AVANTA FAX
MEDICAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS

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NEW Patient Data Screens

Avanta's Patient Data and Insurance Data screens will soon be upgraded to include new data fields and a more user-friendly format. New fields to be added include patient cell phone, fax number, email address, ethnicity, and marital status. The new format reorganizes the data fields to more efficiently use screen space, adds color fields for easier use, while improving functionality and utility.

The new Patient Data and Insurance Data screens, like many other functions in the Avanta system, will take advantage of color by displaying field descriptions in green, values in white, important information in yellow, and navigation keys in blue. Only a color monitor can take advantage of these features, making it easier to differentiate fields and screens in the Avanta System, and much nicer on the eyes. If you are interested in upgrading to color monitors to take advantage of these new features, please contact Chip at Avanta.
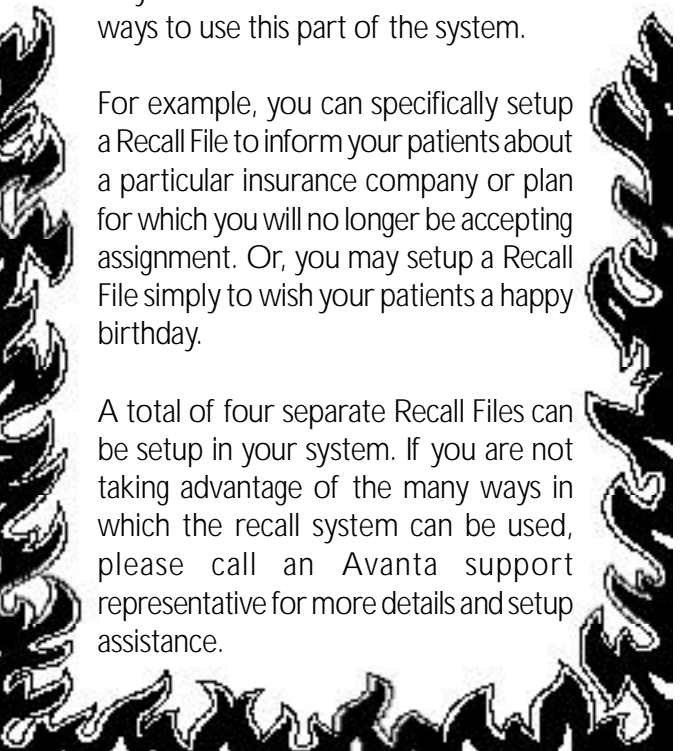
The new Avanta website includes a Support page that allows you to email the Avanta Support Staff with questions, suggestions, or system issues. If you have suggestions or questions about the new Patient Data and Insurance Data screens, please call us or visit us at www.avanta.com.

HOT TIP

The Avanta Recall System is commonly used to remind your patients about their next scheduled appointments. What you may not know is that there are other ways to use this part of the system.

For example, you can specifically setup a Recall File to inform your patients about a particular insurance company or plan for which you will no longer be accepting assignment. Or, you may setup a Recall File simply to wish your patients a happy birthday.

A total of four separate Recall Files can be setup in your system. If you are not taking advantage of the many ways in which the recall system can be used, please call an Avanta support representative for more details and setup assistance.

HOLIDAY HOURS

Avanta will be closed Monday, May 27th, in observance of Memorial Day. However, our automated phone attendant allows software and hardware team members to be paged in the event of an emergency.

Have a safe and relaxing holiday!