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Comprehensive Information Management for Outpatient Surgery Providers

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Computers reduce in-hospital deaths

When computers replace paper, patient mortality rates drop 15% during hospitalization, among other metrics, according to a study of 41 Texas hospitals by Baltimore-based Johns Hopkins School of Medicine researchers published in the Archives of Internal Medicine.

The researchers divided hospital clinical information technology systems into four categories: medical notes and records, test results, order entry and clinical decision support. Physicians from the 41 hospitals ranked them in each of the four categories and researchers examined the relationship between those rankings and the rates of inpatient death, complications, costs and length of stay for 167,233 patients—all older than age 50—who were admitted to the participating hospitals in 2005 and 2006.

In addition to lower overall mortality rates, hospitals with higher scores for computerized order-entry systems posted 55% lower odds of death for patients undergoing surgery for coronary artery bypass grafts and 9% lower odds of death for patients with myocardial infarction.

Higher scores for computerized order entry were associated with lower average costs per admission and 16% lower odds of developing complications across all reasons for admission. The New York-based Commonwealth Fund funded the study.

Amkai Introduces the "Amkai Stimulus Program"

The program is a revolutionary new way to acquire the most comprehensive and advanced IT solutions for your organization without up front capital outlay or difficult and expensive leasing plans. You may have received the following announcement:



It's no time to leave money on the table...

Meet today's financial challenges head on... with Amkai's ASC Financial Stimulus Package

Replacing legacy Management Software with a next-generation solution from Amkai can provide immediate improvements in efficiency, cost saving, and revenue growth for your ASC.

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 - > As low as \$8,000 startup fee covers AmkaiOffice implementation
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 - > usually less than or equal to what you're paying today in support costs for your legacy system **YES**

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Act by June 15. Learn more today. Visit amkai.com or call 866-265-2434.



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Ambulatory Surgery Center Association convention

It's not too early to start planning for the Ambulatory Surgery Center Association convention. Am-kai will be out in full force again at ASCs 2009 in Nashville, April 22-25. We look forward to showing you our latest solutions there!

