

# Patients

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## Adding a new patient

Choose **Patient > New Patient**, or click the *New Patient* button on the navigator. This will show the following window:

The screenshot shows a software window titled "New/Edit Patient Info...". At the top, there are fields for "Patient code" (containing "2"), "Store" (a dropdown menu showing "Hospital Info System"), and "Registration Date" (containing "22/11/12"). Below these are several tabs: "General", "Contact details", "Encounter", "Disease history", "Log", and "Store". The "General" tab is selected. It contains two main sections. The "General Info" section on the left includes a "Title" dropdown (set to "Mr"), text boxes for "First Name", "Middle Name", and "Last Name", radio buttons for "Gender" (Female and Male, with Male selected), a "Marital Status" dropdown (set to "Single"), a "Blood Group" dropdown, "DOB" (05/03/00) and "Age" text boxes, "Occupation", "Religion", and "Ethnicity" dropdowns (all set to "None"), and a "National Health Number" text box. The "Next of Kin" section on the right includes text boxes for "Name", "Patient Code", "Phone", and "Email", and a "Relation" dropdown. To the right of these is a "Patient Picture" section with a large empty box and "Add" and "Remove" buttons. At the bottom of the window are three buttons: "OK & Next", "Cancel", and "OK".

Most of the fields are self-explanatory..

- First & last name (mandatory)
- Next of Kin
  - Here you can link a patient to another existing patient.
  - Type the last name then a comma, then the first name (or part thereof), and press tab. A list of matching names will be shown. Double-click on a name to select that person.
- Patient Picture
  - You can add a patient picture by clicking the *Add* button.
- Address and other contact details can be entered on the *Contact details* tab.

## Showing and modifying patients

Choose **Patient > Show Patients** , or click the *Show Patients* button on the navigator.



Patient Code	Last name	Forename(s)	DOB	Phone	Address
1	Kirk	James T	06/10/1980		USS
2	Spock	Mr	11/09/1882		
3	McCoy	Leonard	07/10/1982		Sick Bay
4	Scott	Montgomery	08/10/1983		Engine Room
5	Chekov	Pavel	09/10/1987		Bridge
6	Shirt	Red	08/10/1986		Not for long
7	Sulu	Hikaru	08/10/1985		Bridge
8	Uhuru	Lt	08/10/1986		Comms

To edit or view a patient's details, double-click on their name in the list.

## Finding patients

Click the *Find* button, and a small window is shown:



**Find Patients..**

**Patient details**

Last:

First:

Code:

**Search...**

☒ All names ☐ Selection

Type as much of the Last name, First name or Code as you know, and matching patients will be shown. Note that you can search all patients or restrict your search to only those in the already displayed list (the selection).

## Showing current admissions

You can also select **Patient > Admitted** to show a list of currently admitted patients.

Admitted List....

Search by Name or code

Patient Code	Patient Name	Ward ▲	Bed no.	Room	Estimated discharge dt.
20	Patient, Im	Holo	3	3	01/09/2010
10	Data, Mr	Sick Bay	10	10	15/04/2010
4	Scott, Montgomery	Solitary	1	1	21/09/2011

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