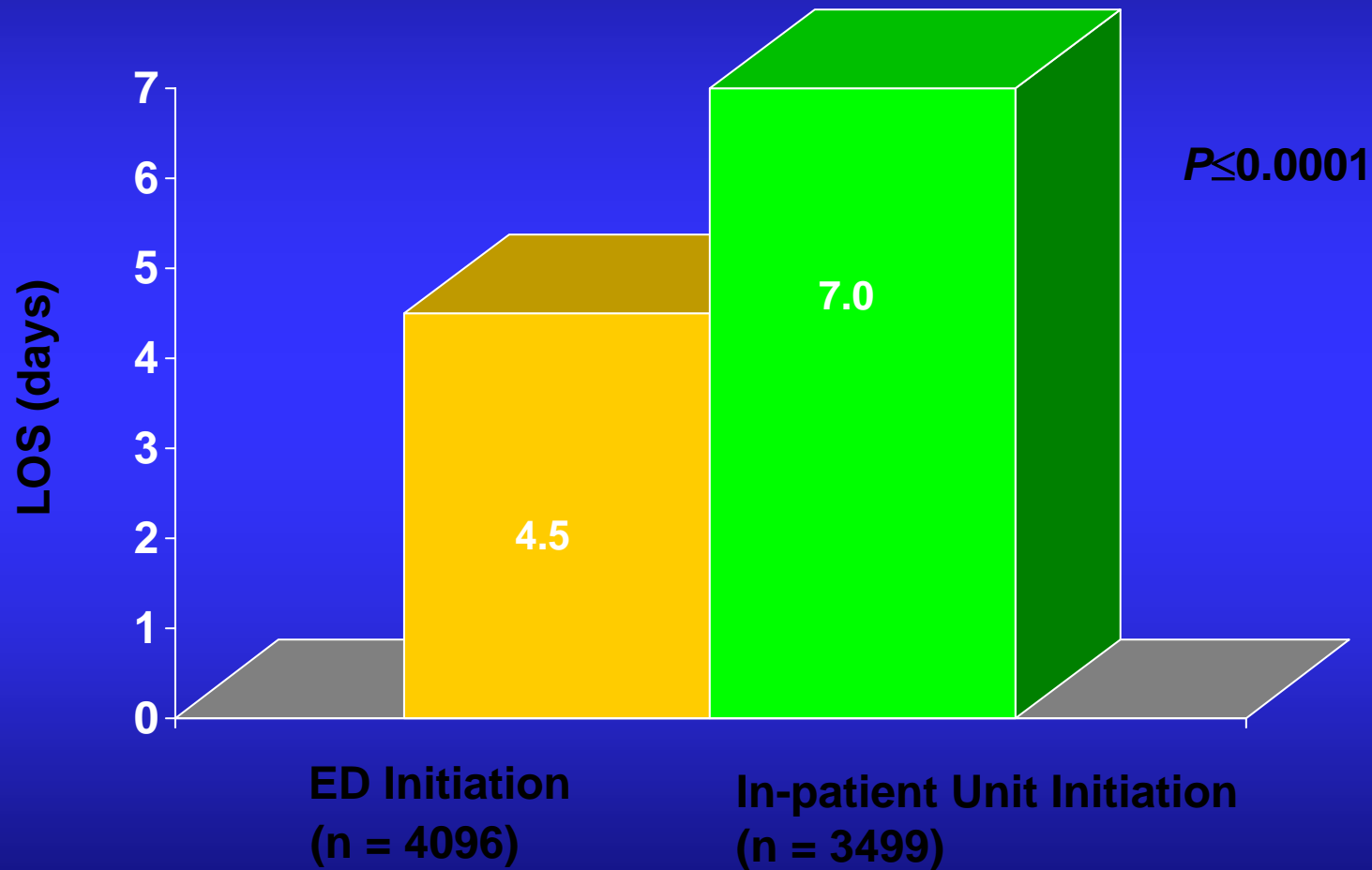
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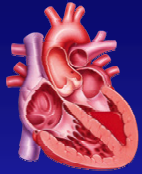
- Describe demographics and clinical characteristics of patients hospitalized with ADHF
- Characterize current management of hospitalized patients with ADHF
- Define treatment strategies associated with best clinical outcomes and most efficient use of resources
- Assist in evaluating and improving quality of care





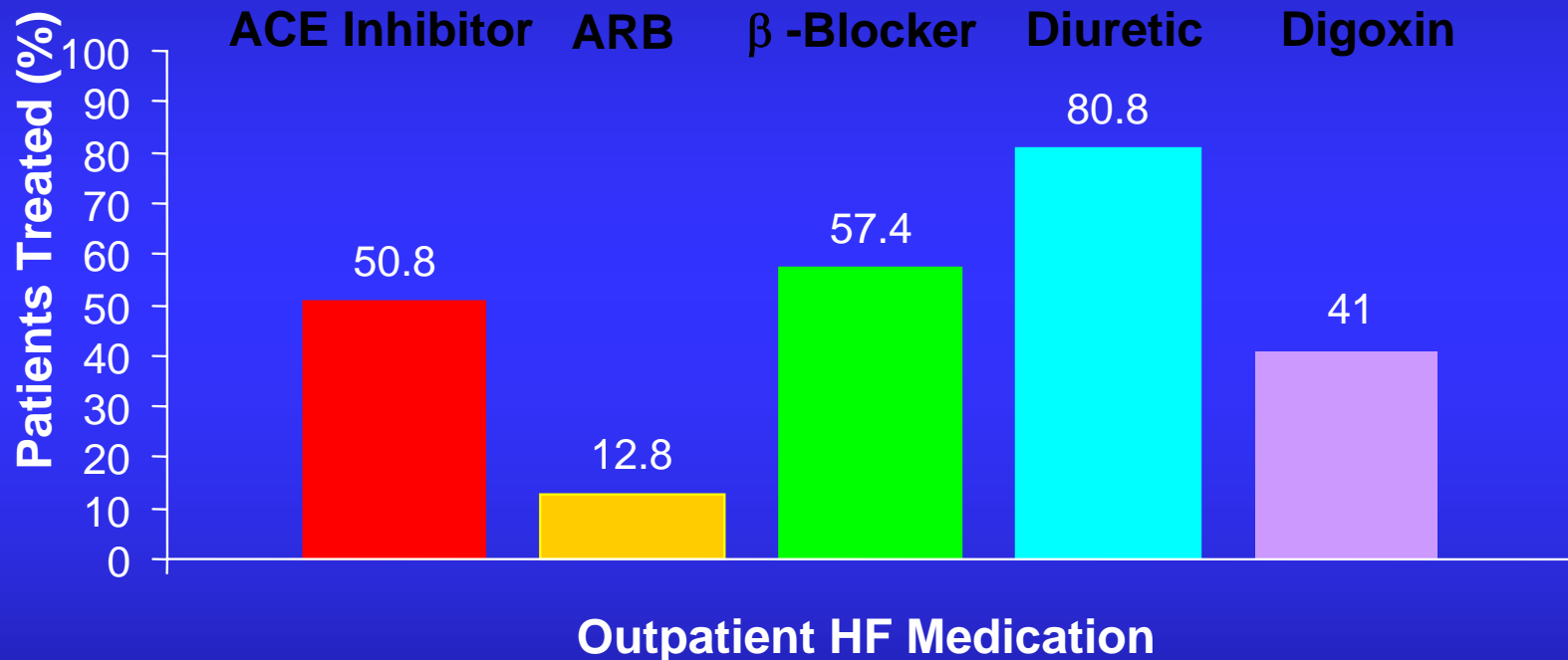
# Impact of ED vs In-patient Initiation of IV Vasoactive Therapy on LOS





# Utilization of Evidence-Based Therapies in HF

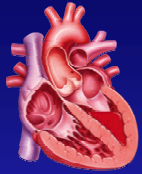
History of HF and LVEF Documented and  $\leq 0.40^*$



\*Excludes patients with documented contraindications

2300/7883 patients hospitalized with HF; prior known dx of systolic dysfunction HF; outpatient medical regimen

ADHERE™ Registry Report Q1 2002 (4/01–3/02) of 180 US Hospitals. Presented at the HFSA Satellite Symposium, September 23, 2002

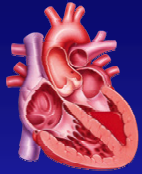


# ADHERE<sup>®</sup> Quality of Care

## Conformity to JCAHO HF Performance Indicators

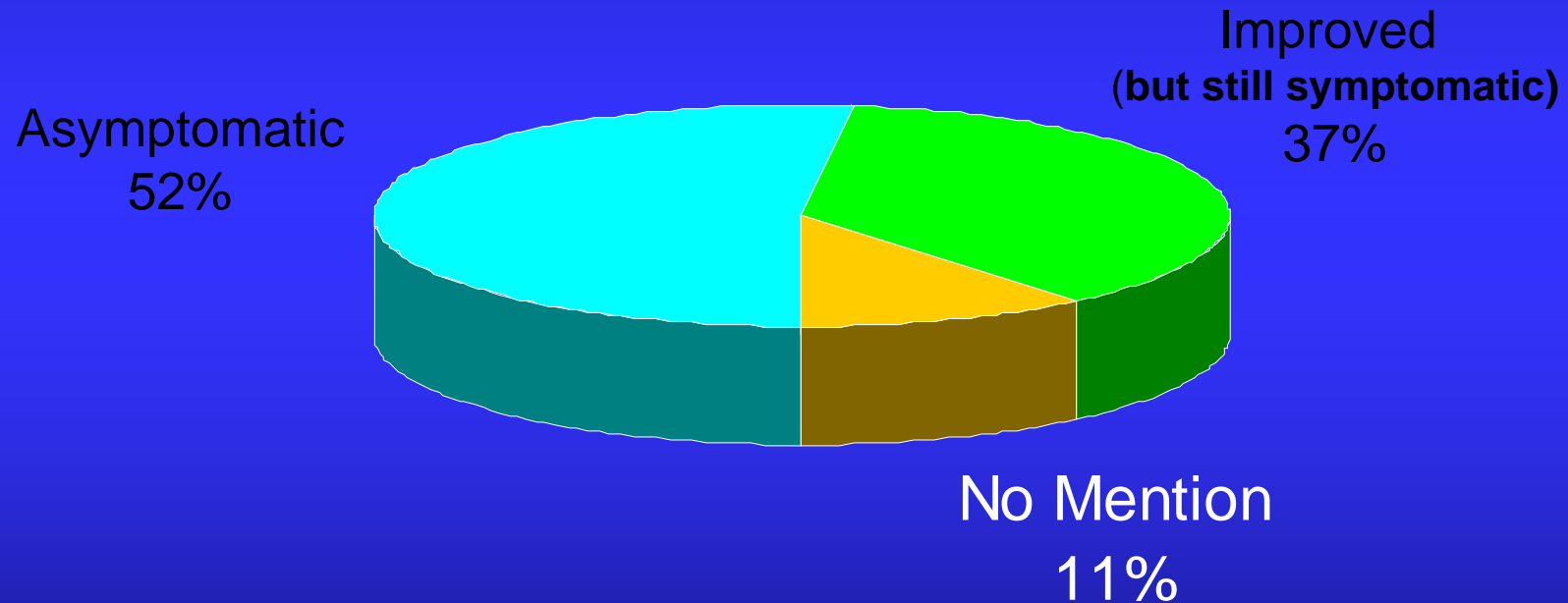
	All Patients (N = 105,381)	Patients at Academic Hospitals (n = 34,346)	Patients at Non- Academic Hospitals (n = 71,035)	<i>P</i> value
<b>HF-1 (%)</b> <b>Discharge Instruction</b>	<b>32.3</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>&lt;0.0001</b>
HF-2 (%) LV Function	82.7	84.0	82.0	<0.0001
HF-3 (%) Discharge ACE-I Rx	66.1	70.3	63.7	<0.0001
JCAHO HF-4 (%) Smoking Cessation Counseling	40.0	33.1	44.0	<0.0001

