

Magic to 6.0 Migration Options:

InfoTreks has developed an array of migration services that will assist Magic customers as they strive to move as much of their clinical documentation over to 6.0, in the most accessible and meaningful way possible. Our services provide the most comprehensive suite of tools currently available, to leverage the various conversions and integration points that are offered in the 6.0 environment.

Our solutions are available to Magic customers, whether or not they currently have an archiving product in Magic. Another benefit to our solution is that it does not force you to purge your Magic data, as does other MEDITECH standard solutions. As you may be aware, the Valco, Blue Chip and MEDITECH MAM archiving functions all happen during the application purging process. We have developed a standalone scripted process which is not tied to purging, and offers a greater amount of flexibility for the client to choose from a wider array of reporting options. Basically any NPR report can be electronically captured, not just the select parameterized standard reports within the application.

Our solution will provide the best level of access for your organization on the 6.0 side. Your HIM department will have access to the Magic documentation in the HIM module's Electronic Chart routines, in the same format and place as new data going forward in 6.0. Your physicians will have access to the Magic data in the same panels as new 6.0 data, not off on the side in a segregated archive routine.

Magic Report Extraction from your current production Magic environment

Scripts will loop through your LIVE active application data and create image files from the reports you specify. The data will be stored in a shared folder on your SAN, and an index built according to MEDITECH's 3rd party image conversion specification. You will have the ability to pick the specific report formats for each application that you want included.

As the reports to be included are identified, it will be necessary to provide an associated mnemonic from the 6.0 Forms Dictionary, which the report will be mapped to. This form will determine where the document is accessible on the 6.0 side. From this dictionary, you can define the document to go to the patients chart in HIM, as well as specific panels in the EMR or flag the document as demo recall, to pull forward with new 6.0 registrations.

Magic Data Archiving extraction/conversion

We also provide a solution for customers who currently have either the Valco or Blue Chip archiving interface to MEDITECH. Our conversion process will run through the indexed Valco or Blue Chip data. The referenced documents will be retrieved and converted to tiff images. They will also be indexed according to MEDITECH's 3rd party image conversion. As above, the data will be stored in a shared folder on your SAN.

On the 6.0 side, the converted archived reports will be available in the HIM Electronic Chart routines, and 6.0 EMR as above. This is different than what would be provided with the standard Valco/Blue Chip conversion. The documents in that conversion remain in their old format and are only available in an archive routine, which is not organized like the chart. Your HIM department would not have the ability to manage this data in the same fashion as they would with our solution. Our process sends them to the chart, so they can be output, released on CD or faxed the same as new 6.0 data.

Magic Report Extraction from Historical Magic Databases

We can also provide a solution for clients who have a historical Magic MIS or databases from a previous merger, acquisition or divestiture. Our process is not release dependent, so we can work with you to migrate older magic releases, such as 4.9 or prior. Similar to above, our scripts will loop through this application data and create image files. The data will be stored in a shared folder on your SAN, and an index will be built according to MEDITECH's 3rd party image conversion. You will have the ability to pick the specific report formats for each application. Basically any NPR report can be used. Mapping of the medical record and visit data will need to be done as part of the building of the conversion file.

We can also provide a solution if you currently have archival tape data, a common practice in LAB where data was archived to a segment and copied to magnetic tape. We can work with you to restore the data to an archival segment and produce imaging data to be included for the migration to 6.0.

On the 6.0 side, this converted data will be available in the HIM Chart and EMR as above.

Incorporation of scanned documents from a 3rd Party Solution

We can also work with you to incorporate images extracted from any 3rd party scanning system, into the conversion files that get created for MEDITECH. Whether you utilize Valco, Blue Chip or any other vendor to do registration or medical records scanning, we can provide a solution to extract and convert the data to MEDITECH via their 3rd party image conversion.

Merging of the various Data conversion files for presentation to MEDITECH

Once the various extractions and conversions noted above have been completed, the data will be cross referenced, and conversion files will be created for MEDITECH.

Additional Considerations

From MEDITECH, nothing will need to be licensed on the Magic side. The only thing needed from MEDITECH will be the licensing of the Generic 3rd party image conversion in 6.0. Please contact your MEDITECH Marketing Consultant for licensing and any associated service fee requirements.

This process will replace the need to purchase Magic scanning and archiving for the purpose of doing Valco style archiving for customers who do not currently have data archiving in place. A solution which would cost a lot of money, to have the data reside in a historical archive, not in an image format and not available in charts within HIM, while forcing the purging of data out of the Magic databases.

Because the process for which we will create the archives in the above solution is not tied to the purging, age or activity in the magic system, the data can be staged ahead of the 6.0 go LIVE and be available to the 6.0 system immediately at the time of go-LIVE, rather than months later, as the data purging process completes.

Resources

Staff from InfoTreks will execute and manage the entire conversion process. We will run the various scripts in the Magic environment and will load the files into the 6.0 environment at the time of Go-LIVE. We will also work with you to identify the various reports to be migrated from Magic and will assist in the building of associated Forms in the 6.0 Forms dictionary and any necessary mapping required for the conversion.

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