

RALS<sup>®</sup>
Connectivity
Without Limits<sup>™</sup>



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## **Good Morning...**

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## **About the Handout...**

- Listen to our commercial...
- Fill in the blanks...
- Stick it in your purse or pocket...
- Know everything you need to know about RALS®

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## Alere Agenda

- Who we are...
- What we do…
- What we have...
- What makes us different...
- Where we're going...
- Why, and when, to consider RALS<sup>®</sup>



## Who We Are...



## Who is Alere<sup>™</sup>?

- Alere is a \$3 billion global company whose mission is to empower individuals to take charge of their health under the supervision of their healthcare providers.
- Alere has acquired nearly 100 companies over the past 5 years, all in the health care space, with products that include home and hospital diagnostic tests and devices as well as health care information systems
- Which leads us to...



## Who is Alere<sup>™</sup> Informatics?



Alere Informatics is the result of Alere's 2011 acquisitions of MAS/RALS and LDS/AegisPOC POC Connectivity Companies

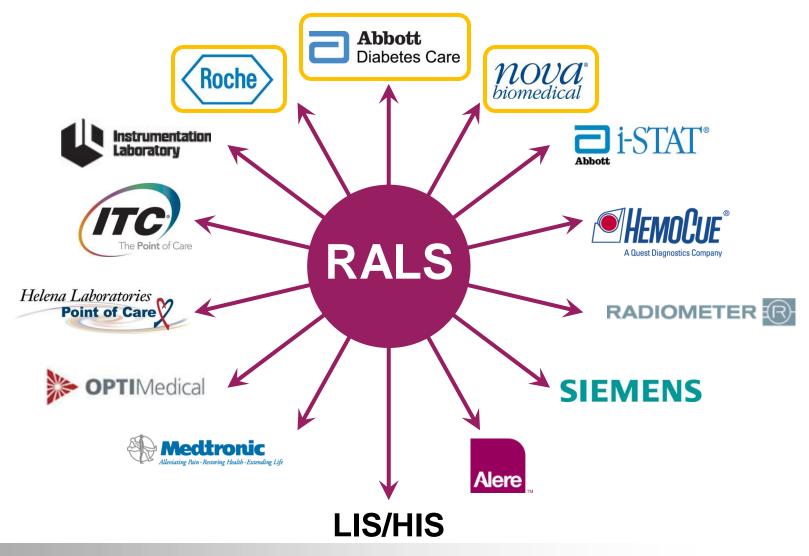


## **Connected to POC Device Leaders**



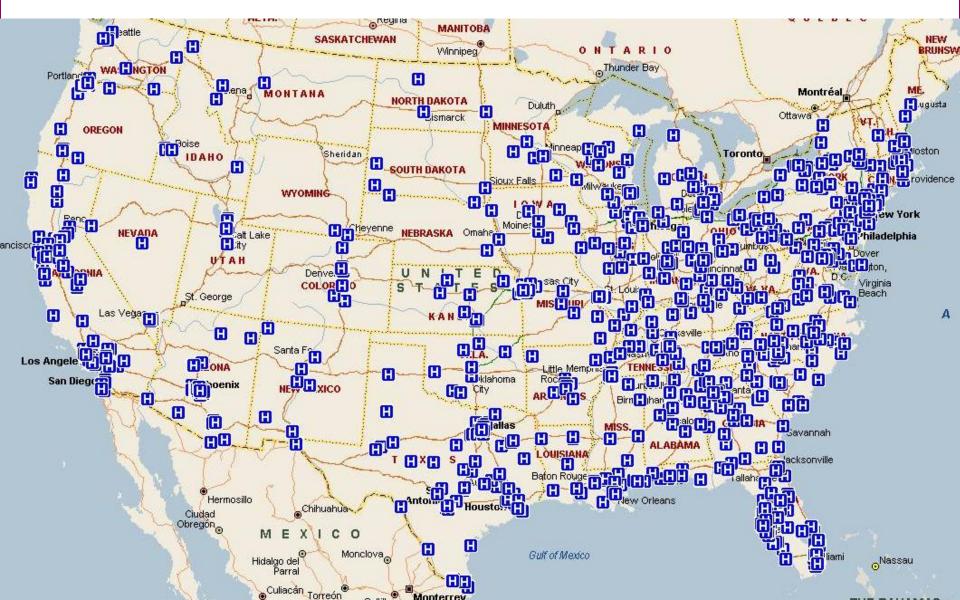