All Enrolled Discharges (N = 105,388) October 2001–January 2004



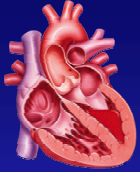
# Clinical Status at Time of Discharge

All Enrolled Discharges\* (N = 105,388) October 2001–January 2004



**49% of patients discharged from the hospital  
Are still symptomatic or have no mention of  
Improvement of symptoms**

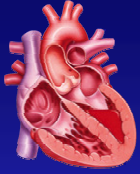
\*Who were discharged home (including home with additional and/or outpatient care)



# OPTIMIZE HF REGISTRY

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- Web-based registry
  - Data on medications on admission, hospitalization progress, discharge
  - JCAHO Core Measures
- Process of Care Improvement

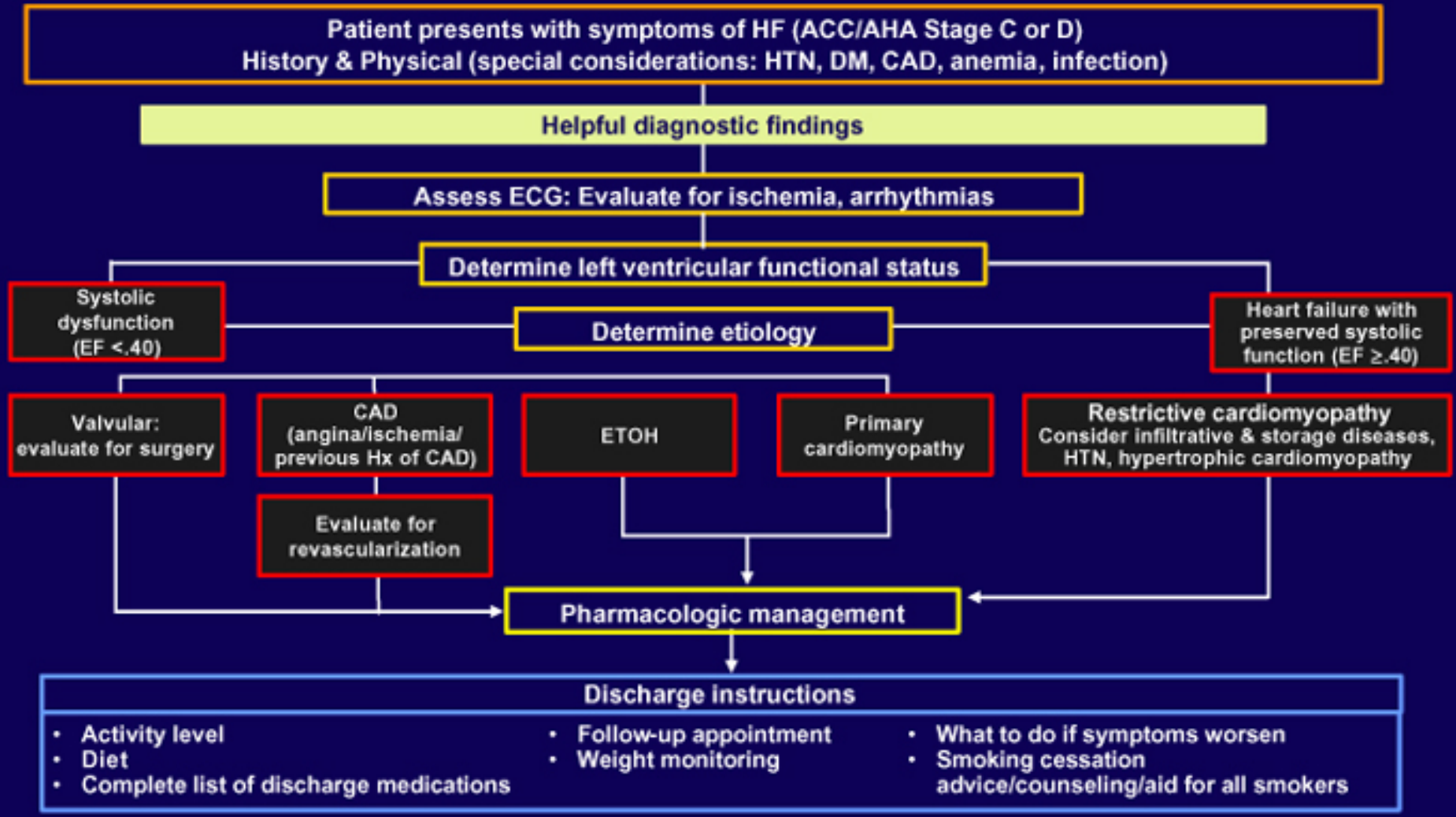


# Objectives of OPTIMIZE HF

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- Improve medical care and education of hospitalized HF patients
- Increase and speed up adoption of HF guidelines by initiating therapies prior to discharge
- Increase understanding to barriers to utilization of ACE inhibitors and Beta-blockers in HF patients

# OPTIMIZE-HF: Abridged Version of In-hospital HF Management Algorithm



# OPTIMIZE-HF: A Cycle of Quality Improvement

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Find and Support a Champion



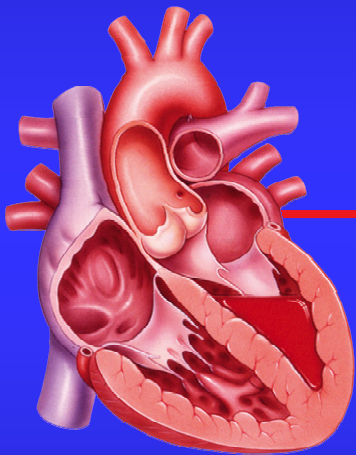
Assess HF  
Treatment Rates  
Measure current  
treatment rates  
and process-of-  
care indicators

Assessment  
Hospital team reviews  
summary reports and  
current protocols

Refine Protocol  
Hospital team identifies  
areas for improvement

Implement Refined Protocol  
Hospital team coordinates  
implementation of refined  
protocols





***The Challenge....***  
***Data Access***  
***Data interpretation***  
***Making Clinical Decision***  
***Documentation***

# The Medtronic Solution

MEDTRONIC CARELINK<sup>®</sup> NETWORK

*Giving Patients the Freedom to* **LIVE** | **LIFE**





**iSolutions**

*information for Better Life*

## ***i*information should be part of the Solution**

iSolutions offer simple, elegant means for accessing and organizing cardiac device data for optimal and efficient patient care.

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Network**

**Medtronic Paceart<sup>®</sup> System**

**Medtronic CardioSight<sup>®</sup>  
Service**

**Medtronic CareLink<sup>®</sup>  
Programmer**



# Rising complexity

## Today's EP clinic is more complex than ever before:

Escalating patient volumes

Calls for Electronic Medical Records (EMRs) and other technological advances

Increasing device complexity

Staff constraints (e.g., nursing shortages)

