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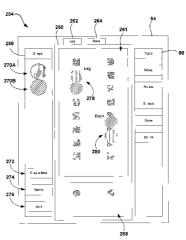
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(54) Title: USER INTERFACE WITH TOOLBAR FOR PROGRAMMING ELECTRICAL STIMULATION THERAPY

FIG. 12



(57) Abstract: The disclosure is directed to a user interface with a menu that facilitates stimulation therapy programming. The suser interface displays a representation of the electrical leads implanted in the patient and at least one menu with icons that the suser can use to adjust the stimulation therapy. The user may drag one or more field shapes from a field shape selection menu onto the desired location relative to the electrical leads. A manipulation tool menu may also allow the user to adjust the field shapes placed on the electrical leads, which represent the stimulation region. The programmer that includes the user interface then generates electrical stimulation parameter values for the stimulator to deliver stimulation according to the field shapes or field shape groups defined/located by the user. The field shapes may represent different types of stimulation representations, such as current density, activation functions, and neuron models.



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