## **Connected to POC Device Leaders**





## **Used in Over 2,000 Hospitals**





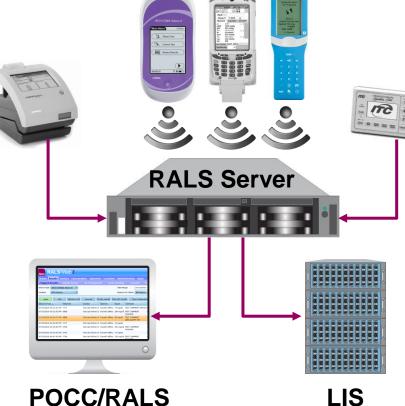
## What We Do...



## What we do... Connectivity 101

Bedside tests are done throughout the hospital on meters and devices connected to the RALS system.

Meters and devices send results over the hospital network to the RALS server.



If the device has wireless capability, it transmits the results directly to the RALS server.

RALS evaluates the results.

Results that meet pre-determined criteria are sent to the POCC and to the LIS and posted on the patient record.

Results outside acceptable ranges are 'flagged' are reviewed by the POCC who can then send them to the LIS.



## What We Have...



## RALS®-Freedom

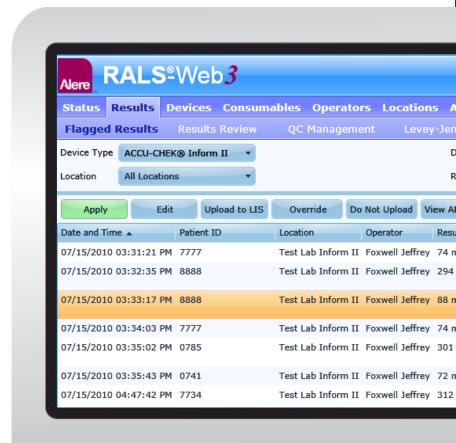
- Rebrand and upgrade for AegisPOC™
- Web-based, icon-driven user interface with hyperlinks
- Glucose connectivity:
  - Nova StatStrip®
  - Abbott Precision Xceed Pro<sup>®</sup>





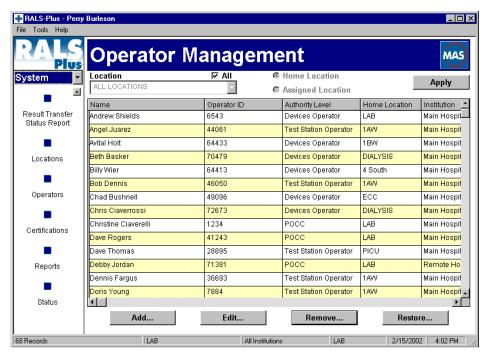
## RALS®-Plus with RALS®-Web3

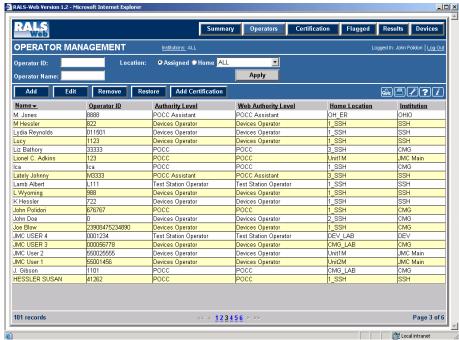
- Upgrade/replacement for RALS-Plus and RALS-Web
- Includes all RALS-Plus functionality – No IMS (dedicated PC) needed
- Glucose connectivity:
  - Roche AccuChek<sup>®</sup> Inform II
  - Nova StatStrip®
  - Abbott Precision Xceed Pro<sup>®</sup>





