



CQO: The Future
of Healthcare
Supply Chain

Advanced Technologies for Automating the Supply Chain

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Objectives

- Understand current new technologies impacting supply chain
- Learn how those technologies are being applied in real life examples
- Spark cost saving ideas that you can implement when you get home

Technology Trends

- Cloud Computing
- Big Data
- Smart Device Technology
- Kanban

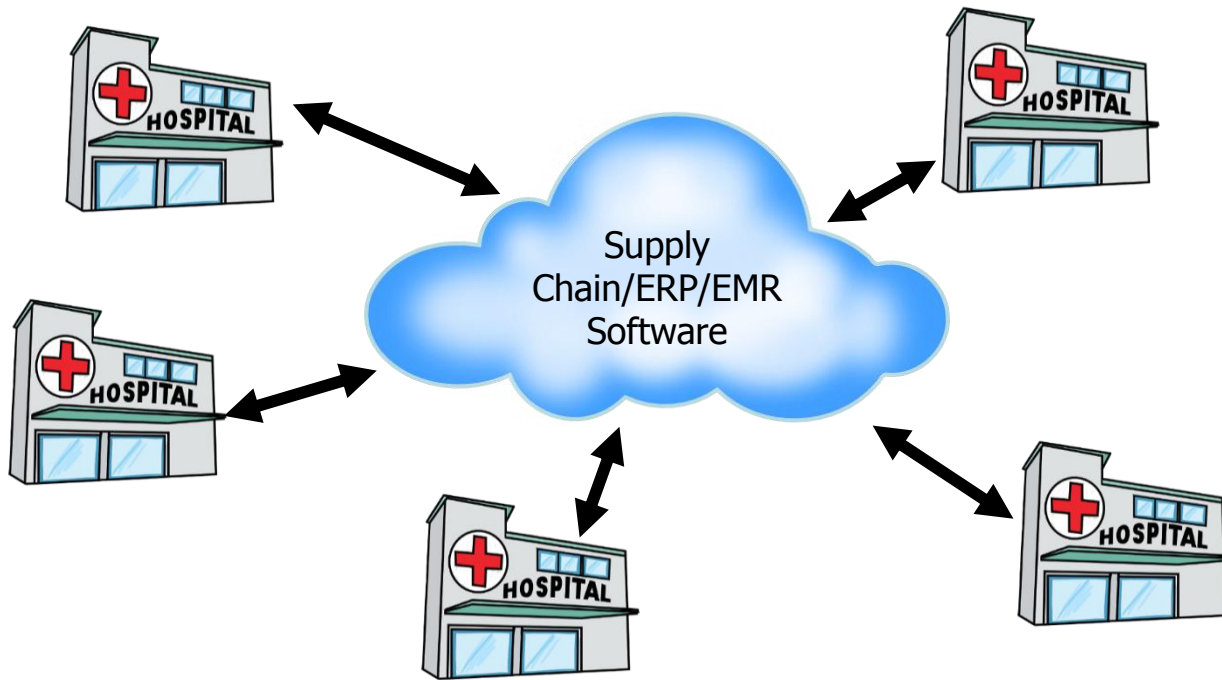
Cloud Computing



Big Data

Big data is the term for a collection of data sets so large and complex that it becomes difficult to process using on-hand database management tools or traditional data processing applications.

