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Compelling Return on Investment makes iNurse an easy decision

With a focus on efficiency savings and a target of between £15 -£20 billion to be achieved by 2014, never has the NHS been under such pressure to review its working practices & increase its efficiencies. iNurse from Advanced Health & Care provides the ideal solution for many trusts to look at new ways of working, whilst realising substantial savings.

With a staggering £11 billion spent each year in Community care, it is widely acknowledged that technology hasn't been used to help modernise working practices and transform Community services. With an ageing demographic and demand for long term condition management in the community increasing, plus a finite number of qualified staff and the need for service re-design, NHS trusts throughout the UK can no longer ignore the requirement for increased efficiencies and cost savings, which can easily be realised via innovation.

Current situation

With limited tools to help do their job, it's a common occurrence to see many community clinicians wasting valuable patient facing time, making several unnecessary journeys to small

hub offices each day to collect paper records or duplicating effort by manually collecting data to only then have to re-enter into proprietary Community patient management systems.

Often clinicians are required to carry sensitive paper records & or at best are given cumbersome laptops which can compromise personal security. iNurse gives trusts the opportunity to help reduce the NHS estate and move to a more integrated way of working.

What does iNurse deliver?

The iNurse patient management system from Advanced Health & Care offers Community Clinicians a new way of working. Integrating with existing Community systems, iNurse allows Community Clinicians to record and communicate patient information using a Windows Mobile or Blackberry device.

Implementing iNurse delivers huge efficiencies and usually means that each clinician saves a minimum of one hour per day. Travel and admin time are reduced and patient data is made available at the point of care, making care safer, more efficient whilst maximising time with patients.

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Data is extracted from the patient record and sent directly and safely to the mobile device and automatically returned back to the clinical system. Users find that their working lives are transformed, as they no longer need to update multiple systems with duplicate information. Everything they need is on their device.

How can this be turned into savings?

Used extensively throughout the UK, iNurse has been proven to increase the capacity of front line services by between 12.5 – 20%. Average users save between 1-2 hours per day in travelling time, reducing expenses and increasing capacity.

Quality data is captured and available at the point of care and iNurse significantly reduces the duplication of effort, whilst also minimizing administration.

With Return on Investment appraisals, giving average of paybacks of less than 6 months, it makes iNurse an easy decision.

To find out more about how iNurse can help your trust realise savings or to obtain a tailored Return on Investment please contact Advanced Health & Care on 01233 722670.

For more information

About Advanced Health & Care

Advanced Health & Care is a leading supplier of IT management systems for urgent & unplanned care, homecare, residential care, hospices, mobile information for community carers and back-office management systems for NHS trusts, local authorities and care providers.

Working with partners in the NHS, local government and the private sector, Advanced Health & Care is delivering IT solutions in support of safe, efficient care delivery with integrated management information. Advanced's unique proposition is its range of integrated care solutions offering visibility of information for both the commissioner and care provider.

The Advanced Health & Care suite of products includes: Adastra, CareSys, Crosscare, eFinancials Smart Business Suite, iConnect, iNurse, Saturn & StaffPlan.

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