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Old Wine in New Casks: Avoiding Broken Systems in Shiny Spaces Isaac B. Mitchell Director, Lean Continuous Improvement





# Background

 In 2012, East Tennessee Children's Hospital began to plan, design, and build a state-ofthe-art patient and family-centered care tower for Clinics, Surgery, and NICU.





**From Parking Lot to Completion** 

### **Opportunity**



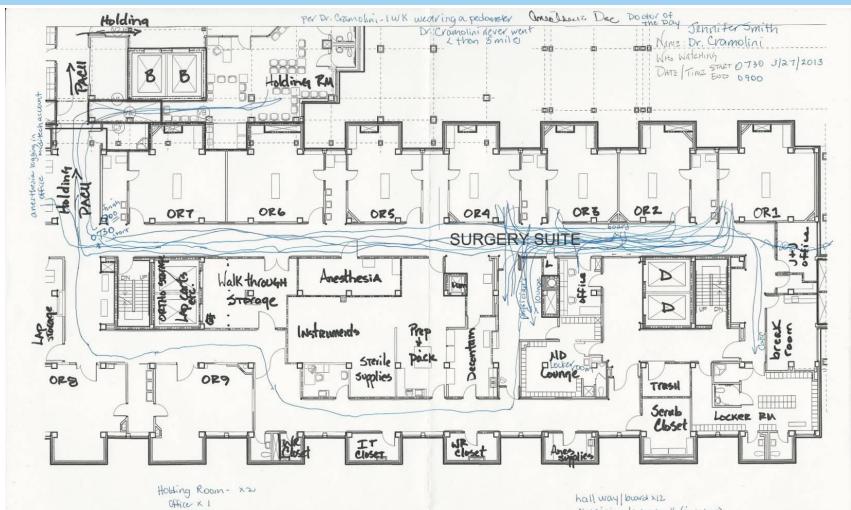
Learning from our past, understanding our present, to design our future.

# **Schematic Design**

 From concept to completion user groups including front-line team members, providers, management, and families were involved with the design and planning of a new tower.



# **Spaghetti Diagrams**



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# **Chip Game**



#### **Mock Rooms**



#### **Testing with real equipment**



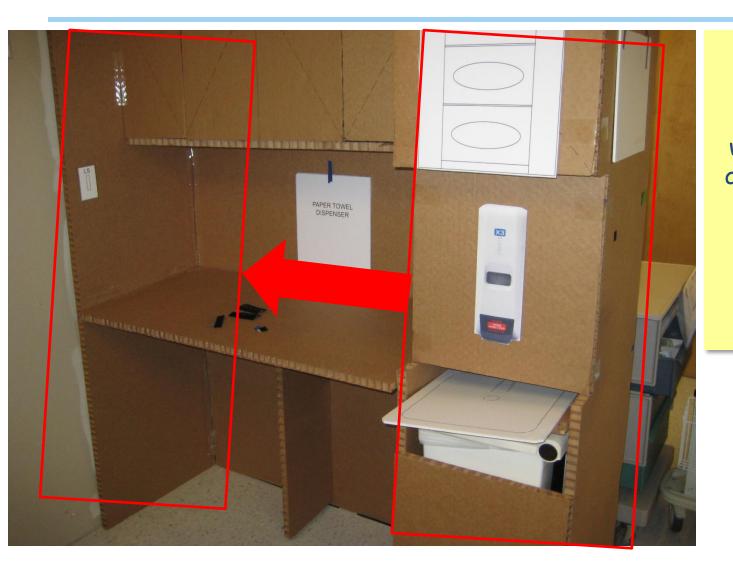
## **Head Wall Design**



#### **NICU Workstation**



# **NICU Workstation Change**



#### Note:

Move cabinet to wall side to make access to counter space and sink easier for providers and family.

