Add an Anaesthetic Alert in TrakCare

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Start

- The guide will show you how to add an anaesthetic alert e.g. airway management problems.
- Adding an allergy is a similar process, but is not covered in this presentation.
- The example in this presentation is just an example and does not mean that all grade 2 laryngoscopies should be recorded.
- The decision as to what is an appropriate alert to record is down to the individual anaesthetist's clinical judgement.

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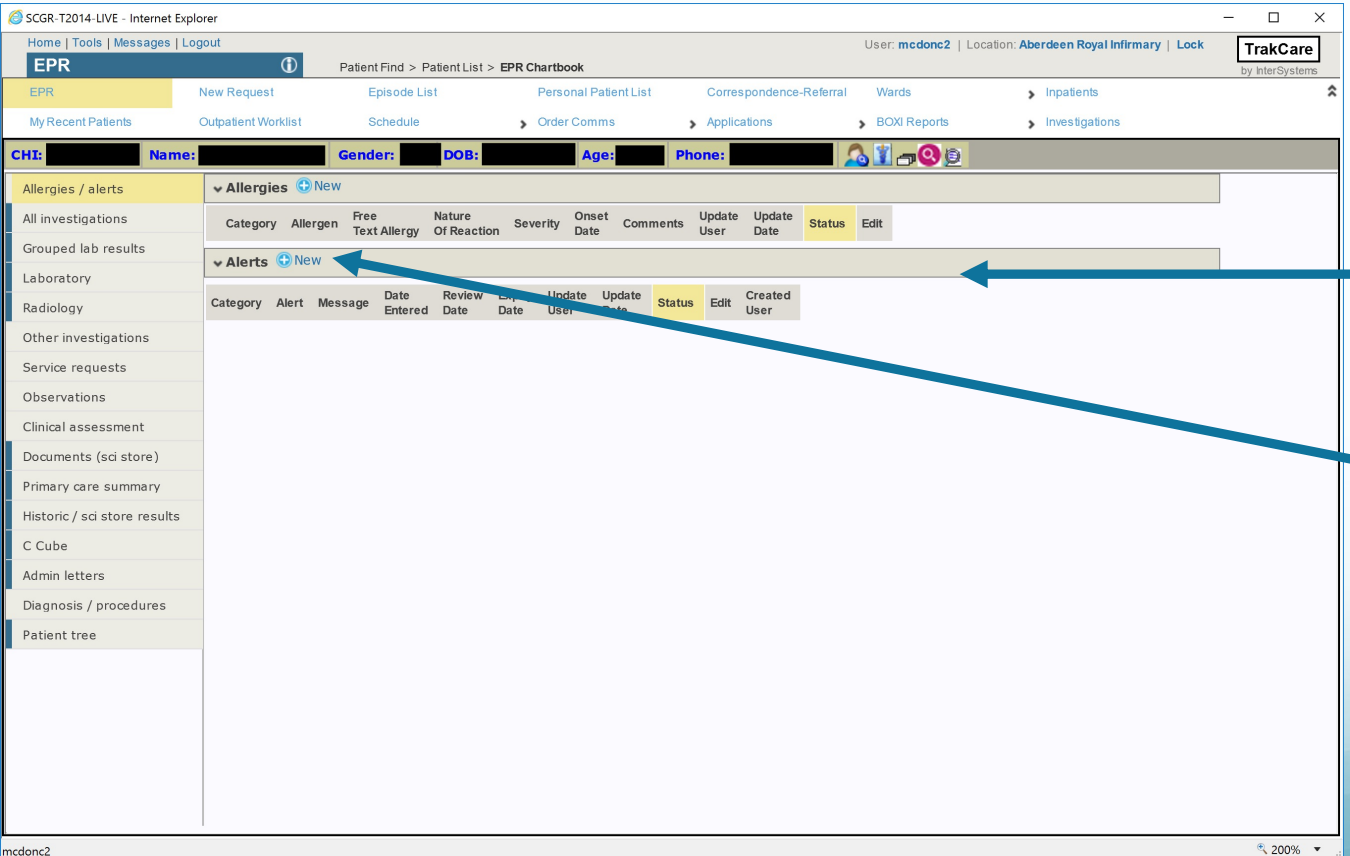
Open the EPR for your patient



- Allergies / Alerts is the first page to display.
- Allergies and alerts are shown here.
- Click on New in the Alerts section to record an anaesthetic alert or hazard.
- A new window will open.

