

# Add an Anaesthetic Alert in TrakCare

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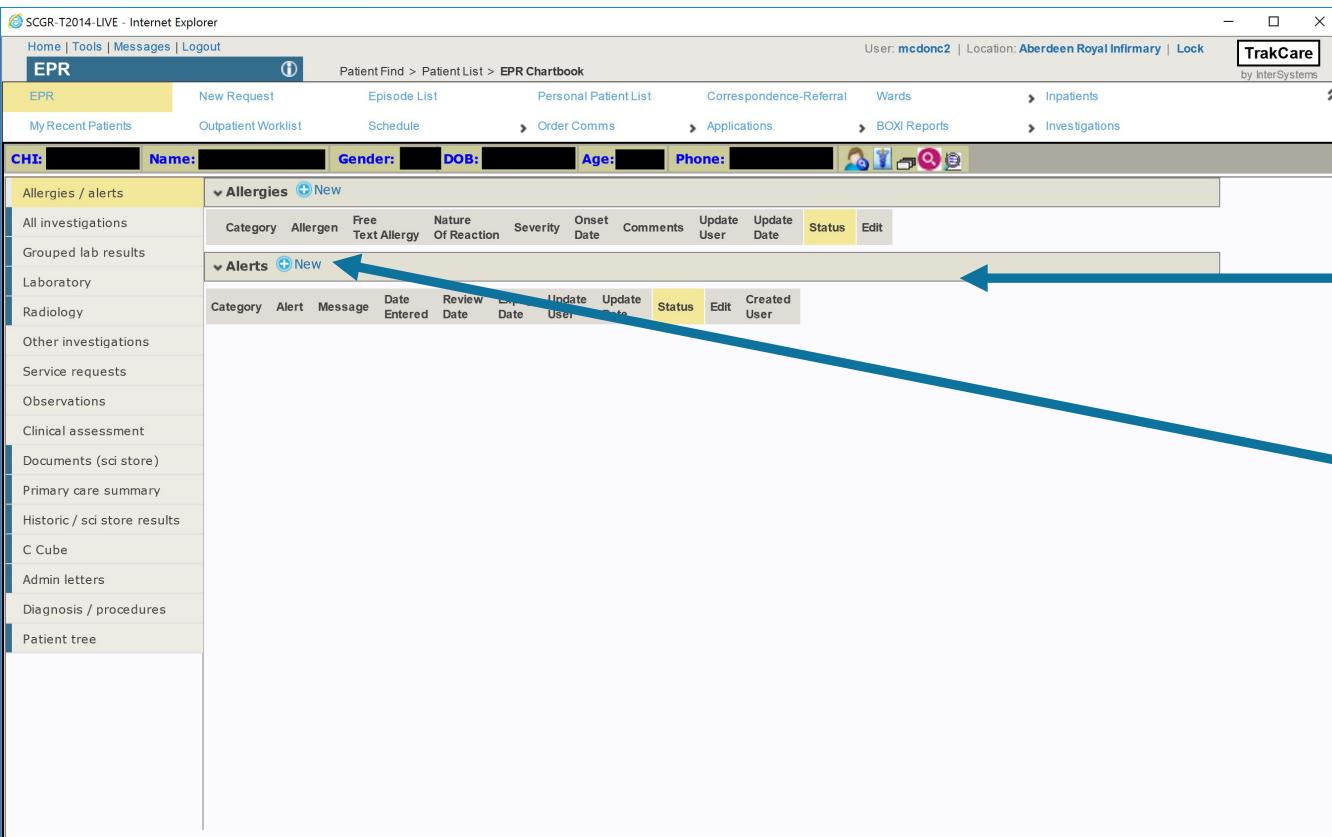
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# Start

- 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.

# Open the EPR for your patient



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Home | Tools | Messages | Logout

**EPR** Patient Find > Patient List > EPR Chartbook

User: mcdonc2 | Location: Aberdeen Royal Infirmary | Lock

TrakCare by InterSystems

EPR New Request Episode List Personal Patient List Correspondence-Referral Wards Inpatients

My Recent Patients Outpatient Worklist Schedule Order Comms Applications BOXI Reports Investigations

CHI: [REDACTED] Name: [REDACTED] Gender: [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] Age: [REDACTED] Phone: [REDACTED] [Icons]

Allergies / alerts

All investigations

Grouped lab results

Laboratory

Radiology

Other investigations

Service requests

Observations

Clinical assessment

Documents (sci store)

Primary care summary

Historic / sci store results

C Cube

Admin letters

Diagnosis / procedures

Patient tree

Allergies New

Category	Allergen	Free Text Allergy	Nature Of Reaction	Severity	Onset Date	Comments	Update User	Update Date	Status	Edit

Alerts New

Category	Alert	Message	Date Entered	Review Date	Exp Date	Update User	Update Date	Status	Edit	Created User

- 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.

