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Welcome to the OpenMRS Wiki page!

The home of the most important OpenMRS resources.

We are glad to see you here! As you embark on the journey towards exploring OpenMRS, it’s capabilities and impact, we have put together some of our favourite macros on this homepage to assist you get started. As you start creating pages, blogging and commenting you’ll see the macros below fill up with all the activity in your space.

**Getting Started**

If you’re interested in starting as a DEVELOPER, take a look through our [Developer Manual](#). This book will give you all the information you need to get started as an OpenMRS developer in an easy to read and concise format. Once you’ve read through the book, click [here](#) to find a quick summary of things you can do to get started!

If you’re interested in IMPLEMENTING OpenMRS, take a look at our [Implementer Wiki Page](#)

If you’re interested in VOLUNTEERING for OpenMRS, visit the [Volunteer page on our website](#).

**OpenMRS Installation & Demo Data**

If you’re ready to install OpenMRS, installation instructions can be found [here](#).

If you’d like to use demo data, a sample anonymized data set, including 5,000 patients and 500,000 observations, is available for testing the OpenMRS reference application. This is useful for potential implementers to see how OpenMRS might work within their health clinics. Download our demo data [here](#).

**Developer Stages**

The purpose of developer stages is to help clarify where people are in their journey, motivate people to become increasingly skilled in OpenMRS development, and help us recognize when people are becoming more skilled with OpenMRS Development. Learn more [here](#).

**Google Summer of Code**

OpenMRS has been accepted as a mentoring organization for [Google Summer of Code™ 2017](#)! Since 2007, we’ve enjoyed participating in this great program and we’re extremely excited about the projects and mentorship opportunities available this year. Coding for OpenMRS is a great way to practice your coding skills and, at the same time, help benefit people in developing countries who are on the front lines of the battle against HIV/AIDS, TB, Malaria, and other public health challenges. Learn more [here](#).

**OpenMRS Release Notes**

The latest version of OpenMRS is Reference Application 2.6.0 with bug fixes such as:

- Unable to modify/edit a Program from OpenMRS admin
- Fix HL7UtilTest failure on OpenJDK 7
- AbstractHandler#purgeComplexData(Obs) should return true when file is missing from disk
- Deal with active lists which have no reactions
- Fix performance of get concepts by mapping
- Remove redundant null checks
- Accepting more characters for observation value of type Text
- AllergenType includes some invalid options
- Error Scenario in Obs Save : New child Obs not saving when entire Obs group is updated
- Set HttpOnly for JSESSIONID cookie
- Failing to start the server due to CacheManager issue
- Initial Setup (installer) sits at 100% too long before actually finishing

To keep up-to-date on our most recent versions and bug fixes make sure to visit our [Release Notes](#) section of the Wiki.
### OpenMRS Weekly Meetings

OpenMRS holds weekly meetings which are open to the public. To view or import our community Google Calendar, click [here](#).

#### 12 March 2017 - 05 November 2017

**Monday | Wednesday | Thursday**
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16:00 UTC / 12:00 ET: Design Forum | 14:00 UTC: OpenMRS University | 14:00 UTC / 10:00 ET: Developers Forum
15:00 UTC / 11:00 ET: Project Management | 18:00 UTC / 14:00 ET: Design Forum | 16:00 UTC / 12:00 ET: OpenMRS Leadership

#### 05 November 2017 - 11 March 2018

**Monday | Wednesday | Thursday**
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16:00 UTC / 11:00 ET: Design Forum | 14:00 UTC: OpenMRS University | 15:00 UTC / 10:00 ET: Developers Forum
17:00 UTC 12:00 ET: Project Management | 19:00 UTC / 14:00 ET: Design Forum | 16:00 UTC / 12:00 ET: OpenMRS Leadership

The time change reflects the change in Daylight Saving Time.

To find our more about these meetings, click [here](#).