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Practical Application Integration

Greetings!

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With this issue we are launching a newsletter service to keep you up to date on BridgeForward activities, new enhancements to ClearSpan Server, new service offerings and other items of general interest. We hope you will find it useful and informative. Your feedback is always welcome.

News:

Scottish NHS Upgrades to ClearSpan Server

The National Health Service in Scotland (NHSiS) has upgraded its nationwide, e-Biz 2000 license to ClearSpan Server. ClearSpan provides integration for clinical Results Reporting via SCI-Store, a nationwide IT service. More than 10,000 mission-critical ClearSpan transactions take place daily across Scotland's 300+ hospitals and clinics.

IBM Picks BridgeForward for Data Migration

When IBM needed massive data migration for a time-sensitive Meditech installation in Puerto Rico, IBM turned to BridgeForward for fast, accurate, turn-key, data migration services. Using ClearSpan Server, BridgeForward personnel are extracting & transforming vast amounts of legacy data and loading it into the new Meditech system.

Next Issue:

Private label ClearSpan

Application vendors are saving time and money while satisfying integration requirements by making ClearSpan their own.

Sybase e-Biz 2000 Support ends in Nov.

For continued Support or upgrade to ClearSpan, contact us at:

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Newsletter Fact: 400

The addition of 50 BMI hospital installations will bring the total number of ClearSpan installs in the UK to approximately 400, making ClearSpan far and away the largest installed integration solution in UK healthcare.

Feature Story:

BMI Standardizes on ClearSpan



Consortium to provide eMPI, Scheduling and NHS Connectivity to largest private hospital chain in UK

Consortium Members:



A consortium of industry-leading software and service providers has been selected by BMI Healthcare to provide a comprehensive upgrade of BMI's 50 hospital IT network.

BMI Healthcare, a division of General Healthcare Group is the largest independent acute care hospital network in the UK.

Organized by BridgeForward, the three company Consortium competed with 16 other suppliers to provide BMI with a "best of breed" solution that will link BMI Healthcare's existing PAS to Initiate's enterprise master patient index solution, **Initiate Identity Hub** and UltraGenda's scheduling solution, **UltraGenda Pro**.

In addition to providing the underlying integration layer, BridgeForward's **ClearSpan Server™** will provide connectivity between BMI Healthcare and the National Health Service (NHS).

"Our goal was to give BMI a cost-effective solution that maximized system flexibility, expanded reach and capacity and reduced risk," stated John Moriarty, BridgeForward's CEO. "We are pleased that BMI saw the wisdom and value of our approach."

Agilisys, Ltd. and **HealthSystems Consultants** are also playing major roles in the project.

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