INTERNSHIP WEEKLY REPORT

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Started working on the Lassa module. "LASA" stands for look-alike sound-alike. The reduction of errors involving look-alike sound-alike (LASA) is a key focus of the Community Pharmacy Patient Safety Group's work . LASA medications involve medications that are visually similar in physical appearance/packaging and names of medications that have spelling similarities and/or similar phonetics. In this, we are proposing an alert that will pop up in the system while ordering or dispensing medicines under the LASA category. The same will be reflected in the patient's prescription, which will further reduce the chance of mishaps.generic names are listing in the module, for identifying same generic category of medicines and according to the name,item no tracking can be done. If lassa categoty present in any medicine, need to check the generic name and generic item and map them as lassa category. drug@fdadatabase & FDA national drug directory is used for identifying the category.