### RALS®- Web3: Before





RALS®-Plus

Dedicated POCC PC with full functionality

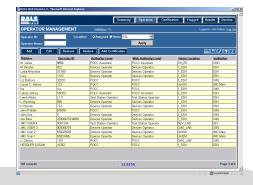
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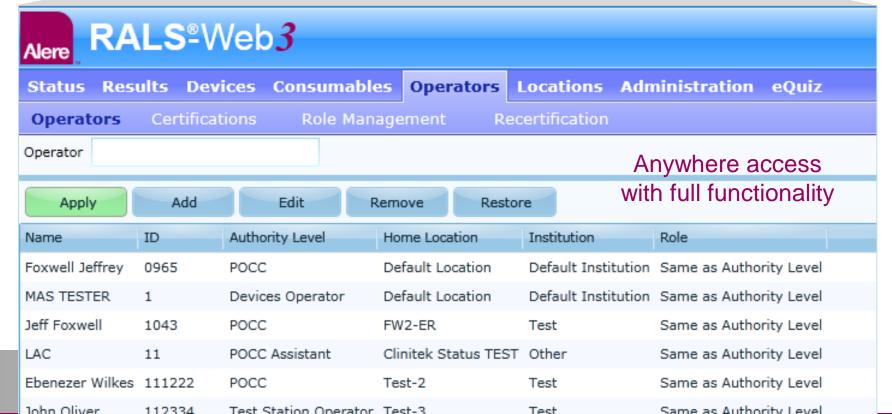
Anywhere access but limited functionality



## RALS®- Web3: After





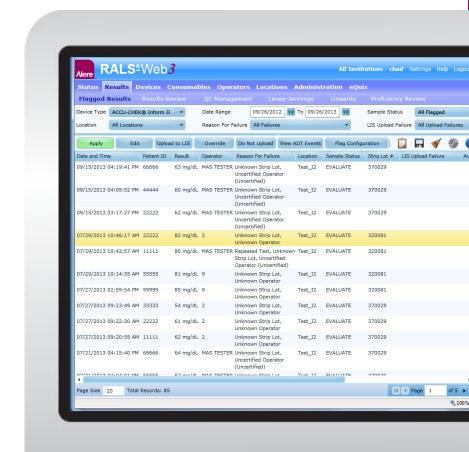




## RALS®- Web3: Key Features

#### All-New User Interface

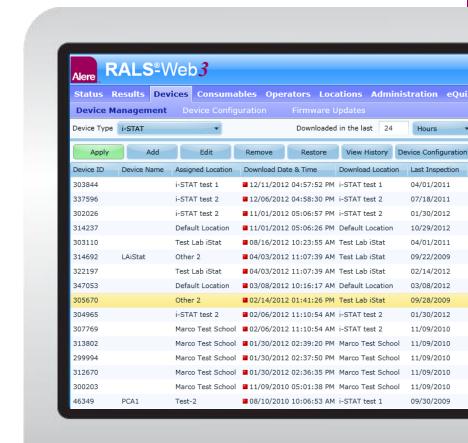
- Softer color scheme
- Intuitive tabs and drop down menus
- User customizable
- All functionality visible from every screen
  - Print, email, export, copy





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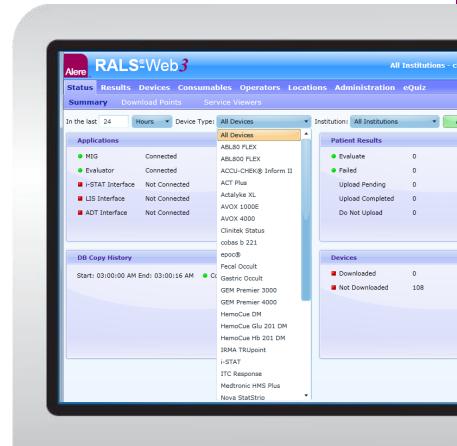
- Delivers immediate and remote access to RALS® data
- Allows clinicians to view results from their own offices
- Enables review and release of patient results to the LIS directly from units (or anywhere!)
- Provides multiple levels of authority to ensure security





## RALS®- Web3: Key Features

- Features at-a-glance device management status (whether a device has downloaded)
- Minimizes search time through the use of smart filters
- Updates, manages and troubleshoots operator and device issues from nursing units
- Includes operator certification management





## What Makes RALS® Different?...



#### What Makes RALS® Different?

From other systems...

