## 9. Comorbidities and Past Medical History - Requirements Specification

#### Introduction

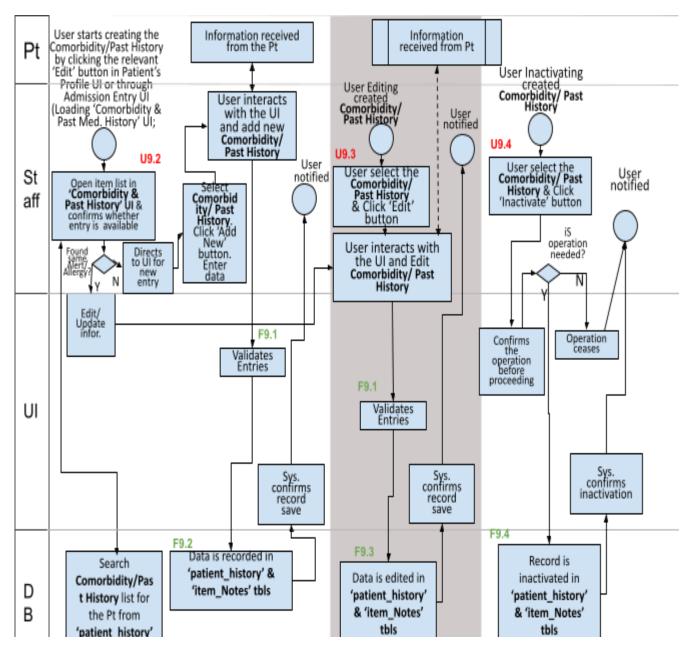
These are captured during the admission process, inward care, ED, or outpatient department. Sometimes these are flagged by the community and GPs. This information is important in the decision-making process in care and to include in the discharge communication to the community/GPs. These are entered at the admission, inward stay, outpatient direct patient communication, or as per GPs/community inputs by the clinical or ward-based clerical staff.

- There is a dedicated interface for this; 'Comorbidities & Past History' UI (Comorbidities\_PastHistory) which has the 'patient\_history' as the main backend table. 'Item\_notes' tbl is used to save notes related to an item (comorbidity/Past History). To list comorbidities and past conditions in relevant combos Snowmed data should be used.
- Need to upgrade old 'Add / Edit Past History' UI in Dompe
- This should be used by all clinical and ward clerks/admin staff (Accessibility is available in the 'Group\_Permission' tbl <u>link to DB Schema</u>; goto 'Group\_Permission' sheet)

#### **Needed additional functions**

- This should be captured into the patient profile with the date (not into the episode) as special information related to the patient.
- These entries should be auto-populated from past records.
- Should be validated during entries (drop-down lists).
- Should be used in decision-making in other modules (Special care for stroke patients with hypercholesteraemia).
- May need communication/integration with already available clinical systems and MHR
- The interface should facilitate entry of new comorbidity/past history for the Pt, if there is already an entered same comorbidity/past history for the same Pt that should be flagged to the user.
- Auto-filling, dropdown menus should be provided to validate entries and improve user-friendliness.
- This data might receive from other care providers or MHR electronically. In that case, that data should be obtained from different sources through an API/direct entry.
- Once executing user actions (U9.1 U9.4) always should check for the accessibility and privileges of the user (User Access Level) (Accessibility is available in the 'Group\_Permission' tbl <u>link to DB Schema</u>; goto 'Group Permission' sheet)
- Any change in the data (through F9.2- F9.4) of the main table should be recorded in the system log with Date, Time, User Name, Table, Field & Change
- Consumer entered Patient Comorbidities & Past Medical History data should be shown in this UI. Consumer
  data recorded in 'patient\_history\_CI' tbl (which has more or less the same fields as per 'Patient\_history'
  tbl).
- Further consumer should be able to validate provider entered Comorbidities & Past Medical History data and flagged into this UI (as 'Confirmed' or marked as 'Wrong')
- Further, correction of these entries as per consumer validation should be enabled. Consumer App gets provider data from the 'patient\_history' tbl to be checked by the consumer.
- In this comparison another field in the 'patient\_history' ('Consumer\_Checked' field) captures whether the consumer marks the record as 'Wrong' or 'Confirmed' as correct. Last Update date of the both consumer and provider entries should be taken into account in flagging mismatch.

