

Quick Reference Guide (QRG)

Fluid Balance Charting in Interactive View (iView)

The Fluid Balance Chart provides a summary of patient's daily intake and output mainly for viewing purposes only. Blood and Blood Products, Intermittent and bolus Intravenous Therapy and Enteral Feeds are the only exceptions that get documented directly into the Fluid Balance Chart. All other data is entered in the relevant Interactive View sections which flows into the Fluid Balance Chart. The Fluid Balance Chart can be also viewed in the Patient Summary page.

This guide will enable the user to know how to:

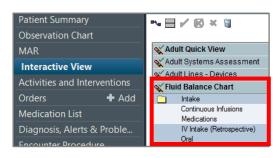
- View the Fluid Balance Chart
- Validate prepopulated documentation within the FBC
- Document Oral Intake
- Document other Input
- Document Output
- Customise the FBC.

Viewing the Fluid Balance Chart

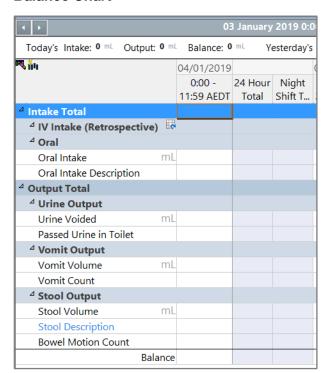
- 1. Open the Patient's Chart.
- 2. Navigate to Interactive View.



3. Select Fluid Balance Chart.



This will display a **Summary** of the **Fluid Balance Chart**



The fluid balance will display the time as a one hour period eg. 13:00 – 13:59.

14:00 -	13:00 -	12:00 -	11:00 -	10:00 -	9:00 -
14:59 AEDT	13:59 AEDT	12:59 AEDT	11:59 AEDT	10:59 AEDT	9:59 AEDT

Validate prepopulated documentation within the FBC

Note: Double clicking the cell is the most efficient way to enter the infusion amounts into the FBC.

Check the auto populated volume in the FBC against the pump volume (that the patient actually received) and adjust documented volume as needed.

The following can be documented directly into the chart:

- → Volumes documented in the relevant Systems Assessment section in Interactive View.
- → Volumes visible in the fluid balance snapshot shown in the Medication Administration Window.
- → Volumes documented against Device Dynamic Groups in Interactive View.
- → Infused amounts documented for Continuous Infusions in the medication administration window using the infuse function.

Documenting via Interactive View gives you the ability to add additional elements all in the one area and is convenient and easy.



This volume will write to the Fluid Balance Chart for you

To document fluid volumes from the Medication Administration Record (MAR)

The volume pulled through will be based on nursing documentation that occurs in the MAR (including rate changes and any start/stop times).

- 1. Review the documentation from the previous hour via the hover.
- 2. Double click on either the cell or the cell heading to populate the projected volume for the previous infusion hour.
- 3. Confirm the amount, then sign and Refresh.

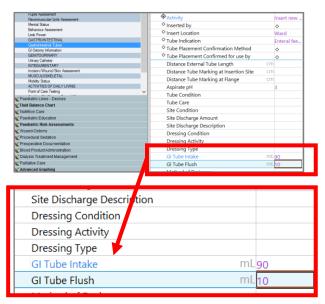
Note: In the event that a clinically significant difference between the projected volume and the amount infused is noted, the nurse may amend the volume and must assess whether there is a problem with either the administration pump or the IV access and intervene accordingly.

Document Oral Intake

You can enter oral volumes directly into the FBC by double clicking into the cell to enter a volume and description.

[⊿] Oral		
Oral Intake	mL	100
Oral Intake Description		OJ

Comprehensive documentation should be completed in Interactive View and intake documentation can be entered in IView also for example, if the patient has NG Feeds.



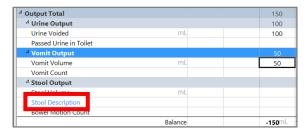
This will automatically populate a new section on the Fluid Balance Chart as seen below:



Select the V to sign. Refresh

Documenting Output

Entering output can be done directly into the FBC or also in components on iView.



Blue text indicates reference text and you can select it to see the Bristol Stool Chart for

your reference when entering a Bowel Motion description.

Customising the Fluid Balance Chart

If a band is not visible, use the Customise Icon to display the required band.

Select icon to select the components you wish to have visible on your Fluid Balance Chart.

Depending on your selection, a Dynamic Group may open for you to complete before you can enter the volume directly.