# Alert Window

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Home | Tools | Messages | Logout

User: mcdonc2 | Location: Aberdeen Royal Infirmary | Lock | TrakCare

CHI: [REDACTED] Name: [REDACTED] Gender: Male DOB: [REDACTED] Age: [REDACTED] Yrs Phone: [REDACTED]

Permanent Alerts

Please remember any User can view permanent alerts

Alert Category [REDACTED]

Alert [REDACTED]

Date Created 20/06/2017

Extra Information

Closed Flag

Display Alert

Expected Review Date [REDACTED]

Expiry Date [REDACTED]

User Name mcdonc2

Password [REDACTED]

Update

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- 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.

# Alert Window

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Home | Tools | Messages | Logout

User: mcdonc2 | Location: Aberdeen Royal Infirmary | Lock | TrakCare

CHI: [REDACTED] Name: [REDACTED] Gender: Male DOB: [REDACTED] Age: [REDACTED] Yrs Phone: [REDACTED]

Permanent Alerts

Please remember any User can view permanent alerts

Alert Category: Clinical

Alert: Anaesthetic Risk

Date Created: 20/06/2017

Extra Information: Grade 2 laryngoscopy. Bougie and BURP used.

Closed Flag:

Display Alert:

Expected Review Date: [REDACTED]

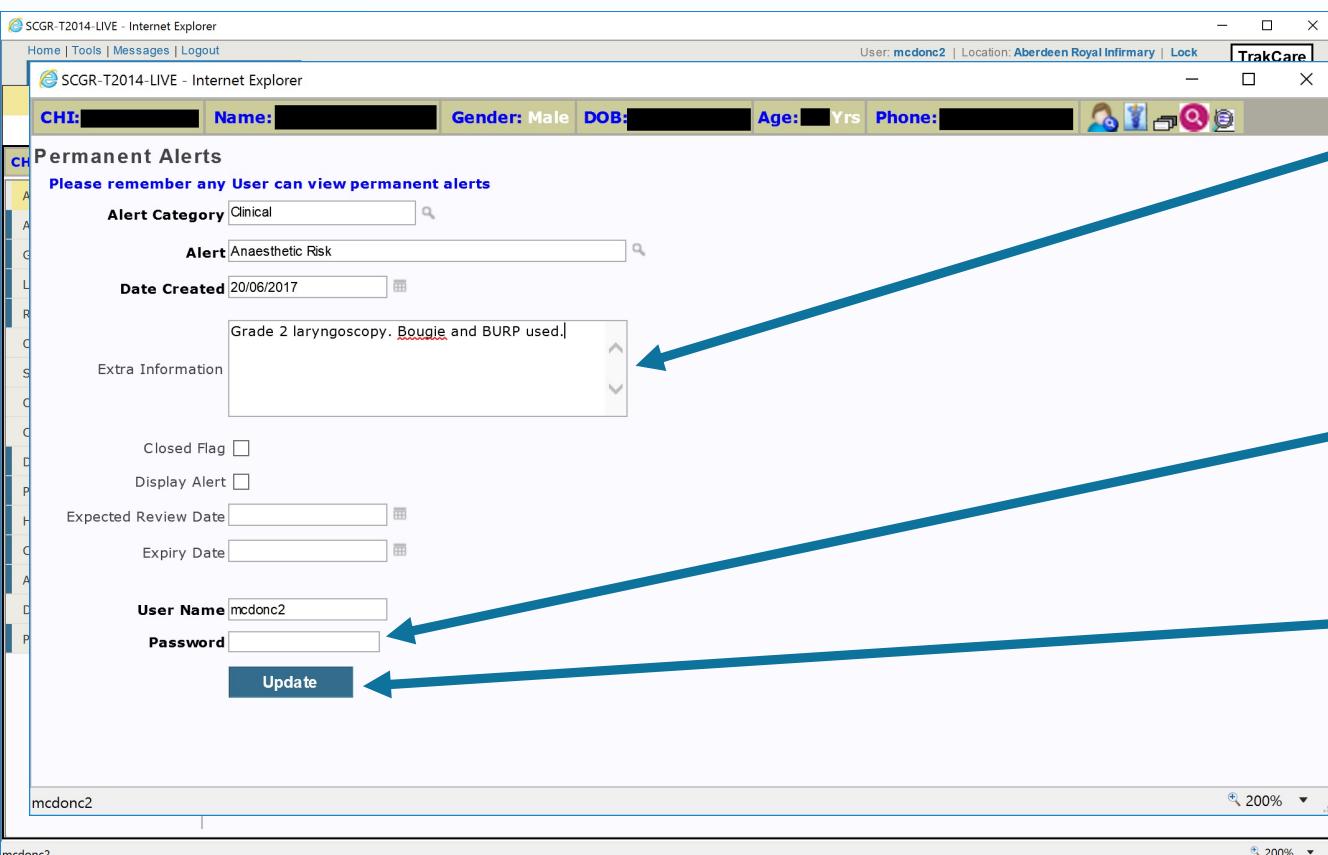
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User Name: mcdonc2

Password: [REDACTED]

