

IHE Change Proposal

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OBR-2 Placer Order Number	
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Rationale for Change: If there isn't an ordering application or a current placer number, the Device Observation Reporter may assign a placer number and send it in OBR-2. The requirements of this segment are ambiguous. Some devices have chosen to send null and some will send a set value such as "99999", but others will send the Equipment Instance Identifier or a random number. It is preferable to send an empty field to better identify that this device has been started by the user and not by an ordering application. Receiving anything other than a valid placer number makes it difficult for the EMR system to recognize that the pump was manually programmed and how to validate the parameters on the device against the proper order in the EMR..	

In *B.7 OBR – Observation Request segment: OBR-2 Placer Order Number*, replace the following content on page 106, at line 2435:

Previous content

If there is no placer number, for example in a "standing" order that is documented as a hospital specific protocol, then the Device Observation Reporter may assign one and send it here as specified in HL7.

Replacement content

If there is no placer number from an ordering application, for example in a "standing" order that is documented as a hospital specific protocol, then the Device Observation Reporter will leave this field empty.