Devices - Device Documentation of Observations

Digital Health
Quick Reference Guide

This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to:

Associate and disassociate monitoring device/s to FirstNet/ Powerchart to record patient observations.

(!) Important – MONITORING CHANGES: When activating or deactivating modules at the monitor, there is a 5 minute lookback period – WAIT 5 MINUTES AFTER CHANGING what is being monitored

- When adding to or ceasing parts of active monitoring- i.e. Activated an Arterial Line , there is a 5 minute lookback period
- This means that within 5 minutes of activating this, the data pulled through will be reflective of the previous monitoring and the changes are not immediately reflected
- *Please remember* to wait 5 minutes upon making any changes before this is reflected in the patient's chart
- Refresh powerchart as required

Recording Observations

1. From within **iView**, navigate to the relevant Vital Signs band. Right click the date/time header and place in Actual view
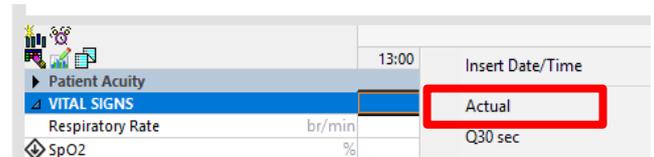
2. Double click the blue header under the Actual time column. Values as displayed on the monitor populate the patient chart in purple for verification. *Review values, modify if required, and manually enter any other data within the section*

3. Click on the ✔ green tick to save observations. Verified data turns to black

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💡 Handy Hint- Actual view for recording observations

- iView is *hourly view* in some areas by default - Actual view documentation should be used to capture real time clinical events
- Actual view will facilitate in bringing in accurate clinical data where changes were made to what is being monitored and when the patient is first being associated to the device
- Refresh Powerchart to allow for 5 minute lookback period