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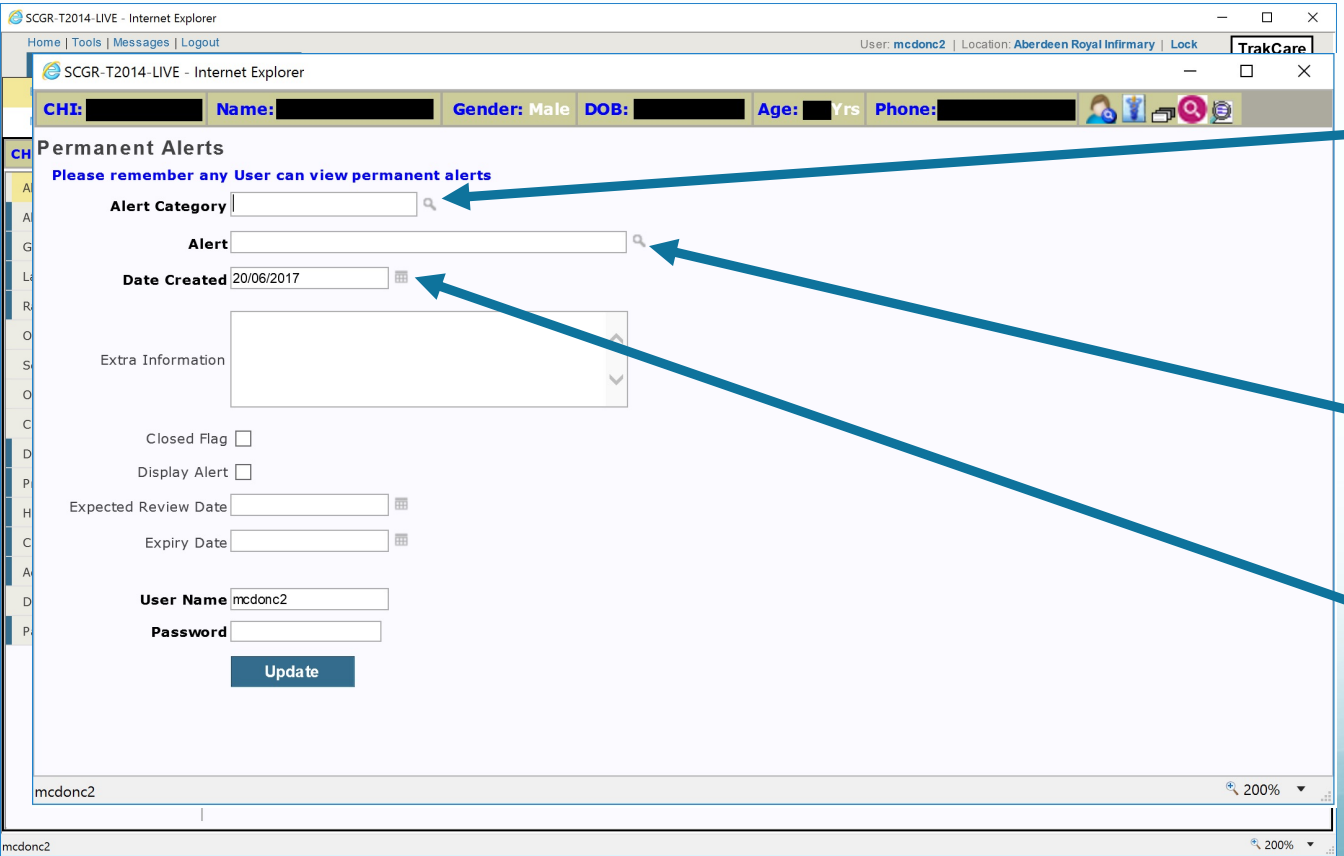
Alert Window



- Click on the spyglass to select Alert Category and choose **Clinical**.
- Click on the Alert spyglass and choose **Anaesthetic Risk**.
- The date will default to today.

