Failure Was Not an Option

The Preceptor Role as a Critical Factor in the Successful Go Live Readiness and Transition Model

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4 Hospitals and over 200 Outpatient Clinics in multiple states

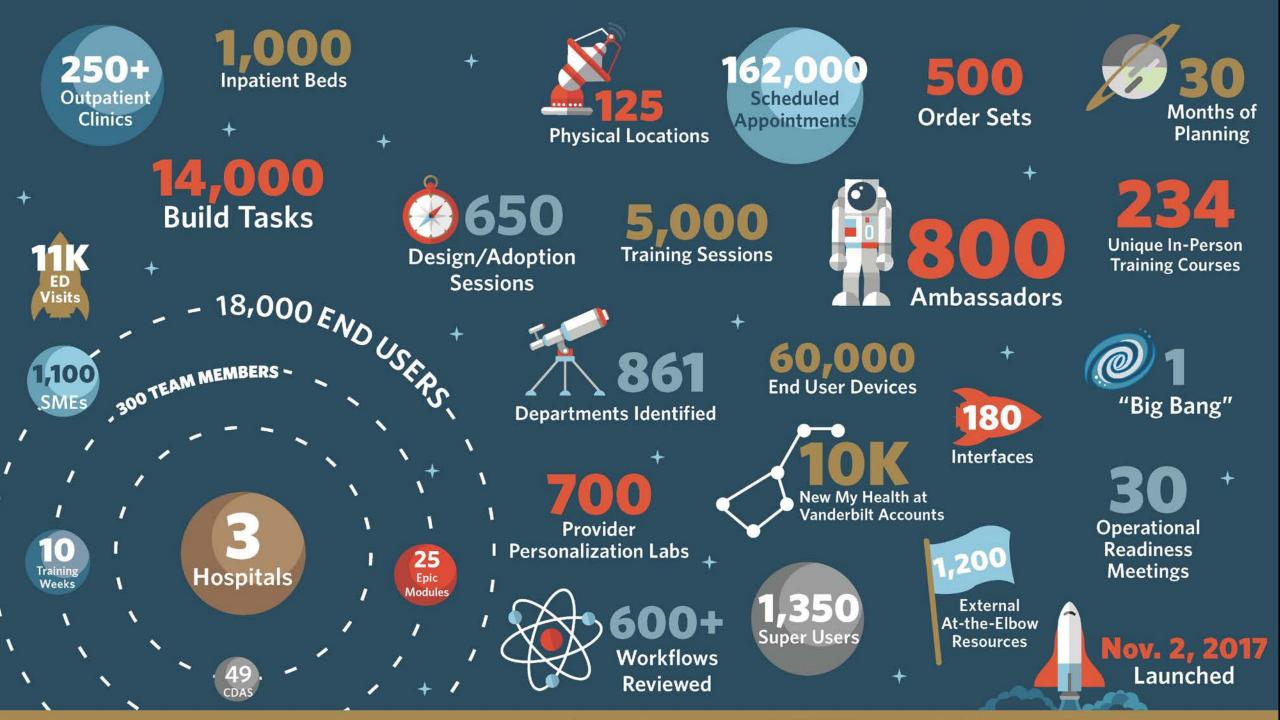


70,000 hospital discharges, over 2 million outpatient visits and more than 513 million a year in charity care



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Doing It Differently...

Site Leader

Super User

Nursing Added : Preceptor

3ROLES

TO SUPPORT NURSING TRAINING AND READINESS FOR EPIC LEAP IMPLEMENTATION

Know the role you play in a successful implementation for your area as well as what to look for in identifying staff to fill key training and implementation

Site Leader

Overall accountability that the site is ready for a successful go-live. Usually the manager completing checklists, attending meetings, delegating duties, and ensuring training is complete. support roles.

May be internal or external staff. Clinically competent user with in-depth understanding of E-star and our workflow. Helps with formal and informal training and coaching, elbow support during implementation.

Super-User

EpicLeap Preceptor

Internal to VUMC, to their own department and currently natural leaders and preceptors. Staff who are well connected across disciplines and can see the big picture. Participate in readiness activities and supports team through go-live and after.

