

Advisory Services

Offering you a higher level of expertise

Looking for a “Recipe for Success”?

CareTech Solutions is a healthcare company that specializes in IT. Our credentialed experts have years of experience evaluating hospital IT environments and prescribing what's needed. They've seen it all before. They know what works and what doesn't – and how to fix it if necessary.

Advisory Services from CareTech's expert health IT advisors gives you what you can't give yourself: an impartial, unbiased “recipe for success” that tells you how to optimize your IT investments and resources with solutions tailored to meet your hospital's IT initiatives.

Your Hospital Is Unique – and So Are Your Requirements

In today's fast-changing regulatory environment, one size never fits all. The maze of complex mandates has to be interpreted and applied to each specific case. Our experts are well-versed in answering the critical question: “How do we comply?”

Get the Expertise You Need at Every Step

IT assessment and strategic planning go hand in hand. The assessment tells you where you are currently, and what you need to do. The strategic plan breaks it down into specific action items and projects.

CPOE assessment evaluates the current status of your CPOE effort. In every stage of Meaningful Use, the bar is raised: first 30% of orders must be electronic, then 60%, soon 80%. And it's the only requirement that physicians have to adopt and perform themselves.

Information security and risk assessment is an essential part of IT strategic planning, since the 2003 HIPAA Security Rule set out guidelines that must be met. Cyber attacks and data breaches are becoming increasingly common and sophisticated, since hospitals present a rich target for hackers.

Meaningful Use consultation helps you navigate requirements that have to be interpreted and researched deeply. You shouldn't have to deal with providing optimum patient care – and figuring out where you stand all by yourself.

Key Questions to Ask Yourself

- Do you have the IT staff to do what you need to do to meet requirements? Are they experts in their fields?
- Is your culture ready to accept changes and adopt new IT technologies? And do you know how to make that happen?
- How can you know when to trust vendors who want to sell you a new IT system or application? And how do you know which of your existing systems are worth keeping?
- Are you building IT processes so the work is more efficient, or are you just automating old, broken processes?
- Do you have the right IT methodology, and are you tracking progress so you can make a course correction if necessary?

“Right from the beginning, CareTech helped us with a roadmap and was available with expertise. I would call with questions along the way, because the Meaningful Use guidelines can be interpreted a number of different ways. We wanted to make sure we were on the right path.”

Sue Denor
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