Consult/Request Tracking Setup Checklist

ACTIVITY	STATUS	RESPONSIBLE	COMMENTS
1. DEFINE CONSULT HIERARCHY			
A. Define Service Hierarchy – create entries in file #123.5 as needed to support Consult requesting processes within the facility.			SET UP CONSULT SERVICES option will create orderable items for CPRS.
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2) "ALL SERVICES" is always the top of the service hierarchy – should not be deleted and/or changed in			
any way; must always be IEN #1 in file #123.5 and			
never a sub-service of any other service. 3) SERVICE USAGE – BLANK, GROUPER ONLY, OR TRACKING ONLY			
4) SERVICE PRINTER – After all printers are entered into the DEVICE file, assign SERVICE PRINTER to each consult service if auto-generating the consult			
request is desired. 5) DC PARAMETERS – notify and/or reprint when			
request discontinued			
6) DX/PREREQUISITE/DEFAULT REASON – 4 settings that control how the user enters a specific consult service request.			
7) IFC FIELDS – see section 2 on implementing INTERFACILITY CONSULTS			
8) USER/NOTIFICATION PROCESSING – 13 fields related to who can update/process requests for the consult service			
 SUB-SERVICE/SPECIALTY – Designate the sub- services for a particular consult service (e.g. for MEDICINE, maybe CARDIOLOGY, 			

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PULMONARY, DERMATOLOGY, etc.)			
B. Create Consult Services to interface with the Prosthetics			
Package			
1) COPY PROSTHETICS SERVICES option. Some			
fields are not editable as per the Prosthetics program			
office therefore; the COPY function retains the			
"required" information but allows service names to be			
appended with location information.			
C. Helpful reports for CONSULT HIERARCHY definition			
1) DUPLICATE SUB-SERVICE – used to help identify			
if a SUB-SERVICE has been associated with 2			
consult services.			
D. LIST CONSULT SERVICE HIERARCHY – used to see			
the actual hierarchy "structure" that has been created.			
2. INTER-FACILITY CONSULTS MANAGEMENT			
A. COORDINATION WITH PARTNERING FACILITIES			
1) Communication is key and sharing of exact consult			
service names is CRITICAL to facilitate a consult			
being sent from one facility to another.			
2) RESTRICTIONS – PROSTHETICS and			
PROCEDURES that interface with the CLINICAL			
PROCEDURES package CANNOT be defined as			
IFC services.			
3) REQUESTING/SENDING FACILITY			
4) IFC ROUTING SITE – One exact entry from file #4			
INSTITUTION			
5) IFC REMOTE NAME – FREE TEXT field that must			
be an EXACT name match of the service name at the			
designated IFC ROUTING SITE			
6) CONSULTING/RECEIVING FACILITY			

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7) IFC SENDING FACILITY (multiple) – Multiple			
entries from file #4 INSTITUTION to designate the			
locations that can send this IFC request to the			
CONSULTING site.			
B. IFC PROCEDURE – REQUESTING FACILITY			
1) IFC ROUTING SITE – One exact entry from file #4			
INSTITUTION			
2) IFC REMOTE PROC NAME – FREE TEXT field			
that must be an EXACT name match of the procedure			
name at the designated IFC ROUTING SITE.			
C. IFC PROCEDURE – CONSULTING FACILITY			
1) IFC SENDING FACILITY (multiple) – Multiple			
entries from file #4 INSTITUTION to designate the			
locations that can send this IFC procedure request to			
the CONSULTING site			
D. TEST IFC IMPLEMENTATION – option allows			
REQUESTING SITE (only) to test the communication			
between the REQUESTING SITE and the			
CONSULTING SITE for any particular IFC CONSULT			
SERVICE; "CONGRATULATIONS" message indicates			
successful communication link.			
E. IFC MAIL GROUP SETUP			
1) IFC PATIENT ERROR MESSAGES – Members			
should be able to resolve MPI related issues and/or			
register patients.			
2) IFC CLIN ERRORS – Members should be CAC			
types who can facilitate resolving clinically-related			
issues for the IFC.			
3) IFC TECH ERRORS – Member should be IT types			
who can facilitate resolving HL7-related issues.			

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F. IFC BACKGROUND JOB			
1) GMRC IFC BACKGROUND START UP.			
a) Tasked every 8 hours			
b) Upon System Startup			
c) Whenever TaskMan unexpectedly stops			
1) MONITOR IFC BACKGROUND JOB			
PARAMETERS – allows CAC & IT types to			
view the status of the GMRC IFC			
BACKGROUND STARTUP task.			
3. MEDICINE INTERFACE			
A. PROCEDURE SETUP – add procedures to GMRC			
PROCEDURES (#123.3)			
1) Very similar to creating a CONSULT SERVICE.			
2) Useful to create CONSULT SERVICES first then the			
procedures.			
3) RELATED SERVICES (multiple) – designate those			
consult services where this procedure is performed.			
4) TYPE OF PROCEDURE – pointer to MEDICINE			
package PROCEDURE/SUBSPECIALTY file			
#697.2; this link turns "ON" the interface between			
consult procedure and Medicine package procedure.			
5) IFC PROCEDURES can be created (see Section #2)			
6) LINK MEDICINE RESULTS TO CONSULT			
PROCEDURE REQUEST – done via CPRS,			
CONSULTS TAB			
7) REMOVE MEDICINE RESULTS FROM A			
REQUEST – controlled by USR USER CLASS			
membership associated with the REQUEST			
SERVICES associated with the PROCEDURE.			
4. TIU INTERFACE			

ACTIVITY	STATUS	RESPONSIBLE	COMMENTS
A. CONSULTS DOCUMENT CLASS within PROGRESS			
NOTES DOCUMENT CLASS			
1) Notes associated with completed consults will be			
viewable from CPRS/NOTES tab.			
B. CONSULTS DOCUMENT CLASS within CLINICAL			
DOCUMENTS CLASS			
1) Notes associated with completed consults will ONLY			
be viewable from CPRS/CONSULTS tab			
C. TIU DEFINE CONSULTS from TIU*1*4 will allow site			
to determine how they want to define their CONSULTS.			
D. LINK WITH REQUEST – to fix misdirected TIU notes			
that get associated w/the wrong consult request.			
5. PARAMETERS			
A. GMRC CONSULT LIST DAYS – How far back to find			
consult requests to associate w/notes			
B. ORWDX NEW CONSULT – On the CPRS/CONSULTS			
tab, allows CAC to configure an ordering menu for			
consult ordering (could be a menu of quick orders) C. ORWDX NEW PROCEDURE – On the			
CPRS/CONSULTS tab, allows CAC to configure an			
ordering menu for procedure ordering (could be a menu			
of quick orders)			
D. ORWOR SHOW CONSULTS – On CPRS/NOTES tab,			
shows the unresolved consults appropriate for patient and			
user (only those services where the user is an update user)			
when user is creating new notes (the "NAG" screen).			
6. QUICK ORDERS			
A. QUICK ORDERS allow you to control the consult-			
related prompts; fields can be pre-populated and the quick			
orders can then be placed on an ordering menu.			

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B. ORDER MENU MANAGEMENT option contains			
option ENTER/EDIT QUICK ORDER			
C. TIU TEMPLATES can be linked to CONSULT			
REASON FOR REQUEST via CPRS/OPTIONS/NOTES			
tab EDIT SHARED TEMPLATES.			