Competitive pressures

Unscheduled and missed appointments

Patients (and families) who demand convenience and continuity of care

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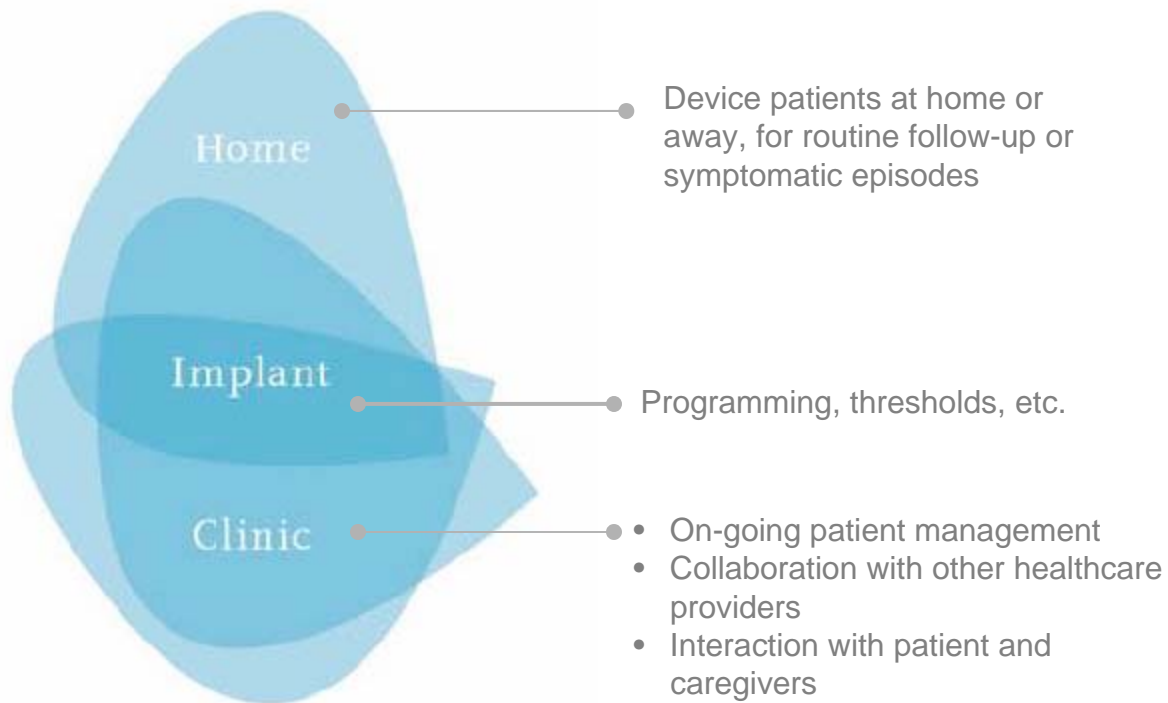
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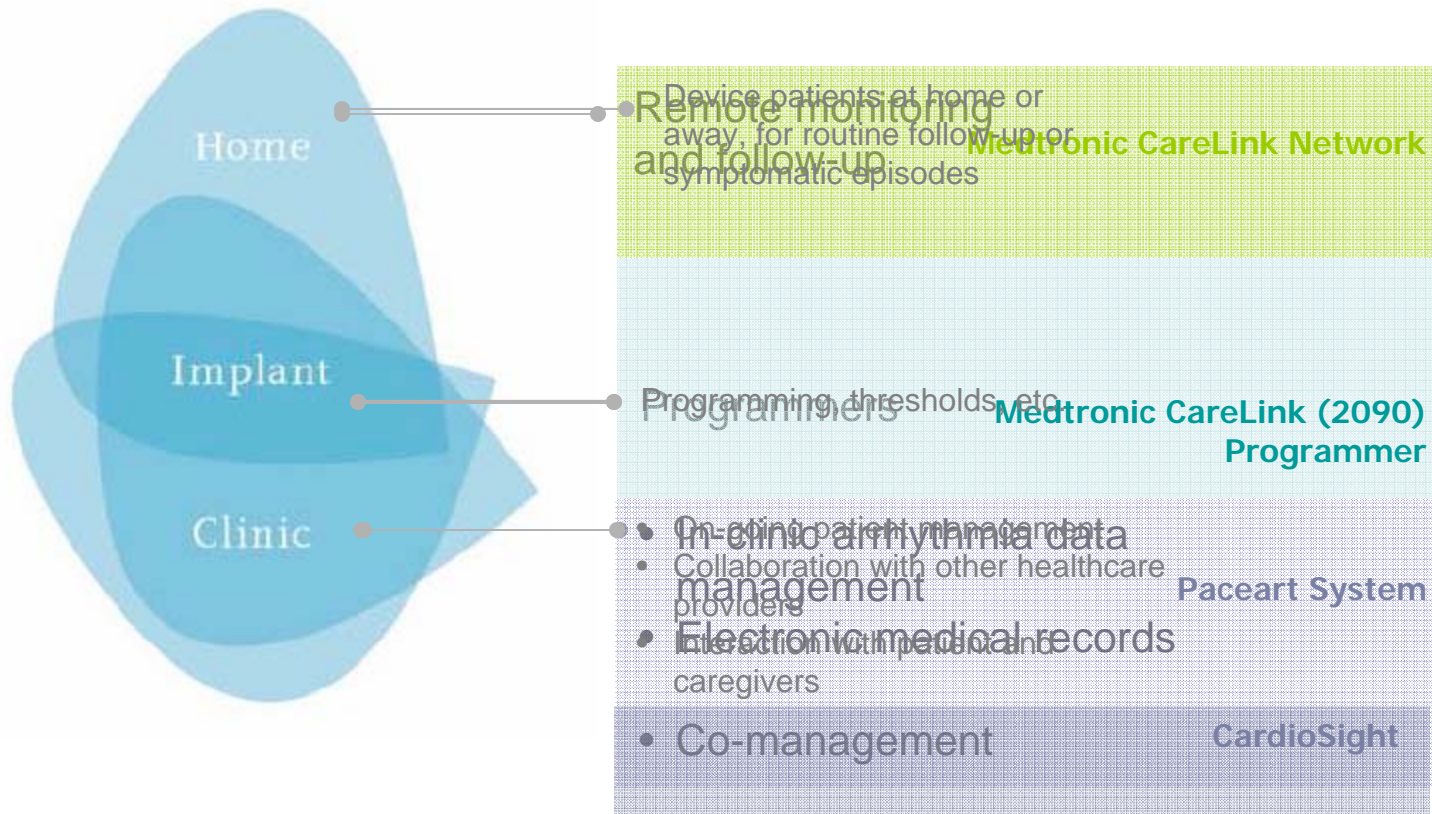
# Complex clinic environments



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# The Need

Multiple Access Options



Gap: Access to valuable HF data

Electrophysiologist  
Implants & follows device, arrhythmias



Programmer



CareLink

HF Physician/Cardiologist  
Manages patient's HF disease



No (or limited) access

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# Medtronic CareLink® Network

Taking remote monitoring to the **next level**

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Customer Presentation

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# What is the Medtronic CareLink® Network?

The nation's leading remote monitoring service,  
serving over 1000 clinics and 110,000 patients around  
the country

A work flow efficiency tool that has been shown to  
reduce ICD follow-up time by as much as 65%<sup>1</sup>

Remote follow-up system that provides **comprehensive  
device data** comparable to an in-office interrogation

<sup>1</sup> Falk D., Straub K. Practice efficiency improvements resulting from the use of Medtronic CareLink® Network remote monitoring service, Fairfield, Iowa: Human Factors International, July 2004

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# The Medtronic CareLink Monitor

## Portable monitor used by patients to send data for:

- Routine follow-up
- Symptomatic episodes
- Post-shock events

## Extremely user-friendly

- One-button operation
- Sound and light cues are intuitive
- A standard telephone line is the only requirement
- Connect from home or while traveling (within the United States)
- Now offering “hands-free” wireless capability on new ICD and CRT-D devices



The new Medtronic CareLink Monitor featuring Conexus™ Wireless Telemetry

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# Medtronic CareLink Network



**1** While at home, work, or traveling in the United States, the patient holds the mouse-like antenna of the Medtronic CareLink Monitor over the implanted cardiac device.

**2** Data are transferred from the patient's implanted device to the monitor. Data are sent from the Medtronic CareLink Monitor to a secure server via a standard phone line.

**3** The clinician reviews the patient's device data on the Medtronic CareLink Clinician Website.

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"Before I had the monitor, I would have been quite concerned about traveling far from home and my clinic. Having the monitor with me and knowing I could be 'connected' with my clinic within minutes made me feel much better. **We've been to Disney, and Palm Springs, and the Medtronic CareLink Monitor always comes along.**"

**Dawn Yasik, age 34**  
InSync Maximo® patient on the Medtronic CareLink Network since 2003

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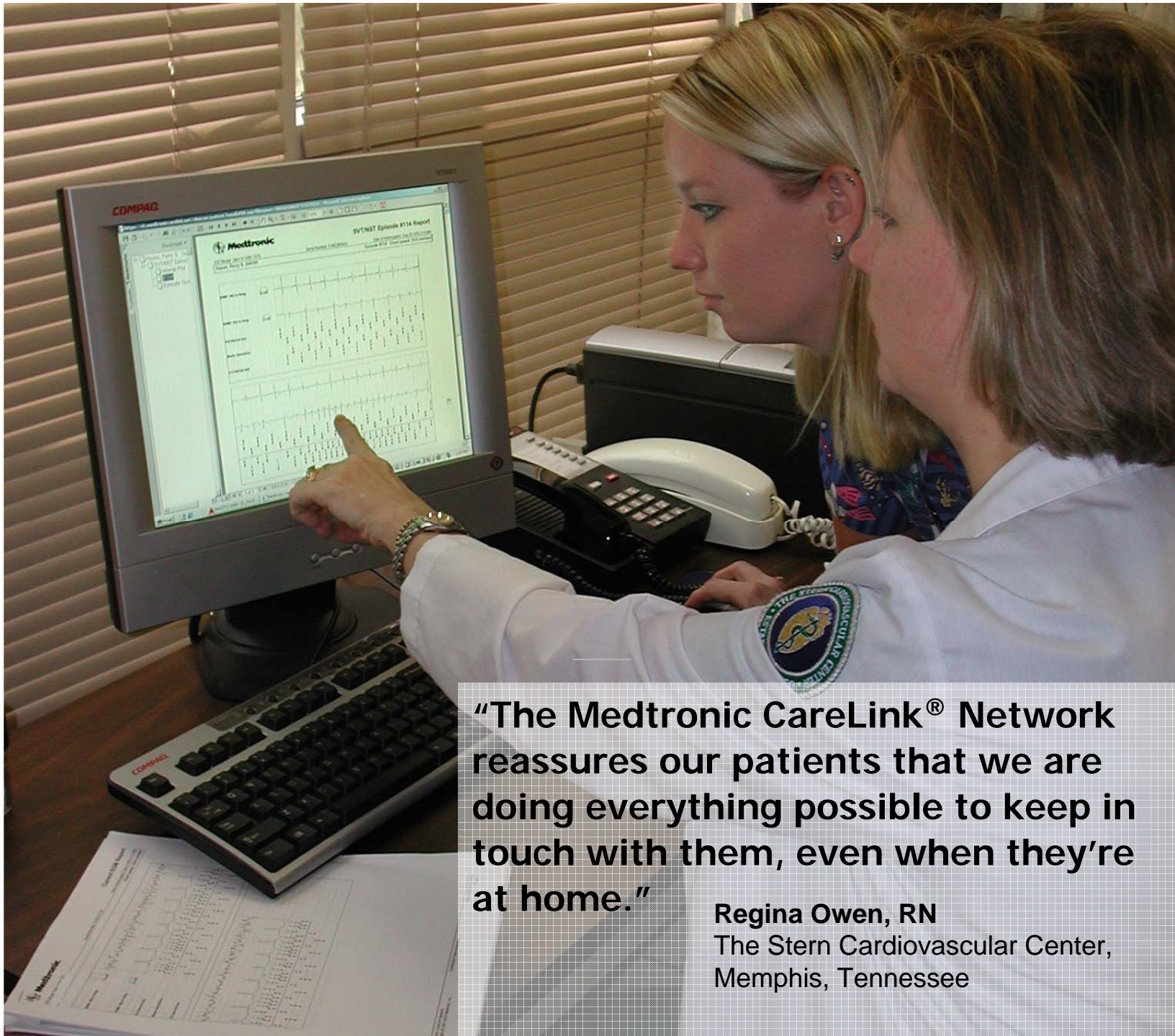
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**“The Medtronic CareLink® Network reassures our patients that we are doing everything possible to keep in touch with them, even when they’re at home.”**

**Regina Owen, RN**  
The Stern Cardiovascular Center,  
Memphis, Tennessee

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# CareLink for Pacemakers



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# The advent of wireless...