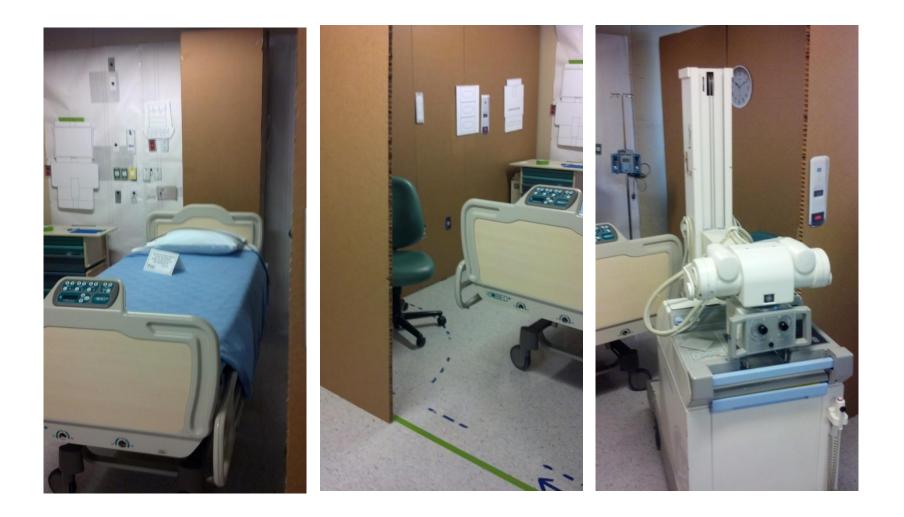
#### **Clinic Provider Space**



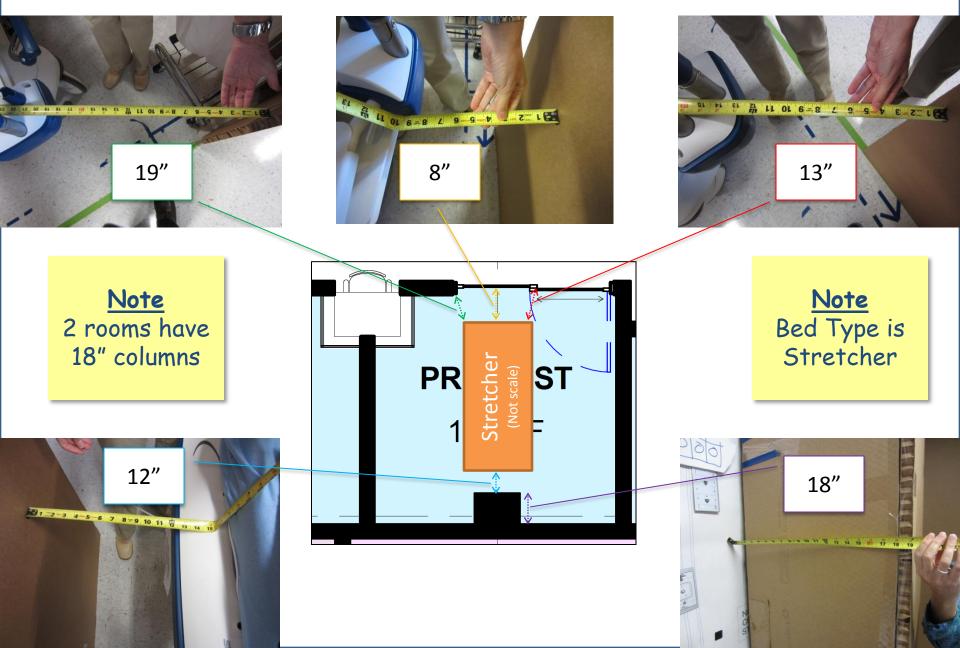
# **Pre/Post Room**



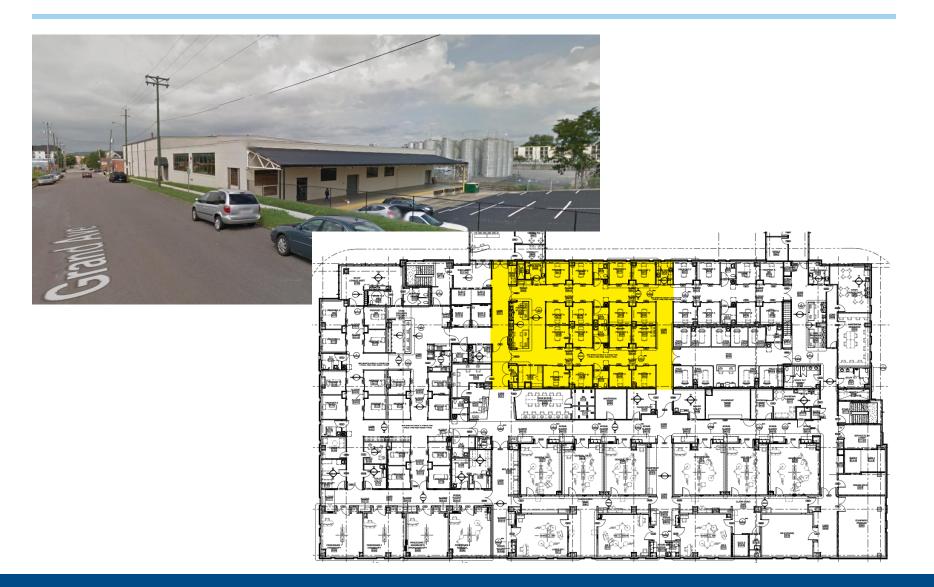
#### **Clearance Issues**



#### 18"Column : Stretcher : 12" Off



### **Floor Design Validation**



## Neighborhoods



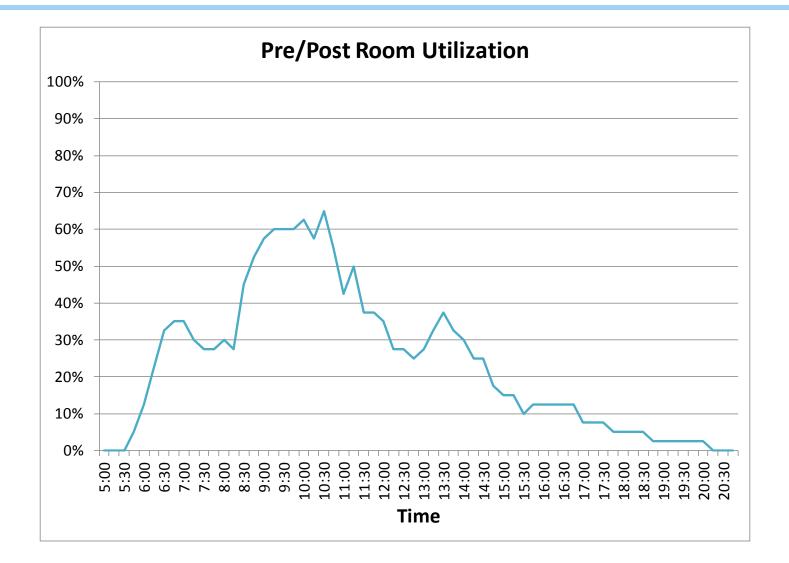


# **Room Modeling**

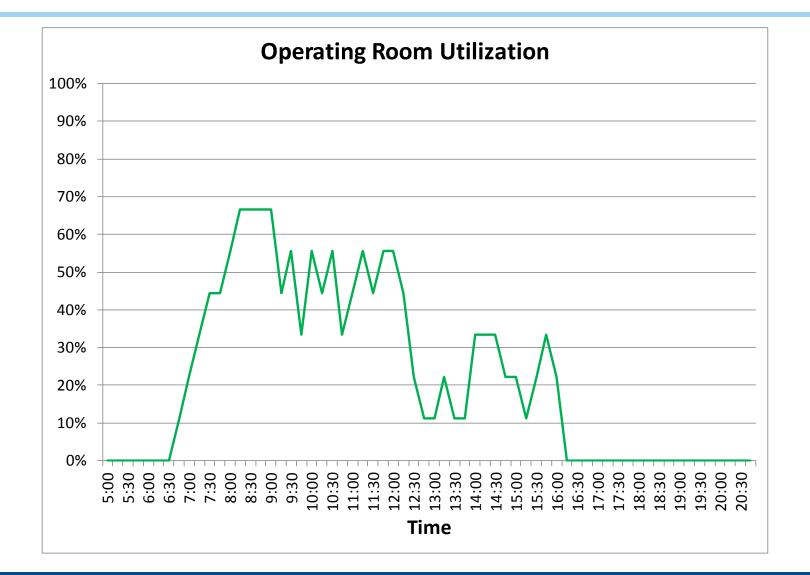
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# **Pre/Post Room Validation**



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# **Equipment Planning**

#### • Complete Keep vs. Buy Inventory Analysis

Department	Qty	Um	Item	Description	Model	Manufacturer		
OUTPATIENT CLINIC								
Count							Use	Don't Use
	1	ea	ANL3313	Analyzer, Glucose, Manual	Accu-Check	Abbott Diagnostic		
	2	ea	BIN0051-F	Bins, Storage, Wall Mount	Wall Supply Storage	Frame WRX		
	1	ea	CAB4504	Cabinet, Storage, 2-Door, 36"x18"x78"H	76218	Penco Products		
	1	ea	CAR0505	Cart, Emergency, 6-Drawer	LEC63	InterMetro Industries		
	4	ea	CHR1808-F	Chair, Recliner, Treatment, Mobile	Symmetry3300-000-007	Stryker Medical		
	33	ea	CLK1915-F	Clock, Battery, 12" Diameter	SAL-2BS-12R-4	Primex Wireless		
	4	ea	COP0001	Copier, Freestanding	5053FIN (Leased)	Xerox Corp		
	1	ea	ERG0003	Ergometer, Bicycle	818E	Quinton Instrument		
	1	ea	EXR7101	Exerciser, Stepper	1550	Sammons Preston		
