DRAGON MEDICAL PRACTICE EDITION

WHAT'S NEW

Launch support material for the United States and Canadian market introduction on June 11, 2013

Dragon Medical Practice Edition has been designed to turn medical dictation into text faster and more accurately than ever before.

Dragon Medical Practice Edition is the perfect desktop front-end speech recognition solution for the single user, from medical practices to primary care facilities and departmental working groups – easy to deploy, rich in end-user features and boosting information capturing directly in departmental information systems or EHRs.

Here are the most important improvements for Dragon Medical Practice Edition:

IMPROVED ACCURACY

Dragon Medical Practice Edition delivers significant improvement in out-of-box accuracy compared to previous versions.

FASTER CORRECTION

When it comes to correcting a word or phrase, Dragon Medical Practice Edition now includes more choices to make it quicker and easier to make a change.

TRANSPARENT DICTATION WINDOW – ONLY IN DRAGON MEDICAL PRACTICE EDITION

Exclusively in Dragon Medical Practice Edition it is now possible to configure the Dictation Window's appearance when it is set to receive any spoken text, independent of which application is active during dictation. The Dictation Box can be set to be hidden or visible with customizable transparency according to the user's preference allowing to view the recognized text even though another application, like, an EHR or RIS are active at the time.

FASTER PROCESSORS YIELD FASTER PERFORMANCE

If you use Dragon Medical Practice Edition on a computer with multi-core processors and more than 4 GB of RAM, Dragon Medical Practice Edition automatically selects the BestMatch V speech model for you when you create your user profile in order to deliver faster performance.

BETTER PERFORMANCE

Dragon Medical Practice Edition boosts performance by delivering easier correction and editing options, and giving you more control over your command preferences, letting you get things done faster than ever before.

UPDATED RICH INTERNET APPLICATIONS SUPPORT

Dragon Medical Practice Edition's Rich Internet Application feature enhances Dragon Medical Practice Edition's functionality in selected browser-based applications: in these applications it provides Full Text Control as well as commands to access elements found in the main interface of the web page.

- Dragon Medical Practice Edition now supports Gmail, Hotmail, and Microsoft's Outlook.com mail service.

- Rich Internet Application (RIA) extensions are available in the following Web browsers:

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- Microsoft Internet Explorer, version 9 or 10, 32-bit only
- Mozilla Firefox
- Google Chrome

Important: the makers of Firefox and Chrome frequently release new versions of their browser. For the latest details on Dragon Medical Practice Edition functionality with a particular application, please see the Technical Support page on the Nuance website.

If you wish to use the enhanced capabilities provided by the plug-in, check your web browser's settings to make sure the plug-in is enabled. For more information, see the product help and the Knowledge Base article that covers how to enable the RIA extensions: http://nuance.custhelp.com/app/answers/detail/a_id/6941

INTERACTIVE TUTORIAL

Proposed at the end of profile creation and available any time from the Help menu, the Interactive Tutorial offers short progressive simulations to help you practice good dictation, correction and editing habits so that you can create text efficiently within just a few minutes. Even experienced Dragon Medical Practice Edition users can benefit from the Interactive Tutorial.

MORE NATURAL TEXT-TO-SPEECH VOICE

Dragon Medical Practice Edition includes new natural-sounding Text-To-Speech technology that reads editable text—with fast-forward, rewind and speed and volume control—for easy proofing and multi-tasking.

WIDEBAND BLUETOOTH SUPPORT

Dragon Medical Practice Edition adds support for wideband Bluetooth wireless headset microphones, and you can get up and running quickly. When it detects that the USB dongle of a certified wideband microphone is plugged into the PC, Dragon Medical Practice Edition offers "Enhanced Bluetooth" as an audio source type and does not require a script to get started.

DRAGON REMOTE MICROPHONE APP FOR IOS AND ANDROID

Dragon Medical Practice Edition lets you go wireless with an iOS or Android device and the free Dragon Remote Microphone App. Turn your compatible iPhone, iPod touch (4th generation), iPad or Android device into a wireless microphone for use with Dragon Medical Practice Edition over a WiFi network. And it's easier than ever to get started – simply use the camera on your device to scan the barcode that Dragon Medical Practice Edition provides on-screen.

REMOTE DESKTOP CONNECTION

Dragon Medical Practice Edition now supports remote use on a computer running Windows Server 2008 R2 or Windows 7 Ultimate. With Microsoft's free Remote Desktop Connection software (formerly called Terminal Services Client), you can use Dragon Medical Practice Edition from a local Windows computer on which Dragon Medical Practice Edition itself is not installed. While Dragon Medical Practice Edition is running on the server, multiple Windows clients can use it simultaneously.

SUPPORT FOR MICROSOFT OFFICE 2013

Dragon Medical Practice Edition now supports Office 2013 with the same functionality for the same currently supported applications available in earlier versions of Office. For more information, see the product help. To access the File tab in Office 2013 applications, say the command "Click File Tab". For more information, see the product Help.

SUPPORT FOR MICROSOFT INTERNET EXPLORER 10

Dragon Medical Practice Edition now supports Internet Explorer 10 with the same functionality

that was found in Internet Explorer 9. For more information, see the product Help.

USABILITY IN WINDOWS 8

In Windows 8, Microsoft introduced major changes for end-users, compared to previous versions, but offers an interface similar to the familiar desktop (minus its Start menu button). Even though Dragon Medical Practice Edition is designed to be used primarily on the Windows desktop, Dragon Medical Practice Edition includes a small toolbar, the Dragon Audio Bar, which lets you use Dragon Medical Practice Edition's microphone button outside the desktop environment. There are some restrictions on using Dragon Medical Practice Edition outside the desktop environment.

Note: For the latest details on using Dragon Medical Practice Edition in Windows 8, please see the Knowledge Base on the Nuance website.

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