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Planning the Migration... from Paper to EMR



Paper



Planning

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EMR

In a 2005 survey where 2,879 group practices responded, physicians and office managers frequently cited issues related to electronic medical records (EMR). They designated the issues as barriers to successfully implementing EMRs. Among the practices without EMR systems or service, the anticipated transition to EMRs ranked third on the complete list of fifteen barriers they identified. (The top two barriers were lack of capital resources and concern about physicians' ability to input information into an EMR.)*

GMD's **e-Health Method™**, a subscriber EMR service, requires no up-front capital investment for servers or database license fees. Much of the input into **e-Health Method™** is accomplished using template checkoff lists.

Clients use GMD's planning facilitation experts to create migration/transition plans. The resulting custom plans enable clients to significantly reduce loss of productivity and avoid costly

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delays during their transition to **e-Health Method™**.

The GMD planning workshop facilitation team provides a “low tech, high touch” approach in its tried and proven **Stakeholder Planning Method (SPM)**. The custom migration plans produced using SPM and GMD facilitation are based on the cross-practice points-of-view of physicians, other medical professionals, and administrators. Our planning workshops open the opportunity for quality and workflow

improvement, while creating sound migration plans.

A key GMD planning workshop facilitator has been assisting clients across several industries for more than thirty years in the development of plans for success in Africa, Europe, and North America.

Contact us and start your plan for success.

*Survey by Gans, Kralewski, Hammons, and Dowd. Health Affairs—Volume 24, Number 5. © 2005 Project Hope.



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