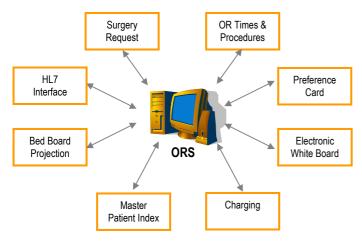


# **Operation Room Scheduling System**



Copernicus ™ is Eutech's Healthcare product suite and Operation Room Scheduling is one of Copernicus ™ modules.

Operation Room Scheduling System (ORS) is a comprehensive solution for managing the activities of the Operation Room right from the time the surgeon decides that the patient needs a surgery to the time that the surgery has been completed, charges posted and the surgical process documented. The software has been designed in a manner to facilitate easy access to key information besides ensuring that the security of information.



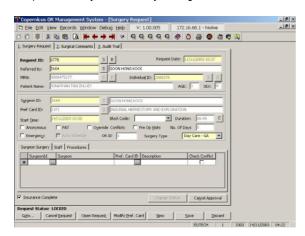
**Modules in ORS** 

#### Surgery Request & Scheduling

When the surgeon decides that patient requires a surgery, the Surgery Request information needs to be filled out in the system. It captures details such as;

- Surgeon(s) involved
- Procedures that are going to be performed
- Insurance data of the patient

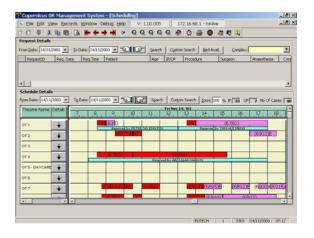
If the patient has already visited the facility, this information is picked up from the system thereby saving valuable time.



Key features of this module include:

- Handles multiple surgeons/procedures
- Facility to add multiple level of Add-on procedures
- Generation of Surgical Permit
- Integration with the Preference Cards for generating the Pick List

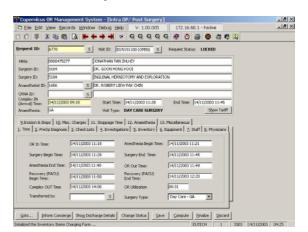
- Visual indication of length of stay for the procedures involved
- Classification of patient visits Inpatient, Outpatient and Observation
- Handles the pre-surgery visit scheduling
- Documents the tests to be done, allergies and medications
- Captures complete Patient demographical and insurance information



#### **OR Times & Procedures**

The system captures vital information on pre-surgery & post-surgery events such as:

- Time of arrival of the patient
- Time at which the patient was moved into the OR
- Time at which anesthesia was started
- Details of Anesthetist
- Details of staff involved in the surgery
- Details of additional procedures performed during the surgery
- Time at which the surgery was completed
- Bed information, if the patient is under post-surgical care
- Patient's discharge details



## **Preference Card**

ORS has a detailed preference card master where the following data are captured.

- Surgeon/Procedure
- OR Time, Anesthesia Time and Turn Over time
- Checklists and Investigations

- Detailed instructions for Surgeon-specific preferences for room setup, prep and position
- Inventory items including drugs and intra-op items
- Equipment and Instruments

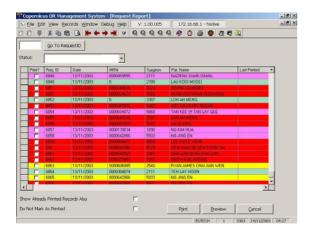
Additionally, there are special features such as:

- Replacement of an item across preference cards, across surgeon specific preference cards or surgery specific preference cards
- Facility to internally review the preference cards and approve them
- Facility to activate/deactivate preference cards

#### **Electronic White Board**

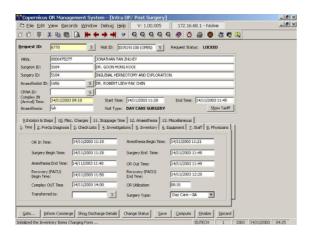
The Electronic White Board ensures that the current status of the patient is displayed real time without any intervention from personnel. As the patient is tracked through pre-surgery, surgery and post-surgical care, the system updates the white board. Among other details, It displays:

- Staff assigned to the various cases
- Special requirements for equipment, material and manpower
- Multiple OR complexes and is configurable to show as many OR rooms as required with predefined frequency of data updates.



#### Charging

This module has a comprehensive charging routine, which sends all the supplies charges to the billing system. The charging is done by exception and the system has easy methods to select additional items which were not part of the initial case cart or pick list. This ensures that all the supplies used for the surgical procedures are captured and charged for.



Details of charging are available through comprehensive reports and the module visually displays the status of charging for every case.

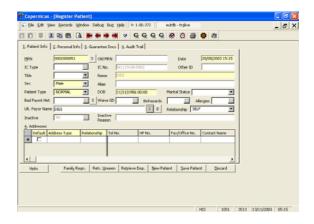
The charging module is closely integrated with Copernicus ™ Billing System and can also be interfaced with external systems through standard HL7 interfaces.

