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**** End-Of-Year Procedures. ****

Before you begin the new year, if you haven't already handled tasks such as resetting your deductibles, click here to review end-of-year procedures you should consider before you begin entering services & payments in 2026.

Text Messaging Additions & Changes

If you're using the paid text-messaging notification feature, ECLIPSE now provides additional information following our recent April 2025 extensions to the audit log. When patients opt out of SMS text-messaging, a message will be displayed in the **Personal** tab's **Contact Info** pane in *red* beneath the cell phone #: **Opted out of SMS text messaging.**

You can use this information to individually direct patients to resubscribe to text messages from your office. A mechanism provided in the **Contact Info** pane helps you confirm that the patient has resubscribed. Please refer to the 10/21/2025 README for instructions.

We've also updated the patient rolodex display when using indexes ordered by last name, ID# or cellphone to provide a visual indicator if the patient has opted out of SMS text messages. The text color for the row will change to blue & the cellphone column will display "-sms" after the phone #.

[Click here](#) to read an article in Medical Economics that explains why you should be using these features right now.

General

When was the last time you installed an update? ECLIPSE now directly interacts with **Alveo** to export ANSI 837 claims, import 835 remittance, and display claim acknowledgments. Update your ICD database to the 2026 ICD codes! ICDs added to a patient's condition can now be copied & pasted to a patient's *Problem List*. Encounter changes fix an issue affecting duplicate periods in a free-form sentence. We've updated the patient **Appointments** tab to display ID#'s in the *Provider* column. When you toggle a provider's active/inactive status, it now properly reflects this status change immediately.

Coming Soon in ECLIPSE EHR Cloud®

In early 2026, we'll be introducing new features to **ECLIPSE EHR Cloud** & will be looking for some early testers. This will include AI enhanced Encounters (currently being tested by our internal team of DCs & MDs). We're also putting the finishing touches on new features to help you seek & track reviews from your patients on your favorite review site.

Facebook Group

To join this private group, [click here](#) & then click **Join Group** on the Facebook page. This group is an excellent news resource.

Sincerely,

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