Epic Leap Preceptor

- One per site/ area
- VUMC nurse in home site
- 8-10 hours per week for 12-18 months

Definition of Role

- Change agent to assure site is ready for Nov 2 go live
- Optimization post go live
- Unique to the department of Nursing

Focus

- Responsible for **doing** many readiness tasks/activities
- People & Processes

Time Commitment

- 12 18 months
- 8-10 h/ week

Who makes a good Preceptor?



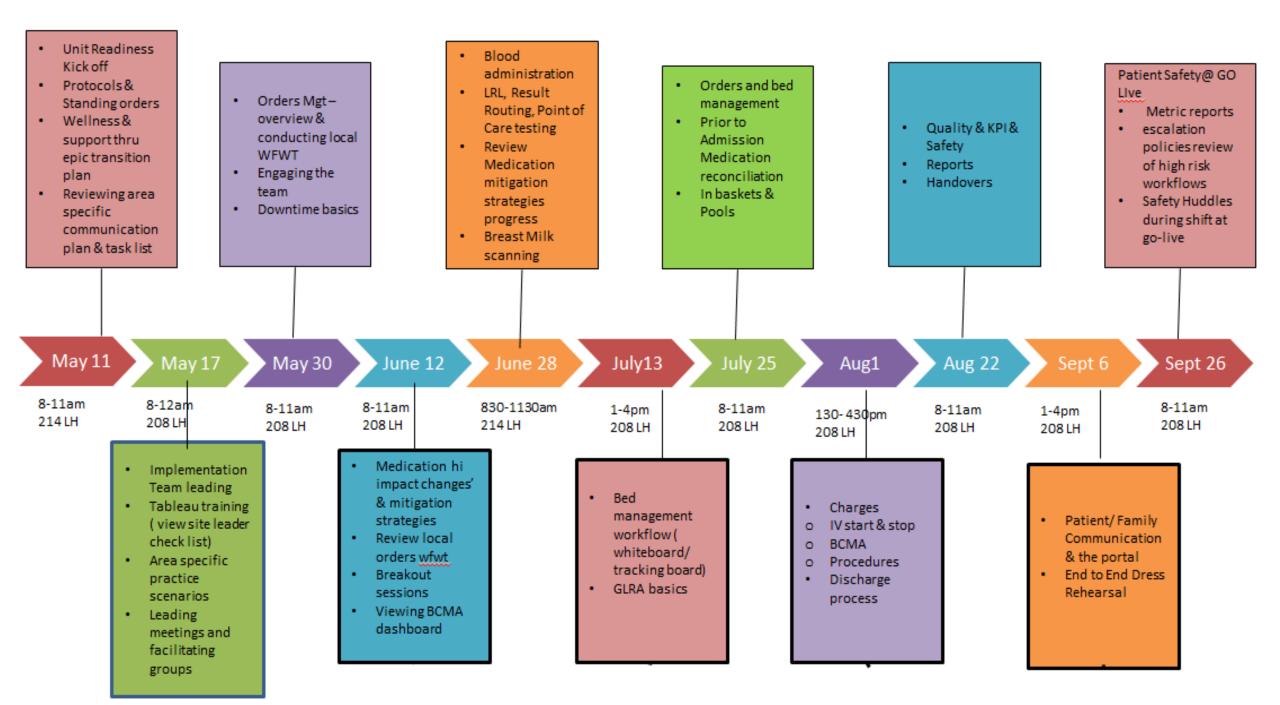
Training for Nurse Preceptors

Preceptor Education Session	Time	Location
Friday, March 24	8:00am - 12:00pm	Light Hall 208
Thursday, April 13	8:00am - 11:00am	Light Hall 214
Thursday, May 11	8:00am - 11:00am	Light Hall 214
Wednesday, May 17	8:00am - 12:00pm	Light Hall 208
Tuesday, May 30	8:00am - 11:00am	Light Hall 208
Monday, June 12	8:00am - 11:00am	Light Hall 208
Wednesday, June 28	8:30am - 11:30am	Light Hall 214