	9	ea	FLM0101-F	Flowmeter, Air, 0-15 Lpm Future Item	1264 (Budget)	Ohmeda Medical		
	9	ea	FLM1504-F	Flowmeter, Oxygen, 0-15 Lpm Future	1260 (Budget)	Ohmeda Medical		
	33	ea	GLB0300-F	Glove Box Holder, Triple	Pac Rac #1050	Peace Medical		
	2	ea	HMP1201	Hamper, Linen 18" Diameter w/Lid, Chrome	P-120-L	Pedigo Products		
	1	ea	LTS0504	Light, Exam, Ceiling Mt.	Spectra 9"	Skytron		
	1	ea	LTS0517	Light, Exam, Ob/Gyn, Mobile	2112 Floor	Stryker Medical		
	2	ea	MAT0501	Mat, Exercise, Floor, Folding, 48"x72"	3042-46	Hausmann Industries		
	2	ea	MED1326-F	Medication Dispenser, Main, Half Cell	OmniRx	OmniCell Technologies		
	1	ea	OVN0051	Oven, Electric, Freestanding	JKPO30DPBB	GE Healthcare Technologies		
	1	ea	PMP1909	Pump, Suction, Portable, Battery	S-Scort Duet	Armstrong Medical Industries		
	23	ea	SFG0102	Sphygmomanometer, Aneroid, Wall Mt.	5091-38	Tycos Div Welch Allyn		
	2	ea	STA0052	Station, Stadiometer	Akytron 226	Hi-Rite		
	23	ea	STL0501	Stool, Exam w/Air Lift	Five Series - 526 GS	Pedigo Products		
	23	ea	TBL0520	Table, Examination,/Treatment, w/cabinet	104	Midmark		
	4	ea	TBL6701-F	Table, Overbed	Companion I	Stryker Medical		
	1	ea	TRD3101	Treadmill, Elec. w/Handrails, EMI Filter	2000	GE Marquette		
	26	ea	TRK0301-F	Track, Cubicle Curtain	Location Only	General Contractor		
	2	ea	WCH0101	Wheelchair, Adult w/I.V. Rod, Large	4000 Series	Invacare		
	2	ea	WSH0410	Washer, Dish, Undercounter, 24"	FPHD2481KF	Frigidaire		

