



EMR Quick Reference Guide

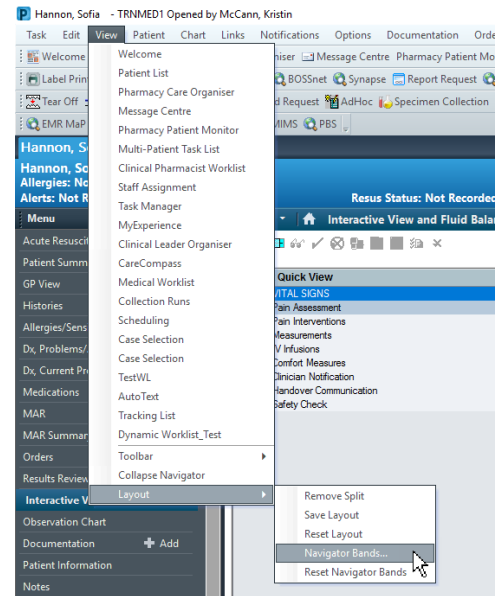
Documentation – Completing a Bowel Chart.

The bowel chart now has its own band within Interactive View.

This will need to be **manually** added in before you can use it.

To Add the Bowel Chart Band:

- Whilst in Interactive View in the Table of Contents (TOC):
- Select View from the navigation toolbar.
- Select Layout
- Select Navigator Bands



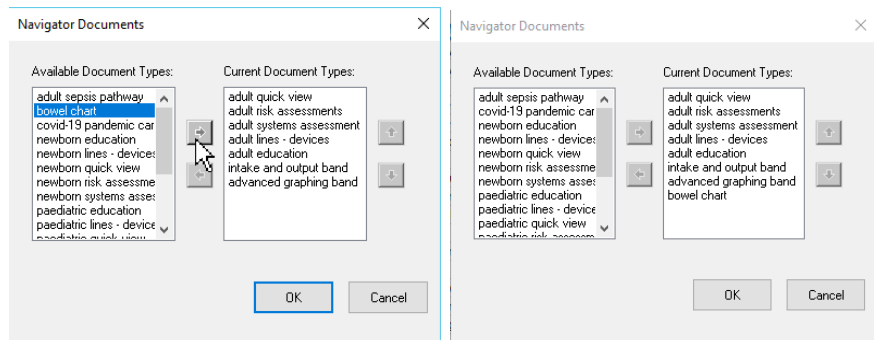
Select Bowel Chart from Available Document Types

Once selected press the arrow in the middle of the screen to move it over to Current Document Types.

Press OK

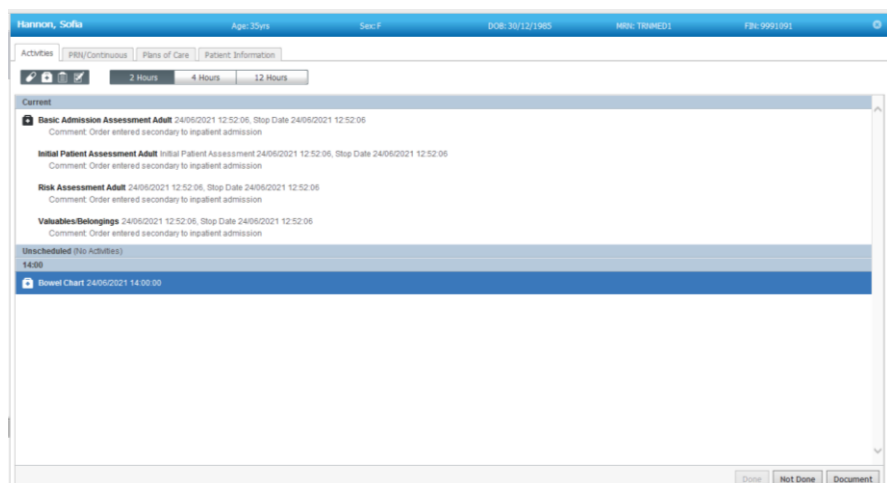
You will now need to close that patient's chart and reopen it for the bowel chart band to appear.

Once added, it will remain on your user profile.



Each patient will automatically be ordered an 8 hourly bowel chart task on admission. This will display as a task on care compass.

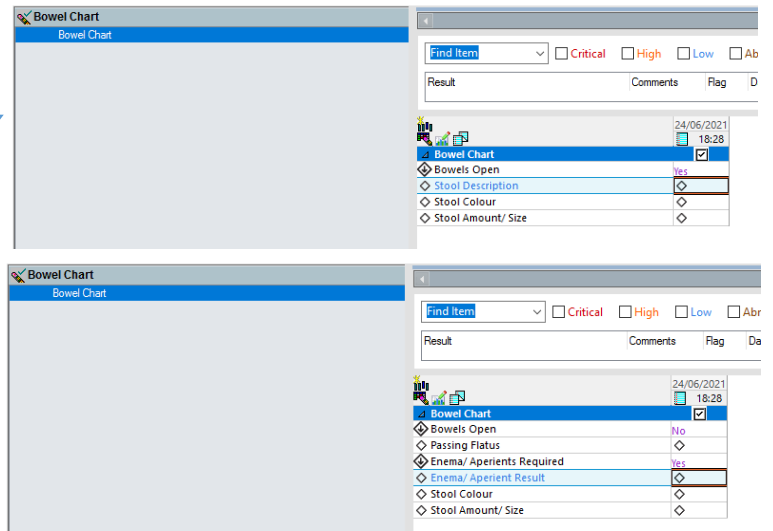
Right click on the Bowel Chart task and select Document.



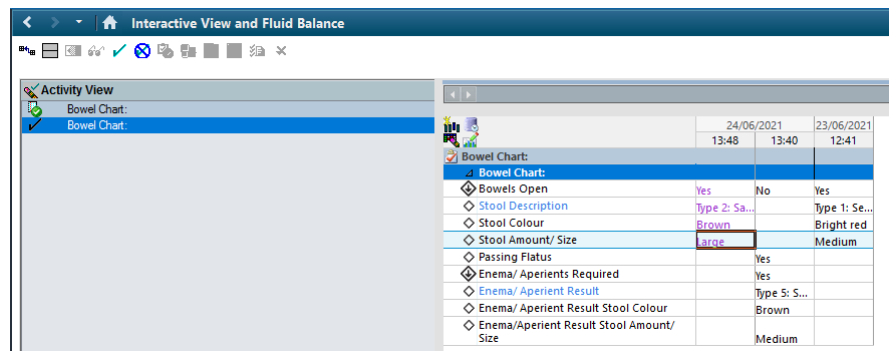
Interactive View will open with the Bowel Chart opened for you.

To begin documentation, Select **Yes** or **No** to Bowels Open

Further options will display based on the results you select as shown in each of the two diagrams.



Press the green tick to sign off once documentation complete.



Decision Support: The Bristol Stool Chart can be accessed by selecting the blue text 'Stool Description' or Enema/Aperient Result.

Bristol Stool Chart

Type 1		Separate hard lumps, like nuts (hard to pass)
Type 2		Sausage-shaped but lumpy
Type 3		Like a sausage but with cracks on the surface
Type 4		Like a sausage or snake, smooth and soft
Type 5		Soft blobs with clear-cut edges
Type 6		Fluffy pieces with ragged edges, a mushy stool
Type 7		Watery, no solid pieces. Entirely Liquid

Documented bowel chart results can be viewed in Results Review under:

- Assessments and Procedures Tab (as shown)
- Recent Results Tab (Flowsheet: TPN Adult View)
- Recent Results Tab (Flowsheet: Result Results View)

