



# ACCESS LOGICAL INK

Speed the Bedside Consent Process

Up to 80 percent of patient consent forms are completed at bedside. Traditionally, a nurse or other caregiver went to a storage area, found the right consent form, walked back to the patient's room and the patient filled in and signed the form. It was then scanned and manually indexed into the content/document management system. This process is time-consuming and involves redundant effort for the nurse and patient. Data is trapped on a consent form until it is scanned and indexed – another time-intensive task. Traditional EMR solutions don't overcome mobility challenges, and often make the transition to electronic records more difficult with unintuitive user interfaces.

## We have a solution – Access Logical Ink (ALI).

ALI – part of the industry-leading Access Enterprise Forms Management (EFM) suite – is a tablet-based documentation solution that enables physicians and nurses to access and complete clinical documentation from anywhere in the facility.

Now, a nurse simply selects the patient, chooses the form type – such as a bedside consent – and passes the tablet to the patient to review and sign the form. There's no redundant data to fill in, as ALI has already prefilled it.

Upon completion, the data is automatically interfaced into the patient's EHR via the content/document management system, and is immediately available across the hospital. ALI helps nurses and physicians easily transition to hybrid and electronic records by maintaining the speed, flexibility and simplicity of paper while removing its physical limitations.

With this innovative mobile solution, your hospital can:

- Speed care delivery and patient service by accessing and completing bedside consents and other clinical documents on the fly

- Better serve people who speak another language with multilingual forms

- Automatically index completed forms with patients' EHRs, with no user effort

- Give nurses and physicians more time with patients and less time on paperwork

- Improve data mobility, accuracy, availability and security

- Get clinicians up and running quickly with a familiar interface

- Validate data at the point of collection to minimize errors and ensure all required information is obtained

- Automatically pull in previous data for a patient to avoid redundant effort

- Speed form completion with checkboxes, drop-downs and the ability to complete multiple areas with a single piece of information

- Get even the least tech-savvy users up and running quickly with a familiar pen input interface

- Add annotated diagrams, digital photos and signatures directly to clinical form

## Access Logical Ink in Action for Bedside Consent

Access Logical Ink can make almost any clinical and patient registration process more mobile, efficient and collaborative. In this example, you'll see how it simplifies the completion of a bedside consent.

- 1) A nurse searches for a patient by MRN, account, last name or scans the patient's barcoded wristband.
- 2) The nurse selects the patient and forms to be completed for this patient - a bedside consent
- 3) Access Logical Ink prefills the patient demographics for fast completion
- 4) The patient reviews the consent and signs it
- 5) An image is automatically generated and passed to the patient's EHR for immediate availability via the content/document management system

## Access Enterprise Forms Management

You've just read about the impact of Access's clinical documentation solution. Our Enterprise Forms Management suite improves patient care and safety, eliminates paper-related costs and enhances information availability across the hospital, including in:

- Patient Access
- Emergency Department
- Nursing
- Physician Services
- HIM
- Patient Finance
- Oncology
- Materials Management
- Human Resources
- Dietary Department
- Risk Management
- Housekeeping/Environmental Services