# GALE

Solving Rural Healthcare





#### GALE: Introduction

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GALE is an affordable, accessible, easy-to-use point-of-care platform that connects clinicians with patients in schools, rural communities, and workplaces.

GALE enables providers and patients to connect seamlessly to provide health equity and improve access to healthcare using video visits and diagnostic devices.





# GALE Telehealth Main Features



# Navigation

The main features of GALE are displayed along the bottom of the screen for easy access.

Additional features are tucked away in easy to find menus along the outer perimeter of the application.





## Homepage

Home is your "Welcome to GALE" introduction page.

This page is managed by your administrator and may offer helpful information such as how to get started, which services are offered, or display helpful announcements.





### Measurements

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The measurements page is where you may access all of the smart diagnostic devices available with your GALE.

Follow the directions in each module to capture, save, and share measurements.







# Clinics

The clinics page gives you access to a variety of healthcare practices provided by your organization.

Follow the prompts to complete a video call and connect with a remote provider.





# Guides

The Guides page contains a variety of step by step First Aid and Emergency modules.





### Menu

The Menu is configured by your administrator and gives you access to additional features that may not be displayed on the bottom navigation bar.





# GALE Telehealth Taking Measurements



# **Diagnostic Devices**

The measurements page displays a list of smart diagnostic devices that come with your GALE telehealth kit.

To take a measurement, tap on the diagnostic device you would like to use.

The diagnostic devices come in 3 forms: Bluetooth, USB, and integrated 3rd party applications.





# **Taking a Measurement**

Each diagnostic device works in a similar way.

On the left side of the screen there are 3 step instructions for completing the measurement plus more available if needed.

The device status indicates how the measurement is progressing and when it is complete.

Once the measurement is complete, remove the sensor, or take another measurement and press **Finish**.

Ensure the sensor is disinfected correctly before and after each use.





# Using Bluetooth devices during a call

Measurements are shared with Providers during video visits in the course of the same session.

Measurements taken before and during a call are automatically sent to the Clinician through the Video chat and Insights Patient Portal.

To take bluetooth measurements during a call, affix the sensor and select the corresponding sensor icon from the Menu. Follow the directions to complete the measurement.

Wait for the measurement to complete or press **Stop / Disconnect** 





# Using USB Cameras during a call

You may capture images using the tablet camera or an external camera. Simply select the "Exam Camera" or "Otoscope" from the Measurements Menu.

Doing this will prompt you to share your screen with the provider. This will allow them to see the visual examination in real time and capture images.

To stop sharing the screen and return to the call, press the 'Clinics' tab or use the floating in-call control button.





# Managing Measurements

Once you have completed your measurements, you can view and manage your results by tapping on the 'Health History' button on the top right of the measurements page.

To delete any unwanted measurements, tap on the red x inline with the measurement.

If you would like to email a copy of your summary to yourself or a third party, accept the terms and privacy and tap the **Share** button.

Follow the prompts on the screen to complete the sharing process.





# Removing Health Data from GALE

Once you are finished taking and sharing measurements, press "End Session" in the status bar to permanently remove any health data from the device.

The session will be automatically ended after 5 minutes of inactivity as to not leave patient data on the screen.





# GALE Telehealth Making Calls



# Clinics

The Clinics page lists all of your available Clinics and Practices.

Video clinics indicate the availability of the provider using a coloured circle.

To begin the call, tap on the clinic you would like to visit.

**Please note:** The provider availability status only indicates if someone is actively logged into the Call Center. The Provider may be set up to receive notifications and will still be notified of the call regardless of the status.





### **Intake Form**

An optional intake form may be available for you to provide important patient details.

These details will be shared with the healthcare provider who answers your video call.

Press **Finish & Save** to save the form and keep the session open until you are ready to place the call.

Press Start Visit to begin a video call.

**Note:** Intake forms are customizable by your administrator and may differ for each practice.





# **Health Overlay**

A patient summary may be displayed as an overlay on top of your screen. These details will also be available to the remote provider and display health information about the patient captured before the call.

This may include measurements, visit details, and personal information about the patient such as name, date of birth, and medical history.

You can turn this feature on and off using the Overlay button on the top right of the video call.





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# Invite

During a call you can use the invite button to invite another participant by email, Text Message, WhatsApp, or by a phone call.

This feature is often used to invite patients, guardians, or specialists.





# **Other in-Call Features**

**Chat:** send a chat to the other participants or correspond with those who are monitoring the Call Center

Participants: those currently in the call

**Switch Camera:** switch between front and back cameras

Video on/off: turn video on and off

Audio on/off: if you need to mute or unmute your microphone.

**Share Screen:** navigate back to the GALE main application.

**Insights:** an indication of who is viewing the patient's health data through the Insights Patient Portal.









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