

Information on Obtaining and Maintaining Glucometer Barcodes

Barcodes will be given out during training sessions. These will be in sem 2 of RPN program, L2 of BScN program and L3 of RPN-BScN program during lab days.

They are only valid at HHSc & ST JOE'S Hospitals but please keep your code safe for when you DO go to those placements.

PROCESS QUALITY CONTROL at least once every month to remain a certified operator – IT IS MANDATORY!

1. Allow up to 2 weeks for your barcode to be activated on the system
2. To prevent lock-out ***re-certify every 3 months.*** To re-certify, run both levels of Quality Control solutions and upload the Precision PXP information into the main computer.
If you get the message “operator not on list” then it has been more than 3 months and you should follow the steps above making sure that you upload the meter onto the database. You may have to do this a couple of times for it to register.
- 3 **If** your barcode is lost or damaged, you will need to request a reprint of your number. (Only one barcode per student).
Contact Barb Chessum on (905) 540 4247 Ext 26294
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4. Always scan or manually enter **your own barcode** number when operator ID is required.
5. Always **scan** the correct patient barcode when “Scan Patient Barcode” is required. The patient’s result will be uploaded into the Hospital Information System and become part of the client’s hospital record.