PowerSoftMD – Meaningful Use Stage 2 – Computerized Provider Order Entry - MEDICATIONS
(Part of Core Objective #1)

OBJECTIVE: Use computerized provider order entry (CPOE) for medication orders directly entered by any licensed healthcare professional who can enter orders into the medical record per state, local and professional guidelines.

MEASURE: More than 60 percent of medications orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period are recorded using CPOE.

EXCLUSION: Any EP who writes fewer than 100 medication orders during the EHR reporting period.

CMS Website for CPOE Measure:

http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPCore_1_CPOE_MedicationOrders.pdf

PowerSoftMD Video Link:

http://www.powersoftmd.com/FlashMU/COPEStage2.html

NUMERATOR: (Medication Orders Credited)
Matching medication orders not marked as "Original Order on Paper".

DENOMINATOR: (Orders Considered)
Number of medication orders created in the Visit Date Range.

PLEASE NOTE: For eScripts meaningful use, it is counted when you simply enter electronic prescriptions (eScripts) through the "normal" eScripts interface. When you send and eScript the system will automatically create a CPOE record of it.

HOW TO: (Access CPOE Records Data Base)

1) To learn how to use the CPOE Records Data Base view the Video or use the Basics PDF.

Video: http://www.powersoftmd.com/FlashMU/COPEStage2.html
PDF: http://www.powersoftmd.com/technote/Stage2/CPOE_Basics.pdf