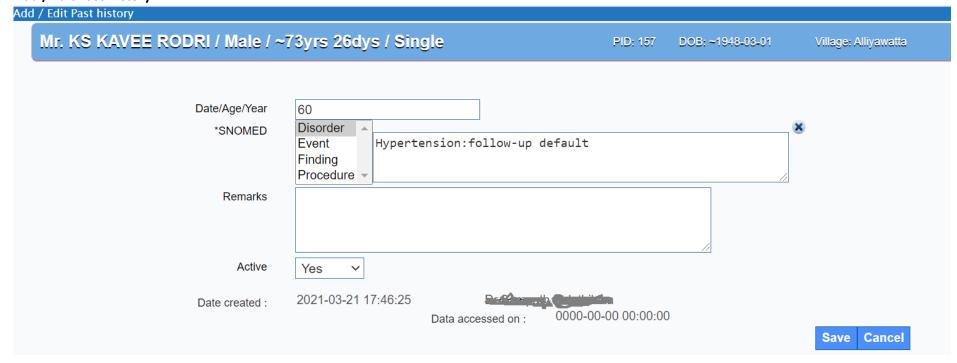
## Application Process - Create/Edit/Inactivate Comorbidities & Past Medical Issues of a patient



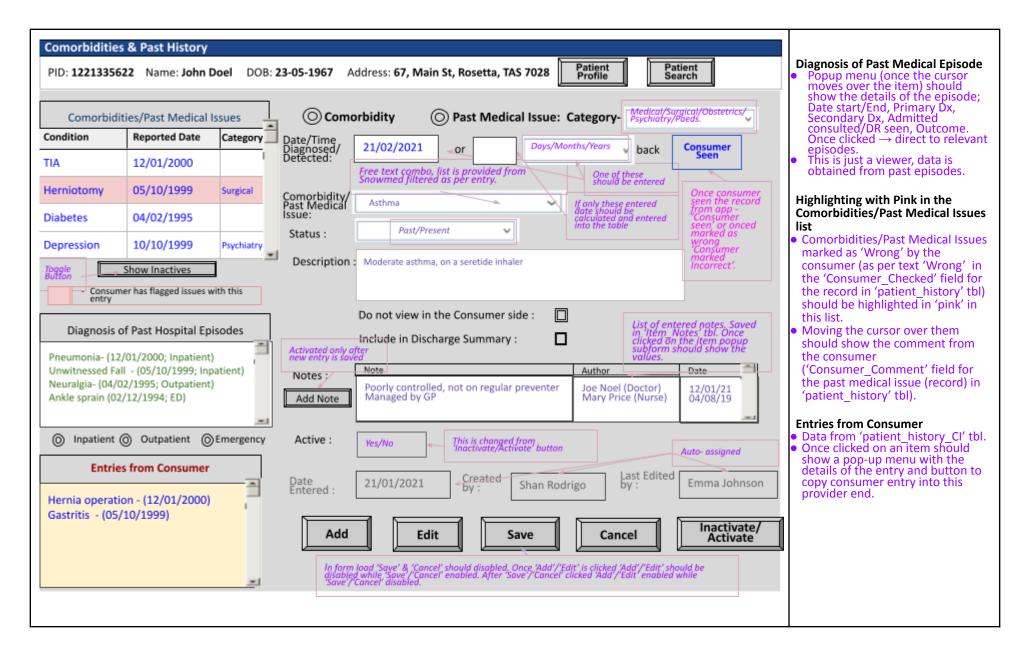
User Functions
U9.1 - Loading Comorbidity\_PastHistory
U9.2 - Create the new
Comorbidity\_PastHistory
U9.3 - Edit
Comorbidity\_PastHistory
U9.4 - Inactivate
Comorbidity\_PastHistory

