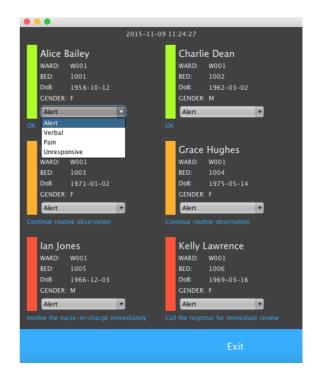Sam Davies s1220039

HCI Report
Task 2

The ward interface has been designed so that the users attention is guided to the information that is necessary to quickly find the health of a patient. By using a traffic light system for the health of the patient, patients that require aid jump out immediately. The colours do not need to be leaned since it is obvious that red means bad and green means good.

The most relevant information such as the patients name are in a larger font and the less important information such as a patients date of birth is in a smaller font. By providing the user with only the essential information in this kind of view, I have avoided cluttering the interface with too much information.

We can also see that the interface is consistent with the previous patient view so that the user who's that they are still in the correct application. The consistency is achieved by using the same font, sizes and colour scheme across the entire application.

The text which is used to warn the users about each patient is highlighted in blue but due to the limitations in terms of screen size, it was smaller than I intended it to be. In a real tablet application I would have used push notification to alert the user with sound, vibrations and text when a patient required immediate attention.