

## Wellness Notifications and Acknowledgements

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You can choose to have custom notifications sent to caregivers when a wellness reading is taken, or if a scheduled reading is not taken. [Acknowledgements](#) can also be added to the resident's touchscreen to remind them to take a reading and to keep them actively engaged in their wellness.

These Notifications and Acknowledgements are customized using simple selection lists with an intuitive, wizard approach through the [Care Menu](#).

### Wellness Notifications

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You can choose to have caregivers notified when a reading is taken, is not taken, or if a reading has met a specified condition. Specified conditions include readings that are greater than or less than a specified value (i.e. A reading shows a systolic blood pressure over 200), or an increase or decrease in the reading values over time (i.e. A weight reading decreases more than 5 pounds over three days).

Multiple notifications can be added for any condition. For example, 'Caregiver 1' may get a text message while 'Caregiver 2' gets an email.

Notification types include emails, text messages, phone calls, and [Call Lists](#).

### Set Up a Wellness Notification

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1. Log into the [Online Care Portal](#) and open the [Care Menu](#).
2. Select the “**Wellness**” button.
3. Under Wellness Rules, click “**Add New Rule**”.
4. Ensure the proper resident is selected from the resident drop-down list.
5. Use the available drop-down lists to specify the type of Wellness Device and the condition for the notification.



Please select Resident

All Residents 

Please select wellness condition for action

For example: You might want the system to email you if someone forgets to take their blood pressure

IF Blood Pressure Reading is taken

Cancel Next >



Please select desired action

IF Blood Pressure Reading is taken

THEN Send text message to ALL CareGivers

Add Managed Alert to GCManage

Optional Explanation:

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If you select "**Not Taken**", you will be able to select a specific time-frame for the condition.

When finished, click "**Next**" to continue.

6. Use the available drop-down lists to select the type of notification you would like sent, and the person you would like it sent to.

When complete, click "**Finish**" to save the notification.

***Optional Settings:***

Optional Explanation - Fill in a brief message here to have it included in your notification.

Managed Alert - This setting is for legacy systems.

### **Edit a Wellness Notification**

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1. From the [Care Menu](#), select the "**Wellness**" button.
2. Click the "**Edit**" button to the right of the notification you would like to edit.
3. Ensure the proper resident is selected.
4. Use the available drop-down lists to specify the type of [Wellness Device](#) and the condition for the notification.

When finished, click "**Next**" to continue.

5. Use the available drop-down lists to select the type of notification you would like sent, and the person you would like it sent to.

When complete, click "**Finish**" to save the notification changes.

***Optional Settings:***

Optional Explanation - Fill in a brief message here to have it included in your notification.

Managed Alert - This setting is for legacy systems.

## **Wellness Acknowledgements on the Touchscreen**

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Acknowledgments are a good way to remind a resident to take a wellness reading. They show a pop-up with a message and play an optional tone. The resident must acknowledge the message in order to make it disappear.



## Set Up a Wellness Acknowledgement

1. From the [Care Menu](#), select the **"Wellness"** button.
2. Under Wellness Rules, click **"Add New Rule"**.
3. Ensure the proper resident is selected from the resident drop-down list.
4. Use the drop-down lists to specify the type of wellness reading and select **"Not Taken"**. Then select a specific time-frame for the acknowledgement.  
When finished, click **"Next"** to continue.
5. Select **"Request on-screen acknowledgement with tone"**. Choose the tone you would like for the on-screen acknowledgement.
6. Enter a message to appear on the on-screen acknowledgement.  
When complete, click **"Finish"** to save the notification.

### **Optional Settings:**

Optional Explanation - This setting is for legacy systems.

Managed Alert - This setting is for legacy systems.

## Edit a Wellness Acknowledgement

1. From the [Care Menu](#), select the **"Wellness"** button.

2. Click the **"Edit"** button to the right of the acknowledgement you would like to edit.
3. Ensure the proper resident is selected from the resident drop-down list.
4. Use the available drop-down lists to specify the type of [Wellness Device](#) and the condition for the notification.  
When finished, click **"Next"** to continue.
5. Use the available drop-down lists to select the type of acknowledgement you would like sent, and the person you would like it sent to.  
When complete, click **"Finish"** to save the acknowledgement changes.

***Optional Settings:***

Optional Explanation - Fill in a brief message here to have it included in your notification.

Managed Alert - This setting is for legacy systems.

## Enabling and Disabling Notifications and Acknowledgements

A check box to the left of each notification and/or acknowledgement lets you set whether the rule is enabled or disabled. You can disable any notification by clicking the box to uncheck it. To re-enable a notification, click the box to check it.

Enable and disable notifications and acknowledgements while the resident is on vacation, so that alerts won't be sent out during that time.