

Connect Care

Lumens is a new Epic module that will be part of the <u>Connect Care clinical information system</u> (CIS). It will be implemented for a number of gastrointestinal (colonoscopy, upper endoscopy, endoscopic ultrasound, and endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography) and pulmonology (bronchoscopy) procedures. These procedures can occur in either a dedicated Gastroenterology (GI) department or an operating room. The application includes:

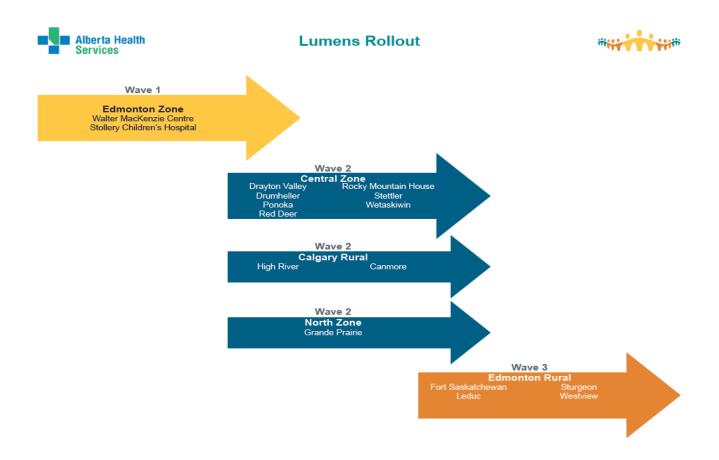
- Scheduling functionality
- Physician procedural documentation
- Structured reporting and image integration
- Nursing pre/intra/post-procedure workflows

Lumens was recently added to the scope of services being added to Connect Care launch. It will be included in Wave 1 of the overall rollout in November 2019. A short timeline was implemented to ensure that the Lumens operational build will catch up with identified services in Wave 1. See Figure 1 for an overview view of the implementation timeline for Waves 1 to 3. Stay tuned for additional updates and timelines for the remaining waves of the Connect Care rollout and launch.

A Direction Setting session for Lumens was successfully held in December 2018. A number of high level decisions were made by the group. The Clinical System Design (CSD) began in early February 2019. The meetings focus on unique topics from other CSD specialties, specific to the Epic Lumens module. The goal is to bring together Subject Matter Experts from across the province to provide information and make decisions, where needed. The CSD meetings are being held on a weekly basis from February to May 2019.



Figure 1: Connect Care Lumens Project Rollout



For additional detail on CSD, visit the Alberta Health Services <u>CSD Blog</u>. You can also visit the Alberta Health Services website at <u>Connect Care - About</u>.

Note: an Adoption/Validation session will be held in the spring of 2019 to review and validate CSD workflows. For more information, please email ConnectCare@ahs.ca



