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SMAART Announces SMAART-ReportSuite™

ReportSuite simplifies workflow by automating manual processes - saving money for hospitals

DALLAS, TX – May 4, 2009. SMAART Medical Systems, Inc. of Dallas, TX, announced SMAART-ReportSuite™ for the SMAART PACS. ReportSuite is designed to speed, automate and simplify the report workflow in hospitals without a full-time onsite radiologist. SMAART-ReportSuite also provides attractive, labor saving features for facilities that have a radiologist at the hospital, but lack a full-featured RIS – Radiology Information System. ReportSuite is one more in a continuing series of teleradiology innovations introduced by SMAART to save hospitals money and improve patient care.

ReportSuite provides many powerful features that save time and labor for hospitals, radiologists and staff, by electronically automating many manual steps in their workflow such as finalizing patient exam reports, entering them in the PACS, and distributing the reports to providers. ReportSuite bundles three related software modules for the SMAART PACS: ezReport, eSign, and AutoDistribution to accomplish this task. While each module is available independently, most facilities can be best served by using all three.

SMAART-ezReport automates the process for attaching radiology reports to the matching exam in the hospital's PACS. The automation not only saves labor, but also eliminates reports being attached to incorrect exams, reducing errors. Since this can be done without manual steps at the hospital, it speeds up the entire process, and makes preliminary reports available more readily in off-hours for emergency patients. This software application can be installed on any computer involved with transcription, whether it is inside or outside of the hospital.

SMAART-eSign saves time for radiologists, and for radiologists, time is money. Normally, radiologists spend time to manually handle and sign final reports when they read for a remote facility. This often involves travel to the hospital. With SMAART-ReportSuite with eSign, the preliminary report is posted in the SMAART-PACS for the radiologist to access from any computer. The doctor simply pushes a button in the web-screen to approve the report, and a final copy of the report is created in the PACS with an electronic signature. This speeds the availability of the final report for referring and attending physicians.

Finally, with SMAART-AutoDistribution, reports are automatically sent to any networked printer or to a fax machine, or encrypted and securely emailed to the ordering physician. Because of the flexibility of AutoDistribution, the reports can be distributed either when they first arrive at the PACS or when they are finalized. Again, this feature saves time and labor, saving money and providing improved patient care.

SMAART Medical Systems, Inc. is a Dallas-based, national supplier of PACS (Picture Archive and Communication System), RIS (Radiology Information System), teleradiology, and advanced diagnostic software. PACS and RIS systems are the radiology industry's way to modernize diagnostic image management and eliminate the costs associated with x-ray film. A PACS system allows physicians and technologists to view, store, and manage images from x-ray, ultrasound, MRI, CT, PET, and other imaging systems. A RIS automates the workflow of an imaging center. A teleradiology system securely transfers a patient's images via the Internet from the imaging center to an off-site radiologist or physician. SMAART specializes in turnkey solutions for small to medium-sized hospitals and imaging centers. For additional information, visit our website at www.smaart.net.