# **Keep vs. Buy Results**

 Analyzed new facility equipment needs with current equipment resulting in budget savings of....



# **Major Schematic Design**

- Designed perioperative space with end-to-end patient flow on one floor.
- Redesigned room doors to allow for emergency equipment access.
- Reduced number of Pre/Post rooms with a column at the headwall from 11 to 2.
- Reduced new facility equipment needs by \$560,000
- Validation of 40 bed Pre/Post room capacity
- Ability to meet patient demand with two less planned ORs resulting in \$812,000 cost avoidance

### **Surgery Improvements**



#### **End-to-End Flow on One Floor**

# **Periop Assessment**

- Operational Assessment:
  - Interviewed 17 physicians and hospital leaders.
  - Conducted direct observation of periop operations.

#### • Value Stream Analysis:

- Input from 22 ETCH employees
- Reviewed our current process
   from doctor's office to hospital
   discharge.
- Identified improvement focus areas.





# **Top Opportunities**

#### **Core processes**

- Combine and optimize electronic medical records (EHR)
  - Communication board needs
- Process transition to new space needs analysis
  - Perioperative processes
  - Anesthesia
  - Ancillary

#### Prepare for new space

- Patient information flow
  - Physician practice,ETCH depts.
- Day of surgery patient flow
  - Admitting, Pre-op,
     OR, Post, Discharge

### **Pre-Day of Surgery Information**

- Created new patient information flow process with support materials, tracking, and shared information access impacting:
  - Scheduling
  - Registration
  - Pre-op
  - Surgeon offices
  - Patient families

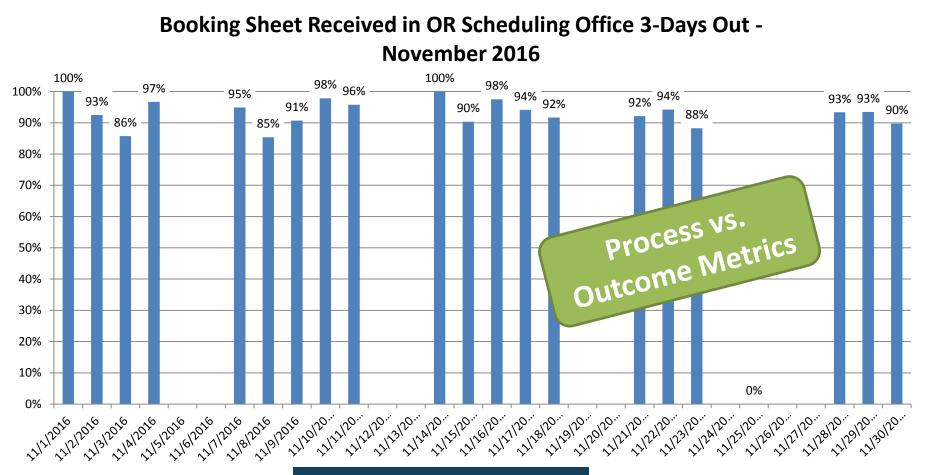
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# **Booking Changes Deployment**

- In person deployment for surgical offices accounting for 89% of our volume
  - Hundreds of people impacted
  - Face-to-face meetings
  - Material packets
  - Follow-up meetings
- On-site deployment to all internal personnel affected or impacted

