Adding an Photograph to a Note Using eClinicalMobile

It is quite easy to snap a photo of a mole, or wound, or rash, or whatever, and add it to the patient's chart using eClinicalMobile. The first step of this process is to get permission from the patient – written consent would be best. I am not a lawyer, but in my practice, I often simply documented permission in the body of the progress note – but a simple form explicitly providing permission would be best.

First, login to eClinicalMobile by typing your PIN into your phone.

For me, eClinicalMobile opens to my schedule for the day.

Simply touch the patient's name on the schedule whose photograph you wish to take.

Now select the camera icon.

Then select “Camera”.

PhotoLibrary
Camera
Cancel
Aim your phone camera at the patient's problem, and click the photo.

If the photo is acceptable, select “Use Photo”. EclinicalMobile then uploads the photo, and informs you when this process is successful.

And the photo is saved in the chart under images.
The photo will appear in your “D” jellybean – in “Chart Documents” of the patient documents folder. It will need to be “Reviewed”, but I suggest changing the name to something more meaningful before you click “Reviewed”. The convention at Prima CARE is to add the date first in YYYY/MM/DD format (separators can be “/” or “-”) followed by a brief meaningful description, like “facial nevus”, or “left arm burn”.

I suggest changing the name to something like “2020-02-26 Lindor”