



Vision, Success Criteria and Guiding Principles

Vision

We at Tift Regional Health System will be the health care institution of choice for our patients and staff by deploying innovative technology and transforming our information systems to a consistent, integrated electronic medical record across the entire enterprise in order to provide the best patient care, gain efficiencies and improve quality. Every team member will be part of this exciting journey as we adopt, adapt and achieve world class outcomes together!

Success Criteria

Success looks like:

- *A healthier population in our region*
- *Complete patient records across all care venues*
- *Increased employee engagement and satisfaction*
- *Enhanced patient experience and satisfaction*
- *Better communication and coordination of care*
- *Improved bottom line for the organization*

Guiding Principles

While keeping in mind that our purpose is to meet the needs of those we serve, we will honor the following guiding principles:

- *Align our decisions such that a **patient-centric** focus is the foundation of our transformation journey;*
- *Proactively draw from **recommended leading practices** to achieve the expected benefits and outcomes, including evidence-based medicine, nursing care standards, and proven Cerner solutions;*
- *Enhance the experience of the **end-user** wherever possible and prudent;*
- *Do what is best for the **organization as a whole** – not a single individual or department;*
- *Relentlessly pursue **efficiency** by accurately collecting data once, storing it with minimal redundancy, and ensuring widespread access to caregivers;*
- *Commit to **standardization** within venue so that system-wide benefits will be realized;*
- *Leverage the information technology to **automatically capture charges and revenues**;*
- ***Continuously measure value** using the value equation: outcome divided by cost;*
- *Design a system (when possible) that facilitates **future clinical and operational alignment** with other healthcare entities/institutions;*
- *Be **accountable** individually and collectively, for the effort required to achieve a successful implementation;*
- *Dedicate the necessary resources to support **ongoing optimization** for sustainable transformation.*