

Tecsys Talk

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Get to Know Tecsys



Tecsys is here for you to manage medical supply inventory and costs with better supply-level tracking, as well as, clinical supply documentation throughout the health system. Teams are meeting daily to ensure issues are being resolved as quickly as possible. Your feedback is highly appreciated and continues to drive enhancements to the system.

Since the Tecsys implementation, the application has improved our visibility of supply movement and order efficiency. Read further to learn about the most recent updates, changes, and other information you need to know about Tecsys.



Latest Updates and Information

Upcoming Scheduled Downtime on Saturday, August 26th, 2023

- Supply order calculation enhancement
- Receipt performance enhancement
- CDUI items not crossing into Epic fix
- CDUI source location fix

- CDUI unable to document implants fix
- Cancelled cases duplicating items fix
- Missing financial transactions fix
- Supply order batch reprocess fix

Updates

- Review the top issues identified as part of the daily Tecsys status meeting
- Tecsys representatives will be on-site. Find out the schedule of where and when.
- Tecsys 'Wins': Review the latest enhancements that will improve your experience when using Tecsys
- Tecsys stability is improving
- Ensure new users have access to Tecsys

Tecsys Support & Trainings

Online Training

Learning Exchange Courses:

- CDUI Demo Cath, IR, GI, Endo
- CDUI Demo OR/OB

New and Updated Training Guides

- Adding Multiple Implants At One Time
 — CDUI for OR
- Tecsys CDUI Timeout Troubleshooting
- <u>Tecsys CDUI Changes to Tissue Docu-</u> mentation will occur on 08/05/2023



Tip

How do I know which bar code to

<u>Look for bar codes beginning</u> with "(01)"



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The feedback that has been expressed about Tecsys has been heard, and measures are being taken to make needed improvements. A daily status meeting occurs to identify issues that need to be addressed within Tecsys and to ensure action is taken to correct those issues. Here are a few of the top issues that are being worked on by the team.

1. Overall system stabilization

Item	Status
NAT space	a proposed solution from VEC to be reviewed
Network VPN	the root cause is under investigation
WD order processing	downtime procedures have been developed

- 2. CDUI issues: Case validation and items crossing over
- 3. Vendor Implant Tray item documentation
- 4. Upcoming Scheduled Downtime on Saturday, August 26th, 2023

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Tecsys representatives will be coming on-site. While on-site, they'll be looking to:

- determine how well VUMC is utilizing Tecsys
- identify 'pain points' and 'wins'
- gather feedback from clinicians
- gather feedback for supply chain personnel
- observe the end user experience
- develop key performance indicators and action plans related to assessment findings

Times	Location
Week of August 14 th , 2023	Vanderbilt Health Belle Meade
	6002 TN-100, Nashville, TN 37205
	Adult Hospital
	2201 West End Ave, Nashville, TN 37235
	Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital
	2200 Children's Way, Nashville, TN 37232
Week of September 18 th , 2023	Adult Hospital
	2201 West End Ave, Nashville, TN 37235
	Vanderbilt Bedford Hospital
	2835 US-231, Shelbyville, TN 37160
	Vanderbilt Tullahoma-Harton Hospital
	1801 N Jackson St., Tullahoma, TN 37388



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Updates

Tecsys 'Wins':

Review the latest enhancements that will improve your experience when using Tecsys.

- Case Documentation User Interface (CDUI) Scrolling
 - A change has been made to allow the cursor to stay on an item to make it easier to document. The CDUI can be found in the Tecsys tab in Epic .
- Bar Codes

Bar codes have been added into the system.

- Implant Trays
 - A change was made to Tecsys on 7/22/23 to enable adding multiple quantities of tray implants at one time.
- <u>Tissue Documentation</u>

A number of changes were made to Tecsys on 8/05/2023 to improve regulatory compliance with tissue documentation.

Tecsys stability is improving

Tecsys continues to improve and has become more and more stable. Below you'll find a few of the improved actions contributing to smoother results when using Tecsys.

- There is a concerted effort to continue to address high priority 'pain points' for end users.
- Requisitions and receipts have been consistently created for the past 3 weeks.
- No unexpected Tecsys downtime has occurred for the past 5 weeks
- 50 fixes and 5 enhancements have been applied since go-live.

Ensure new users have access to Tecsys

A quick reminder to managers.

To avoid any delays with your team's ability to utilize Tecsys, please submit a <u>Pegusus request</u> to set up access for new employee users.