



ieMR Advanced

Interdisciplinary plans of care (IPOC)

Allied Health

Quick reference guide

The purpose of an Interdisciplinary Plan of Care is to facilitate optimal outcomes for patients during their stay in hospital, by enabling an interdisciplinary team to share assessments, goals and interventions in one place in PowerChart.

IPOCs are plans that are ordered by nurses. They are care plans and goals that need to be achieved before a patient is discharged.

Some examples of these are:

- Family centred Care
- Impaired communication
- Nutritional Deficits
- Breast Feeding
- Hygiene

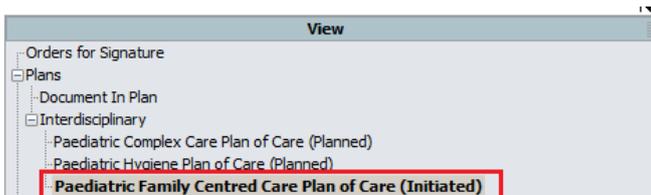
Modify the IPOC

The Family Centred Care and Hygiene IPOCs will be initiated for all LCCH patient's on admission.

Additional IPOCs can only be initiated following consultation with nursing staff.

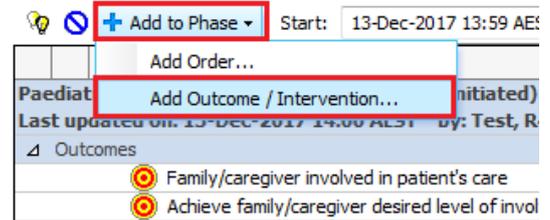
Allied Health professionals are able to modify an ordered IPOC to add an outcome or intervention after consultation with the nursing staff.

1. Once the addition is approved by the nursing staff, navigate to the **Orders** screen and select the IPOC from the **View** menu



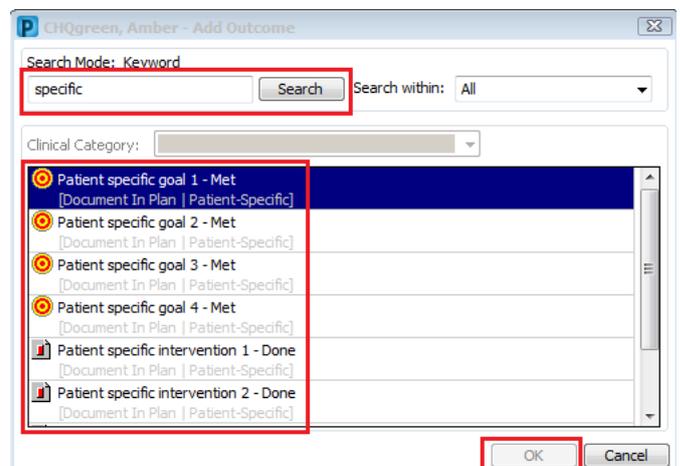
2. Click the **Add to Phase** button

3. Select **Add Outcome/Intervention**

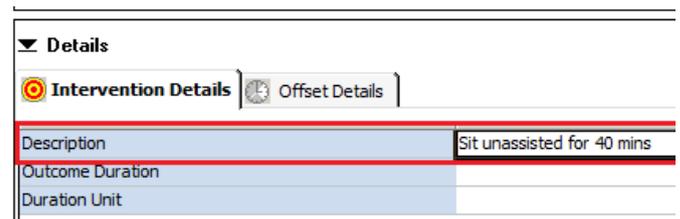


The Search window opens

4. Search for **specific** > click **Search**
5. Select a **Patient specific goal or intervention** > click **OK**



6. Double-click in the **Description** field and enter the specific outcome (goal) or intervention for this patient



7. Click **Sign**

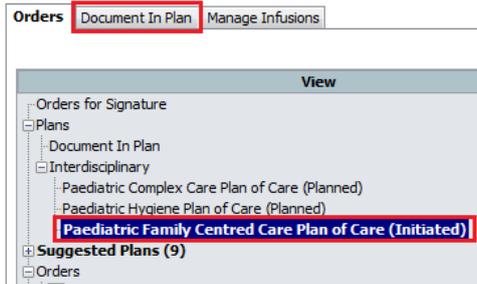
Note: Never document a goal or intervention which could not be actioned by the nursing staff, as IPOCs are nursing-driven plans of care.



Document against an IPOC

If you complete an intervention with a patient during a review, you are able to document this against the IPOC in the patient's chart.

1. Navigate to the **Orders** screen and select the IPOC from the **View** menu
2. Click the **Document in Plan** tab



3. Click the **green tick** next to the intervention you completed with the patient 
4. Click **Sign Documentation**

A green tick and the review date and time will appear next to that intervention. The nursing staff will see this and know that they don't have to complete this intervention today as it has already been completed by Allied Health.

Intervention	Last Evaluated	Target	Status
Paediatric Family Centred Care Plan of Care (Initiated) 13-Dec-2017 13:59 AEST			
Family/Caregiver involved in patient's care			✓
Achieve Family/Caregiver desired level of involvement			✓
Family/Caregiver demonstrates ability to care for/supervise patient			✓
Reviewed learn by Carer			✓
Assess Family/Caregiver involvement with patient's hygiene			✓
Assess Family/Caregiver involvement with patient's feeding			✓
Assess Family/Caregiver involvement with patient's nappy changing			✓
Encourage Family/Caregiver to participate in medication administration			✓
Encourage Family/Caregiver to participate during procedures			✓
All plan discussed and completed with patient/caregiver			✓
Unassigned by 43 users	13-Dec-2017 14:15 AEST		✓

