

# Record INR measurements

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Use the Observations module to record a patient's INR. Entering this information allows you to monitor changes over time, and the module can display these changes graphically.

For other observation options, see [physical measurements](#), [pathology results](#) and [respiratory functions](#). You can also record 14 different examinations using the [Templates module](#).

The Observations module can be used to:

- View measurements from earlier encounters by changing the Date of Observations field.
- Enter backdated results by changing the Date of Observations field before entering the data.
- Update past measurements and results using the [Summary Views](#).

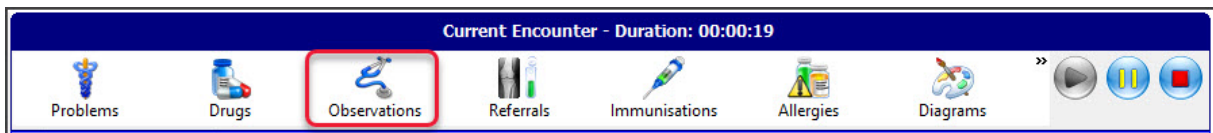
To record INR observations:

1. Start an encounter with the patient.

For a detailed explanation of how to do this, see the [Start an encounter article](#).

When the encounter starts, the **Current Encounter** menu will open and display the clinical modules.

2. Select **Observations** from the **Current Encounter** menu.



The **Observations and Measurements** screen will open.

3. Select the **INR** tab.
4. If the measurements were taken prior to the encounter, change the **Date of Observations** field to the appropriate date.
5. Use the fields provided to record the observations.

## Graphs

Select the graph icon next to a measurement to display the results over time.

## Current Encounter notes

Use the Current Encounter section at the bottom to record additional clinical notes.

6. To record another set of observations, select the **Add Another Set of Observations** button at the top.

This saves the current observations and clears the fields so you can enter more. You can use the same date again or select a different date using the **Date of Observations** field.

7. Select **OK** to save and exit.

The results will be saved to the **History View**. When you refresh, they will also appear in [Summary Views](#) under **Measurements**.










### Current Encounter field

When you enter measurements, they are added to the **Current Encounter** field at the bottom of the **Observations and Measurements** screen. When you close the Observations module, you can still change this information in the clinical notes field, shown in the screenshot below under Undefined Problem.

### History View

Once the consultation is closed, the information in the **Current Encounter** notes is added to the **History View**. You cannot edit the information in the History View, but you can right-click the date of the consultation, select **Add further Notes** and add an addendum.

**Current Encounter - Duration: 04:10:26**

 Problems
  Drugs
  Observations
  Referrals
  Immunisations
  Allergies
 




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





**Undefined Problem**

RFE:   Use Coded RFEs

Physical: Height: 153; Weight: 67; BMI: 28.62;

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**History View**










 Oldest Encounter: 17/03/2021  
 Visible: Last 10 Consultations

**13/10/2021 (Wed) 10:30am with Dr Phillip Davis at MED, for 4h 10m 16s**  
 No RFE  
 Physical: Height: 153; Weight: 67; BMI: 28.62;

**13/10/2021 (Wed) 10:17am with Dr Phillip Davis at MED, for 0m 10s**  
 No RFE

**12/10/2021 (Tue) 2:53pm with Dr Phillip Davis at MED, for 3m 46s**  
 No RFE