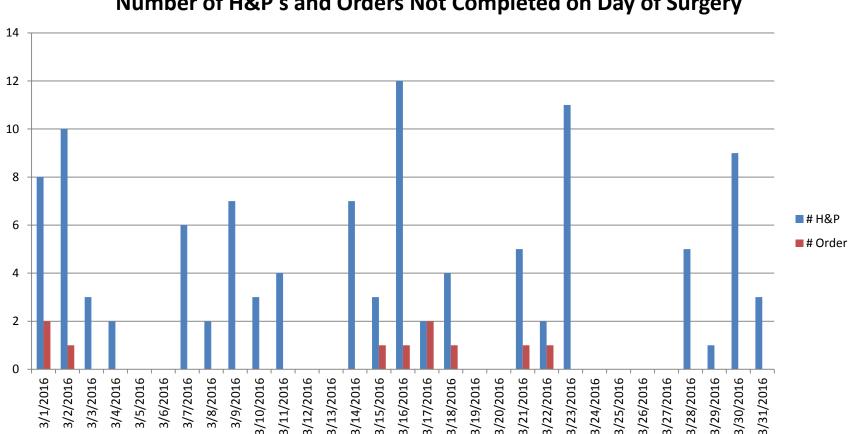
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Moreno, Francisco G MD	ENT	x	
Angel,Carlos A MD	GENERAL	х	
Vaughan,William Glaze	GENERAL	х	
Devoid,David MD	GI	х	
Ammar, M.Samer MD	GI	х	
Jensen,Eric MD	GENERAL	х	
Belmont,Michael J MD	ENT	x	
Ray,R Mark MD	ENT	x	
Halter, Denise DDS	DENTAL	х	
Crawford,J Jay MD	ORTHO	х	
Myers, Richard III DDS	DENTAL	х	
Lee,Jared MD	DENTAL	х	
Sears,Cameron J MD	ORTHO	х	
Riden,David J MD	GU	х	
Townsend, Joseph R DDS	DENTAL	х	
Little,John P MD	ENT	x	
Hulse,Evon E DDS	DENTAL	х	
Evans,Elizabeth DDS	DENTAL		х
Gitschlag,Gary N MD	EYES	х	
Wood,James M DDS	DENTAL		х
Schmitt,Allyson MD	EYES	х	

#### **Right Information Right Time**



Baseline Average: 10% Current Average: 93%

#### **Right Information Right Time**

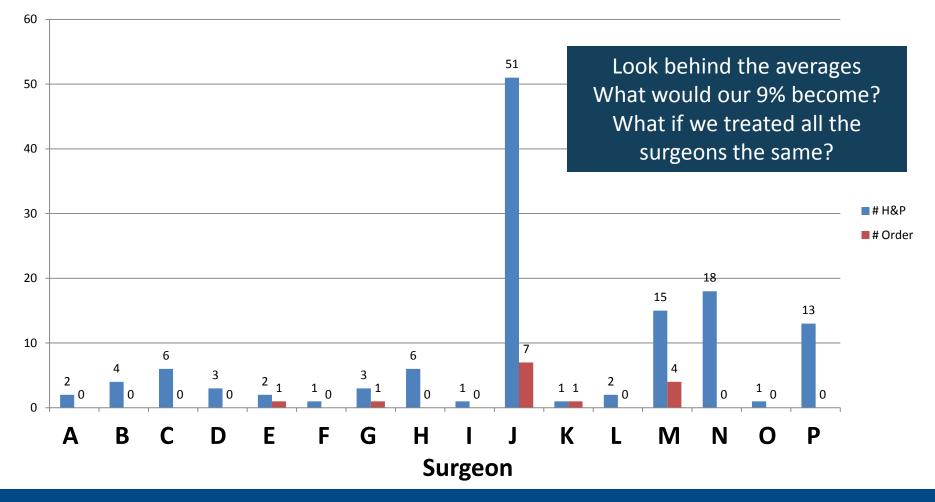


Number of H&P's and Orders Not Completed on Day of Surgery

Baseline Average: 20% **Current Average: 9%** 

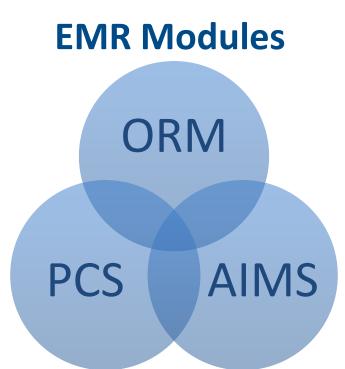
#### **Data vs. Information**

Number of H&P's and Orders Not Completed on Day of Surgery by Provider



# **Day of Surgery Information**

- In the new space our Pre/Post assignments are combining with PACU.
- Redefine the data elements essential to Outpatient Surgery to ensure we have the right information available to the right person at the right time.
- The team defined patient information needed by all stakeholders for the flow and coordination of services.





Currently, there are approximately 520 possible questions being asked of patients/families prior to surgery. This increases the opportunities for errors, increases preoperative task time for staff, and causes frustration for both families and staff.

# **Planned Abandonment**

"Yet planned, purposeful abandonment of the old and of the unrewarding is a prerequisite that frees up resources to focus on the successful pursuit of the new and highly promising."

