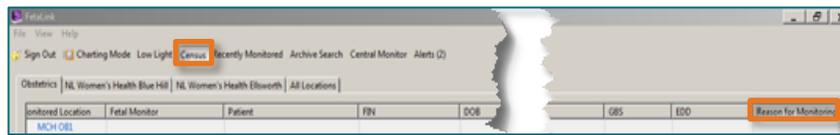


FetaLink is a maternal and fetal monitoring system that facilitates the flow of data from medical devices in a manner to support display needs of clinicians in the acute and ambulatory settings. Creating a Reason for Monitoring allows clinicians to see why the patient is on the monitor and aids in more efficient retrieval of the monitoring episode for viewing after being finalized.

Create a Reason for Monitoring

To create a **Reason for Monitoring**, must be logged into FetaLink.

STEP 1: From the **Census** view, click the **Reason for Monitoring** column to enter why the patient is currently being monitored.



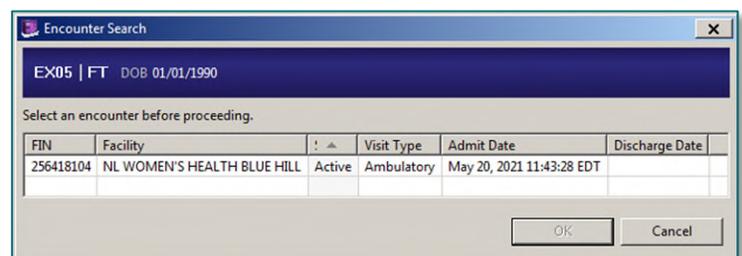
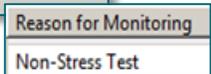
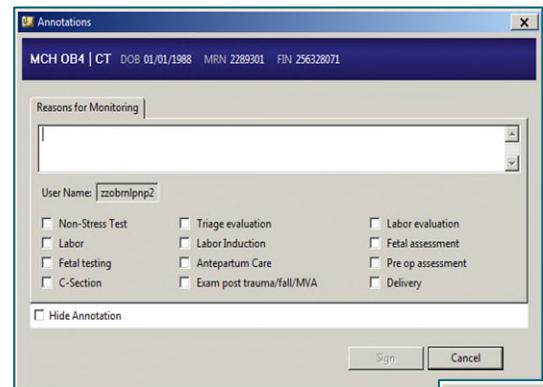
NOTE: The Reason for Monitoring annotations cannot be edited after the initial creation; however, they can be re-entered. The most recent annotation is displayed in the Census perspective, all annotations are viewable in the Annotations Summary.

STEP 2: In the **Annotations** window, enter the **Reasons for Monitoring** by selecting from the **Quick Picks** or by entering a free-text reason.

NOTE: Remember not to document discrete data as a free text in the annotations. Use quick picks as much as possible. More than one quick pick can be selected.

STEP 3: Select **Sign**.

- The **Reason for Monitoring** now displays.
- When manually searching for a patient by name or MRN, the encounter search window will open, select the appropriate encounter, the **Reason for Monitoring** window will open.
- When manually searching for a patient using a FIN or using the barcode scanner, the encounter search window will not open.



- When finalizing the strip, the **Finalize Episode** window will appear. If the reason for monitoring needs to be updated, it can be updated at that time.

Finalize Episode

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Are you sure you want to finalize and end the patient's current episode?

Reason for Monitoring

Non-Stress Test

Non-Stress Test Triage evaluation Labor evaluation
 Labor Labor Induction Fetal assessment
 Fetal testing Antepartum Care Pre op assessment
 C-Section Exam post trauma/fall/MVA Delivery

Send a PDF of the entire episode to the patient's chart. The requested PDF will be available in the patient's chart when the export is complete.

Yes No