Routine device follow-up occurs while the patient sleeps, and continual automatic monitoring assures confidence for clinicians and patients.

- “Hands-free transmissions” for the patient
- Alleviates compliance issues
- Streamlines workflow by eliminating scheduling headaches

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# Medtronic CareLink® Wireless Programmer with High Speed Connectivity

## Wireless communication enabled programmer

- Uses an RF band designated for medical device communication
- High-speed access to up-to-date device software
- All the functionality of the previous 2090 programmer

## Seamless connection to Paceart Systems

- Seamlessly and automatically transfers data into the Paceart data management system
- May eliminate errors related to manual data entry



The Medtronic CareLink Programmer is a wireless communication-enabled programmer that provides technological solutions for customizing patient care and data management.

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# Advantages of wireless

**Better able to accommodate changing needs** and schedules of both patients and of clinicians.

**Easier for clinician** to set up a scheduling routine that fits into current practice methods. Scheduling becomes automated, saving time for the clinic.

**Automatic prescheduled checks** may improve patient care and convenience while reducing compliance issues

**Medtronic CareAlert monitoring** may provide early detection and the opportunity to intervene sooner with proactive care

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Remote Monitoring. Closer Connections.



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# Automatic Follow-Up (wireless)

## AUTOMATIC FOLLOW-UP



**1** Using the secure Medtronic CareLink Clinician Website, clinic staff can preschedule up to six automatic device checks for each patient – without having to make appointments or coordinate calendars with patients.

**2** The device automatically “wakes up” at the scheduled time and communicates with the Medtronic CareLink Monitor, which is plugged into a standard phone line and an electrical outlet. Data are transmitted wirelessly from the device to the monitor as the patient sleeps.

**3** Data are sent automatically from the Medtronic CareLink Monitor via the phone line.

**4** The clinician reviews the patient’s device data on the secure website.

# Medtronic CareAlert Monitoring featuring Conexus™ Wireless Telemetry

## CONTINUAL MONITORING FOR MEDTRONIC CAREALERT™ STATUS



**1** The implanted cardiac device detects a problem such as AT/AF or a device integrity issue. If the patient's device is programmed to notify the clinician of Medtronic CareAlert status, the heart device automatically establishes wireless communication with the Medtronic CareLink Monitor, which is plugged into a standard phone line.

**2** Device data are sent automatically from the monitor to a secure server via the phone line.

**3** The clinician receives the alert via pager or voice message and checks the Medtronic CareLink Clinician Website for detailed information.

**4** The clinician reviews the Medtronic CareAlert information and calls the patient to provide further instructions.

# Medtronic CareAlert Monitoring (wireless)

888-70-CAREALERT  
(toll-free number)

Message ID number



**Hand-held pager**

## **Available Medtronic CareAlert Monitoring:**

### **Programmable Alerts**

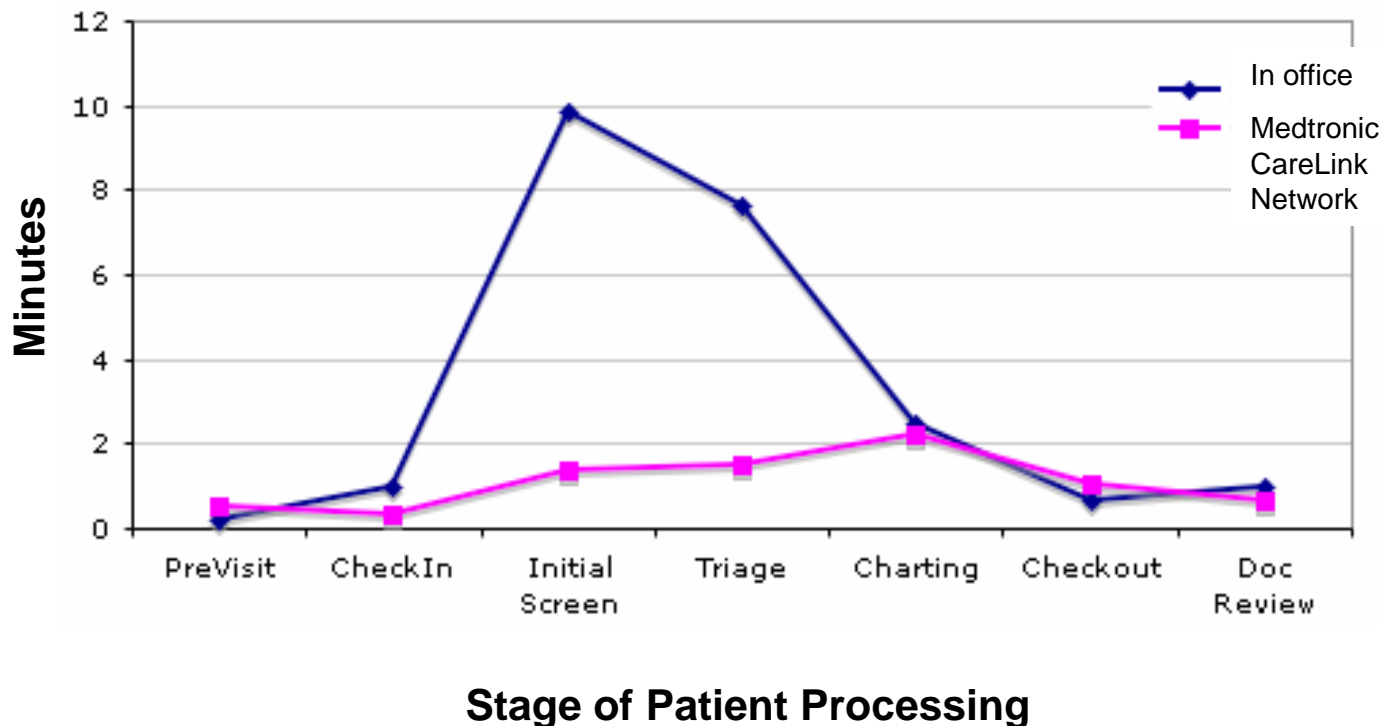
1. Daily AT AF Burden > Threshold
2. Fast Ventricular Rate during AT/AF
3. Number of Shocks delivered in an episode
4. All Therapies in a Zone Exhausted
5. VF Detection Therapy Off
6. Low Battery Voltage Recommend Replacement
7. Excessive Charge Time (End of Service)
8. Atrial Pacing (Impedance out of range)
9. RV Pacing (Impedance out of range)
10. LV Pacing (Impedance out of range)
11. Ventricular Defib (Impedance out of range)
12. SVC (HVX) Defib (Impedance out of range)

### **Non-Programmable Alerts**

1. Electrical Reset
2. Pacing Mode DOO VOO AOO
3. Active Can Off without SVC
4. Charge Circuit Timeout

# Proven efficiency gains

A study conducted by Human Factors International<sup>1</sup> showed that device checks with the Medtronic CareLink<sup>®</sup> Network can be done in under 8 minutes—**one-third the time** of a typical in-office device check.



<sup>1</sup> Falk D, Straub K. Practice Efficiency Improvements Resulting From the Use of Medtronic CareLink Network Remote Monitoring Service. Fairfield, Iowa: Human Factors International, July 2004.

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# Committed to privacy and security

Medtronic has taken extensive measures to ensure that Medtronic CareLink<sup>®</sup> Network conforms to HIPAA regulations pertaining to both privacy and security of electronic Personal Health Information (ePHI)

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**Quick Look- Smith, Clyde R.**

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Device: EnTrust™ D153ATG      Serial Number: PNR123456Q      Date of Interrogation: 10-Nov-2005 18:50:09

**Clinical Status Since 19-Aug-2005**

Treated	
VF	0
FVT	1
VT	0
AT/AF	0

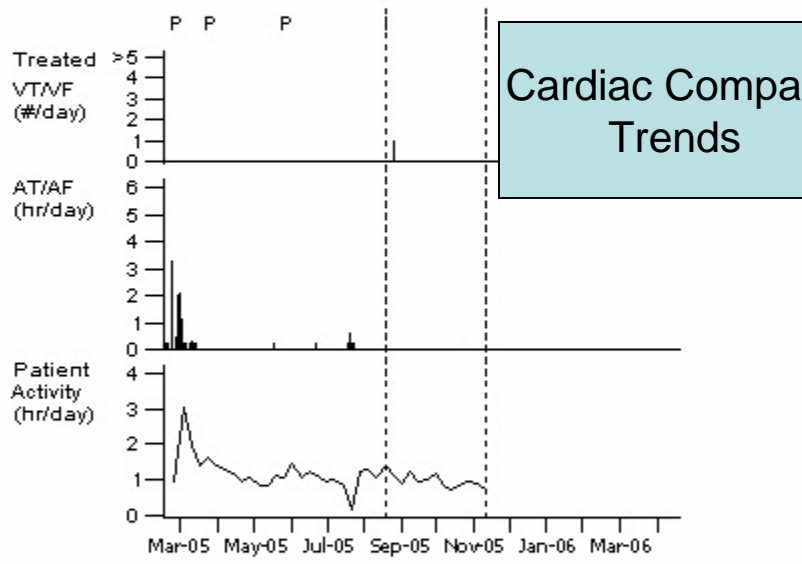
Monitored	
VT (Off)	
VT-NS (>4 beats, >150 bpm)	5
SVT: VT/VF Rx Withheld	0
AT/AF	0

**Tachycardia counters**

Time in AT/AF <0.1 hr/day (<0.1%)

**Functional Last Week**  
Patient Activity 0.7 hr/day

**Cardiac Compass Trends (Feb-2005 to Nov-2005)**



[Important Medical Record Information](#)

Therapy Summary	VT/VF	AT/AF	Pacing	(% of Time Since 19-Aug-2005)
Pace-Terminated Episodes	1 of 1	0	AS-VS	28.0%
Shock-Terminated Episodes	0	0	AS-VP	0.3%
Total Shocks	0	0	AP-VS	71.2%
Aborted Charges	0	0	AP-VP	0.4%
			MVP	On

**OBSERVATIONS (3)**

- Night heart rate over 85 bpm for 7 days.
- Patient Activity less than 2 hr/day for 14 weeks.
- Higher battery drain: Pre-arrhythmia EGM is set to On Continuous.

