Codonics® SLS 500i® Operating Software

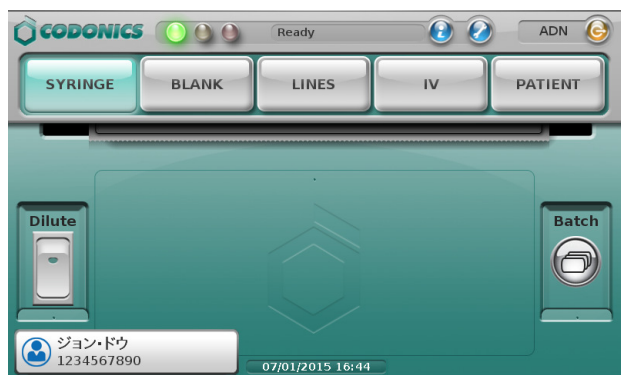## Version 2.0.0 SLS 500i Release Notes

Summary

Version 2.0.0 software is a software release for the Codonics Safe Label System® 500i (SLS) Point of Care Station (PCS). The 2.0.0 Administration Tool (AT) software must be used with the 2.0.0 SLS PCS software. SLS PCS does not support software downgrades to previous software versions. As of this release, this version of software is considered the most current stable, safe and effective version for SLS PCS.

This document provides information about New Features (i.e., Adaptive Updates) and Product Corrections (i.e., Corrective Updates) in 2.0.0 SLS software. The SLS PCS User's Manual version 1.3.0 and User's Manual Addendum 1.8.0 provide further information about SLS PCS.

> **WARNING:** The use of label colors is intended only as an aid in the identification of drug groups and does not absolve the user from the duty of reading the label and correctly identifying the drug prior to use.
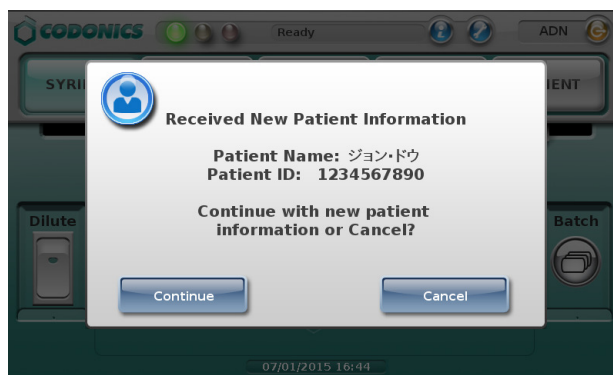
New Features

◆ **Patient information can now be printed on labels.** Using custom label templates, SLS can receive patient information (e.g., Patient Name, Patient ID, Order ID, Patient Date of Birth, Patient Weight) from approved third party equipment. Contact your Codonics Sales Representative if interested in a custom label template that will print with patient information.
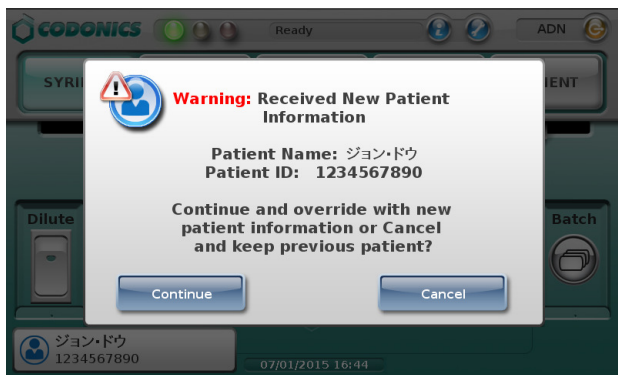

> **WARNING:** To ensure administering the correct drug to the correct patient, the patient's wristband should be scanned. Do not scan the 1-D Patient ID barcode on the patient information syringe label when prompted to scan the actual patient wristband.

> **NOTE:** Patient information requires a feature key. Contact your Codonics Sales Representative to obtain the proper key.

◆ **When starting a patient case, a dialog letting the user know a new case has started is displayed.** Refer to SLS Administration Tool Technical Brief (901-245-015) for details on how to configure.

