

For Providers in VAPAHCS:

1. In CPRS-GUI, go to the Consult menu and select either consult title, "TeleQuit" or "Smoking Cessation TeleQuit".
2. Click box to indicate any known contraindications to bupropion ,nicotine patches or varenicline.

Click button to confirm address and phone number are correct. Update contact information, if necessary

Here is a screensave of a TeleQuit consult:

The screenshot shows a medical software interface with a dialog box titled "Reason for Request: Telequit <smoking Cessation Telequit>". The dialog contains the following text:

The TeleQuit Program provides telephone assistance and medications for smoking cessation. A TeleQuit Coordinator will contact your patient. Thank you for your referral.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

1. Does your patient have contraindications for the following smoking cessation medications?

- No known contraindications to smoking cessation medications
- Zyban (contraindications: seizure disorder, anorexia/bulimia, recent MAOI use)
- Nicotine patches (contraindications: MI within last 2 weeks, severe unstable angina)
- Varenicline (unstable mental disorder, history of recent suicidal, homicidal or ass

2. Please ask your patient to verify that his/her phone number and address are correct. TeleQuit Coordinators will not be able to contact patient unless current contact information is provided.

*** ADDRESS on file ***

*** PHONE number on file ***

The dialog also includes a "Quit" button on the right side and "Preview", "OK", and "Cancel" buttons at the bottom. A note at the bottom left of the dialog states "* Indicates a Required Field".

You can also find our program through the Tobacco Use Clinical Reminder:

Reminder Resolution: Tobacco Cessation Counsel 3/yr

Document tobacco use and cessation counseling.

Used within last year but not current.

Current user.

Advised to quit. Not ready to quit.

Patient advised to quit but appears ambivalent. Given phone number to call for smoking cessation referral.

Palo Alto	650-493-5000, x66594
San Jose	408 363-3037
Monterey	831 883-3848
Livermore	650 493-5000 x67915
Stockton	209 946-3400 x35396

Advised to quit. Ready to quit

Would like to quit using tobacco products

Patient requests assistance to quit using tobacco

Select Appropriate referral

Smoking Cessation Telequit (comprehensive program: Meds + Counseling)

Smoking Cessation/Monterey

Smoking Cessation/Palo Alto/Menlo Park

Smoking Cessation/San Jose

Smoking Cessation/STC

Smoking Cessation Inpt/MP

Smoking Cessation Inpt/PAD

Patient chooses to quit at this appointment.

Other tobacco use

Clear Clinical Maint Visit Info < Back Next > Finish Cancel

Tobacco Cessation Counsel 3/yr:
Tobacco use
Patient is current tobacco user.
Patient advised to quit using tobacco and reports being ready to quit
Patient requests assistance with quitting tobacco and has been referred to
Smoking Cessation Telequit Program

related to: Service Connected Condition
Patient Educations: Tobacco Cessation Counseling

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Connected Condition of Tobacco Use,

Questions?

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Thank you for referring your patients to VISN 21 TeleQuit.