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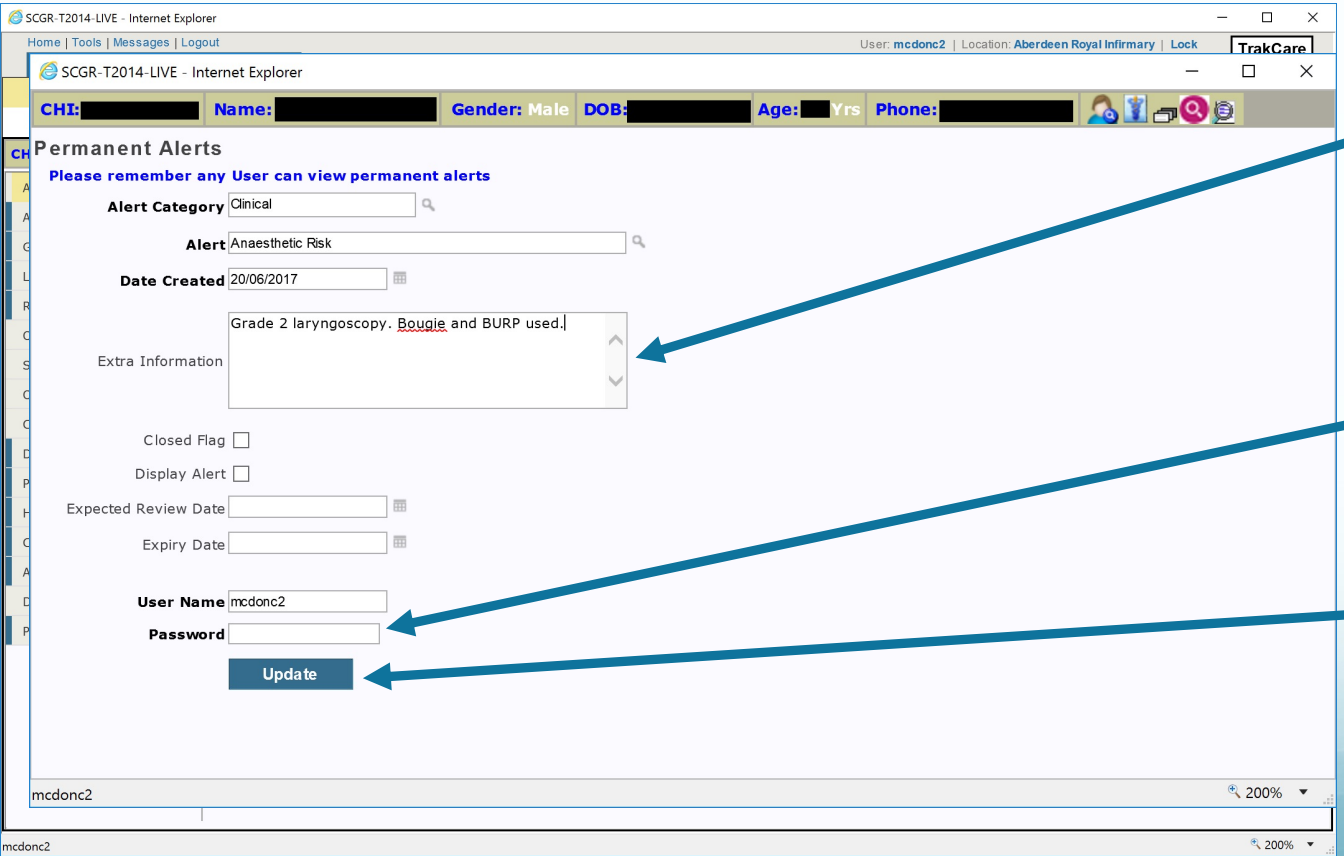

- Enter brief details of the risk here .
- Enter your password here.
- Click Update.