**Percent Paced**

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**Device Status (Implanted: 04-Feb-2005)**

**Measured on:**

Battery Voltage (ERI=2.61 V)	3.14 V	10-Nov-2005
Last Full Energy Charge	7.3 sec	19-Aug-2005

	Atrial	RV (6947), SVC	
Pacing Impedance	432 ohms	472 ohms	10-Nov-2005
Defibrillation Impedance		RV=54, SVC=68 ohms	10-Nov-2005
Programmed Amplitude/Pulse Width	2 V / 0.6 ms	2 V / 0.4 ms	
Measured P / R Wave	4.8 mV	7.8 mV	10-Nov-2005
Programmed Sensitivity	0.45 mV	0.3 mV	

**Parameter Summary**

Mode	AAIR<=>DDDR	Lower Rate	70 bpm	Paced AV	180 ms
Mode Switch	171 bpm	Upper Track	120 bpm	Sensed AV	150 ms
		Upper Sensor	120 bpm		

**Detection**

AT/AF	On (1 zone)
VF	On
FVT	via VF
VT	On

**Rates**

>171 bpm
>188 bpm
188-250 bpm
150-188 bpm

**Therapies**

Burst+, Ramp, CV Off
20J, 30J x 5
Burst (1), 20J, 30J x 4
Burst (5), 20J, 30J x 4

Enhancements: On: AF/Afl, Sinus Tach

Observations  
battery status

Lead impedance  
Measured P&R  
waves

Parameters  
detections and  
Therapies



For VT/VF what should be viewed/printed?

by Clinics [Dropdown] **Patient List**

rt [Date/Time] [Dropdown]

**How Only:**  
 New Sends  
 Monitored  
 (physician) [Dropdown]  
 (device) [Dropdown]

**ports:**  
  
  
  
[> Set up My Reports](#)

**ATTENTION: There are unviewed old transmissions from [Date]. See below to find these old transmissions.**

Patient ( [ ] = Discontinued)	Device	Last Send: (* = New)	Print? Max 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Uncheck	Event Summary	All Sends
<a href="#">Smith, Clyde</a> 0123456	EnTrust D153ATG 02/20/2005	<a href="#">11/10/2005</a> 06:50 PM	<input type="checkbox"/>	1 VT/VF, 1 second in AT/AF Since Last Session	<a href="#">1</a>
<a href="#">Smith, John</a> IJ000000P	InSync Sentry 12/23/2004	<a href="#">11/10/2005</a> 04:32PM	<input type="checkbox"/>	1 Shock, 1 VT/VF, 7 SVT/NST	<a href="#">2</a>
<a href="#">Wijesekera, Marypat</a> 030600137	Marquis DR 01/10/2000	<a href="#">11/10/2005</a> * 09:25 AM	<input type="checkbox"/>	No Events	<a href="#">8</a> *
<a href="#">Payne, Robert</a> 100000000-01	Gem III VR 11/02/2000	<a href="#">11/09/2005</a> * 11:12 AM	<input type="checkbox"/>	21 VT/VF, 21 SVT/NST	<a href="#">2</a> *
<a href="#">Sonnen, H.F.</a> 063500150-01	Marquis VR 08/28/2004	<a href="#">11/08/2005</a> * 09:10 PM	<input type="checkbox"/>	9 VT/VF, 50 SVT/NST	<a href="#">1</a> *
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<a href="#">Doeberman, John</a> 063500150-01	InSync II Marquis 08/28/2004	<a href="#">11/07/2005</a> * 10:57 PM	<input type="checkbox"/>	No Events	<a href="#">4</a> *
<a href="#">Nguyen, Aimee</a> 020900316-02	Gem DR 01/10/1999	<a href="#">10/31/2005</a> 09:07 AM	<input type="checkbox"/>	No Events	<a href="#">6</a>
<a href="#">Abrego, Ernesto</a> 032075341-01	Maximo DR 11/05/2000	<a href="#">10/31/2005</a> 08:46 AM	<input type="checkbox"/>	No Events	<a href="#">4</a>
<a href="#">Goettsche, Joseph</a> 090400613-01	Gem DR 05/20/2000	<a href="#">10/29/2005</a> 07:17 PM	<input type="checkbox"/>	No Events	<a href="#">10</a>

Important Medical Record Information

# Heart Failure Management Report

ICD Model: InSync Sentry 7297

Serial Number:

Date of Visit:

Date of Birth: EF, on --- Hospital  
History: Implant Physici

## Clinical Status (Aug 30, 2005 to Sep 09, 2005)

VT/VF	0 episodes	V. Pacing (V. beats)	99.5 %
AT/AF	0 episodes	Atrial Pacing	49.5 %
Time in AT/AF	0.0 hr/day (0.0 %)		

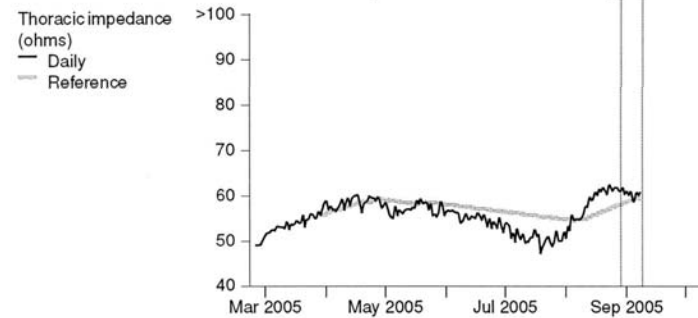
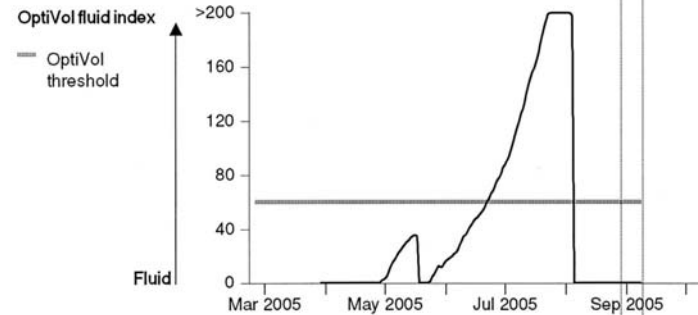
## Observations (1) (Aug 30, 2005 to Sep 09, 2005)

- Patient activity averaged < 2 hr/day last week.

## OptiVol Fluid Trends (Feb 2005 to Sep 2005)

OptiVol fluid index is an accumulation of the difference between the daily and ref

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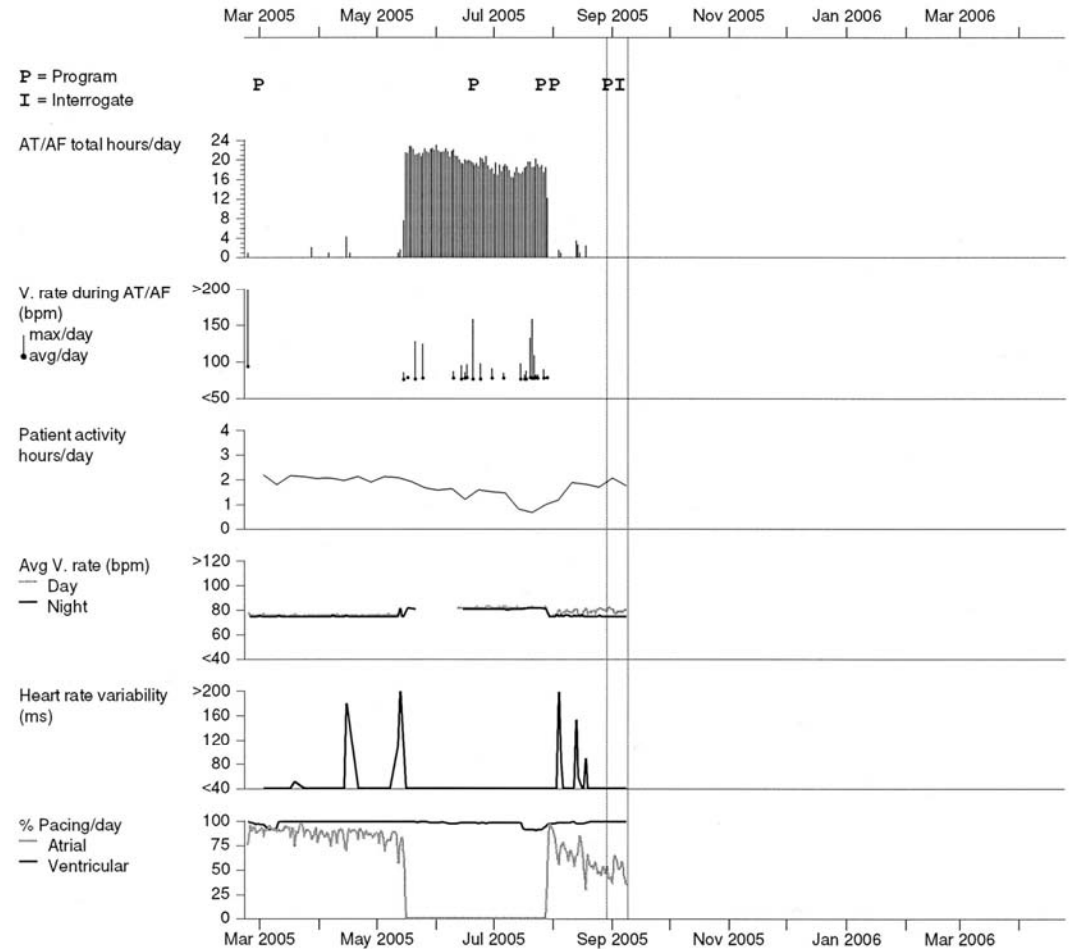


# Heart Failure Management Report

ICD Model: InSync Sentry 7297

Serial Number:

Date of Visit:



# Heart Failure Management Report

ICD Model: InSync Sentry 7297

Serial Number:

Date of Visit: Jul 22, 2005

Date of Birth History: Heart Failure  
 EF, on Implant: 20 % Dec 1, Mar 2, 2005

## Clinical Status (Jun 21, 2005 to Jul 22, 2005)

VT/VF: 0 episodes V. Pacing (V. beats)  
 AT/AF: 0 episodes Atrial Pacing  
 Time in AT/AF: 0.0 hr/day (0.0 %)

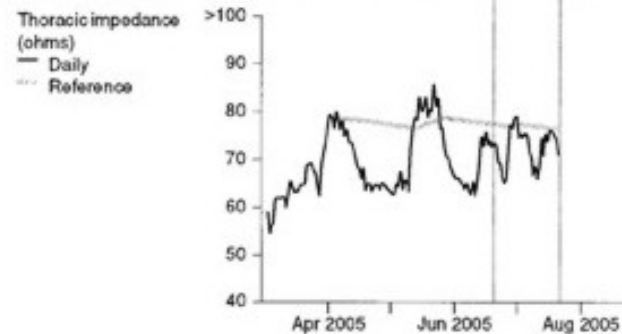
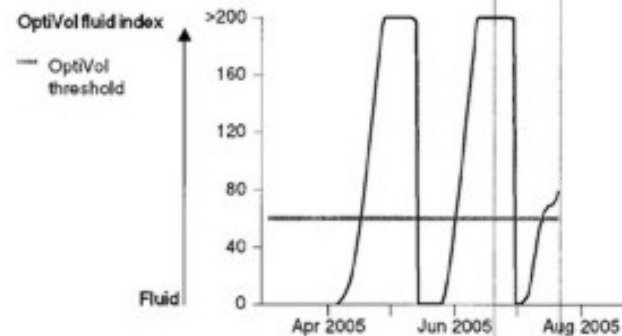
## Observations (3) (Jun 21, 2005 to Jul 22, 2005)

- Possible fluid accumulation, Jul 21, 2005.
- V. Pacing (V. beats) less than 90%.
- Patient activity averaged < 2 hr/day last week.

