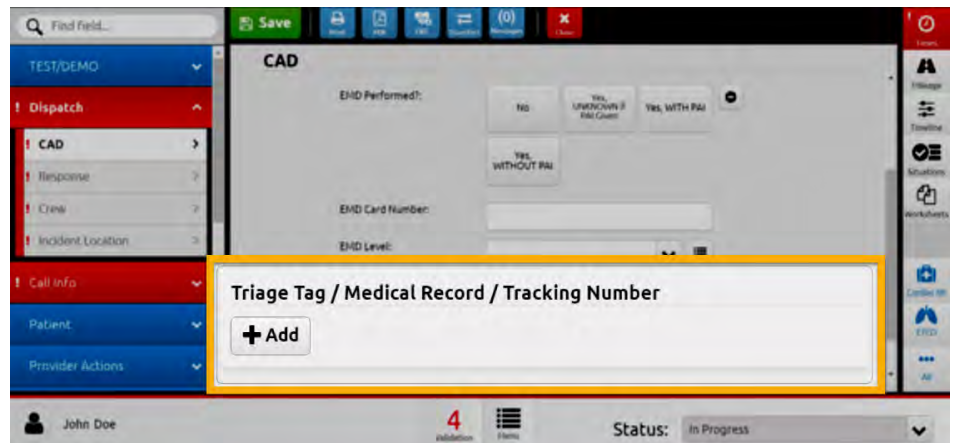




Overview

Changes were presented and approved on Thursday, July 11, 2024, regarding the external report type, which includes options for documenting various ID numbers like a facility’s medical record number (MRN), triage tag ID, or a law enforcement number. Below are the definitions for the available dropdown selections.



Definition

Account No.

A unique identifier assigned to a patient within a healthcare system. This permanent number connects a patient to their medical records and is used to track their medical history, diagnoses, treatments, and other crucial information within a health system.

Encounter/Visit No.

A unique identifier assigned each time a patient visits a healthcare facility. A single patient may have multiple encounter/visit numbers throughout their healthcare history.

Armband No.

A unique identifier given to a patient, typically found on their armband or sticker upon arrival. It is either the patient's account number or encounter/visit number when the specific identifier is not clearly distinguishable.

Destination vs. Pickup

Indicates whether the associated number corresponds to the patient's destination location or their pickup location.

Triage Tag

A unique number found on Triage Tag

Law Enforcement Report

A unique ID number issued by law enforcement, which may include the ID number assigned by police at a motor vehicle collision.

Secondary Incident No.

An additional incident number assigned by the county’s dispatch center.

Secondary PCR No.

A unique string automatically assigned to each patient care report (PCR) completed. This is captured from another crew, who completed a patient care report.

Other

Option available for types of numbers not clearly defined above, allowing the user to specify the type of number being collected in a free-text field.