



Medication Order Management Systems

Data indicates that hospitals are moving decidedly toward automating their medication order management systems in order to eliminate the burden of paper-based systems and improve nursing-pharmacy communication.

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► **Systems in Use by Facility Size (in number of beds)**

Fax machines are popular across all enterprises sizes, while adoption rates for physician order management systems and CPOE increased with bed size. Not surprisingly, courier services are most commonly used in hospitals of 100 beds or less.