## OptiVol Fluid Trends (Mar 2005 to Jul 2005)

OptiVol fluid index is an accumulation of the difference between the

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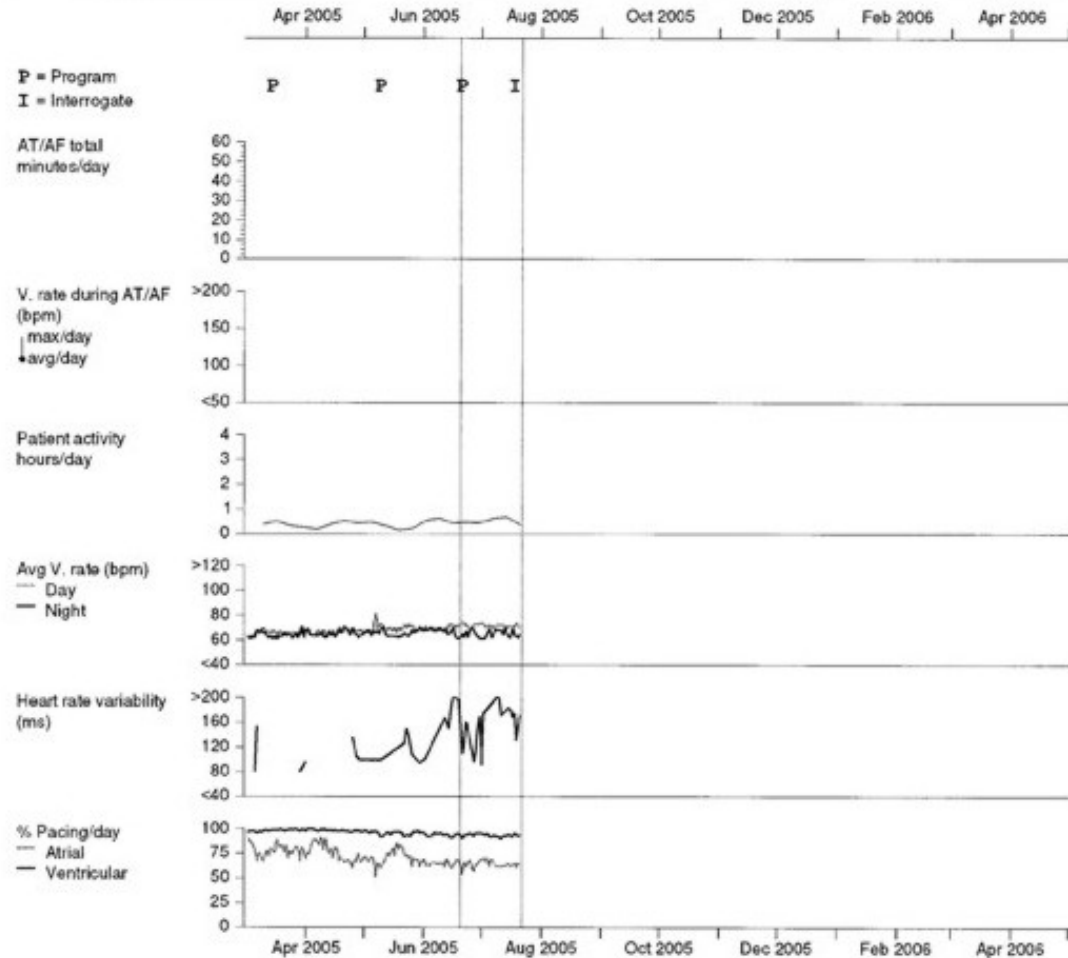


# Heart Failure Management Report

ICD Model: InSync Sentry 7297

Serial Number:

Date of Visit: Jul 22, 2005



# CHF CareLink frequency

Establish standard frequency for follow-up

- Monthly for routine Optivol HF monitoring?
- Increased transmissions for symptomatic or those patients with frequent fluid overload events

Develop protocol for communicating the frequency guidelines between HF and EP staff

Decide how the HF patient will be informed of the CareLink transmission frequency.

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# CardioSight™ Service

**CardioSight Service offers heart failure clinics with direct access to exclusive, device-derived information tailored to the management of heart failure**

**Timely, direct access designed for clinicians who treat heart failure to enable them to respond quickly to significant clinical events.**

**Unique insights to help guide patient care**

- Simple one touch operation
- Secure report delivery in minutes



CardioSight Service provides access to exclusive 90-day trended information in the Heart Failure Management or Cardiac Compass® Trends Report for many of Medtronic's ICD and CRT-D devices





## CardioSight Reader

- Simple, one-touch operation
- Read-only access
- Clinic-based
- Reader works with multiple patients
- Requires standard telephone line





## CardioSight Core Value: Direct Access, Unique Insight

### Direct Access

**Tool designed for the cardiology clinician to access relevant data for improved care and clinic efficiency**

### Unique Insight

**Clinically relevant trend data, aligned across time. Indicators of the progression of heart failure include:**

- OptiVol™ Fluid Trends
- AT/AF burden
- Heart rate variability
- Day and night heart rate



## CardioSight Service Overview



**1** Under a clinician's instruction at the clinic, the patient places the mouse-like antenna of the CardioSight Reader over the implanted device. Data are transferred to the reader.

**2** The reader transfers device data to a secure server via a standard analog phone line. The server then generates a Heart Failure Management or Cardiac Compass® Trends report. The report is sent to the clinician via fax with a privacy cover page.

**3** The clinician reviews the cardiac trends (including OptiVol™ Fluid Trends if the device supports this feature) to help assess the patient's status.



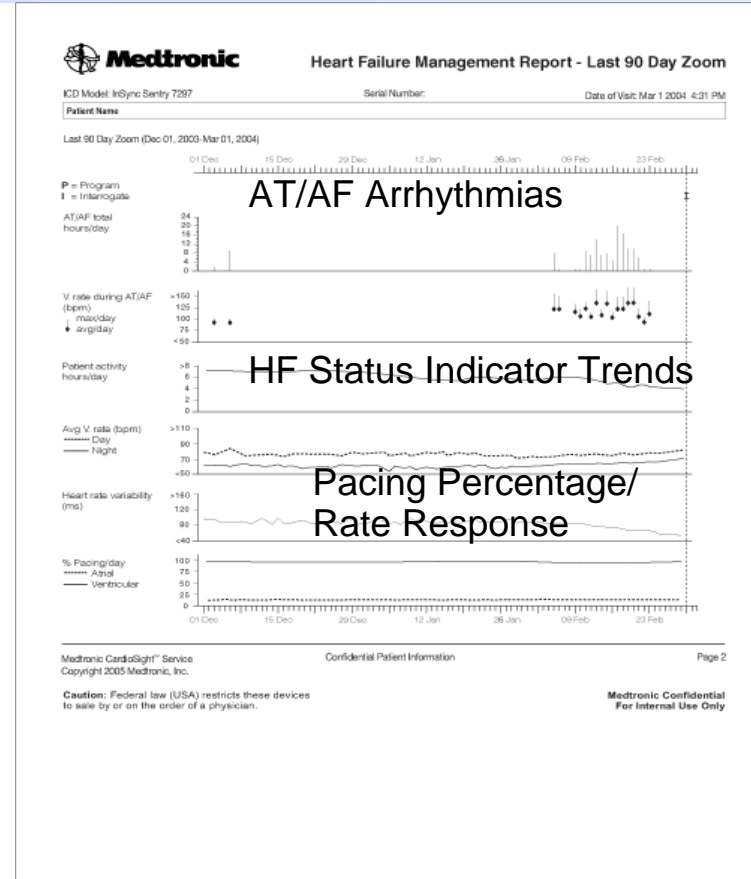
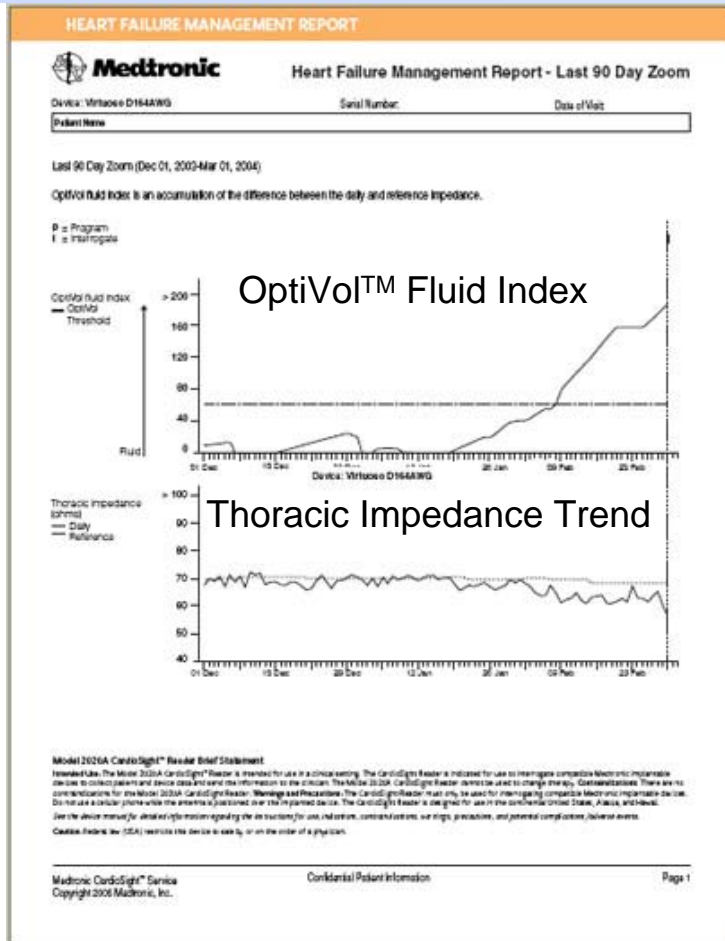


## Fax Machine

- Compatible with standard fax machines
- Each report comes with a privacy cover sheet and back sheet
- Fax can be sent to computer by using fax software



# The Heart Failure Report Cardiac Compass & OptiVol



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# Paceart® System

## **Paceart is the leading in-clinic arrhythmia data management system.**

### **Paceart System organizes relevant information:**

- Stores programmed device parameters
- Summarizes patient session data into concise, convenient reports.
- Offers advanced TTM technologies.
- Creates key correspondence.
- Schedules patient follow-ups.
- Speeds records processing.
- Assists in charge and billing management

### **Adaptable solutions**

- One system, many devices
- EMR Interoperability



Today, Paceart systems are installed in over 1,000 clinics managing more than 1.5 million patients with implanted cardiac devices

## Many Information Systems May Co-Exist Due To Complex Information Needs in Healthcare Provider Settings

An **Electronic Health Record (EHR)** is an electronic record of patient health information in multiple encounters and can combine multiple specialties, e.g. immunization, labs, radiology, etc. with key features including orders, prescription writing, charting, workflow management, clinical alerts, and decision support

A **Practice Management System (PMS)** is a specialized system for scheduling and billing which may be part of the HER or a separate system.

