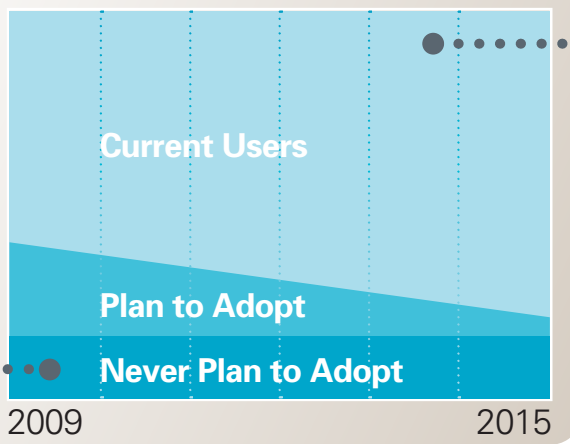


The State of EHRs – Texas 2016

Most Texas physicians use an electronic health record, but problems persist.

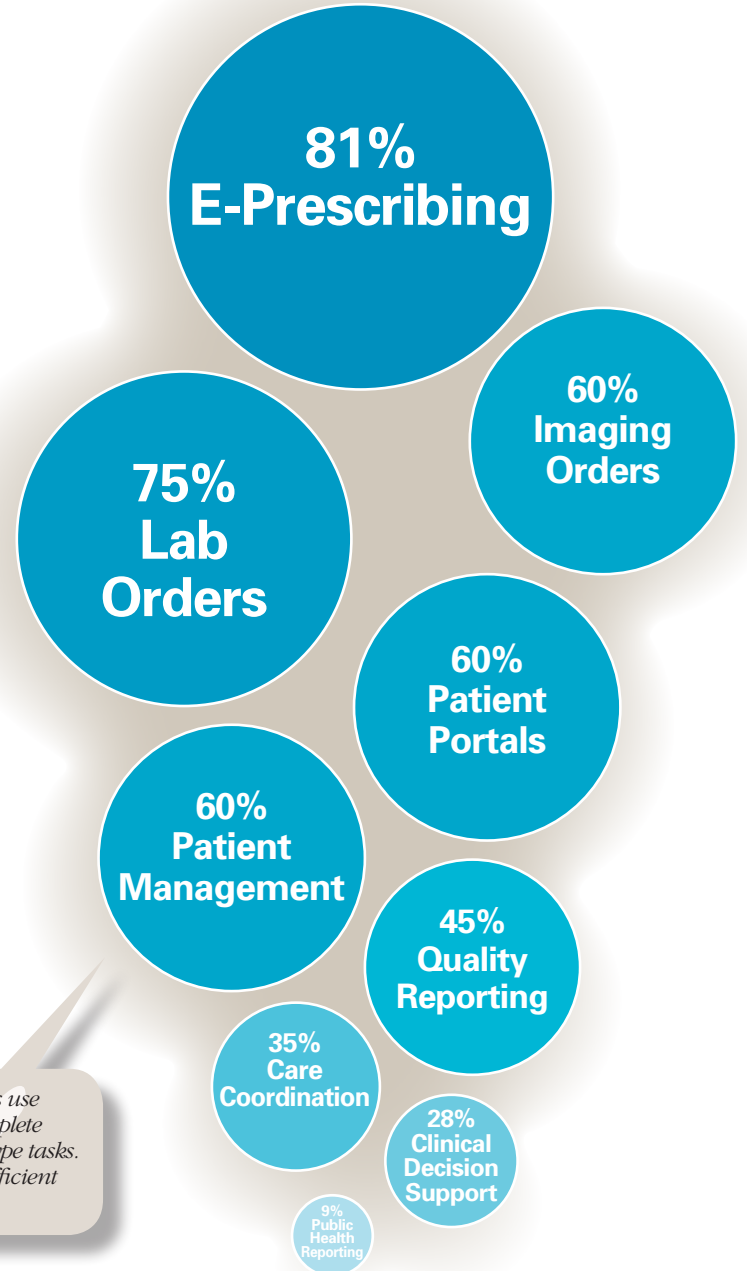
EHR Rate of *ADOPTION*



Our Take

While a steady 20% of physicians never plan to use an EHR, those who plan on implementing one are readily becoming users.

How They're *USING IT*



Our Take

As physicians retire out of the health care system, will the share of EHR users eventually approach 100%?

Our Take

Mostly physicians use their EHR to complete administrative-type tasks. Is this the most efficient use of this tool?

Why They're *HOLDING BACK*



Experienced Improved Patient Safety or Care Quality

50%



Nearly 2/3 of users are *SATISFIED*



What they *DON'T LIKE* Regarding disruption of care

Use of EHR **decreases attentiveness** to patient's presentation of signs and symptoms.



Data entry at point of care **disrupts** physician's diagnostic **thought process**.



Data entry process **disrupts** formation of differential **diagnosis**.



Using an EHR **creates data retrieval problems** in reviewing patient's history.



Delays/Errors in Care

Distracts From/ Interferes in Care

Inaccurate/Too Much Data

Other

34%

Experienced Harm to Patient Safety or Care Quality

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