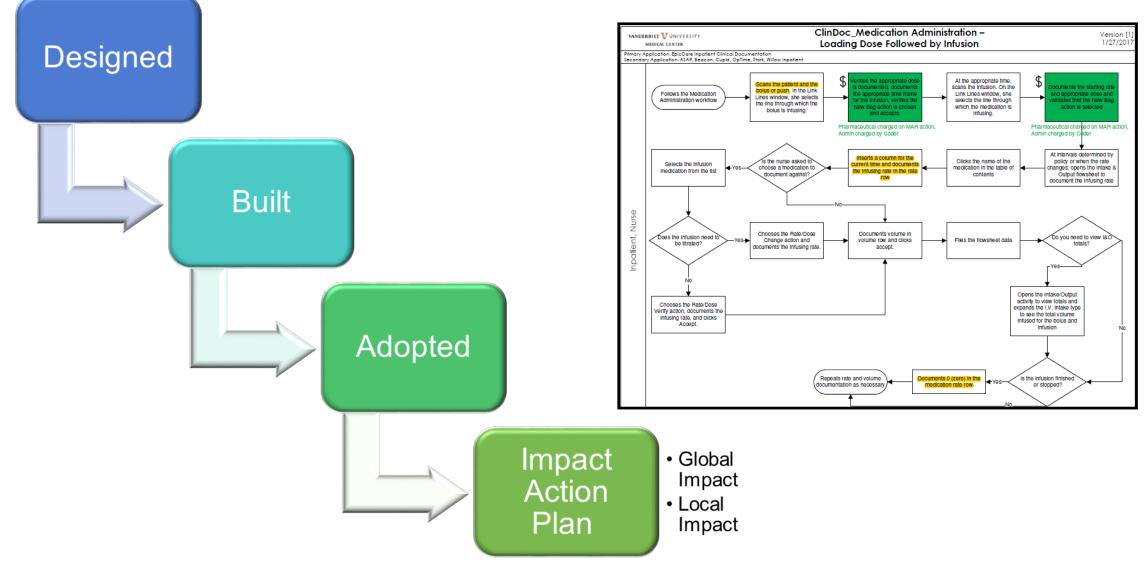
14 four hour sessions every two weeks

Sessions

- Becoming a change agent, coaching and training others
- High impact workflow changes and driving these changes to the local level by conducting a workflow walk through
- Hardware assessments and readiness
- Conversion and downtime processes
- Breakout sessions for uniquely ambulatory, perioperative/procedural or acute care issues



Involvement in workflow impact assessments and communication



Site Based Implementation Teams

- Nursing Preceptor
- Site Leader
- Front Line Nursing Staff (Super Users)
- Provider (as designated by Medical Director)
- House staff/Chief resident
- Others that are integral to the care team & entering orders
- Respiratory, Rehab services, etc.
- Customer Care Specialist, Operation Engineers



Regular meetings every 2 weeks, approx. 60-90 minutes on the unit.

High Impact Workflow Changes Workflow Walkthrough



Medication Admin Process

Ordering Process



Barcode Scanning Blood & Bar Code



Specimen Collection -Lab Ready Label/Printing



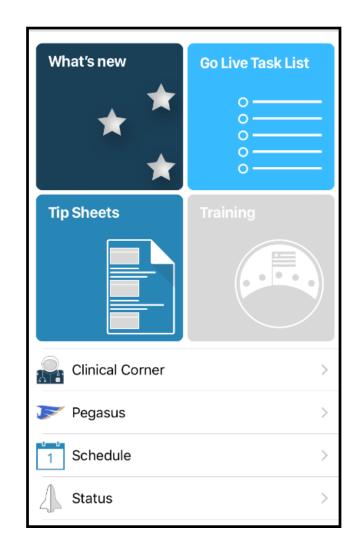
Nursing Charge Capture



Outpatient Consistent Workflows & Roles

What went Well

- Preceptor preparation of their team members
- Embedded Preceptors and Supers Users doing at the Elbow Support
- Video and live streamed presentation
- Mobile App to assign and monitor completion of tasks, at go live to post tips sheets, shift summaries and to log help desk tickets
- Combined sessions and then break out sessions for focused session
- Follow up after session sending out information, templates etc.



