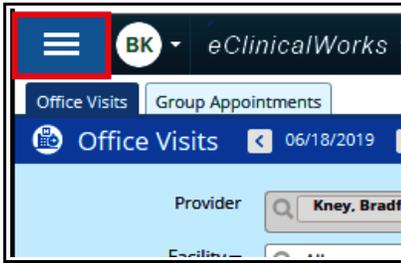


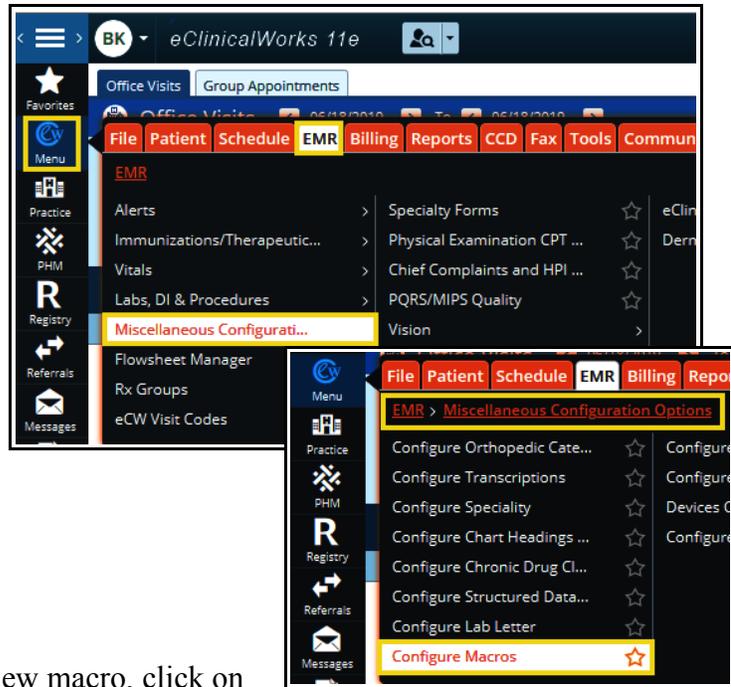
Working with Macros in ECW 11e



Macros are shortcuts to small sections of text. These can be used in the HPI, assessment, and the treatment areas. They are accessed by typing in the shortcut name, and then hitting the control key and spacebar at the same time.

First, make sure the side navigation bar is open – if not, click on the 3 parallel lines at the top left of the screen.

To view, create, update, or delete macros, go to Menu → EMR → Miscellaneous Configuration Options → Configure Macros.



The following screen opens. To create a new macro, click on the “+” at the upper right corner of the screen.

Configure Macros (What are Macros?)				
Macros List				
Macro Name	Macro Shortcut	Macro Text	Edit	Delete
Alcohol Vitamins	alc	Dr. Kney suggests you take a multivitamin that contains at least 100 mg of thiamine, 2 mg of vitamin B6, and...	/	🗑️
bariatric labs	bariatric	Annual routine labs recommended after bariatric surgery include: CBC, CMP, Fe/TIBC, ferritin, lipid panel, P...	/	🗑️
Calicum	bdkca	Calcium: The goal is about 1200 mg of calcium either in the food you eat (dairy, greens) or by supplement...	/	🗑️
dementia	dementia	The bottom line is that, though cholinesterase inhibitors are commonly prescribed (some at great cost), the...	/	🗑️
dexamethasone suppre	dex	Take 1 mg dexamethasone at around 11 PM. Return the next morning at around 8:30 AM to have a cortiso...	/	🗑️
Food record	food	Try keeping a food record - write down EVERYTHING you eat - and measure it with a food scale if necessary...	/	🗑️
foods high in potassium	pot	Try to eat foods high in potassium. Some examples include nuts, orange juice, bananas, milk, dried apric...	/	🗑️
General health advice	bk1	Try keeping a food record - write down EVERYTHING you eat - and measure it with a food scale if necessary...	/	🗑️
Hypertension	bkhtn	Blood pressure is acceptable per the JNC 8 guidelines. Tolerating medications without significant side effec...	/	🗑️
Knee exam	knee	Inspection finds no redness or bruising of the knee. There is no significant effusion noted. There is no warr...	/	🗑️
lyme discussion	lyme	Discussed the three possible approaches: 1. No medication, but monitor for signs/symptoms of Lyme dise...	/	🗑️
MassPAT refill	mpat	Patient here today for a refill of opiate pain medication. MassPAT website checked - no red flags noted. Pat...	/	🗑️
Medicare Wellness	mwv	Reviewed past medical history and family history. Updated current medical provider list. Screened for depr...	/	🗑️
medication reconciliatio	meds	Please double check the doses of your medicines against this paper when you get home, and let us know c...	/	🗑️
Microbiome	mb	Discussed the benefits of the microbiome in maintaining good health. Discussed that most upper respirat...	/	🗑️
MRSA protocol	mrsa	Dr. Kney suggests putting mupirocin (Bactroban) cream into your nose twice per day for the next 2 weeks...	/	🗑️
Osteoporosis	osteoporosis	In one study of over 4000 women with T score < -1.6 and no previous fracture, alendronate reduced the ris...	/	🗑️
Pain Management	pain2	Patient continues to derive benefit from opiates in terms of increased function and quality of life. No signif...	/	🗑️
Pain Management in TE	painte	Patient seen briefly today for medication refill. MassPAT site checked - no red flags. Patient continues to de...	/	🗑️
Partial fill	fill	Patient may request a partial fill of this prescription.	/	🗑️