- Peter Drucker



# **Information Flow Redesign Results**

#### Pre Data

Currently we gather 520 information fields 148 of those are duplicates



Unique Code Values
Duplicate Values

#### Post Data

Future state: 199 items 21 duplicate items



🖬 Unique Code Values 📕 Duplicate Values

#### **Final Results**

•Total items decreased by: 62%

•Duplication decreased by: 86%

•Purposeful duplication of items that benefit from verification

#### **Pre Process Flow**

#### **Patient Priority Board**



The charge nurse as air traffic controller ensuring flow through the department and to the OR

## What our patients now experience

- Average time to get a patient ready for surgery is 41 minutes.
- Patients experience our pre-op goal of 60 minutes
   90%+ of the time.
   "I called my husband on the day of
- Voice of the Customer:

"We're now only collecting essential information from our patients and families. I now have time to build relationships with my patients. This is why I went into nursing" "I called my husband on the day of surgery and couldn't believe the improvements made in the reduction of repetitive questions and the improvement of staff working in tandem. It was a night and day difference"

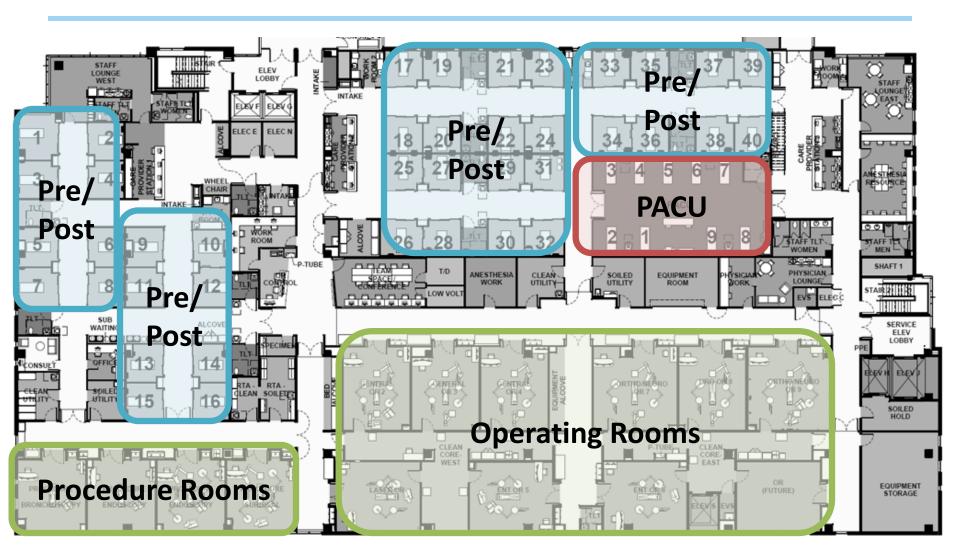


## **Pre Surgery Improvements**

- Review OPS downstream operations in Holding Room and Operating Room.
  - Baseline Current State On-Time Starts: 29%
  - Current State On-Time Starts : 58%
  - Future State Goal On-Time Starts : 66%+



#### **Zone Management**



### **Sharing Patient Status**

Main OR												
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445	ENDO 02	02:00	~		THORNHIC	JUSTICE V	10:54 01/17	MD 🗸	~	~	Go	REG SDC
420	OR 03	12:30	~	Patient	LEEJ02	LEMBERSKY 🗸	10:54 01/17	ANES 🗸	Needed 🗸	~	Go	REG SDC
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# **Live Simulation & Go-Live Practice**

 Model surgery schedules with staff in the new space to refine process and communication signaling.





### **Standard Work**

#### Standard Work

#### 1. DESCRIPTION

Check standard work catalog to ensure consistent naming. List Process group and sub group if applicable

Title:

Process Pre/Post RN Group(s): Pre/Post PCA

Pre/Post Workflow

Pre/Post HUC

Last Revision 11/3/16 Date:

Process Sherry Edmonds Owner/Contact:

#### 2. PROCESS KEY POINTS

- Anesthesia criteria determine pt location from OR
- Pt placement depends on schedule (census)
- Whiteboard used by all disciplines for pt status/location
- 2 Pods -Surgery and Endo
- 9 bed PACU
- 2 eight bed zones in Endo
- 3 eight bed zones in Pre/Post
- 2 RN team/1PCA assigned to each 8 bed zone
- All pts receive Phase I and Phase II recovery

#### 3. DETAIL - option 1: choose this format as the default.

Level of detail may vary depending on how much work has been done in this area. Could be: Patient Check-in..., or Take patient blood pressure.