Challenges

- Keeping up-to-date lists—preceptors and email
- Completing assigned tasks and escalation process
- Quality of Work Flow Walk Through processes (WFWT)
- Communication with midlevel nursing leadership who might be unaware of preceptor activities
- Some preceptors did not have staffing time reduction
- Smaller Clinic staff
- Insufficient time for testing/ training
- Provider engagement in WFWT
- Preceptor Turnover
- Diversity of areas

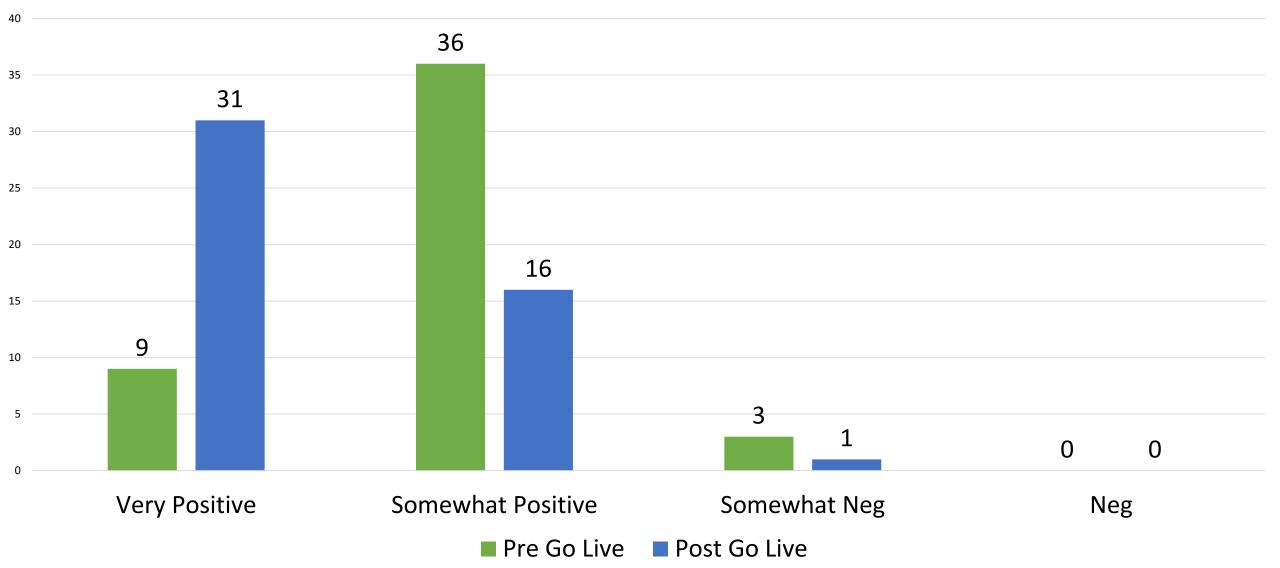


What would we do differently