Cost, Quality, Outcomes, Cloud & Big Data



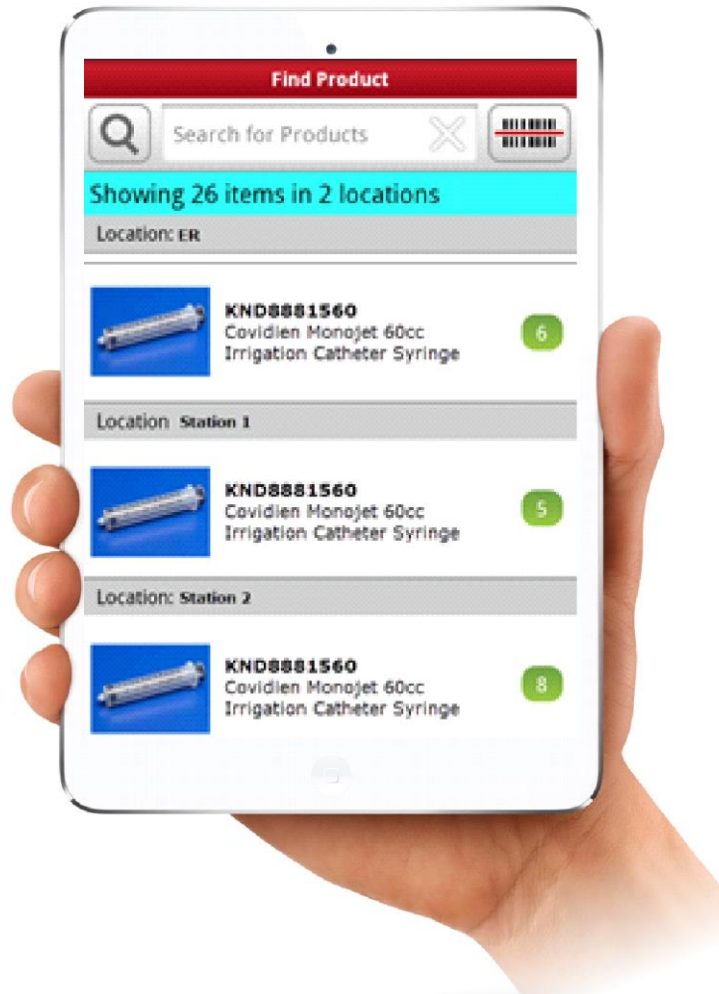
Mobile Computing



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2-Bin Kanban



Case Study #1

Cloud Plus Mobile



About Agnesian Healthcare

- Founded in 1896 by Sisters of St. Agnes
- 3 hospitals
 - St. Agnes Hospital, 161 beds
 - Ripon Medical Center, 25 beds
 - Waupun Memorial Hospital, 25 beds

Inventory Challenges

- Lack of good data for making decisions
- Current system was cumbersome to use
- No IT support for new systems

Mobile Solution

- Impact to Implementation Time
 - Waupun facility up in 2 days
 - Cath Lab up in 1.5 hours with full UPC support
- Impact to IT
 - None
- Very high staff satisfaction

Report Settings

Location

Date Range

 to:

Calculate by

Items Pulled from Inventory

Orders Received

Vendor

Reorder Type

Static

Dynamic

Recommend Par Levels

Showing 1 to 9 of 9 entries

Filter

First		Previous		1	Next		Last		Show	10	entries	Actions	Select...	Columns
<input type="checkbox"/>	Product #	Custom Number	Location	Description	Total Units	Avg. Units per Day	Days of Supply	Days of Safety Stock	Current Par	Recommended Par				
John's Demo Company														
<input type="checkbox"/>	AVE00166		ER	Glue Stic, Permanent, Washable, .26 oz., Clear	0	0.0	7	5	2	1				
<input type="checkbox"/>	MCO0121309		ER	GLUE,SUPER,.18OZ	2	0.3	7	0	3	2				
<input type="checkbox"/>	AVE68052		ER	Slant Ring View Binder, 1/2" Cap, 8-1/2"x11", White	0	0.0	7	0	3	1				
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<input type="checkbox"/>	SMD10230		ER	Interior Folders, 1/3 Ast. Tabs, Letter, 100/BX, Manila	2	0.3	7	0	6	2				

First Previous 1 Next Last Show 10 entries

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60 Day Results

- Setting new PAR levels reduced inventory without stock-outs
- Emergency Room
 - 49% of inventory was inactive
 - Cut inventory dollars by 34%
- Med-Surg
 - 40% of inventory was inactive
 - Cut inventory dollars by 13%

