Telemetry Application/Discontinuation

Problem Summary: With the initial implementation of the CSIP Telemetry initiative, documentation of telemetry monitoring start/stop did not align with nursing workflow, resulting in end-user confusion in the documentation of accurate start/discontinue dates/times. Despite best practice guidelines for re-evaluating the patient every 48 hours for clinical necessity by the provider, continuous telemetry monitoring orders are being submitted.

Solution Summary: Remove the continuous telemetry monitoring option from the provider order for Initial Telemetry Monitoring. Create a new standard Renew 48-hour Telemetry Monitoring order. The placement of the initial 48-hour telemetry monitoring order will generate an orderable intervention on the nurse's worklist for accurate capture of the application date/time and discontinuation date/time. The Manage, Refer, Contact, Notify will only have options for Telemetry interruption and Telemetry Restart.

Current Orders	Category ▼	Ordering Provider	Start	Renew/Stop	Status
Admit,Discharge,Transfer					
Admission [Admission Status] STAT	ADT	Cosign01, Provider	08/28/23 11:04		Active
Care					
Maita's Test Order 1 Routine	Care	Hospitalist01, Provider	04/21/23 13:06		Ordered
Telemetry Monitoring - Nurse Assessment ONCE	Care	Attending01, Provider, MD	01/11/24 12:22		Ordered
Dietary					
Cardiac/Heart Healthy Diet	Diet	MT, MEDITECH	08/11/23 14:30 Dinner		Ordered
Renewables					
Telemetry Monitoring - 48 hour ONCE	Renewables	Attending01, Provider, MD	01/11/24 12:09	01/13/24 12:09	Ordered

Here is the Telemetry Monitoring Nursing Intervention from the order's screen

Tele Application/Discontinuation intervention will be displayed on the worklist

The intervention has two required fields for the **Application: DATE** and **TIME**.

Staff can use the free text field to enter a **Telemetry Box number**.
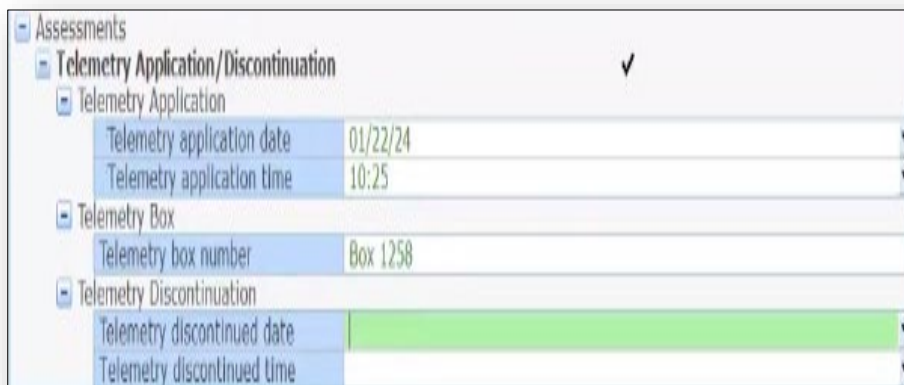
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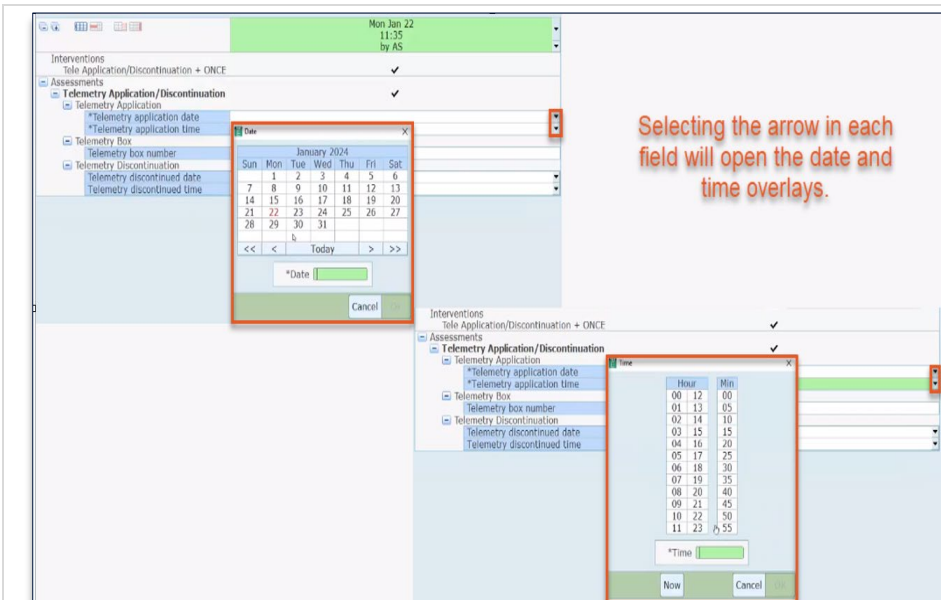
Enter the **Telemetry Application date** and **time** manually, or use the shortcuts "**T**" for Today and "**N**" for Now.
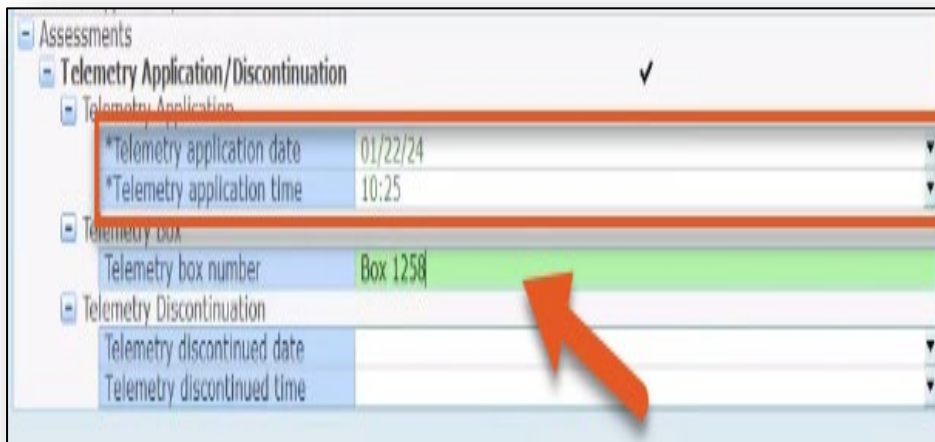
Here is an example.

Note: Future dates and times will not be accepted by the system

Select **Save and Exit** to file the screen.

When documenting Discontinuation, enter the **DATE** and **TIME**.
The system will pull in the previously documented information, as the screenshot shows.

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Here is an example.

Selecting the arrow will open the data and time overlays as shown in the application.

Note: Future dates and times will not be accepted by the system.

Select **Save and Exit** to file the screen.

After documenting the **Discontinuation date** and **time**, the intervention should be **Completed** by clicking in the Status/Due column and then selecting **Complete**.

This will remove the Intervention from the worklist cleaning up the Nurse's display.

NOTE: A new intervention will populate the Worklist if Telemetry is re-ordered by the Provider.

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Manage, Refer, Contact, Notify intervention will also display on the worklist

The **Manage, Refer, Contact, Notify** Intervention will have only two options in the Reason notified field:
Telemetry Interruption and **Telemetry restart**.

Select **Save and Exit** to file the screen once all fields have been completed.

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