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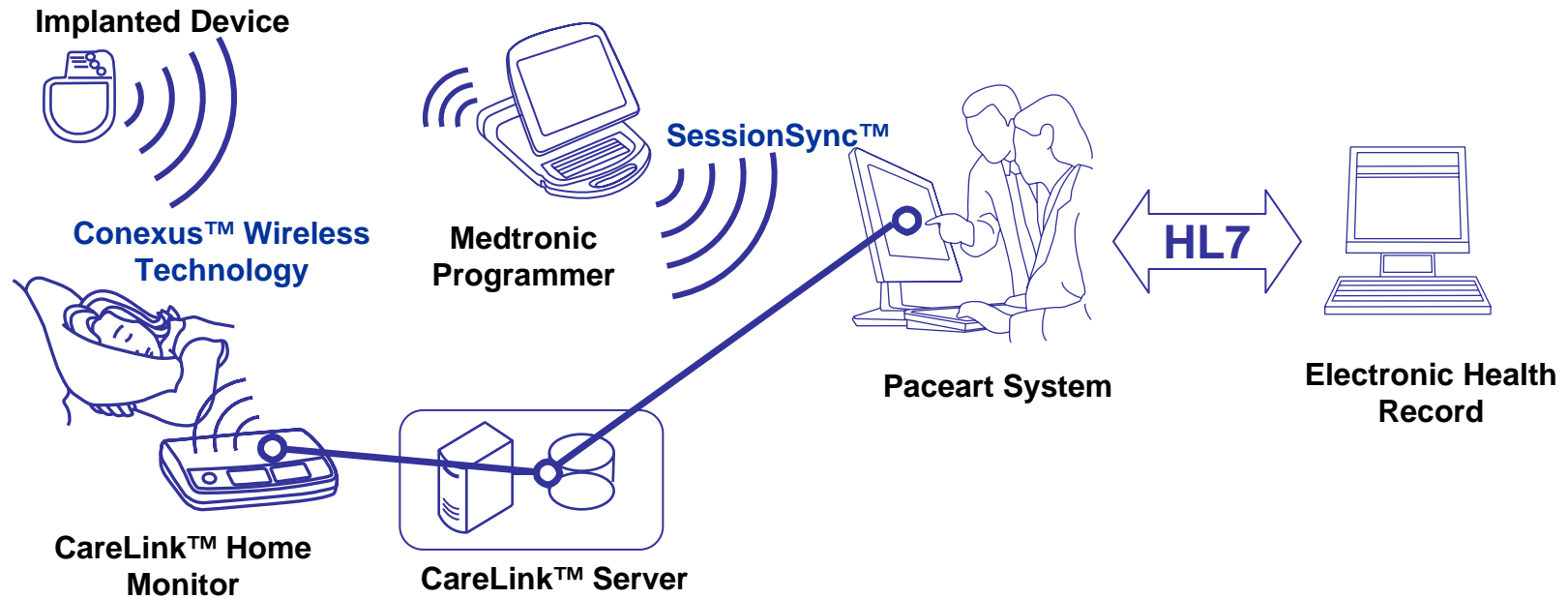
**Remote device follow-up systems** such as Medtronic CareLink Network store a patient's device data collected remotely.

**Medtronic Paceart System** is a specialized device clinic workflow and information management application that complements other healthcare information systems.

**Health Level Seven (HL7)** is the name of an organization that has developed a messaging standard (also known as HL7) which facilitates sharing of data across healthcare information systems.

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**Eliminate Duplicate  
Data**

- Eliminates Double Registration and Scheduling in Paceart and PMS

**Reduce Data Entry  
Burden**

- Reduces amount of scanning
- Reduces manual entry of data and potential for errors

**Data Access**

- Make vital device information more widely available to clinicians in the EHR, including ER, anesthesiology, surgery, etc.

**Database  
Development**

- Getting discrete data elements into the EHR makes the transition from “document management” to a “data management” model

**Workflow  
Coordination**

- Improve coordination of Paceart based device clinic workflow with other aspects of clinic workflow in PMS and EHR

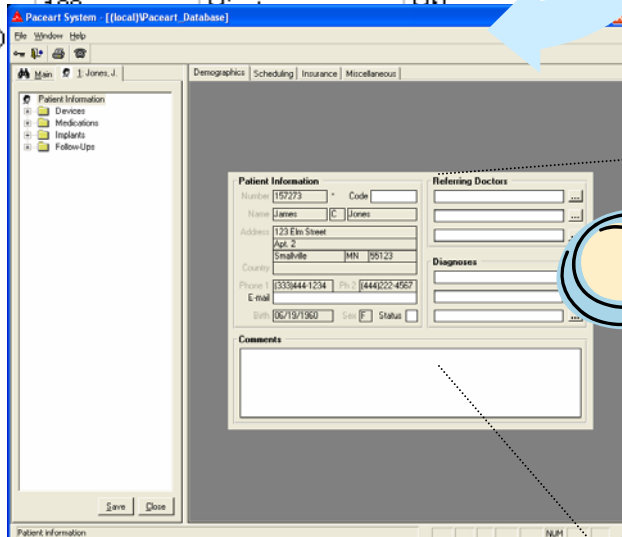
# PATIENT RECORD OF JAMES JONES IN PACEART HAS BEEN POPULATED BY INFORMATION RECEIVED VIA HL7

Results: 11 matches

Patient Name	ID	City	State
Diamond, Vivian T.	101	Clancy	MN
Ireland, Charles P.	102	Eden Point	MN
Ironwing, George U.	103	Cedar Falls	MN
Jones, James C.	157273	Smallville	MN
Marcus II, Ivan N.	104	Arden Valley	MN
Martin, George E.	105	Barrington	MN
Maslaski, Stan J.	106	Columbia Heights	MN
Morse, Samuel J.	107	Clancy	MN
Paulson, Edward N.	108	Clancy	MN
Reynolds, Kathleen D.	109	Clancy	MN
Roth, Alice R.	110	Clancy	MN

Double Click

- Having a single source for demographic information frees clinicians from managing the administrative task of adding and updating demographics



Demographics | Scheduling | Insurance | Miscellaneous

Patient Information

Number: 157273 \* Code: [ ]

Name: James C Jones

Address: 123 Elm Street  
Apt. 2  
Smallville MN 55123

Country: [ ]

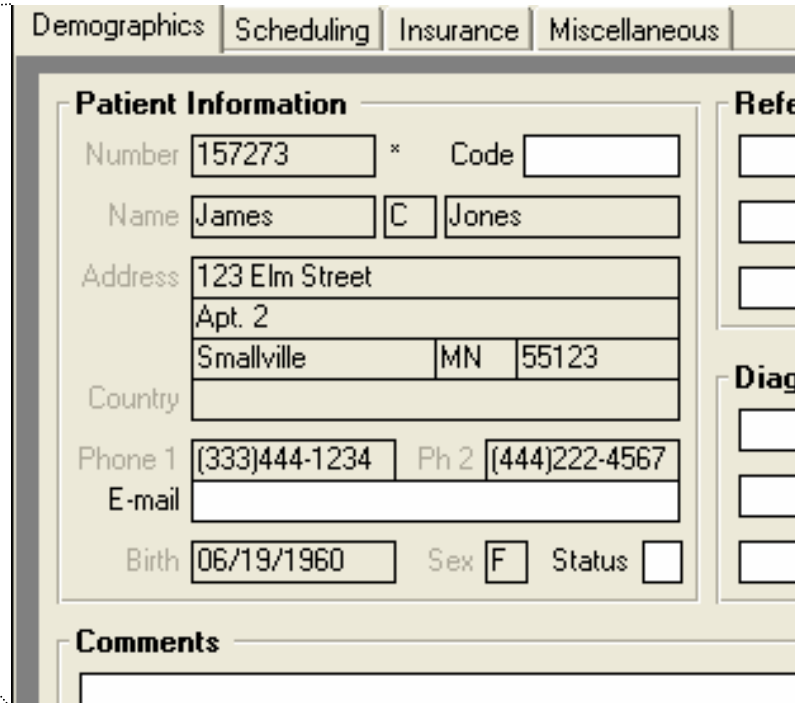
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E-mail: [ ]

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Comments: [ ]

Save Close



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# NEW APPOINTMENT FOR JAMES JONES IS AUTOMATICALLY CREATED IN PACEART VIA HL7

- A new appointment for James Jones is created in the Practice Management System
- Paceart receives an HL7 message from the Practice Management System about this appointment



## Paceart Connectivity

**Scheduling**

TTM/Remote:  | Frequency:  | Week:  | Day:  | Time:

Clinic:  | Frequency:  | Week:  | Day:  | Time:

Physician:

Remote Follow-up Service:

**Appointments**

Test Date	Test Type	Status	Comment

Buttons: Add... Reschedule... Letter Delete



**Scheduling**

TTM/Remote:  | Frequency:  | Week:  | Day:  | Time:

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Physician:

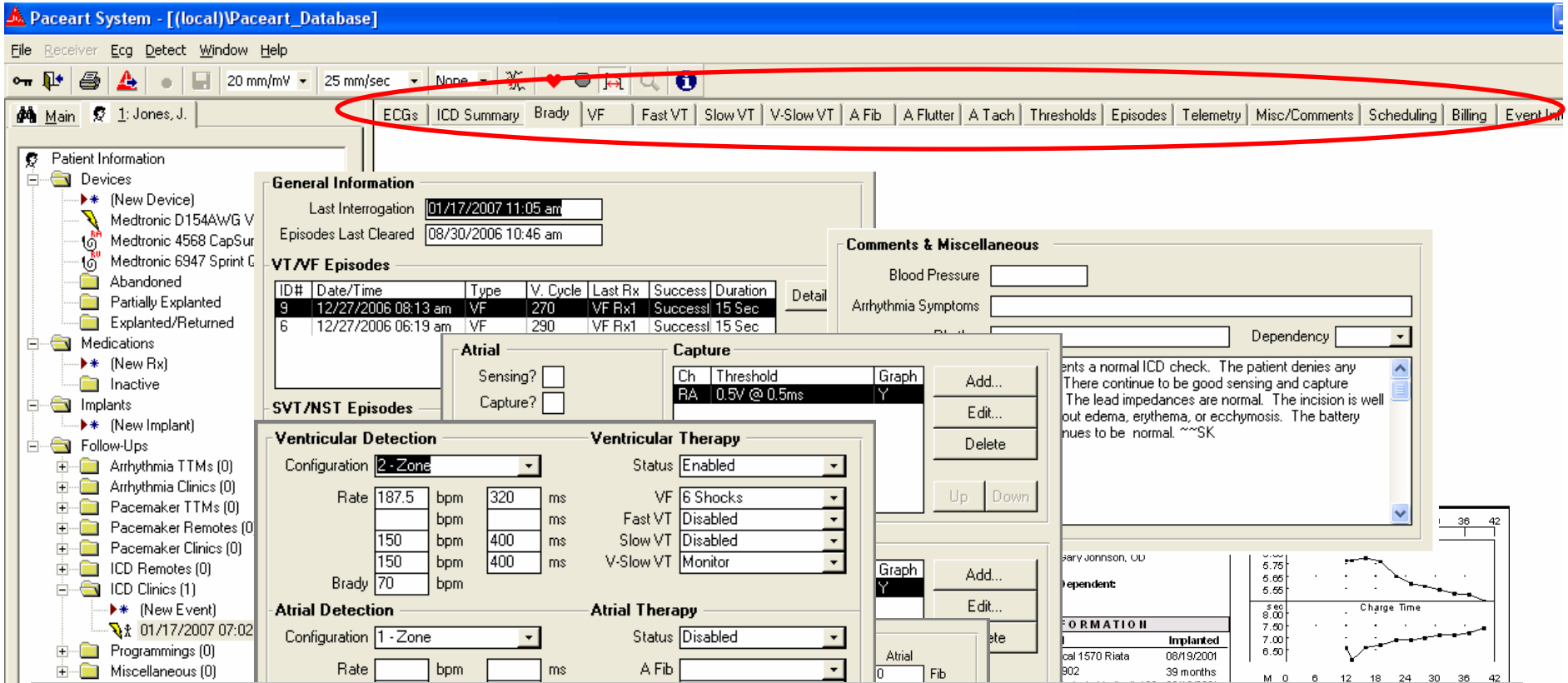
Remote Follow-up Service:

**Appointments**

Test Date	Test Type	Status	Comment
12/10/2007 10:00 am	ICD Clinic	Scheduled	

Buttons: Add... Reschedule... Letter Delete

# DEVICE DATA SENT TO THE EHR VIA HL7 INCLUDES THE DETAILED INFORMATION IN PACEART

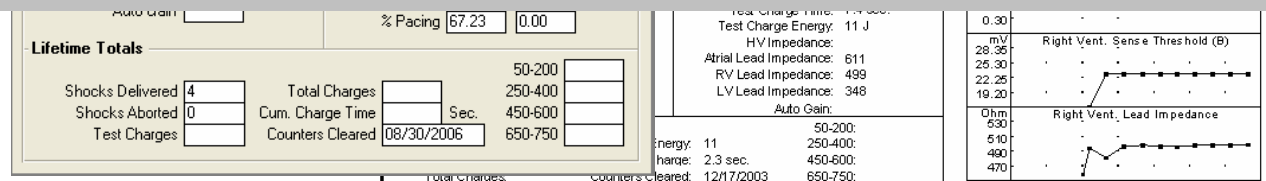


The screenshot shows the Paceart System interface with a menu bar at the top containing: File, Receiver, Ecg, Detect, Window, Help. Below the menu bar is a toolbar with icons for zooming and other functions. A red circle highlights the menu bar and toolbar area. The main interface is divided into several panels:

- General Information:** Last Interrogation: 01/17/2007 11:05 am; Episodes Last Cleared: 08/30/2006 10:46 am.
- VT/VF Episodes:** A table with columns: ID#, Date/Time, Type, V. Cycle, Last Rx, Success, Duration.
 

ID#	Date/Time	Type	V. Cycle	Last Rx	Success	Duration
9	12/27/2006 08:13 am	VF	270	VF Rx1	Success	15 Sec
6	12/27/2006 06:19 am	VF	290	VF Rx1	Success	15 Sec
- Ventricular Detection:** Configuration: 2 - Zone; Rate: 187.5 bpm; 150 bpm; 150 bpm; Brady: 70 bpm.
- Ventricular Therapy:** Status: Enabled; VF: 6 Shocks; Fast VT: Disabled; Slow VT: Disabled; V-Slow VT: Monitor.
- Atrial Detection:** Configuration: 1 - Zone; Rate: [ ] bpm; [ ] ms.
- Atrial Therapy:** Status: Disabled; A Fib: [ ]
- Comments & Miscellaneous:** Blood Pressure: [ ]; Arrhythmia Symptoms: [ ]; Dependency: [ ].
- Graphs:** Charge Time graph showing a peak around 12 hours and a dip around 24 hours.

- The data exported includes patient identifiers, implanted device information, and detailed device data and a Paceart report summarizing the data
- Both discrete data and a Paceart PDF report PDF or a link to it can be exported



The screenshot shows the Paceart System interface with a panel for Lifetime Totals and device parameters. The Lifetime Totals panel includes:

- Shocks Delivered: 4
- Shocks Aborted: 0
- Test Charges: [ ]
- Total Charges: [ ]
- Cum. Charge Time: [ ] Sec.
- Counters Cleared: 08/30/2006

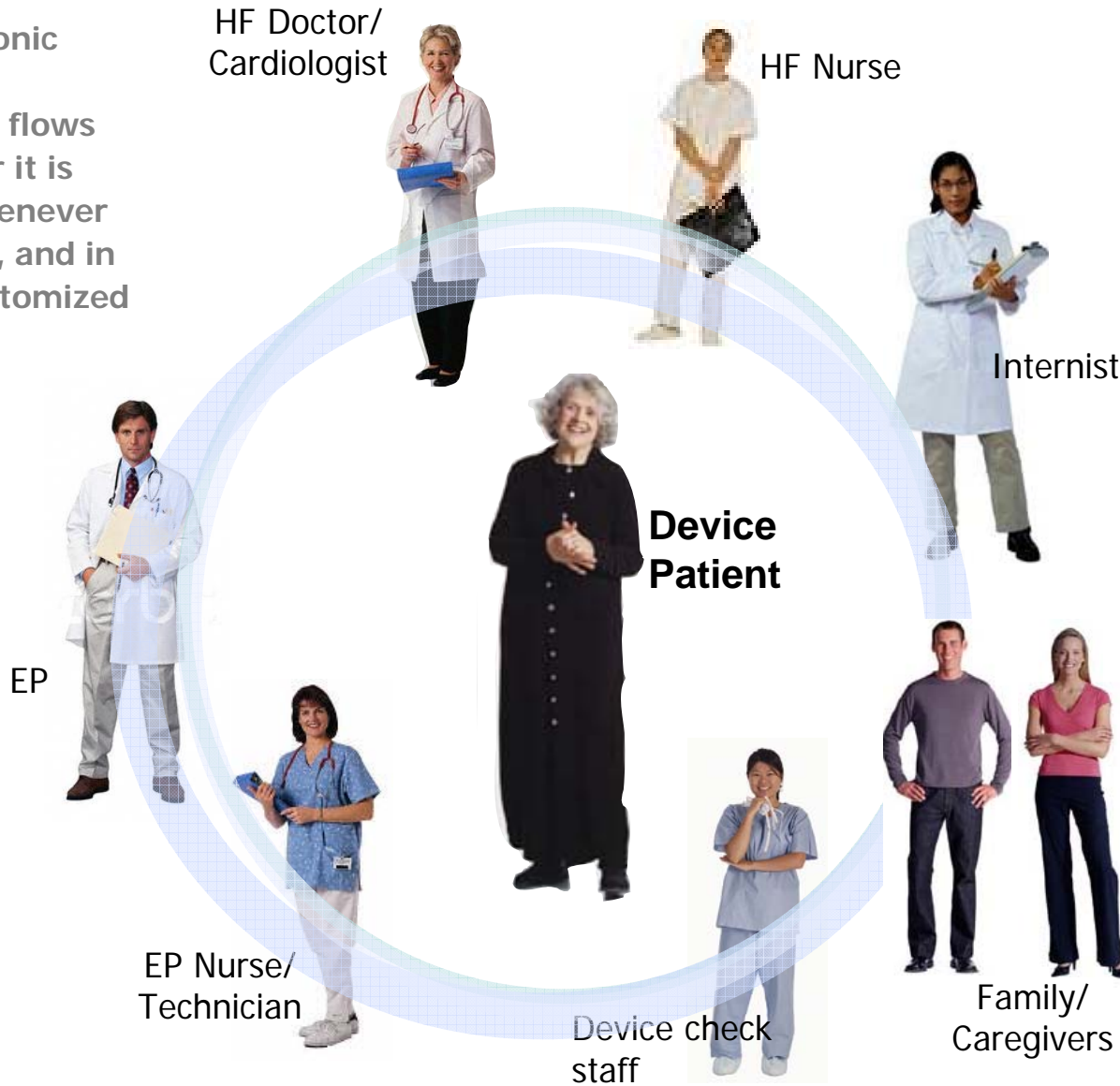
The device parameters panel includes:

- Test Charge Time: [ ]
- Test Charge Energy: 11 J
- HV Impedance: [ ]
- Atrial Lead Impedance: 611
- RV Lead Impedance: 499
- LV Lead Impedance: 348
- Auto Gain: [ ]
- Energy: 11
- Charge: 2.3 sec
- Counters Cleared: 12/17/2003

There are also two graphs: Right Vent. Sense Threshold (B) and Right Vent. Lead Impedance.

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