Case Study #2

Introduction to 2-Bin KanBan ED Pilot Project

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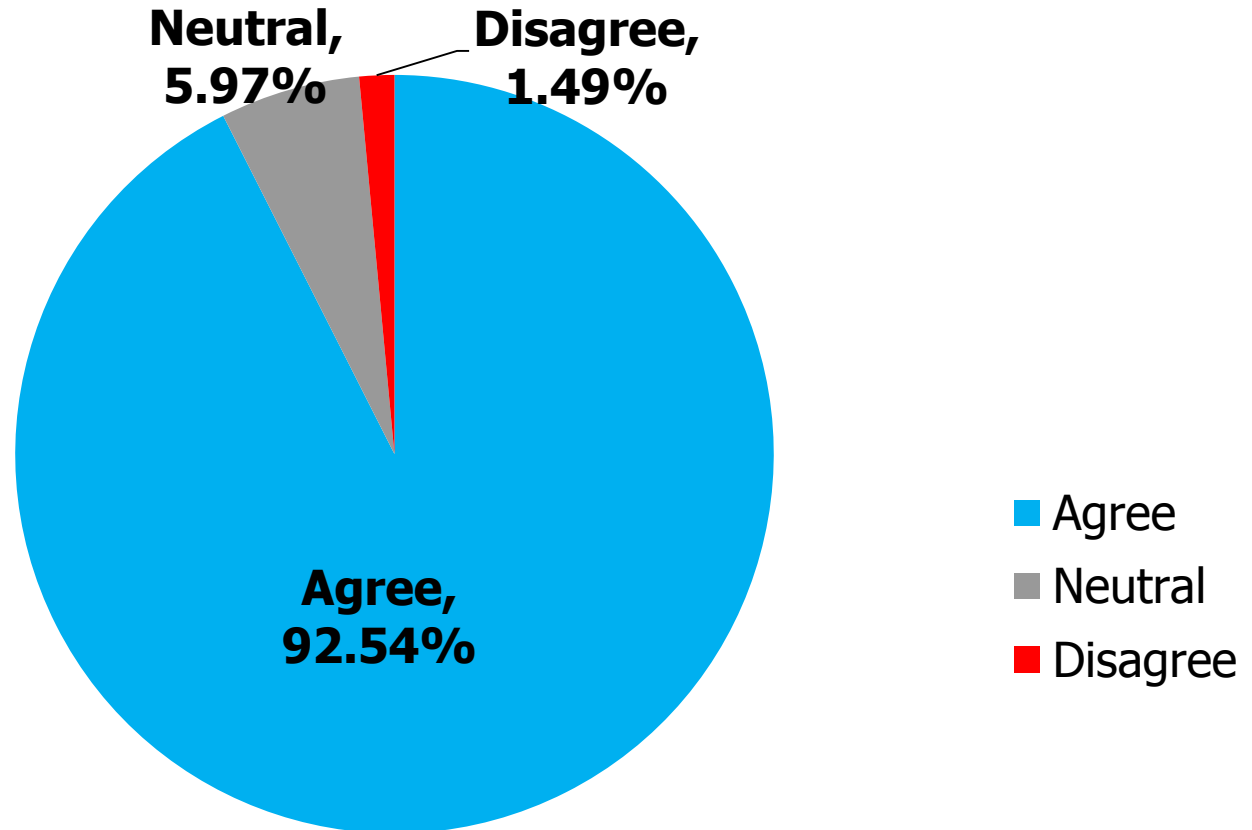
The Problem

- The department has evolved over time as far as how it is utilized as well as staffing mix
- The system of stocking has not changed to keep up with the department
- The department has grown significantly but storage space has not
- Lack of well stocked supplies leads to higher costs, more time and energy spent, and lower staff morale
- Highest RN turnover rate in the Medical Center