System/DB Functions
F9.1 - Validating entries in creating a
Comorbidity\_PastHistory
F9.2 - Creating a
Comorbidity\_PastHistory
F9.3 - Edit
Comorbidity\_PastHistory
F9.4 - Inactivate
Comorbidity\_PastHistory

# Current UI 'Add / Edit Past History'

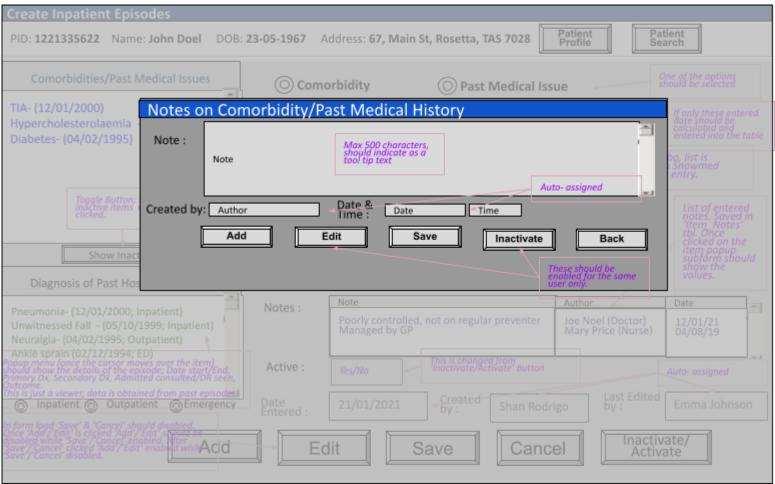


#### Suggested UI Improvements (Name: 'Comorbidities & Past History' → Comorbidities\_PastHistory)



#### **Adding/Viewing Notes**

- When the 'Add Note' button is clicked this should appear with blank input for add new.
- When a Note from the note list is clicked it should view the whole note as below and the provision for the user who entered the note should be able to edit/inactivate (Thus user name should be checked when trying to edit/update; except for Sys. Admin.).
- Once saved the Note should be recorded in 'Item\_Notes' table filling fields as follows; Note\_ID (auto increment), NPID (Pt ID), Item\_ID (ALERGYID, PATHISTORYID, etc.), Table\_ID (tbl of the items), UI\_ID, Note\_Body, CreateDate, CreateUser, CreateTime, LastUpDate, Active



