

Customizing Procedure Pass to Meet the Needs of the Perianesthesia Nurse

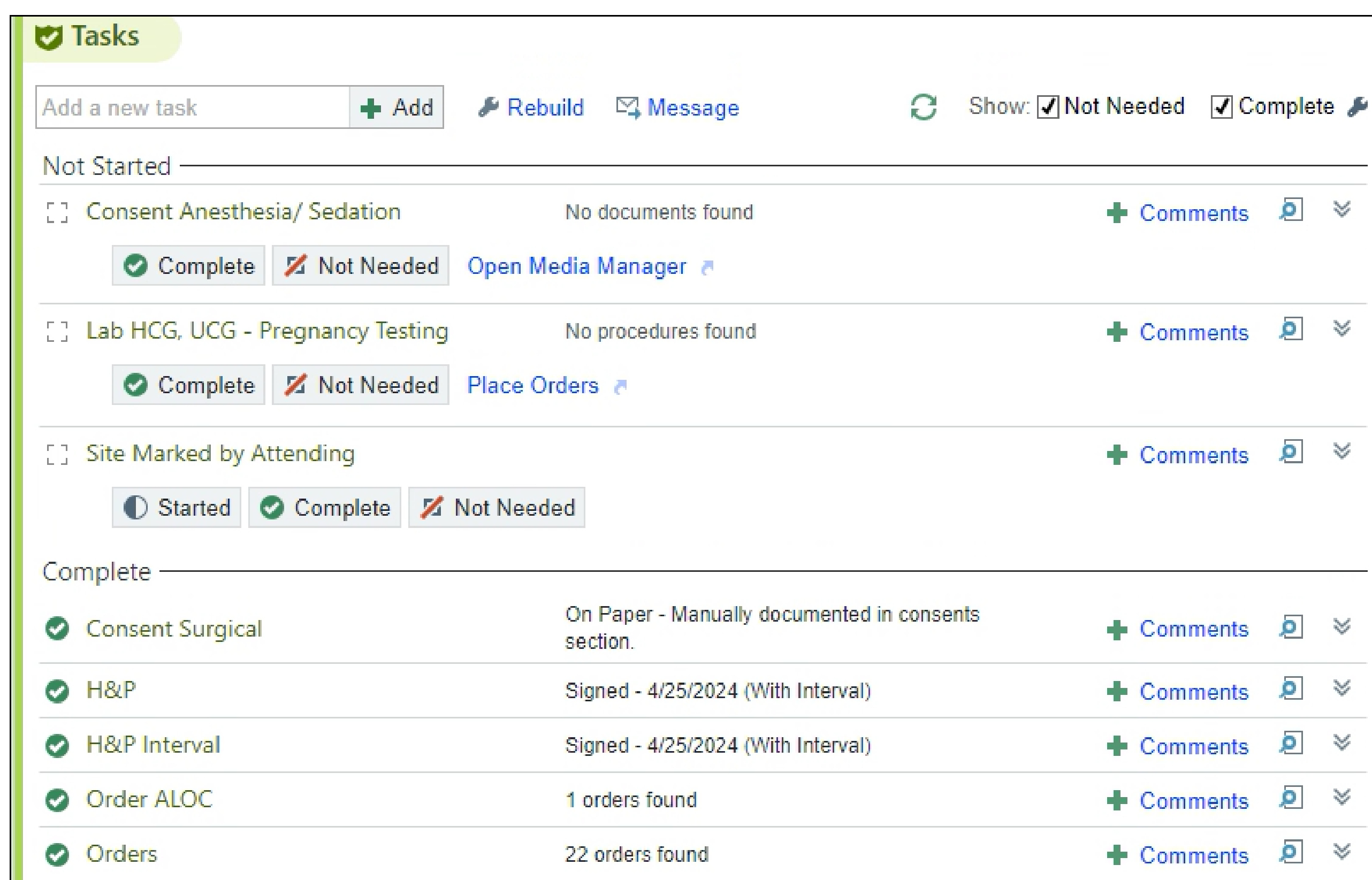
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Background/Introduction

What is Procedure Pass?

Procedure Pass is a personalized presurgical task list based on rules driven by data in the patient's chart. It is a comprehensive way to review documentation related to a procedure and should be used to gauge patient readiness for surgery with the goal of reducing same day cancelations and delays.



Procedure Pass and Task List

How Procedure Pass Works

A procedure pass is created for every patient after a case request order or a case is created in Case Entry.

IHIS will review the patient's chart and search for documentation that matches each task.