Configure Options

Macro Name* This is a new macro x

Macro Shortcut* BDK_new x

Macro Text*
 ab
 Enter whatever text you want.

Share it with other users

For
 Lab Imaging Procedures

OK Cancel

Create a name for the macro. Then add the shortcut name – this needs to be unique. Starting with your initials makes it very unlikely that any existing macros carry the same shortcut name (if the name is not unique, ECW will prompt you to create a different shortcut name).

Now enter whatever text you wish – you can copy and paste this into the macro from another source.

You can choose to share this macro with others – just be aware that all other users will see this when they open their own macro configuration screen. I don't recommend sharing your macros across all of Prima CARE.

Now, save this macro by clicking “OK”, and you can use it immediately.

Macros work in the HPI “Notes” section, Assessment “Notes” section, but not in the treatment “Notes” or “Clinical Notes” sections. However, if you click on the ellipsis - opening the “Keywords” screen, macros will work.

I25.118 Coronary artery disease of native artery of native heart with stable angina pectoris

Notes ... [Copy] [Clear]

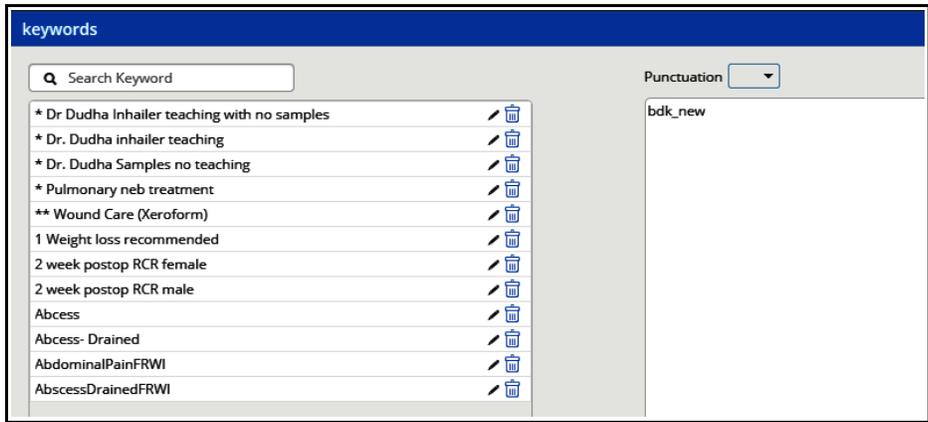
Bold *Italic* Underline

Enter text ...

Clinical Notes ... [Copy] [Clear]

