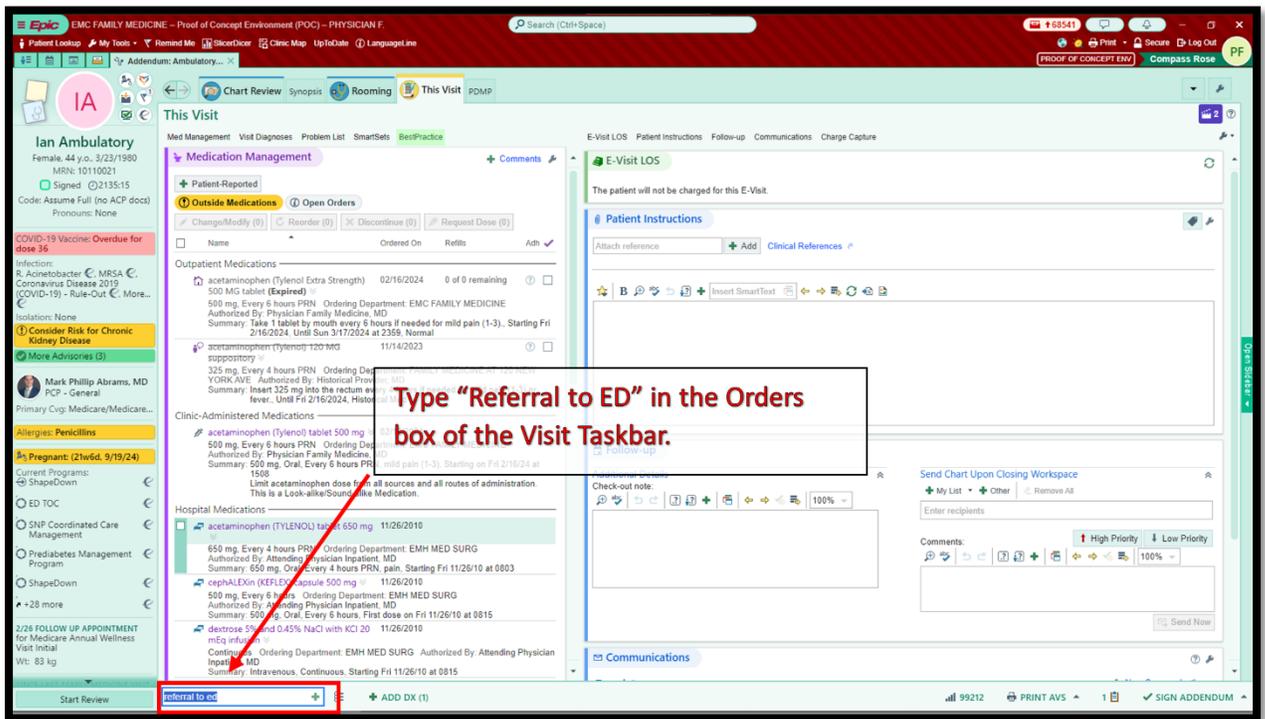


Ambulatory: Amb Referral to Emergency Dept

Ambulatory providers can refer patients in a variety of ways. This can present a challenge when referring to the ED, where information is critical to patient care. With Epic, ambulatory providers can easily and quickly place an electronic order for referrals with standardized referral information, which can be reliably transmitted to the primary ED provider and nurse caring for the patient.

Place New Orders for Referral to ED:

1. In the Visit Taskbar, at the bottom of the screen, click **+Add Order**.
2. Search for **“Referral to ED”**. Orders that you frequently place appear as you type.
 - If you see the order you want as you are typing, select it from the list.
 - If you don't see the order you're looking for, press **Enter**. A list of matching orders appears.



3. **Double-click** an order to select it from the list. The order appears in an orders cart to the lower right.
4. Click the order in the orders cart to modify order details, including name of referring provider, callback number, callback preference, and anticipated plan. The **!** icon indicates required items.

Ambulatory: Referral to Emergency Department

Ambulatory referral to ED

Class: Incoming Referral Internal Referral Outgoing Referral

Referral: Override Restrictions

To Department Specialty: Emergency Medicine

To Department:

To Provider Specialty:

To Provider:

Referring Department: EMC Internal Medicine

Referring Provider Name:

Callback Number:

Callback Preference: Upon ED arrival Once ED provider is assigned Upon ED disposition Only if needed for questions Do not call back Other (comment)

Reason For Referral:

Primary Diagnosis:

Clinical Summary:

Interventions Already Performed:

Anticipated Plan:

Likely Disposition

Team or Admitting Physician if Admitted:

Priority: Routine STAT

Additional Order Details

Next Required

5. Update the order details.
6. Click **Accept** and Sign the Order as usual.

Providers in the ED

Once the Ambulatory order is signed, an OPA fires to ensure that the ED provider sees the pertinent information .

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Referring Department: Referring Department: Referring Provider: GREGG LAWRENCE CHESNEY Callback Number: 8007207272 Callback Preference: Upon ED disposition Reason for Referral: Severe Occipital Headache Primary Diagnosis: Severe Occipital Headache Clinical Summary: Clinical Summary: Interventions Already Performed: Interventions Already Performed: Anticipated Plan: Send patient to Emergency Room Likely Disposition: Likely Disposition: Team or Admitting Physician if Admitted: Neurology

Acknowledge and continue

Will Review Chart Not on Pt Care Team

Accept