For surgical patients, standard tasks are:

- History and physical
- H&P interval note
- Surgical consent
- Pre-op orders

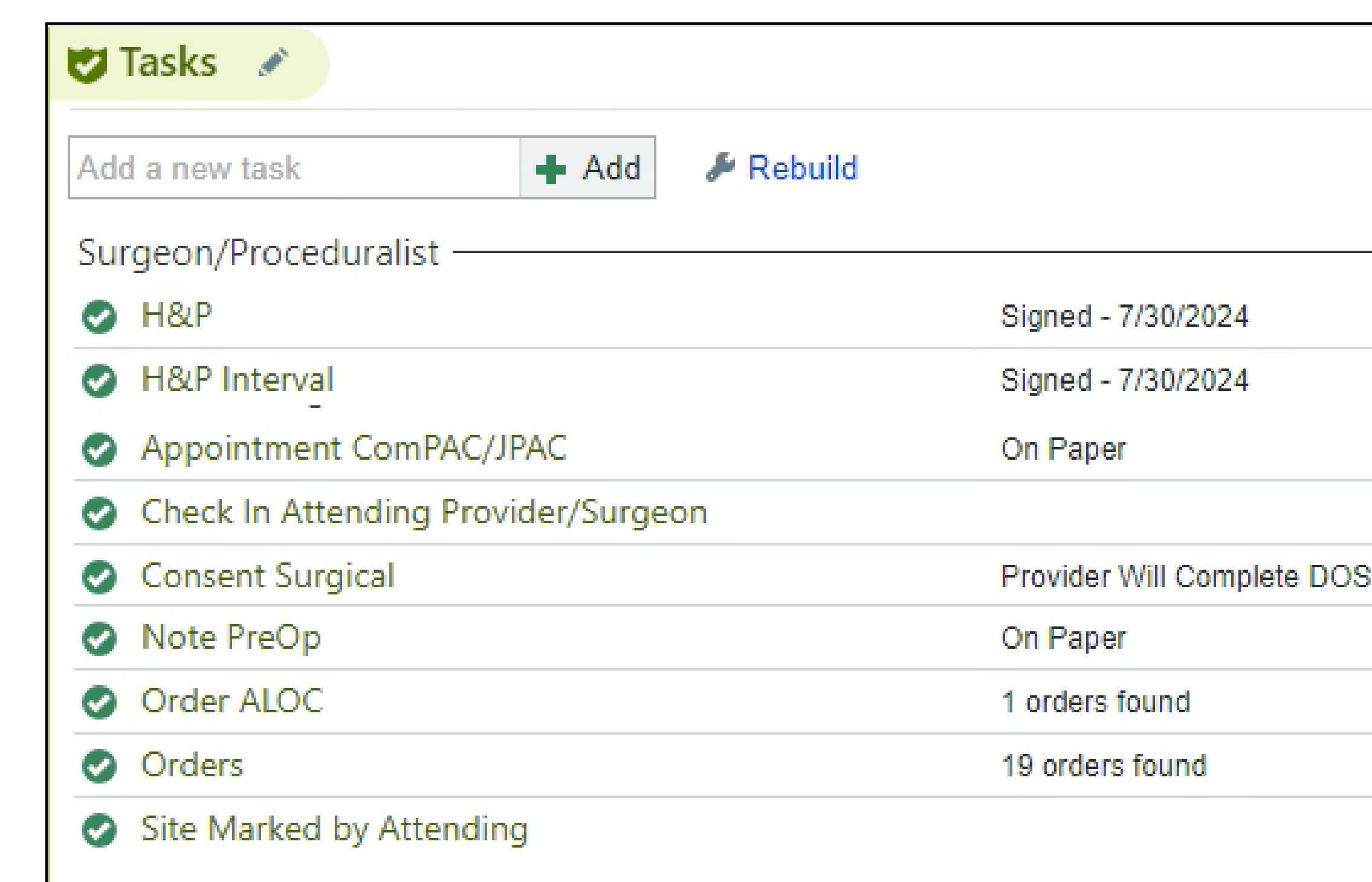
Procedure Pass also queues up tasks that are triggered by current clinical data from a patient's chart, such as:

- POCT glucose for patients with documented diabetes
- Pregnancy testing for female patients of childbearing age
- Cardiology consult appointments for patients with cardiac related diagnoses

Recommendation

How Procedure Pass is Used

Preoperative nurses use Procedure Pass as a checklist to ensure necessary tasks are completed and the patient is ready to be brought to surgery.