◆ **When starting a patient case while another case is already in progress, a warning dialog is displayed letting the user know a new case has started while another is in progress.** This is a safety warning which is not configurable.
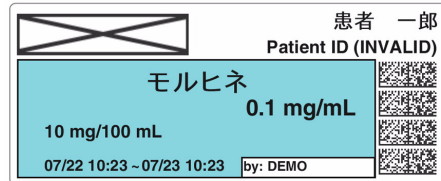
◆ **Provided support for new Japanese label templates that include patient information.** These new large and standard label templates conform to the JSA standard and provide support for including patient information on them. Included on these labels is Patient Name, Patient ID and a 1-D barcode that includes the Patient ID. Refer to SLS Administration Tool Technical Brief (901-245-015) for details on how to select a label template. Samples are shown below.
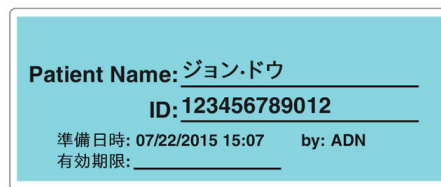

NOTES:

◆ Patient Name is supported up to 20 ASCII Characters (12 Kanji characters).

◆ Patient ID is supported up to 12 numeric characters.

◆ Patient ID can be received as numeric and/or alpha characters. The set of numbers supported is 0-9 and characters supported are dot ".", slash "/", colon ":", plus "+", and dash "-". For example, a Patient ID 00231-12345 will be displayed as well as encoded in the barcode. Optionally, the dash can be removed from the barcode. Contact Codonics for support removing the dash from the barcode.

◆ **Patient Labels with unsupported information will print indicating there is an issue.** Patient Information received by the SLS from a third party system that does not conform to the specifications (e.g., Patient ID with more than 12 numeric characters) will be replaced with an indication on the label that the data for that field is invalid. A sample is shown below.
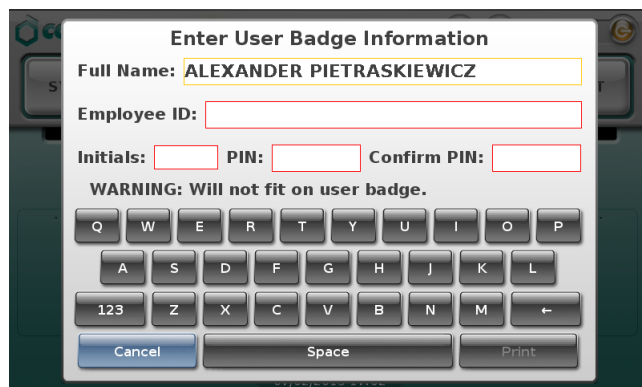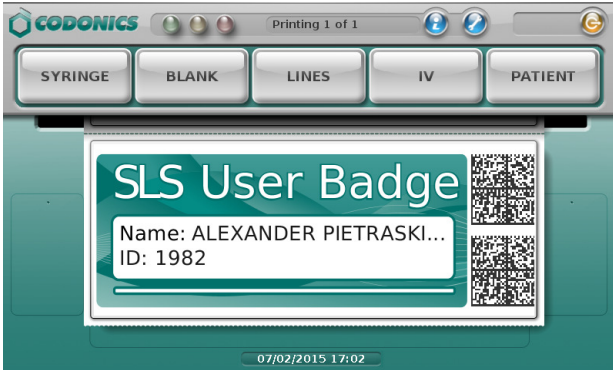

◆ **Patient names can now be printed on PATIENT labels.** Using custom label templates, SLS can receive patient information from approved third party equipment and print the patient's name on the PATIENT Label. A sample is shown below.

Product Corrections

◆ **SLS now accepts longer User Name and Employee ID lengths.** Previously, the User Name/ID length was limited and based on width of the name to about 22 characters. The Employee ID now allows up to 16 characters and the User Name allows up to 38 characters in order to ensure the barcode is properly generated. If the name is too long, the human readable User Name will be ellipsified when the badge is printed.

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