Society of Thoracic Surgeons

Intermacs/Pedimacs
User Group Call

May 27, 2020

Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Call Overview
- Current Status Update
- Support Overview
- User Feedback

The Team

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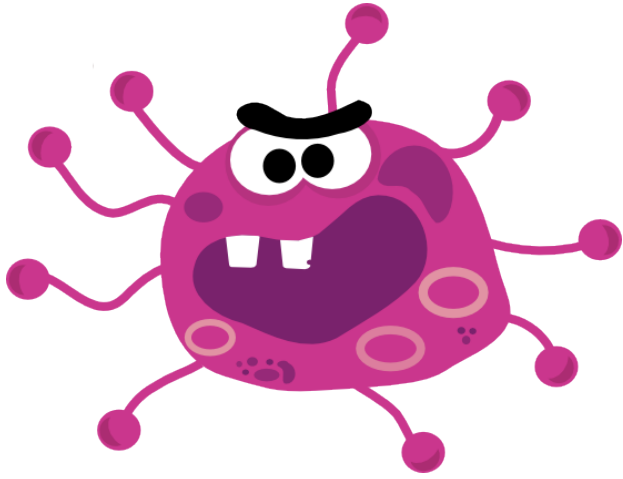
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Carole Krohn: Sr. Clinical Manager, STS National Database

Current Status Update

Covid -19 Update

- Tele visits encouraged
- QOL surveys may been done over the phone or by mail
- If follow-up visits are done outside of the visit window, please enter the last date of the follow-up date visit into the database
- Covid-19 data fields added

Intermacs & Pedimacs Resources:

https://www.uab.edu/medicine/intermacs/intermacs-documents

www.sts.org

Intermacsfaq@sts.org

Open Discussion

Please use the Q&A Function.

We will answer as many questions as possible.

We encourage your feedback and want to hear from you!

Implant Discharge

See User's Guide section 2.7

Data entry tip: If a patient has returned to the OR multiple times for irrigation & debridement - on the Implant Discharge Form, please mark Surgical Procedures - Other. Then scroll down to Other Procedures and check Other, Specify. In the text box specify how many times the patient went to the OR for washout and debridement.

Reminder: When completing the implant discharge form and the patient has reached an endpoint, the explant form will need to be completed in conjunction with the implant discharge form.

Implant Discharge   Not Started

| During the implant hospitalization was the patient? | Discharged alive with a device in place |

| Patient discharged to | Home - residential setting |

Implant Discharge or LVAD Exchange Date
7/19/2017
MM/DD/YYYY   ST=
Date of transplant, death or explant for recovery during implant hospitalization will be considered date of discharge. (If LVAD Exchange, please fill out Explant Form)

Acute care (ICU / CCU) duration of post-implant stay
2 days
ST=
Type the number of days patient in Acute care (i.e. ICU/CCU). Days should not exceed number of days from implant date to implant discharge date.

Intermediate / step-down care - duration of post-implant stay
15 days
ST=
Type the number of days patient in Intermediate care (i.e. Step Down care). Days should not exceed number of days from implant date to implant discharge date.

Data entry tip: Stays on the regular floor count here too. Count the duration of the post-implant stay after the ICU or CCU stay.

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Intermacs Implant Discharge Scenario:

LVAD Exchange during Primary Implant Hospitalization

Implant Discharge is now per device (LVAD)

1. If patient has an LVAD exchange during the primary implant hospitalization then please choose LVAD exchange and enter exchange date as the discharge date.

2. Implant discharge date:
   - Date of Transplant
   - Explant for Recovery
   - Date of Death
   - Date of LVAD Exchange

Another Implant Discharge form is to be generated at new implant.Example:

1. Primary LVAD implanted 06/01/2014
   6/8/2014 LVAD clotted off and device exchanged
   Discharge Reason: LVAD Exchange excluding RVAD
   Discharge Date: 6/8/2014
   Implant Discharge days: 6/1/2014 to exchange date (6/8/2014)

2. New LVAD implanted 06/08/2014
   Implant Discharge form will be generated for this new LVAD
   Discharge from Implant Hospitalization on 6/20/2014
   Discharge Reason: Patient Discharged alive with device in place
   Discharge Date: 6/20/2014
   Implant Discharge days: count days from 6/8/2014 to 6/20/2014.

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Thank you for joining!

Next Intermacs/Pedimacs Webinars

June 24, 2020 @ 1 pm CT

July 29, 2020 @ 1 pm CT

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