



AN INTRODUCTION TO VISTA IMAGING



The CAO is currently working with five California tribal health facilities to implement VistA Imaging through a “buy-back” agreement

Other programs are encouraged to participate after the initial implementation



What is VistA Imaging?



The VistA Imaging System (VI) works with the RPMS information system and completes the electronic health record



What does VistA Imaging do?

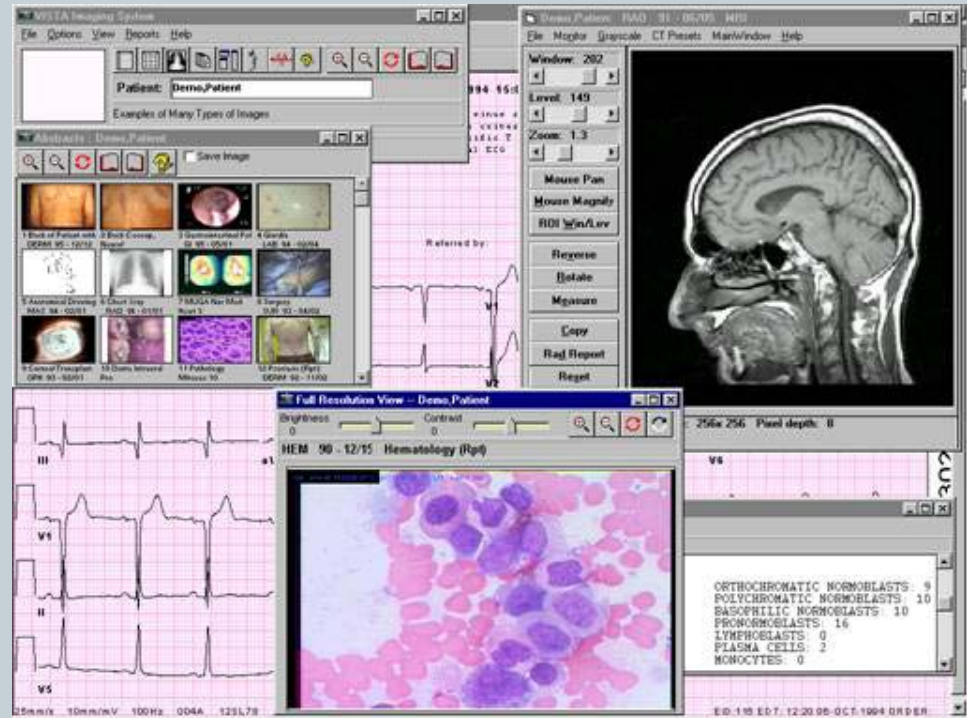


VI captures (through scanning or import) clinical images, scanned documents, and other non-textual data files and includes them in the patient's electronic health record



VistA Imaging can include:

- Scanned documents for clinical and administrative purposes;
- Clinical images (such as endoscopy, pathology, dermatology, cardiology);
- Radiology and nuclear medicine images;
- EKG waveforms



How VistA Imaging Works



Figure 1: Access VistA Imaging in EHR



Accessing Scanned Documents



Figure 2: Blue icons indicate a scanned document is attached to the EHR note

The screenshot displays the IHS-EHR interface for patient MOORE, CATHERINE. The patient information section shows 'Demo Alice Janene' with ID 109629 and birth date 30-Nov-1952. A yellow banner indicates 'Visit not selected MOORE,CATHERINE'. The 'Last 100 Signed Notes' list includes several entries, with blue document icons indicating scanned documents. The selected note is titled 'OUTSIDE DOCUMENT, CHART REVIEW, CATHERINE MOORE' from July 01, 2009. The document details are as follows:

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AUTHOR: MOORE,CATHERINE	STATUS: UNSIGNED
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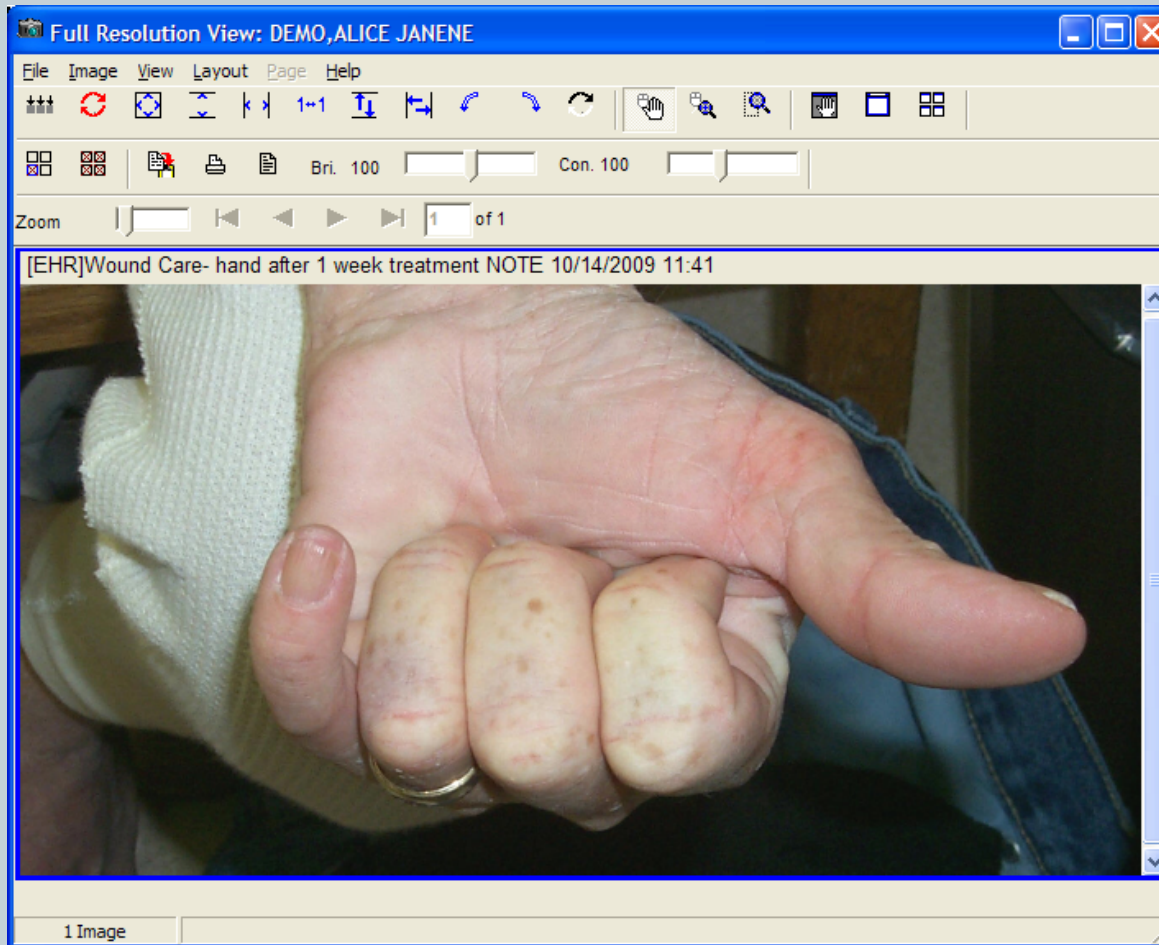
The document content includes the text: 'VistA Imaging - Scanned Document'.



Viewing Images



Figure 3: Double click on icon to open the image



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