#### 1. The Power of <u>ONE</u> Single Point of Control

- ONE Partner
- ONE Program to Learn
- ONE Place to Manage Operators
- ONE Reporting Source
- ONE Call for Support



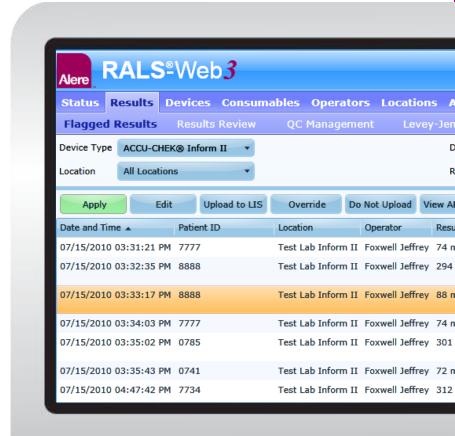


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#### 2. The Power of <u>Choice</u> <u>Vendor Neutral</u>

- Connectivity to all hospital glucose meters
- Connectivity to hundreds of non-glucose devices





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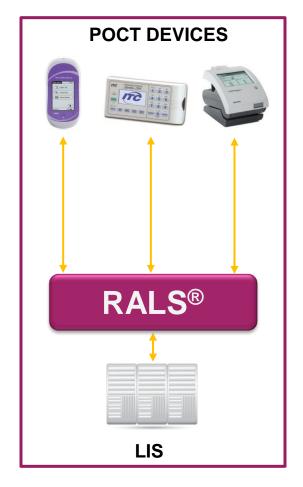
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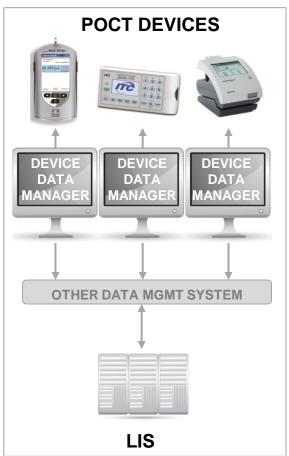
- Eliminates the need for device-specific data managers
- Improves POCT program efficiency and productivity

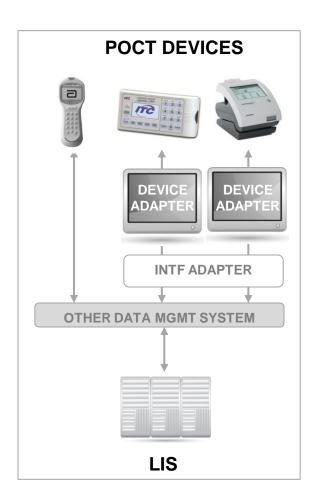




## Alere Simply Put...









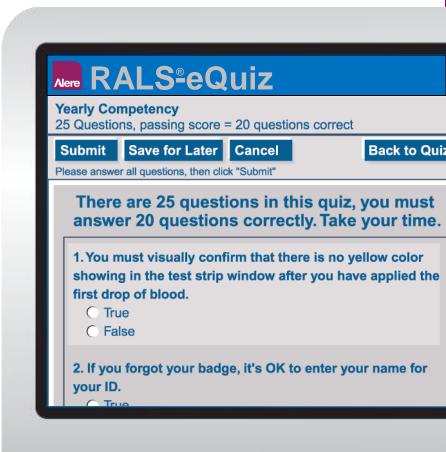
## RALS® Value Adds...



## RALS®-eQuiz

#### Operator Training/ Recertification Software

- Requires no installation of software on hospital workstations
- Automates assignment, grading, and reporting
- Takes the "human element" out of competency procedures
- Assigns multiple quizzes to a single user – enabling administrators to develop quizzes for any device connected to the RALS system





## RALS® Report

#### Glucose Benchmarking

- Compares specific hospital glucose results to 700+ participating other hospitals
- Available to RALS users and non-users
- Supports regulatory, accrediting, and reporting agencies that are moving towards linking reimbursement to quality of medical care

# Alere RALS® Report ANNUAL GLUCOSE LEVELS HOSPITAL 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 # of Hospitals 151 191 301 578 618 # of Results 14,077,103 18,988,435 29,771,881 49,924,503 51,748,885 Mean Clucose 163.2 163.5 162 165.3 167.2