The Cost

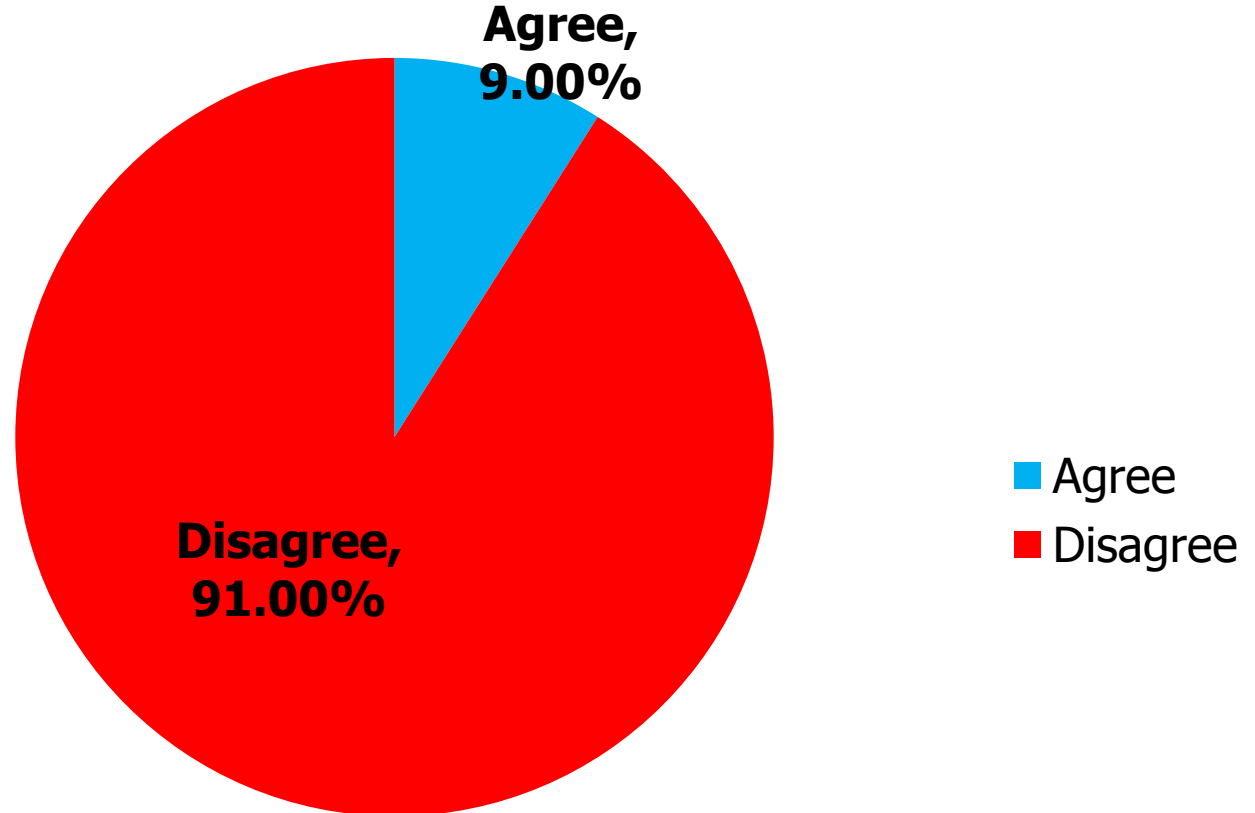
- Average 2hrs 14mins spent by nursing (per *12 hour shift*) stocking rooms and carts
- Approx. \$353,000/year paying nurses and techs to stock
- 52 Pyxis machines in the ED
- \$300,000/year equipment leases
- \$70,000 in line charges in 1 year

RN Satisfaction Survey



The current stocking process **NEGATIVELY affects *patient care***

S&D Satisfaction Survey



I am content with the current format of stocking the Pyxis machines in the ED

What we Did

Emergency Department Supply Chain Redesign

- Lean Six Sigma Kaizen Event - December 2012
- Pilot – February thru April 2013
- Team Included:
 - Nursing
 - Supply & Distribution
 - Administration
 - Black Belt Consultant



The Team

- Jeremy Kemp (Cardinal Health) – Black Belt
- Tim Armacost (Staff RN)
- Michele Nauman (Staff RN)
- Jenn Messenger (PCA)
- Nancy Savel (Clinical Head Nurse)
- John Hoelzle (S&D)
- Daniel Lyne (S&D)
- Matt Brennan (Director, Supply & Logistics)
- Phil Bentley Jr. (Pyxis Administrator)

The Solution

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Results

- Decreased number of Pyxis machines
- Decreased line charges
- Decreased nursing and tech hours spent stocking
- Decrease clutter in rooms
- Improved efficiency of stocking process
- Increased nursing and tech satisfaction
- ***Improved patient care***