Key points: What's important for the reader to beep in mind for this step? Any suggestions for scripting? Tool/System: Optional – may specify which tab to go to in adhena or where to find a reference on the network, for example Est. Time: Optional – height to set expectations for how long a step generally take:

#	Who	What	Key Points/Suggestions	Tool, System	Est. Time
1	Clinical Leader	Assigns pt room Determines arrival times day prior to surgery Assigns preop/postop phone calls to RN	Preop/postop phone calls are divided among staff and assigned to RN's	schedule	
2	Clinical Leader	Assigns staff zone teams	2 RN (1 phase I-1 phase II) 1 PCA	Map	
3	Admitting	Pt arrives/registers Face sheet and labels print to main nurse's station **Inpatients will arrive and be placed in pre/post room.	**all Endo patients will be transported via stretcher from inpatient room. **Completes preoperative record for patient	Verify arrival on admission clipboard	



#### Observation: PCA performing intake process

#### 1. Was urine obtained and labeled for HCG?

- Was urine transferred to vacutainer?
  Label correctly placed on tube with
- date, time, initials, and HCG?
- Placed in biohazard bag?
- Tube closed appropriately?
- 2. Pulse ox placed on patient and placed on Philips monitor
  - Was armband scanned to admit patient to monitor?
  - Discharge patient from monitor
- 3. Were orange and white lights turned on?





### **Staffing Predictor**

Home > LeanMgmt > OrSt	affingPred	lictor										
Surgery Date	7/15/201	15			Case	e Types		Allergy	, Anesthe	esia, Card	iology, 🗸	
Registration Patient/Staff	1				Nurs	e Pre Pat	ient/Staff	8				
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Registration Staff	1	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0
Nurse Pre	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pca Pre	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
OR Nurse	6	8	6	7	7	5	7	6	5	4
OR Tech	6	8	6	7	7	5	7	6	5	4
Recovery Nurse	5	4	5	5	2	3	4	4	4	3
Nurse Post	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2
Pca Post	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

# **Move Planning**

- Define all areas where processes will need to (or should) adapt:
  - New space
  - New process
  - Separation of services (materials)
  - Co-location of services (admitting, pre/post)
- Identify specific needs to be addressed
- Categorize, and prioritize work
- Define
  - Next steps, Owner, Timeframes, Support required

29 High Priority Process •23 Complete •6 In-process

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New Step	Task	Owner 💌	Priority (High, Med, Low	Start Date	End Date	Status	IT Related?	Notes/Other	Next Step	Standard work	Outcome	
38	Review PACU criteria and when we can graduate to Post Op Room	Rebecca Glenn Dr. Queen	1 - High	1/20/16		In-Process		10/5/16: Still need to review criteria for each area (PACU, Post Room, Inpt Room)	8/29/16: No Updates 7/26/16: No Updates. Need guidelines from Dr.	Needed		
39	Ask for cell phone number on registration	Marti Dragich Jenny Smith	1 - High			Not Started		7/18/2016: We are verifying phone number now at registration, but I would think when they call the patient	8/2916: In test and works as needed. Go- live date needed. Waiting for TelaVox Go-	Needed		
40	Standard process documentation	Sherry Edmonds Sara Matalik	1 - High	1/20/16		In-Process		Any standard work can be used as training material	Next: Build standard work spreadsheet to capture the breakdown of standard work needed	Needed		
41	RC oxygen manifold locations	Shelia Ware	1 - High	1/20/16	1/20/16	Complete		Understand backup systems for emergency O2	Review plan and location.	No	1) Backline secure messaging system 2) Second option	
43	Zone Management: (Combine with 12) - How do we determine to/if to	Sherry Edmonds JKA Work Jenny Smith Rebecca Glenn	1 - High			Scheduled		Lean to support. Determine groups that fit this need. Document and add to standard process documentation.	IKA effort Sherry to work with Isaac and Jen to select a date for work.	Needed		
44	Who owns paper chart packet?	Sherry Edmonds, Grace Allen Casha Mayberry	1 - High	1/20/16	3/14/16	Complete		team.	Review what is currently in packet determine what when should change	Needed	3/14/16(SE): We took 4 pieces out of the packet. 2 sharing	
45	Can we track patients in 6.07 where the patient is located?	Tammy Mosier & Barb Barr	1 - High	1/20/16	3/8/16	Complete	Yes	addressed by adding the OPS patient room numbers to the	1/20/16: IT exploring 3 options and reporting back to John and Barb- (Rick, Tammy, Vicki and-	Needed	This will go-live with OPS move to ORM.	
48	Public transport drop- off and pickup	Barb Barr Grace Allen	1 - High	1/20/16	1/29/16	Complete			Talk to Bo and Bill about drop of plan	N/A	Families will drop off at new entrance on 21st and White.	



#### **Provider and Employee Orientation**

 Prepare for move by providing an overview of the space and changes.





Welcome to the Scripps Networks South Tower Perioperative Services

#### Please take a "Journey" to learn all about our department with this musical scavenger hunt.

#### (Provide proof of finding all locations by following the clues below)

Area to find:	Clue:	Title: Scan the QR code t hear the song			
Locker Rooms (entrance on 4 <sup>th</sup> floor)	We wish we were only working 8 hours like this East TN native sings from a movie with the same name.	9 to 5 Dolly Parton			
Locker Rooms (exit to Periop Unit)	We might not be playing sports but we are a team.	Put Me in Coach John Fogarty			
Pre/Post Care Station Back	This shakes like this song describes.	You Shook Me All Night Long ACDC			
Gas Storage Room	You may or may not feel the way this song suggests.	Peaceful Easy Feeling Eagles			
Laryngospasm Kit (Workroom Back)	This song is the opposite of the goal of having these kits.	Take My Breath Away Berlin			
Offices (Jenny, Sherry,	This is something that we often take for granted but is necessary	Breathing Jason Derulo			

# **Next Steps:**

- On-time Starts Kaizen: Continued improvement to OR on-time starts performance.
- Refine Management System: Building a leadership support and reporting structure to sustain long-term performance.
- Implement Schedule
   Smoothing: Review scheduling strategy to improve overall OR utilization.



