

McKesson's Community Hospital and Physician Practice Solutions

Improve physician workflow, patient convenience and patient safety

Paragon®
Community Healthcare
Information System



Practice Partner® Electronic
Medical Record and
Practice Management

Together Paragon® and Practice Partner® provide a complete hospital and physician practice solution that improves physician workflow and patient convenience.

Features and Benefits

- Automate lab and radiology orders from physician practice to hospital
- Give physicians access to lab and radiology results eliminating the cost and hassle of paper/faxed results
- Offer consistent demographic information to avoid duplication
- Save patient time and improve satisfaction by eliminating the need for referred patients to re-register when presenting at the hospital
- Provide hospitals with a competitive advantage by making it easier for physicians to refer patients
- Reduce the potential for duplicate data by generating a unique patient identifier, which can be stored and sent through Practice Partner

Connecting Hospitals
and Physicians for
Enhanced Patient Care



Integration capabilities can vary depending on client server/ASP environment.

Person master updates: Patient demographic information flows between Paragon and Practice Partner, such as, patient name, address, age, gender and phone. Both electronic medical records (EMR) and practice management are required.

Orders: Lab and radiology orders are quickly generated directly from Practice Partner to Paragon. Orders from Practice Partner that are scheduled procedures will create schedule requests within Paragon.

Results: Lab and radiology results are generated from Paragon to Practice Partner.

Two Solutions: Better Care for Patients



Inbound to Paragon

Person Master Updates: Demographics

Information includes patient name, gender, race, date of birth, address, phone numbers, marital status, Social Security number and attending physician ID number.

Enterprise Person Number

Paragon will only create a visit for patients with an inbound order. Paragon will accept and store the Practice Partner unique patient identifier. Inbound information will look for a match on Paragon unique identifier (if present); Practice Partner unique identifier; then first name, last name, date of birth and gender.

If the person exists, Paragon will perform appropriate action of message (e.g., updates, etc.). If the person does not exist, Paragon will add the person and then perform appropriate action.

Lab and Radiology Orders

Paragon will locate (or add) the person in the database and create a visit (including insurance and guarantor information) and the order on that visit. Laboratory Orders include the ordering physician. Orders from Practice Partner that are scheduled procedures will create schedule requests within Paragon.

Outbound to Practice Partner

Person Master Updates: Demographics

Information includes patient name, gender, race, date of birth, address, phone numbers, marital status, Social Security number and attending physician ID number. Paragon uses attending physician ID to direct demographic messages to appropriate Practice Partner practice.

Enterprise Person Number

Paragon will send the Paragon unique identifier and the stored Practice Partner unique patient identifier on all outbound transactions for patient matching.

Lab and Radiology Results

Paragon will send lab and radiology results to Practice Partner. Lab results will include general lab, reference lab and microbiology and will populate the Lab Review section of Practice Partner. Radiology results will populate the Note Review section of Practice Partner. Physicians will have the ability to view these lab and radiology results via Practice Partner and Paragon® WebStation for Physicians as part of their normal work queue.

Paragon WebStation for Physicians allows quick access to patient care information in the Paragon hospital information system via the Web or an Intranet — anytime, anywhere, from any Internet device.

Two Award-Winning Solutions

Paragon Health Information System

A clinical and financial information solution named Best in KLAS¹ in the community hospital information system category in the Top 20: 2008 Year-End Best in KLAS report issued by KLAS Enterprises, LLC. Paragon offers low cost of ownership, ease of use, comprehensive clinicals, a single-vendor revenue cycle solution and familiar Microsoft® technology.

Practice Partner EMR and Practice Management

A 2008 certified EMR, recognized by the Certification Commission for Healthcare Information Technology (CCHITSM); Practice Partner² fully integrated software includes a multi-clinic scheduler; and a comprehensive medical billing solution. Practice Partner received best EMR rankings (5 stars) in 2008 from AC Group and has helped more than 8,000 providers nationwide improve productivity and enhance quality of care.

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² Practice Partner Release 9.2 is a CCHIT CertifiedSM product for Ambulatory EHR for 2008.