Kanban Types

WATERMARK



2 - BIN



Flexibility of 2-Bin Kanban



Mistake Proofing

4 Most Common Errors Solved by Kanban

- 1) Counting
- 2) Data entry
- 3) Decision making
- 4) Stock rotation

Keep It Simple Solution



Simplifying the DATA

Item #	Custom #	Item Name	Location	Stock Outs	Scans	Scan Target	Avg. Units Day	Order Class	Current Reorder Qty
05606	2B1324X	IV 0.9%NAACL 1000ML	EDX05	1	5	2	30.0	OSD	84
41434	2F7113	IRRIG WATER 500ML BAXTER	EDX05	0	5	2	1.4	OJIT	4
40581	306546	PREFILL 0.9%NAACL 10ML FLUSH 10ML SYRINGE	EDX05	1	5	2	2.1	OJIT	6
40382	PZSVIVHMA	KIT ER IV START 155 PBDS	EDX05	0	4	2	21.7	OJIT	76
05923	309604	SYRINGE 10ML MLL B-D	EDX05	0	4	2	0.6	OJIT	2
06098	3068	CATHETER IV SAFT14G 1.25IN J&J	EDX05	1	4	2	2.9	OJIT	10
06535	982112	NEEDLE BFLY 21G.75IN W/FLL SAFT	EDX05	0	3	2	4.3	OJIT	20
39814	364880	BARREL ADAP FLL BLOOD COLL	EDX05	0	3	2	12.4	OJIT	58
39074	364902	BARREL ADAP MLL BLOOD COLL	EDX05	0	3	2	8.1	OJIT	38
05603	2B1322Q	IV 0.9%NAACL 250ML	EDX05	0	2	2	0.9	OSD	6
06136	3065	CATHETER IV SAFT18G 1.25IN	EDX05	0	2	2	4.0	OJIT	28
06022	2420-0007	IV ADM ST 117IN 20D 2Y SMART CHECKVALVE MLL ALARIS	EDX05	0	2	2	16.6	OJIT	116
06747	K60	YANK SUCT FINE TIP	EDX05	0	2	2	1.1	OJIT	8
09604	367962	BLOOD COLL TB GNLT 4.5ML LI HE	EDX05	0	2	2	0.3	OJIT	2
05703	2F7124	IRRIG 0.9%NAACL 1000ML	EDX05	0	2	2	1.1	OJIT	8
44907	383537	CATHETER IV SAFT 20G 1.25IN NEXIVA BD	EDX05	0	2	2	16.6	OJIT	116
06017	2B1307	IV 0.9%NAACL DILUENT 100ML	EDX05	0	2	2	1.4	OJIT	10
05919	309657	SYRINGE 3ML MLL B-D	EDX05	0	2	2	0.3	OJIT	2
06147	3411	KIT CATH FEM STER SPEC	EDX05	0	2	2	0.9	OJIT	6
04828	1859	PULSE OXIMETER SENSOR ADL *	EDX05	1	2	2	1.7	OJIT	12
09605	367856	BLOOD COLL TB LV 3ML LIQ EDTA	EDX05	0	1	2	0.1	OJIT	2
04874	001206	MASK O2 AERO UNDER	EDX05	0	1	2	0.4	OJIT	6
05781	2478-0000	IV BLOOD ST 104IN 15D SMART *	EDX05	0	1	2	0.7	OJIT	10

Efficiencies Gained

- Fewer SKUs ordered on a daily basis
- Reduced touches by staff
- Eliminated cycle counts within PAR areas
- Eliminated data entry errors
- Reduced nursing time
- Reduced restocking time for staff
- Fewer stock-outs
- Improved nursing engagement

Observations: Talking with End Users

- Departmental staff removing bins to restock areas in their departments = No Re-Ordering
- Bins not placed on top shelf = No Re-Ordering
- Top shelf of each cart is for empty bins ONLY

Group Discussion & Questions

- What are your goals related to inventory management?
- Are you meeting them (as efficiently as you'd like?)
- What savings have you measured?
- What lessons have you learned?

Thank You

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