2011

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52,162,463

Mean Glucose	100.2	160'0	102	100.0	107.2	100.4
Median Glucose	143	144	143	146	148	147
% Hypoglycemia (< 40 mg/dL)	0.56%	0.53%	0.49%	0.4096	0.33%	0.34%
%Hyperglycemia. (>180 mg/dL)	3096	30%	30%	31%	32%	32%
ICU	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
# of Hospitals	147	187	292	535	566	593
# of Results	3,193,660	4,680,265	7,664,116	12,345,519	12,857,435	12,382,034
Mean Glucose	153.2	149.8	151.6	157.3	160	160.3
Median Glucose	136	136	135	139	143	143
% Hypoglycemia (< 40 mg/dL)	0.49%	0.49%	0.46%	0.38%	0.34%	0.34%
%Hyperglycemia (>180 mg/dL)	24%	24%	23%	26%	27%	28%



## www.pointofcare.net

#### POCC Resource Web site

- Developed by MAS in 1999
- Fully supported now by AIS
- Includes article summaries, meeting schedules and recaps





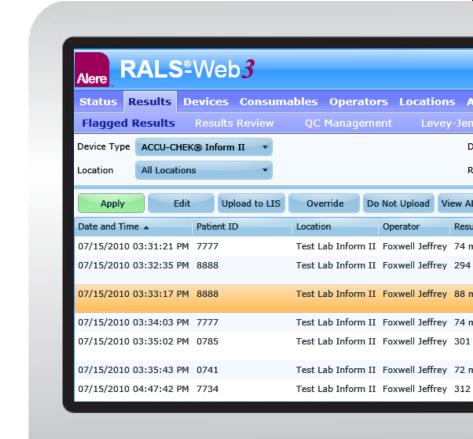


## Where We're Going...



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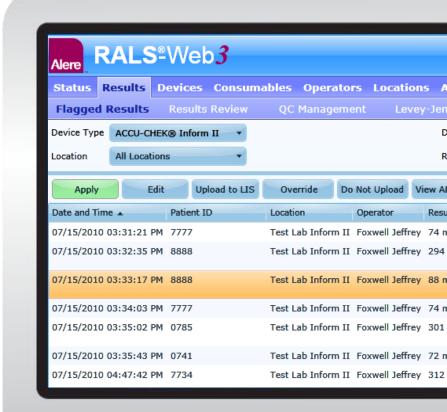
- We will continue to support current RALS® systems by adding new devices, features and functionality
- However, ultimately we want to provide and support a single system...





## The Path to a Single System...

- A <u>Next Generation</u> system that:
  - Will combine the expertise and experience of people dedicated to providing the best in POC data management
  - Will be totally <u>web-based</u>
     and connected to all current
     meters and devices
  - Will <u>take advantage</u> of latest technologies



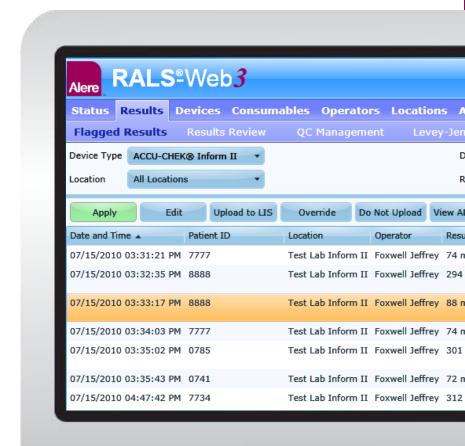


## Why, and When, to Consider RALS®?



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- You're at the <u>end of your</u> <u>connectivity contract</u> <u>period</u>
- You're thinking of <u>changing glucose vendors</u>
- You're looking to add devices to current system...
- You've <u>simply never seen</u>
   RALS and wondered how it
   compared to your current
   system





## **Questions?** www.rals.com

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**AACC Clinical Lab Expo Attendees** 

Help Raise Money to Support JDRF

At the 2013 AACC Annual Meeting and

Visit Alere Informatics Booth and

RALS<sup>®</sup> User News

Named 2013 POCC of

Congratulations to long-

ime RALS user Karen

CPOCT Awards Committee

Jenkins, MT(ASCP), POCC(AACC),

POCC at Emory University Hospital

- Midtown - in Átlanta, GÁ, on bring

Point-of-Care Coordinator of the Year

Award as announced by the AACC

named the 2013 recipient of the

Karen Jenkins

the Year

Connectivity Without Limits™

RALS®-Web3 includes connectivity

to the Roche AccuCheck® Inform II,

the Nova StatStrip® and the Abbott

systems used in hospitals. More...

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