

LBMC HITECH SERVICES

HEALTHCARE STIMULUS INITIATIVES
FOR PHYSICIAN PRACTICES AND HOSPITALS



ENSURING SUCCESS WITH THE LBMC ROADMAP

SMART BUSINESS SOLUTIONS...

THAT MAKE A DIFFERENCE

LBMC HITECH PLANNING & IMPLEMENTATION SERVICES

LBMC Provides Services to Help You Execute Your HITECH Plan

The following list comprises the most commonly requested LBMC HITECH implementation-related services. These services are available as a single service or as bundles depending on your needs and preferences.

- HITECH Financial Assistance:
 - Budgeting
 - Obtaining Stimulus Funds
 - Obtaining Third-Party Financing
- HITECH Project Oversight
- Implementation Planning
- IT Systems Assessment and Optimization
- Clinical Workflow Analysis and Design
- Change Management
- Vendor Specifications and Analysis
- Software Implementation and Upgrade Assistance
- EHR Privacy and Security Review (includes HIPAA impact)

LBMC HITECH – Ongoing Compliance and Monitoring

These services involve ongoing analysis of compliance, along with monitoring and reporting as required to ensure that you comply with “meaningful use” guidelines.

- Determine your compliance with federal guidelines as they become available
- Provide compliance reporting as appropriate
- Perform ongoing workflow evaluation for process improvements



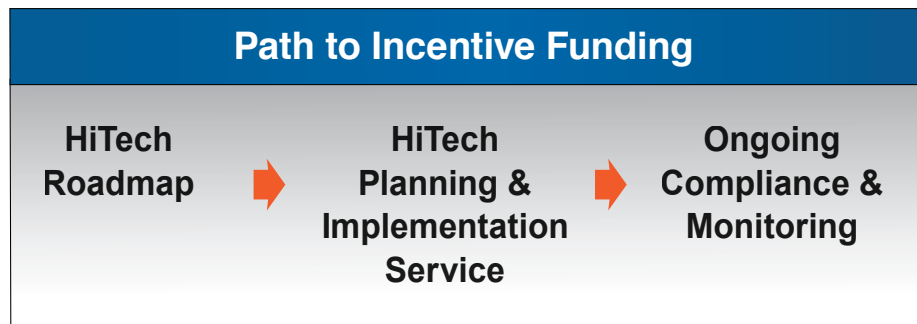
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Planning for, Obtaining and Utilizing the Healthcare Stimulus Funds



Since the announcement of HITECH Funds, hospitals and physicians have been looking for answers and information on how they can obtain funds. We understand the challenge. As one of the largest professional services firms serving the healthcare industry, we have assembled a multidiscipline task force to assist both hospitals and physician practices in the successful planning and implementation of the HITECH initiatives. We also follow through with ongoing compliance with the 'meaningful use' provisions outlined by the Health and Human Services (HHS) regulations as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).

Our process is well defined and specifically tailored to the needs of both hospitals and physician groups. LBMC's turnkey process allows providers to stay on top of the meaningful use criteria and helps safeguard them against future issues related to the application of the funds.



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HITECH Initiatives for Hospitals

Implementing the right EHR solution for your facility involves far more than just buying software. Successful EHR programs require assessing, planning, budgeting, financing, product evaluation, acquisition, workflow modification, and implementation. At the same time, it is critical to comply with all relevant regulatory requirements. How well does a solution integrate with the hospital and staff? Is your usage level adequate to be in compliance with targeted goals? Should you utilize an on-premise or a hosted model? There are many implications that you should consider.

The LBMC HITECH Roadmap service provides a comprehensive, high level game plan for healthcare organizations to help you get the project started on the right track from day one. We also offer additional consulting options for every phase of your EHR project.

HITECH Orientation

The first step is education for your executive management team, relevant clinical staff, and technology leadership. This comprehensive orientation begins with an in-depth preparation to ensure that the details of the HITECH program are understood including the funding specifics for your facility. We provide leadership preparation for establishing project

governance, identifying critical team members, and establishing a vision and goals for all phases of your HITECH project. This orientation includes reviewing the criteria for achieving inter-operability, workflow integration, and meaningful use.

HiTech Orientation				
ARRA/ HITECH Overview	HITECH Funding Specifics	Governance Strategy	Phased Project Planning	Establishing HITECH Goals Vision



HITECH Readiness Analytics		
Technology Inventory	Resource & Workflow Survey	Meaningful Use Survey



Roadmap Deliverables				
Preliminary Gap Analysis	Preliminary Budget Analysis	Financial Guidelines	Compliance Guidelines	Preliminary HITECH Plan

HITECH Readiness Analytics

This phase correlates to the HITECH requirements of your particular facility by gathering specifics concerning your current level of HITECH readiness. The goal is to clearly establish where you are now in preparation for developing your detailed HITECH plan. We conduct an inventory of your current technology to help identify upgrade options for HITECH and interoperability. We also provide surveys to help determine the availability of resources with the right HITECH skill sets, identify current workflow processes for affected areas, and inventory any existing meaningful use components.

Roadmap Deliverables

Our deliverables include a Preliminary Gap Analysis to

identify specific “gaps” based upon the data derived from the technology, meaningful use and workflow analytics. We also provide a Preliminary Budget Analysis to outline the timing and amount of stimulus funds, expenditures that would likely be required, as well as financing options that might be available. We provide financial and compliance guidelines for staying on track throughout the phased implementation lifecycle. Finally, we provide a high level Roadmap Plan to identify the key milestones and timing for a successful and compliant HITECH implementation.

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HITECH Initiatives for Physicians and Other Eligible Providers

Implementing the appropriate EMR solution for your practice involves far more than just buying software. A successful EMR implementation requires CCHIT compliant software integrated with your practice management processes and implemented in a productive workflow that works for your providers. The wrong decision can impact your quality of care, cause unnecessary headaches for your organization, and possibly result in not receiving your HITECH funding.

The LBMC HITECH Roadmap service provides a comprehensive plan to get your practice started on the right track from day one. Beyond the HITECH Roadmap, we provide ongoing professional services for your EMR implementation and ongoing compliance.

HITECH Orientation

The first step is HITECH orientation for your providers, relevant staff, and technology leadership. We outline the need to define a specification based on type of practice, practice workflow, and integration compatibility. We also provide a

comprehensive overview of the available vendor offerings and the unique features of each EMR system. The EMR Integration and Workflow session provides a comprehensive overview of how to define a workflow that works for your providers and also addresses issues such as: ASP versus in-house systems, data entry versus Dragon speech, and integration with your current billing system. Finally, we address the need for budgeting costs of your EMR phases and the options for financing.

HiTech Orientation				
ARRA/ HITECH Overview	EMR Specification	Vendor Options & Features	EMR Integration & Workflow	Budgeting & Finance



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To learn more about how LBMC can help your company integrate HITECH Initiatives, visit lbmc.com or contact Tom Tarver at (615) 309-2392 or Donna Gilley (615) 309-2376.

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