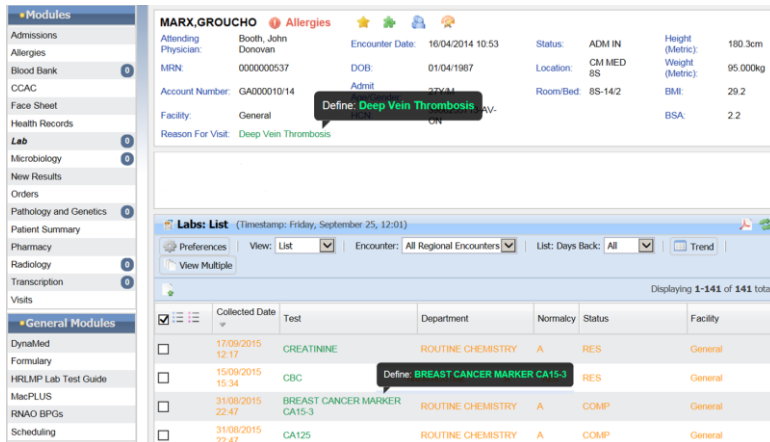


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Clinical Information from DynaMed's Evidence-Based, Point of Care Tool Now Accessible in ClinicalConnect™

We are delighted to announce that evidence-based, contextually-relevant clinical information is now accessible in ClinicalConnect. Effective September 30, 2015, and initially for ClinicalConnect users at Participating Organizations in the Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant (HNHB) Local Health Integration Network (LHIN), patients' various disease names and conditions as reported by the source information system and viewable in ClinicalConnect, are now presented in green text to indicate they link to information from DynaMed® in select modules.



The screenshot shows a patient record for MARX, GROUCHO. The 'Allergies' section lists 'Deep Vein Thrombosis' in green text. The 'Labs List' section shows several tests, with 'Breast Cancer Marker CA15-3' also highlighted in green text. A tooltip explains that green text indicates a link to DynaMed information.



The screenshot shows the DynaMed search interface. A search query is entered: "Deep Vein Thrombosis" AND (AG "Adult: 19-44 years") AND (ZK Male). The results list various conditions related to deep vein thrombosis, such as 'Deep vein thrombosis (DVT)', 'Superficial vein thrombosis (SVT)', and 'Upper extremity deep vein thrombosis'. The text for these results is in green, indicating they are linked to DynaMed content.

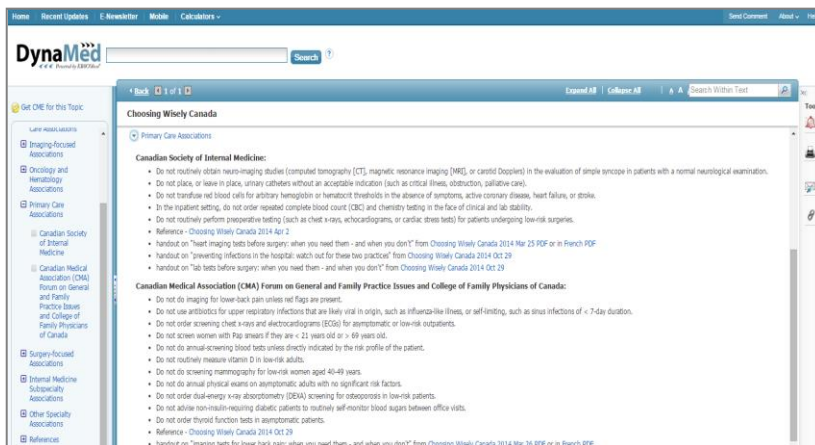
DynaMed is a clinical information resource used by health service providers. It includes thousands of topics, updated daily, that provide clinicians with the evidence-based information they need to make informed decisions. DynaMed's editorial faculty synthesizes evidence and provides objective analysis in an easily-digestible format, following a strict evidence-based editorial process focused on providing unbiased information.

Clicking clinical terms shown in green font in the ClinicalConnect patient record will launch DynaMed in a new window, providing relevant search results based on the patient's gender and age. DynaMed can also be accessed in the General Modules of ClinicalConnect. Currently DynaMed

references will only appear when using the desktop view of ClinicalConnect (vs. the mobile view). However, ClinicalConnect users in the HNHB LHIN are able to download DynaMed's free mobile device application for iOS (iPhone, iPod Touch, iPad) and Android devices. Learn how to download DynaMed's mobile app by [clicking here](#).

Key features and benefits of DynaMed include:

- Evidence-based: Clinical content based on evidence-based best practices
- Updated 24/7/365: If a guideline is published today, it will be in DynaMed today
- Rapid Alerts: Receive email alerts when evidence or guidelines are updated in areas of interest
- Canadian Content: Guidelines, Health Canada Drug links, Choosing Wisely Canada and more
- Continuing Medical Education (CME): Canadian members of the CMA can earn Mainpro-M1 credits CME



The screenshot shows the DynaMed search results page for 'Choosing Wisely Canada'. It displays evidence-based guidelines from the Canadian Society of Internal Medicine and the Canadian Medical Association (CMA). The text is in green, indicating it is linked to DynaMed content. The guidelines include recommendations on imaging, blood tests, and other clinical decisions.

Information from DynaMed can be easily printed, emailed and shared. Once in DynaMed, clinical calculators are available to ClinicalConnect users. DynaMed is supported by all the ClinicalConnect-approved browsers (Google Chrome 20+, Microsoft Internet Explorer 9+ and Mozilla Firefox 14+). DynaMed requires JavaScript and that cookies be enabled.

Dr. Frank Fornasier, Hospitalist at Joseph Brant Hospital, a long-time ClinicalConnect user and member of the HNHb eHealth Advisory Council, believes being able to access DynaMed right from ClinicalConnect is an outstanding advancement. “I use ClinicalConnect almost every day, often many times a day, and being able to launch ClinicalConnect right from our hospital’s information system and from there right into DynaMed, without having to sign in multiple times, is huge. Having reputable, evidence-based clinical information, appropriate for the age and gender of the patients I’m treating, is very powerful.”

This exciting enhancement to ClinicalConnect has been completed as part of a Canada Health Infoway-funded project with Hamilton Health Sciences. The scope of the project includes an evaluation of usage and from there, the possible expansion of the DynaMed integration for ClinicalConnect users across the rest of South West Ontario will be explored. Thank you to the team at EBSCO Information Services for their assistance in integrating their DynaMed solution with ClinicalConnect. Additional information about DynaMed can be found on the ClinicalConnect website <http://info.clinicalconnect.ca/CC/resources/other-resources/>.

ClinicalConnect is the Regional Clinical Viewer for the connecting South West Ontario (cSWO) Program, funded by eHealth Ontario. Hamilton Health Sciences is the Solution Provider deploying ClinicalConnect across the four South West Local Health Integration Networks. The cSWO Program is foundational to eHealth Ontario’s commitment to integrate electronic health information for all Ontarians.

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