NHS Connecting for Health

NHS Connecting for Health Transforms Management of Patient Data to Optimize Quality of Service Delivery"Managing an initiative of the size, scale, and complexity of the National Programme for IT would be impossible without the multiapplication tracking capabilities of Oracle's Primavera Enterprise Project Portfolio Management." - Iain Murphy, Chief Planner, National Programme Office, NHS Connecting for HealthChallenges-- Build a planning and management architecture for the National Programme for IT (NPfIT), a US$21.05 billion (GB£12.7 billion) multiproject initiative to transform service delivery through technology-- Manage 10-year rollout of NPfIT to over 300 hospitals (270

Brief Overview

NHS Connecting for Health supports the National Health Service (NHS) in providing better, safer care to more than 50 million people in England by delivering computer systems and services that improve how patient information is transferred, stored and accessed.

INDUSTRY

Healthcare

EMPLOYEES

1,300

PRODUCT

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general, acute hospitals) in England to give thousands of clinicians secure access to patient records-- Minimize risk and cost of schedule overruns for all projects-- Facilitate real-time data sharing between dispersed teams for collaborative planning and forecasting-- Provide stakeholders in the NHS, Department of Health, and parliament with accurate, contextual data, often at short notice-- Minimize resources and technology needed to track thousands of simultaneous national and local projectsSolution-- Implemented Oracle's Primavera Enterprise Project Portfolio Management to provide a consolidated planning and progress reporting database for all NPfIT activities-- Captured all details of each NPfIT local or national project via Primavera's intuitive, secure, configurable user interface-- Rolled system out to 80 planners, 50% operating centrally and 50% working within strategic health authorities-- Used solution to reformat data and tailor the intelligence extracted to meet the needs of all categories of users-- Gained insight into the status of all projects-- Used Primavera's open standards to export data directly into third-party systems for management information reporting-- Managed a complex, mission-critical NHS program without a full scale planning architecture and with only a small IT team