## Consumer side entry

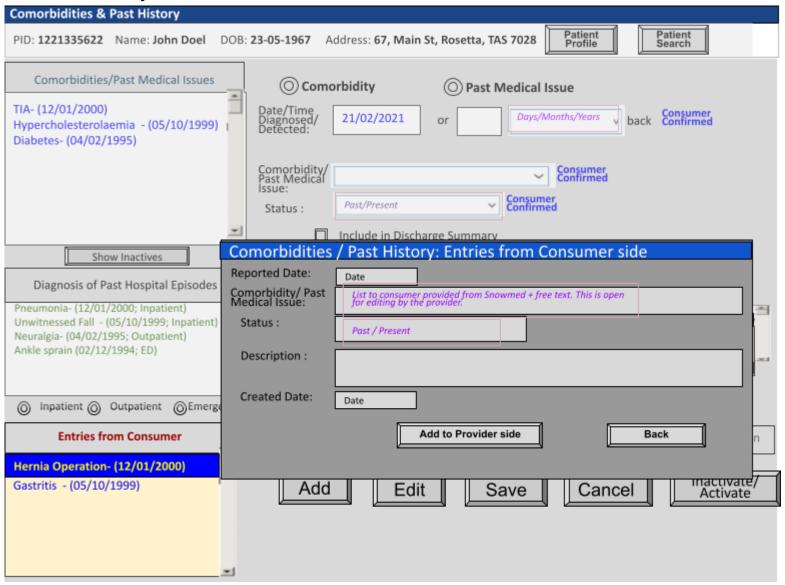


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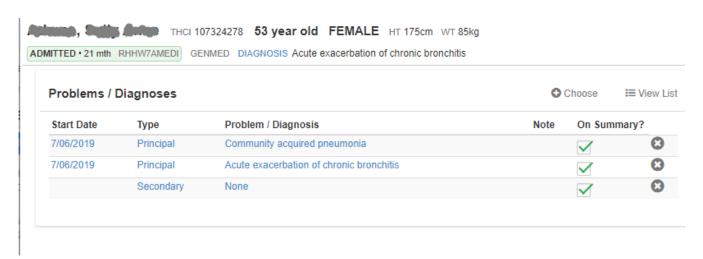
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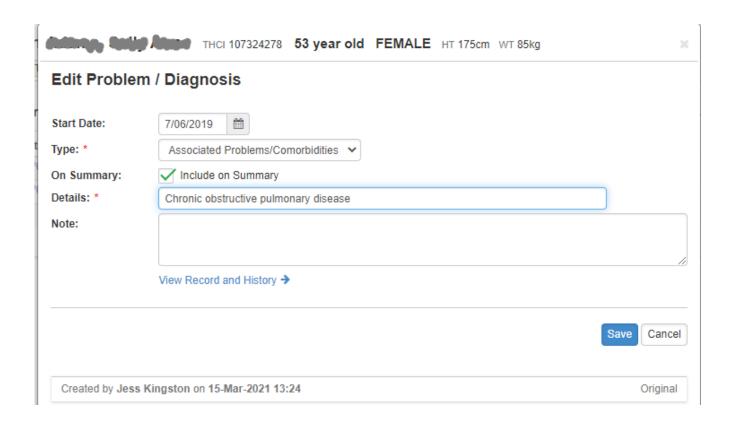
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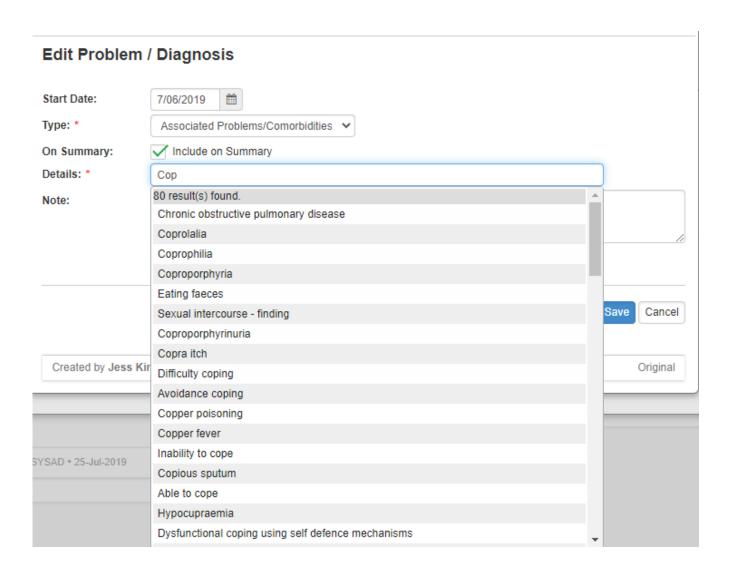
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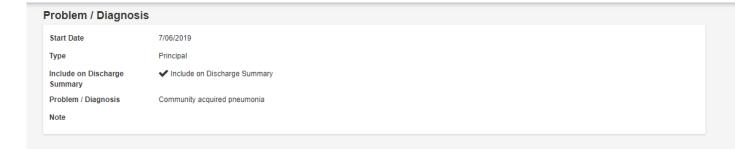
# **Examples**

# **HCS**

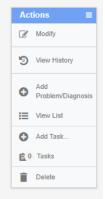








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