### **Moving Forward Together**



### How did we do?

#### TO DO LIST FROM DR. JAMES RAWSON

Engage Physicians
 Include patients/families in PI projects
 Free up \$1M of waste and reinvest it in healthcare
 Tweet your lessons learned

**5.** Report the impact of the \$300M reinvestment in US healthcare at SHS2017

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Chapter 10

#### Lean Design

#### Better, Faster, and Cheaper

In recent years, health systems have partnered with their architects and construction builders to embrace "Lean design" principles and practices. It is possible to build, renovate, or finish out spaces in a way that breaks traditional trade-offs. Spaces and buildings can work better (for patients and staff), faster (completed before estimated dates), and cheaper (coming in under budget or less expensive than similar projects). As with anything Lean, these benefits come from engaging people and improving processes, not by cutting corners or somehow limiting the value that is being created.

What problems are being solved with Lean design? For one, traditional design processes don't involve frontline staff in the process enough, either getting no input or superficial input, until the new space is handed over to staff. Or, input is received only from a select few, making it more difficult for others to accept the design.

Secondly, traditional design focuses too much on the space or layout, often focused on making it larger or look better, without considering workflows—fitting the space to the workflows or simultaneously improving workflows and space to get the fit that works best in practice.

Thirdly, design and construction is often a batch process, with major stages of work being "thrown over the wall" without many opportunities to iteratively improve a design throughout the process. Instead of a hospital asking the architect to design a building for them, the Lean design process means that everybody works together to design and build more effective spaces and buildings.

Bernita Biekmann, AIA, EDAC, LSSBB, an architect and director of Lean strategy for architecture firm HKS, says, "The traditional approach was more of a 'Band Aid' approach, trying to fix immediate problems instead of looking out beyond today for how to be a hospital of the future or to create an ideal state of working." Space design must consider future ways of working, and vice versa. A hospital that expects nurses to spend more time at the bedside might build smaller nurse' stations, while providing technology and workflow improvements that help make that work effectively.

"We no longer rely on experts or architects to tell us how to design the building," says Dr. David Munch, former chief clinical and quality officer at Exempla Lutheran Medical Center (Colorado). Instead, Munch continues, "We deeply engage the frontline in codifying their ideal work flows.

## **Questions?**



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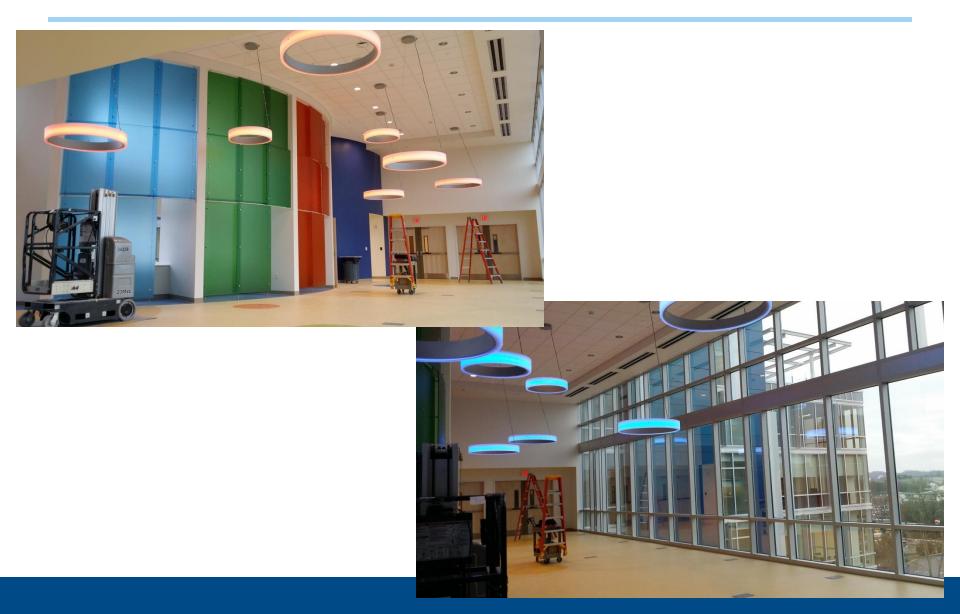


Poster





### Waiting Room



# **Pre/Post Room**



#### **Procedure Room**



### **Operating Room**



#### PACU



### **Sterile Processing**







