

SUPPLY CHAIN

Are Your Supply Chain Applications and Processes Supporting Your Strategic and Financial Objectives?

Supplies are second biggest operating expense for hospitals after labor. Many organizations struggle with paper intensive supply chain processes, or aren't leveraging system automation or technology that result in a number of frustrations including high inventory levels that increase inventory carrying costs, high dollar inventory adjustments, inaccurate cost information in system, and a lack of timely and accurate reporting. When the end goal is increased revenue, you might consider outsourcing a team to determine optimization opportunities that can streamline efforts and combat the complexity that continues to build around supply chain.



Applications and Processes Review

We will review the various MEDITECH Supply Chain applications and processes in order to gain a better understanding of your MEDITECH system utilization and configuration. This analysis includes a review of key data points within Supply Chain areas to help identify optimization opportunities. CereCore will work closely with appropriate operational stakeholders to complete this process.



Strategic and Financial Objectives Review

CereCore will also review the organization's Supply Chain strategic and financial objectives as part of the assessment process. This supports alignment between assessment and optimization efforts and organization priorities. Key executive stakeholders from organization are involved in this process.



The Project

Depending on the scope of your Supply Chain assessment, these projects typically involve a quick two-week process (off and on-site) where our team will review current system configuration, data, system utilization, conduct series of interviews with key users and then provide both short term and long term recommendations for optimization. Included in this process is involvement with leadership including CFO that provides CereCore better understanding of hospital objectives for Supply Chain.

Discover how we can work together to maximize your investment.

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KEY PROJECT BENEFITS

Increased Revenue

- Leverage system, automation and technology
- Eliminating paper intensive supply chain processes
- More accurate data to make decisions around new items or replacement items

Timely and Accurate Reporting

- Accurate cost information in system
- Lower number of discrepancies between purchase order and invoice
- Ability to compare supply costs against revenue for calculation of margin at patient or procedure level

CereCore provided us with the flexibility, experience and cost effectiveness needed to continue supporting our end-users with the same care they have received in the past. By partnering with CereCore we combined excellence, key proven practices and deep expertise for the benefit of SLHS.

TODD HATTON
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> THE ASSESSMENT PROCESS

SCOPE FINALIZATION & DATA REQUEST

- + Finalize Assessment, Scope, Timeframe, and Deliverable
- + Provides Data Requests
- + Submits Interview Requests



DATA GATHERING

- + Conducts Interviews
- + Reviews Requested Data
- + Reviews System Setup When Appropriate



DATA ANALYSIS

- + Analyzes Findings
- + Prepares Deliverable



DELIVERABLE PRESENTATION

- + Presents Deliverable and Recommended Next Steps
- + Presents Proposal to Achieve Next Steps



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