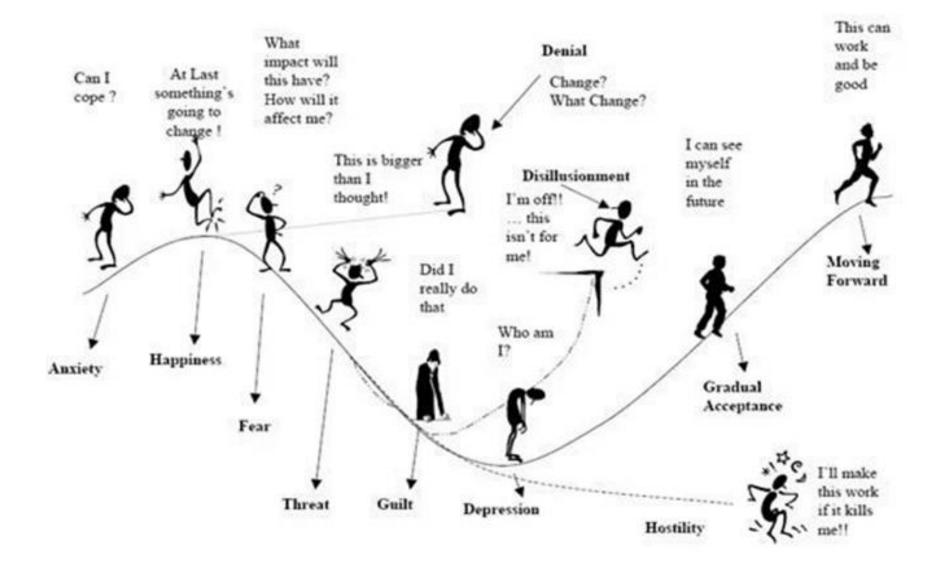
- Shorter but more frequent sessions
- Have physician champion engagement in training sessions
- More team involvement in the post go-live drop-in sessions
- Analyst involvement to respond to questions
- Expand the preceptor concept to other disciplines providers, patient access & scheduling
- Post go live engagement with the preceptors

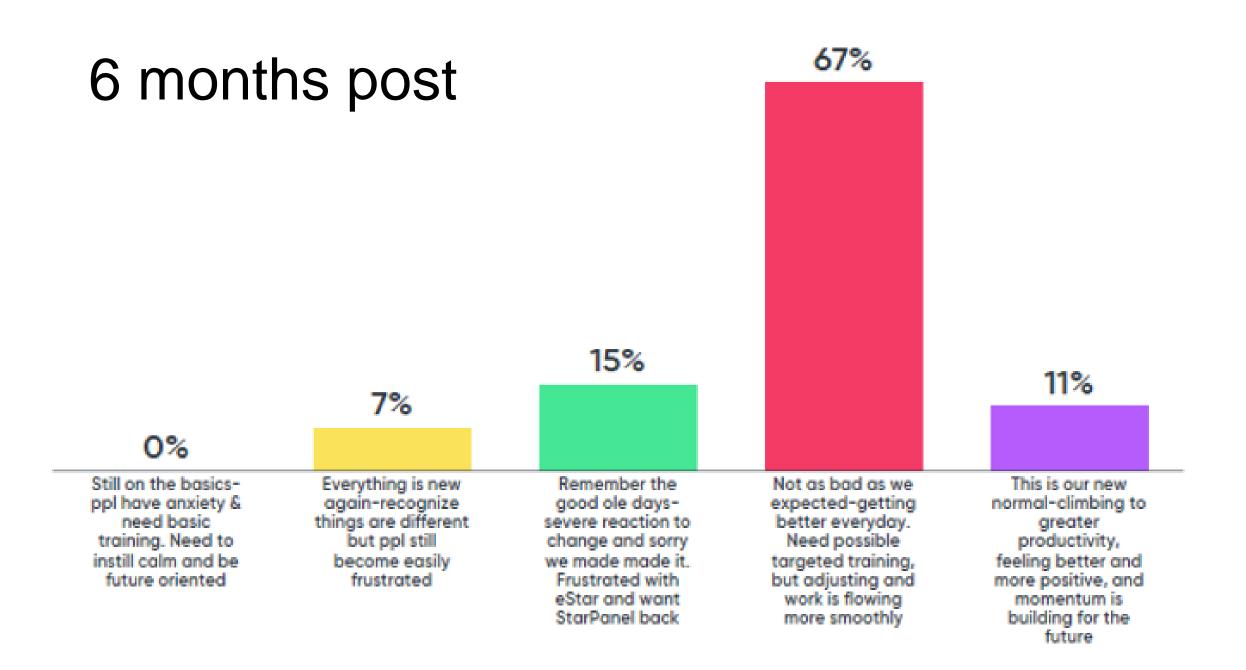


How Unit Staff Feels About Impact of the new EMR



Change Curve—Emotions and Stage





What Would We Do....



Questions

