

MUSE in action

Accelerated ECG process

Making the right connections

Challenges

Slow, paper-based process for capturing, analyzing, and billing ECGs was labor and time intensive, causing workload backups.

Goal

To achieve a 48-hour ECG turnaround

Solution

Implemention of the MUSE™ Cardiology Information System to improve workflow and provide fast, easy access to ECG data

"With the MUSE system, the ECG is online before the electrodes are removed from the patient's chest."

- EKG supervisor

Not-for-profit cardiovascular center with 30 cardiologists, radiologists, and vascular surgeons

Key Outcomes



Quality

- Expedited ECG interpretation and report generation
- Eliminated manual entry of interpretation corrections, reducing data entry errors

Productivity

- Exceeded goal by reaching 24-hour maximum* ECG turnaround
- Achieved 100% physician usage
- Enabled remote access to ECG data for entire physician group

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- Created a wireless, seamless flow of data between ECG units and MUSE system
- Enabled results to be provided to other physicians via FMR interface

*Accelerated ECG process

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