

Temporarily Linking a Patient for Comparison

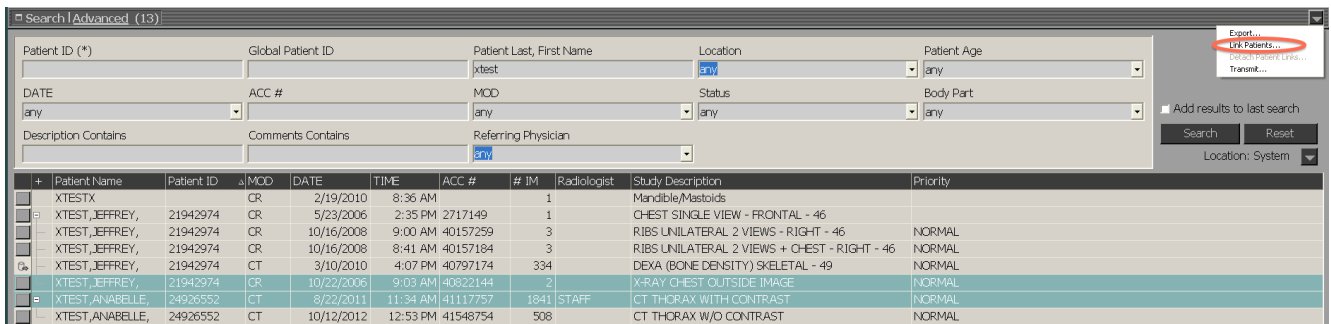
Use of feature

This feature has been requested by many of our reading and referring clinicians to allow them to view studies from multiple medical record numbers as if they were the same. This is only a temporary linking viewable only to the user who linked the patients, and will not persist beyond a user logout.

What can be linked

Any patient not currently being displayed or in your cycle list can be linked. If you have the patient open you should close them from the image display screen prior to attempting perform a link.

Selecting the unique patients from the search screen and clicking **Link Patients** circled below will cause Impax to treat the patients as the same patient.



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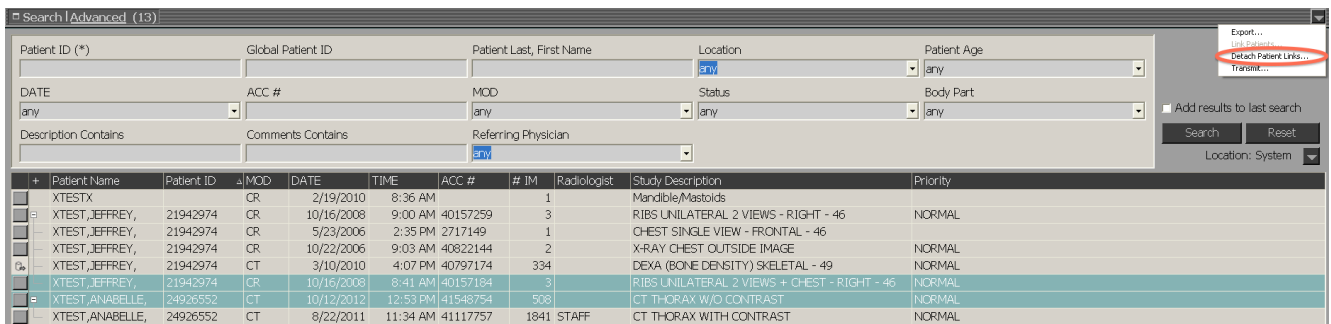
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	XTEST,JEFFREY,	21942974	CR	5/23/2006	2:35 PM	2717149	1		CHEST SINGLE VIEW - FRONTAL - 46	
	XTEST,JEFFREY,	21942974	CR	10/16/2008	9:00 AM	40157259	3		RIBS UNILATERAL 2 VIEWS - RIGHT - 46	NORMAL
	XTEST,JEFFREY,	21942974	CR	10/16/2008	8:41 AM	40157184	3		RIBS UNILATERAL 2 VIEWS + CHEST - RIGHT - 46	NORMAL
	XTEST,JEFFREY,	21942974	CT	3/10/2010	4:07 PM	40797174	334		DEXA (BONE DENSITY) SKELETAL - 49	NORMAL
	XTEST,JEFFREY,	21942974	CR	10/22/2006	9:03 AM	40822144	2		X-RAY CHEST OUTSIDE IMAGE	NORMAL
	XTEST,ANABELLE,	24926552	CT	8/22/2011	11:34 AM	41117757	1841	STAFF	CT THORAX WITH CONTRAST	NORMAL
	XTEST,ANABELLE,	24926552	CT	10/12/2012	12:53 PM	41548754	508		CT THORAX W/O CONTRAST	NORMAL

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If you need to unlink a patient without logging out of Impax you can accomplish this using a similar method as used in linking them. Click **Detach Patient Links**.



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