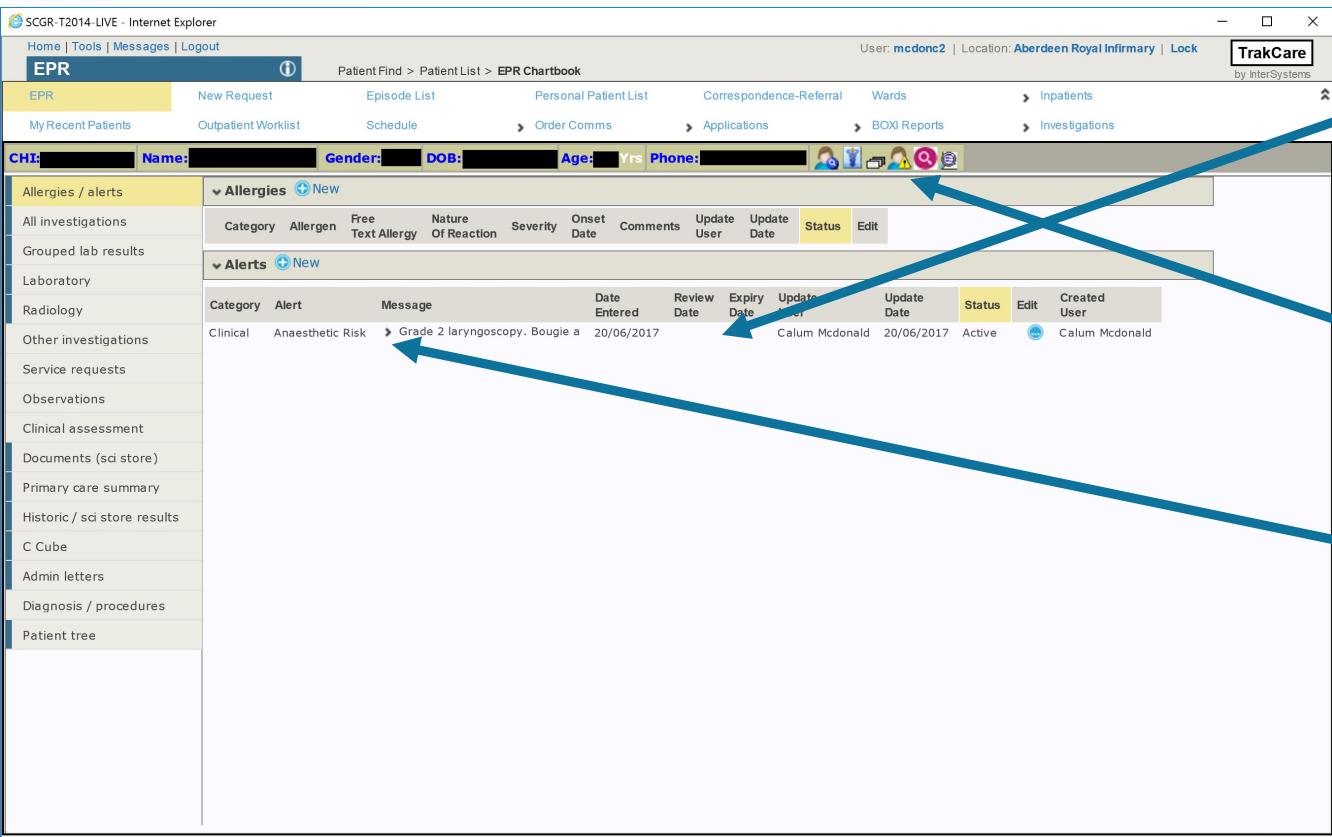
**Update**

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

# Alert Added



The screenshot shows the EPR Chartbook interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Home, Tools, Messages, Logout, and TrakCare. The main content area displays a patient's demographic information (CHI: [REDACTED], Name: [REDACTED], Gender: [REDACTED], DOB: [REDACTED], Age: [REDACTED] Yrs, Phone: [REDACTED]) and a toolbar with various icons. On the left, a sidebar lists clinical categories: Allergies / alerts, All investigations, Grouped lab results, Laboratory, Radiology, Other investigations, Service requests, Observations, Clinical assessment, Documents (sci store), Primary care summary, Historic / sci store results, C Cube, Admin letters, Diagnosis / procedures, and Patient tree. The main panel shows two tables: 'Allergies' and 'Alerts'. The 'Alerts' table has columns: Category, Alert, Message, Date Entered, Review Date, Expiry Date, Update User, Update Date, Status, Edit, and Created User. A single alert is listed: Clinical, Anaesthetic Risk, Grade 2 laryngoscopy. Bougie a, 20/06/2017, Calum McDonald, 20/06/2017, Active, Calum McDonald. A large blue arrow points from the text 'Click on this arrow to show the full message.' to the 'Message' column of the alert table. Another blue arrow points from the text 'There is also an Alert icon in the patient banner.' to the patient banner area at the top of the screen.

- 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.

# 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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