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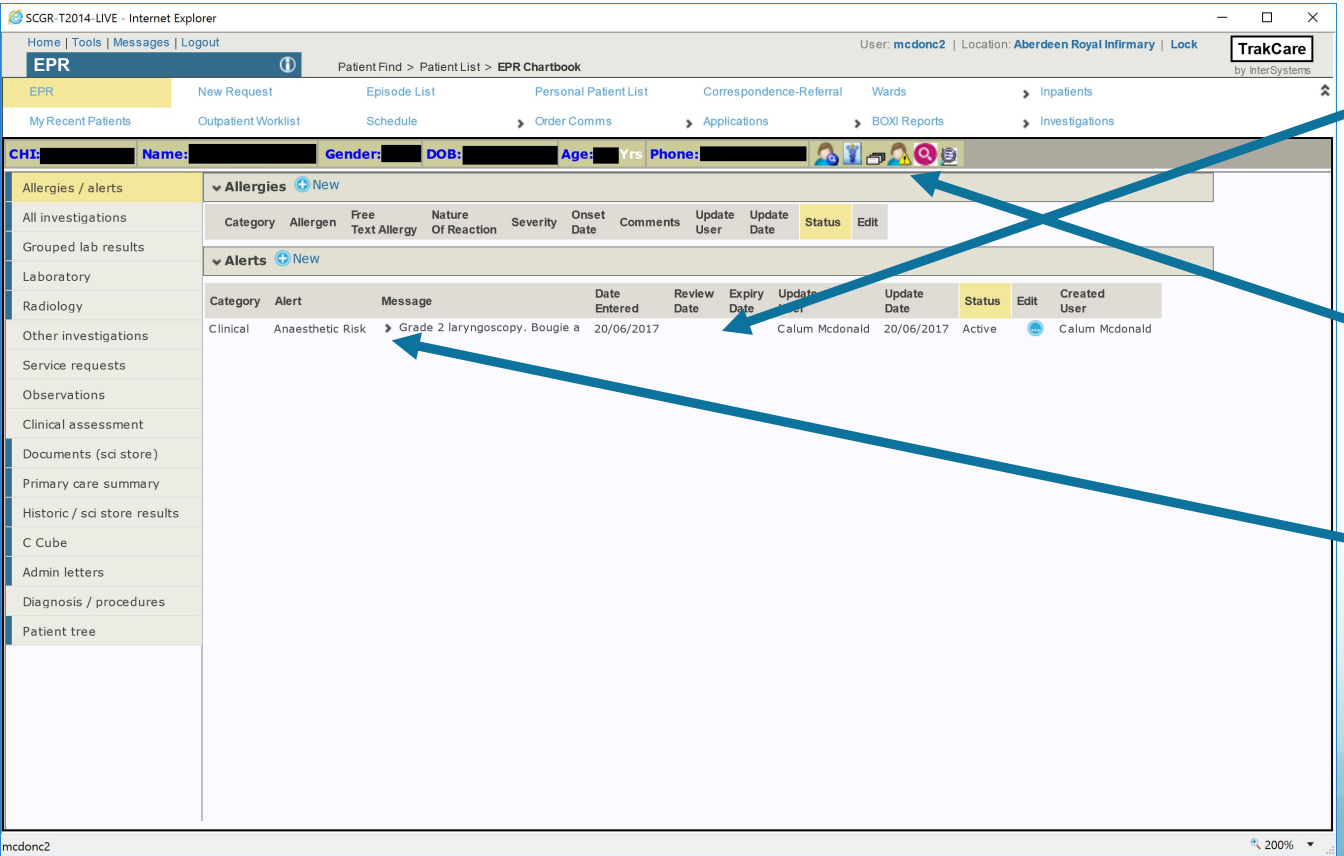
Alert Added



- The alert now shows on this screen.
- There is also an Alert icon in the patient banner.
- Click on this arrow to show the full message.

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The end

- The procedure for adding allergies is similar. Just click on the New link in the Allergies section.
- Any problems, contact the IT Service Desk online or by phone – 54444, or email me:
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