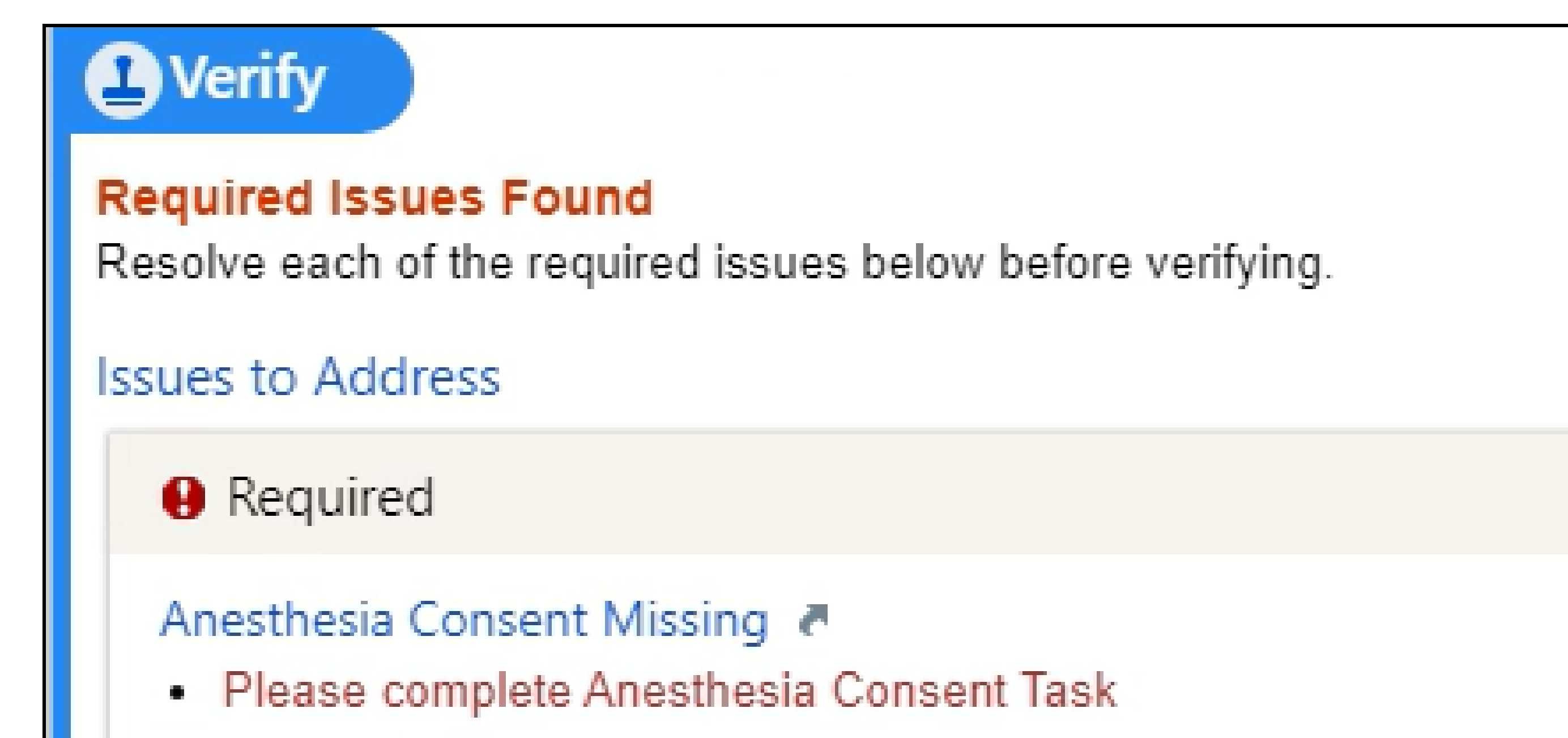


Example of Completed Task List

Identifying Opportunities to Improve Task List

One task that was missing from the checklist was **Anesthesia Consent**. This created an opportunity for this item to be missed by the preoperative nurse and could put the patient at risk for going into surgery without a signed consent.

After partnering with IHIS Training and IHIS Build team members, this additional task is now visible across all preoperative departments.



Anesthesia Consent Embedded into Verify that opens to the Procedure Pass task list

A Cross-Collaboration Solution

Improving IHIS to meet the needs of our clinical end users is paramount to its usability and effectiveness. Supporting improvement ideas such as customization of Procedure Pass highlights the clinical-to IT-partnership that is paramount to the success of our clinical users and our IT mission, vision & values.

Perioperative Change Request Process