#### **Patient Master Index (PMI)**

Patient Master Index allows the user to capture complete demographical information of the patient including insurance data.

Information captured include:

- Patient Name & Residential Address
- Emergency Contact Address
- Billing Address
- Demographics such as Religion, Race & Residential status etc
- Insurance policy details including pre-cert data (Multiple policies can be defined for every patient)
- Guarantor data (if other than patient)



#### **HL 7 Interfaces**

A robust HL7 engine provides interfaces with other billing/clinical systems. The HL7 engine works as a standalone application generating HL7 messages from the data generated by the Copernicus TM Applications and sending them to the receiving applications.

Applicable messages for this suite of modules include:

- Admit/Discharge/Transfer (ADT)
- Billing
- Staff/Doctor Master

#### Reports

## **Admission and Discharges**

Bed Availability

# Utilization Summary/Detailed Reports

- Surgeon-wise
- OR-wise

#### **Revenue Reports**

- By Cost Centre
- By Procedures

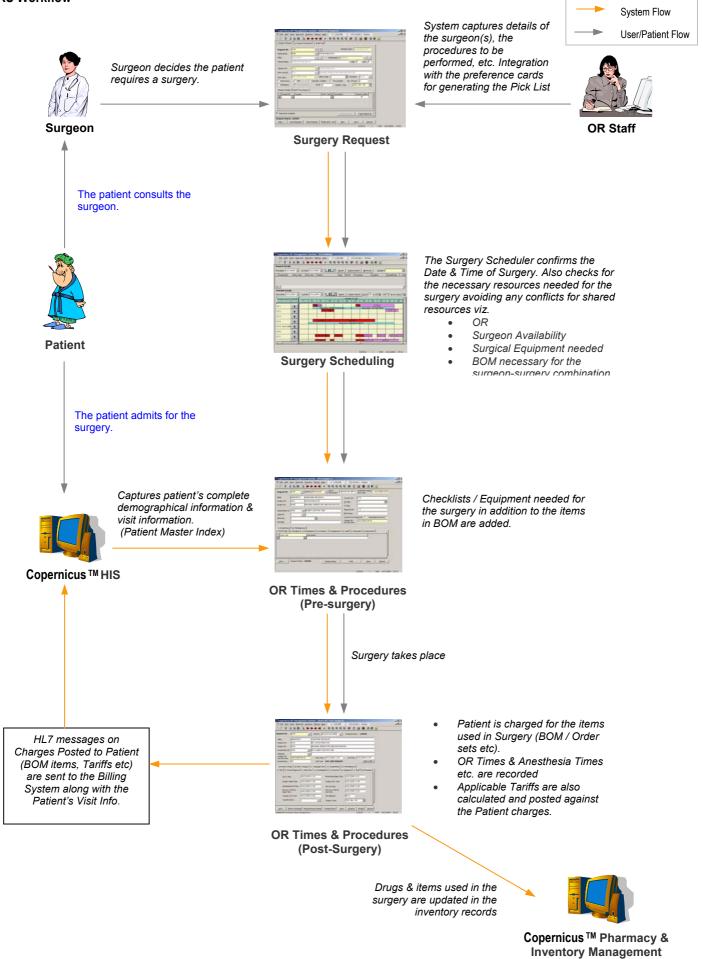
## **Statistical Reports**

- Turnaround Time
- OR Utilized and Unutilized Time

# Other Reports

- OR Estimated Vs. Actual Usage
- Preference Card
- Surgery Scheduling
- Surgery Day/Time Analysis

# **ORS Workflow**



System

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#### **Key Features**

Opertaion Room Scheduling system improves effiiency by:

- Providing an easy to work with Graphical User Interface which ensures that scheduling is done
  easily and guickly
- Defining, Managing, Executing and Documenting the whole surgical process
- Integrated with the Master Patient Index (MPI) thereby ensuring accuracy of patient information
- Integrated with the patient account, thereby ensuring that charges are transferred for the right
  account
- Providing surgeon/surgery specific preference cards to ensure that right material/equipment is made available

#### **Benefits**

Opertaion Room Scheduling system reduces costs by:

- Reducing time spent by personnel in handling data/information
- Providing a unified approach to manage the Operation Room Suite
- Improving communication and visibility to all of the designated personnel as modules are interlinked
- Providing access to information in an easy manner that reduces staff time required for the functions
- Ensuring optimal scheduling of resources such as staff, equipment, doctors and material
- Patient/Staff tracking with Real Time Electronic White Board

# Other modules in Copernicus ™ Suite

- Hospital Information System
- Specialist Outpatient Clinic Information System (SOCIS)
- Pharmacy Management System
- Purchase Order & Inventory System
- · Accident & Emergency System
- Mammography System
- Clinical Workstation System
- Electronic Medical Records
- Generic HL7 Engine

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