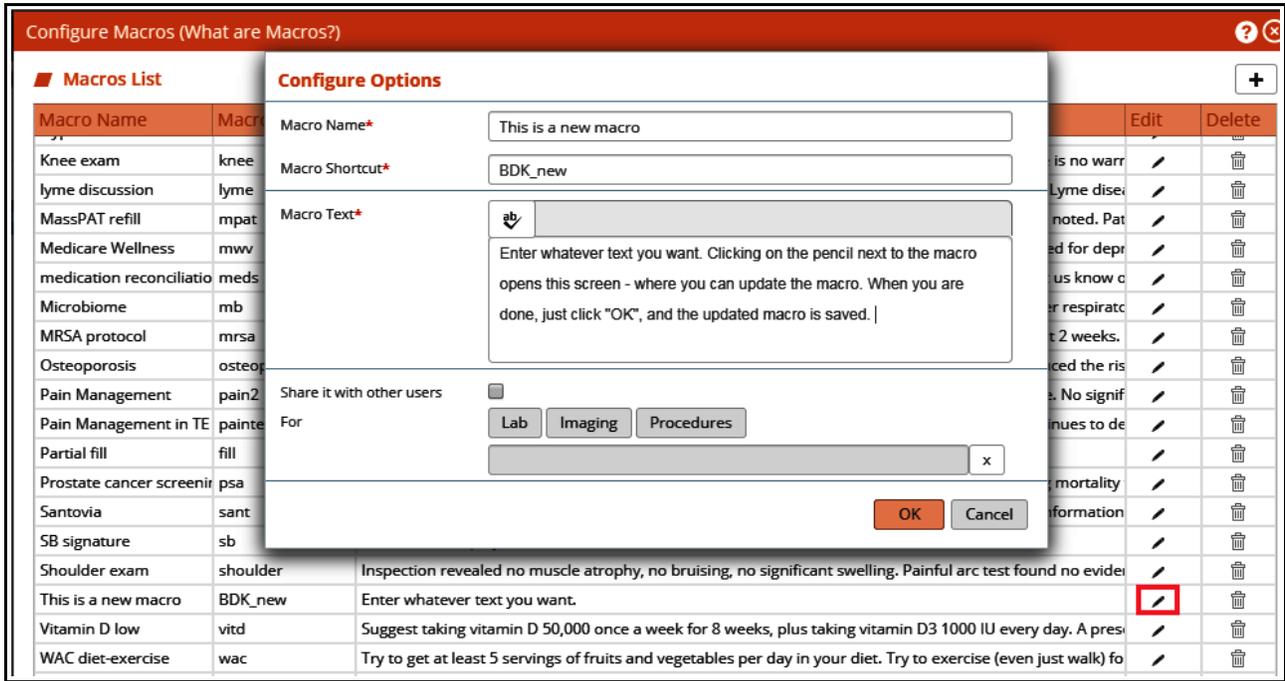
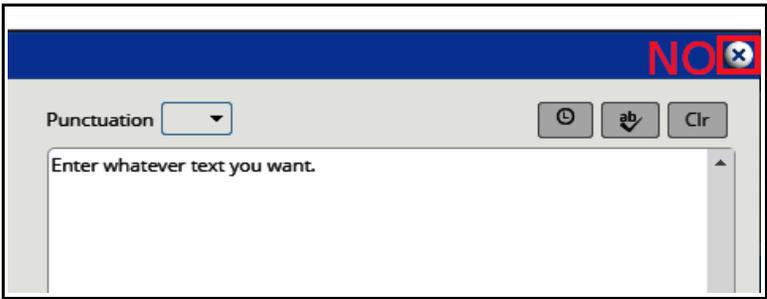
Bold *Italic* Underline

Enter text ...

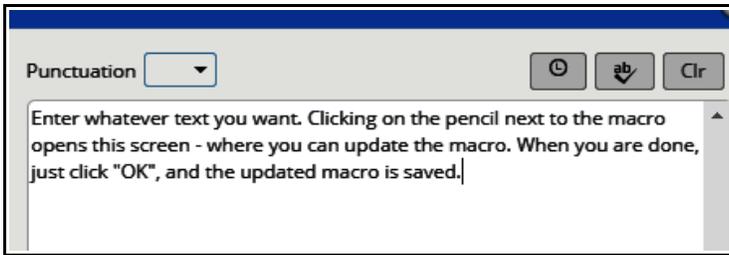


Enter the shortcut name – it is not case-sensitive – and then hit the control/spacebar keys at the same time...

and the text in the macro appears in the note. One inconsistency in ECW is that clicking on the “x” in most screens functions in the same way as clicking on “OK” does – but not in this screen. If you “x” out of this screen, any newly entered text is not saved. So click the “OK” button at the bottom of this screen when you are done.



To edit the macro, go back to the macro configuration screen, and click on the pencil to the right of the macro you wish to update. Then alter the text, and click “OK”.



I went back to the note, and opened the “Keyword” screen again, then entered “bdk_new” and hit the control key/spacebar – and the new macro text appeared.

SB signature	sb	Phone follow-up by Sharon Berthiaume:		
Shoulder exam	shoulder	Inspection revealed no muscle atrophy, no bruising, no significant swelling. Painful arc test found no eviden		
This is a new macro	BDK_new	Enter whatever text you want. Clicking on the pencil next to the macro opens this screen - where you can u		
Vitamin D low	vitd	Suggest taking vitamin D 50,000 once a week for 8 weeks, plus taking vitamin D3 1000 IU every day. A pres		
WAC diet-exercise	wac	Try to get at least 5 servings of fruits and vegetables per day in your diet. Try to exercise (even just walk) fo		

To delete the macro, just click on the trash can.

Brad Kney, MD
June 18, 2019