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Strafford Case Study: SAP Business Planning and Consolidation

Londonderry, NH, November 24, 2014: Strafford Technology, providing consulting services addressing the challenges of Finance Departments with fully supported Business Intelligence (BI) and Enterprise Performance Management (EPM) applications, has published a case study about their work with South Nassau Communities Hospital (SNCH) in Oceanside, NY.

Strafford helped SNCH enhance their existing SAP BPC 7.5 application by building in complex reporting functionality while simplifying the IT data load process. The finance group can now maintain and administer the BPC application themselves without additional help previously needed from IT.

> *"Generating reports manually was time-consuming and required additional IT support,"* said Steve Berry, Strafford's CEO. *"By automating data loads and streamlining reporting capabilities, SNCH now has more time for critical data analysis."*

The project has allowed both IT and Finance to spend less time in manually generating reports and more time in needed budget analysis.

> *"They are extremely knowledgeable about the SAP BPC system as well as have the finance and accounting insight. Nothing was ever dropped. I just can't say enough about how well this implementation went."*

> *- Dolores Hart, Director of Budgeting, SNCH*

Due to the success of the project, Strafford is helping SNCH add additional reporting and enhancements to their SAP BPC software solution.

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