

FetaLink is a maternal and fetal monitoring system that facilitates the flow of data from medical devices in a manner that supports display needs of clinicians in the acute and ambulatory settings. Finalizing a fetal monitoring episode ensures the documentation occurs on the correct FIN.

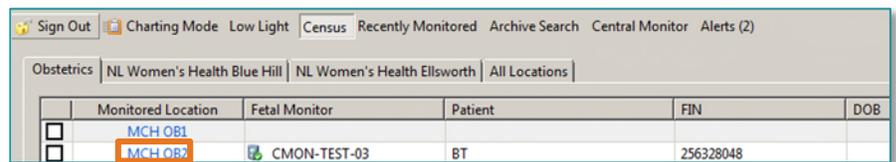
Finalizing a Fetal Monitoring Episode

Your patient's fetal monitoring episode is ready to be finalized when monitoring is complete and any necessary annotations are documented on the fetal waveform.

STEP 1: Sign in to FetaLink and access the single patient view.

STEP 2: Click **Census** view.

- Choose the blue hyperlink that corresponds with the patient's room, bed, or hold location.



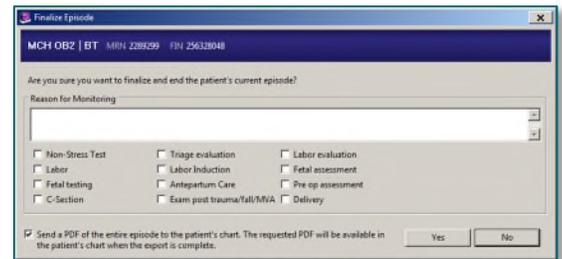
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STEP 3: Select **Finalize**.

STEP 4: If not entered previously, document the patient's reason for monitoring. Click **YES** to disassociate the patient from the fetal monitor and finalize the episode.

- The window closes, returning to the Census View and the patient is no longer listed.



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 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

NOTE: When a patient is being transferred, all annotations need to be completed and finalization needs to begin as soon as possible. Finalizing a Fetal Monitoring episode can take a while to complete based on the length of the monitoring episode. Once completed the receiving NLH facility will be able to view the finalized documentation.

NOTE: When a patient returns for another fetal monitoring episode and the previous one hasn't been finalized, the current fetal monitoring episode may be captured on the previous FIN.

Viewing Status of Fetal Monitoring Episode

Any patient still associated to a monitor will display on the Census View.

STEP 1: Select **Recently Monitored** from the toolbar.



- STEP 2:** All patients who have been monitored within the past 72 hours will display.
- If all units for location are displaying, the unit can be selected from the dropdown.
 - The status will display and where the finalized strip can be found.



Unit	Monitored Location	Patient	DOB	Status	Disassociation Time	Provider	Reason for Monitoring
Obstetrics	Archive	*BT		Finalized (In progress)	Jul 30, 2021 10:55	TEST MD, PROVIDER	
NL Women's Health Ellsworth	EX05	*FT		Disassociated	Jun 24, 2021 10:36	Provider Unknown	

- If a strip hasn't been finalized and has only been disassociated, finalization can occur from this location by selecting the **Monitored Location** hyperlink for the patient.
- The chart will open, select **Finalize**.

