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| TITLE: Updating Patient Demographics in Sunquest to Match EPIC Registration Changes |

Purpose:

To describe the procedure used to update the Sunquest record when Epic name corrections do not cross the Epic/Sunquest interface electronically.

Procedure:

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| 1 | Patient Name Changes* When patient name changes or corrections are made in the Epic Registration system but the change has not crossed the interface into Sunquest, the following may occur:
* The previous name shows up in SQ when the MRN is queried.
* The ADT labels, armband, requisitions all have the new name.
* There is no record of the new/corrected name in Sunquest.
* The active sample may have been collected and labeled when the previous name was active in Epic prior to the change. A new sample with the corrected name must be drawn and retested.
* Blood products may have been crossmatched when the previous name was active in Epic prior to the change. These products will have to be crossmatched with a confirmation sample.
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| 2 | Verify that the new/corrected name was the same patient as the previous name by signing into EPIC Web and checking the alias names.* Sign into Epic Hyperspace using your UW medicine sign on.
* Click on Review or Encounter
* Type in the current MRN for the patient, click Find Patient
* Verify name and date of birth
* Under Demographics, look for patient alias names. The previous name must appear in order to ensure that the both names belong to the original patient.
* Print a screenshot showing the alias.
* Get review by a second technologist.
* Leave for review by TSL manager.
 | Patient DemographicCorrection Form |
| 3 | Patient Name or DOB corrections due to typos or misspellingsNOTE: Any name *change* must be verified by following the actions in Section 2 above before making a change in Sunquest. If the alias does not appear, the Sunquest change cannot be made without manager approval. |  |

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| 4 | If there was correction of a misspelling or typo during registration (can be either name or DOB), or if there was a name change that is verified in Epic Hyperspace with an alias, the patient information can be corrected/changed in Sunquest as follows:* Sign into Sunquest
* Go to Admin Data Entry
* Enter the patient’s MRN
* Make a screen print of this screen, marked “before”.
* Change the demographic information to reflect the new Epic Registration information.
* Include any changed elements, i.e. name, MRN, DOB.
* NOTE: Trauma DOB (1/1/1888) should be changed to actual DOB.
* Click on the “SAVE” button on the screen.
* Take a screen shot and print this screen, mark it “After”
* Attach both the “Before” and “After” printouts to the Patient Demographic Correction Form.
* Get review by a second technologist.
* Leave for Manager review.
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