

A Medium Enterprise Health Care Organization Improves Quality of Care with PDC Healthcare's Alert Clasps/Snaps

Introduction

This case study of a medium enterprise health care company is based on a May 2017 survey of PDC Healthcare color-coded alert products customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service. The profiled company asked to have their name blinded to protect their confidentiality.

“PDC Healthcare’s color-coded alerts help reduce patient falls.”

Challenges

The business challenges that led the profiled organization to evaluate and ultimately select PDC Healthcare color-coded alert products :

- Experienced the following challenges prior to using color-coded alerts at their hospital:
 - Confusion about color and alert meanings
 - Difficulty in identifying special patient risk or status
 - Caregiver confusion caused by employment at multiple hospitals

Use Case

The key features and functionalities of PDC Healthcare color-coded alert products that the surveyed organization uses:

- Is currently using the following color-coded alert product at their hospital:
 - Alert clasps / snaps
- Uses the following color-coded alerts at their hospital:
 - Allergy (Red)
 - Blood (Green)
 - DNR (Purple)
 - Fall Risk (Yellow)
 - Limb Alert (Pink)

Results

The surveyed organization achieved the following results with PDC Healthcare color-coded alert products:

- Has experienced the following benefits since using the PDC Healthcare color coded alerts:
 - Prevent confusion caused by a lack of standardization
 - Meet state standardization guidelines
 - Improve patient satisfaction
 - Give peace of mind to patients
 - Provide visual cues that prompt staff to check medical records
 - Improve communication among caregivers
 - Identify special patient risks
 - Improve quality of care
- Found it significantly easier to identify special patient risks since using color-coded alert products from PDC Healthcare.

Company Profile

The company featured in this case study asked to have its name publicly blinded because publicly endorsing vendors is against their policies.

TechValidate stands behind the authenticity of this data.

Company Size:
Medium Enterprise

Industry:
Health Care

About PDC Healthcare Color-Coded Alert Products

PDC Healthcare products are used in the leading hospitals worldwide and consist of the largest selection of wristbands, labels, and medical records and imaging products in the industry. PDC Healthcare products provide positive ID and positive clinical outcomes, while meeting important guidelines of The Joint Commission, FDA, AHA, and HIPAA.

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