

Append Progress Notes

The purpose of this desk reference is to provide guidance on how to use the Append Progress Notes form. All users who document Progress Notes (Group and Individual) in Avatar have access to the Append Progress Notes form.

Users can append a progress note to add additional information or clarifying statements to a finalized note.

Menu Path

 Use Menu path: Avatar CWS > Progress Notes > Append Progress Notes or enter "Append Progress Notes" under Search Forms:



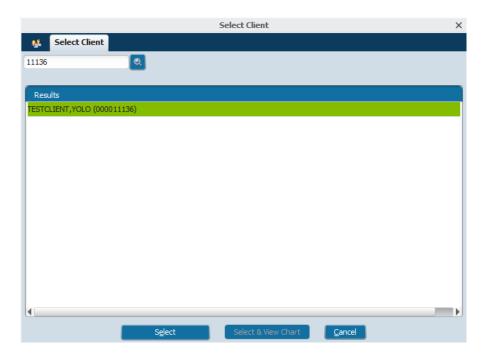
Details

- 1. Any progress notes needing to be appended must be in Final status to use the Append Progress Notes form.
- 2. Appending a note does not change any of the service information or original content of the note, it simply adds a notation to the bottom of the note.

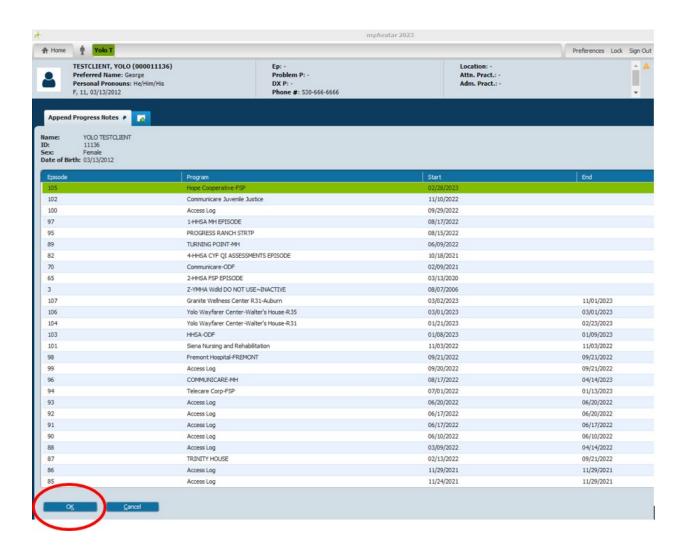
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Steps

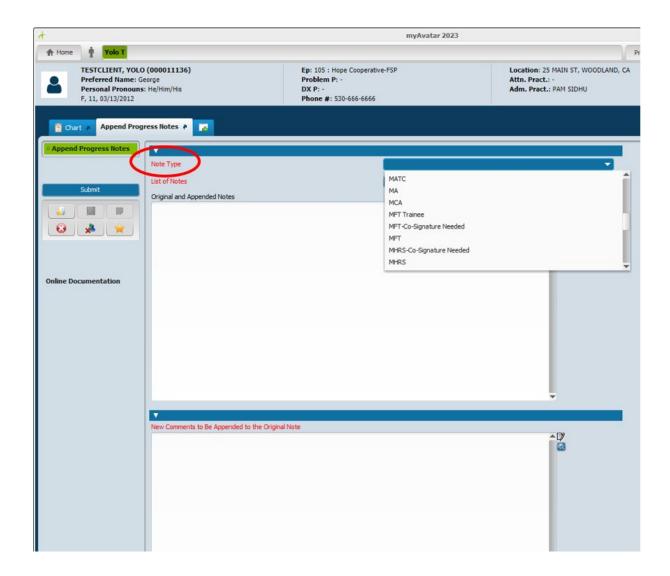
- > Open the Append Progress Notes form.
- 1. In the Select Client box enter the medical record number or client last name, first. Double click on your selection.



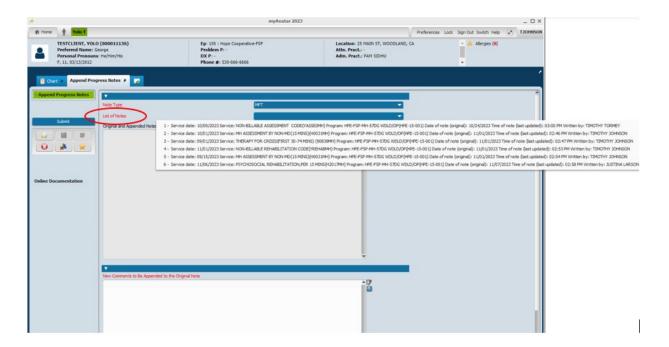
2. Select episode where the finalized note was filed, then click OK. A pop-up box with your selections will appear, click on the line item of the duplicate note you want to void and then click "OK."



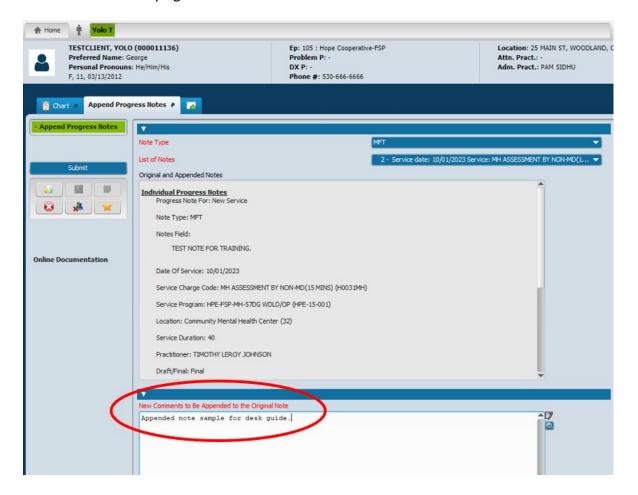
3. Make a selection in the Note Type drop down based on the practitioner who authored and filed the note.



4. In the List of Notes drop down, locate the note needing to be appended and select it.



5. In the New Comments to Be Appended to the Original Note field, type the additional information or clarifying statements.



6. Click Submit.

