



The Christie uses Better Platform to support EHR modernisation

THE PLATFORM SUPPORTS THE MODERNISATION OF THE CHRISTIE'S ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD (EHR) AND TRANSFORMATION OF CLINICAL, PATIENT AND CANCER RESEARCH SERVICES.



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CASE STUDY

Project scope



The Christie is the largest single-site cancer centre in Europe



Treats 60,000 patients each year



A bespoke forms engine supports cancer services across Greater Manchester and nationally



Serves a population of over 3.2m



Over 650 clinical trials annually

Challenges

- Multiple logins.
- Patchy systems that can't be accessed over the internet.
- Lack of integration at interface level.
- A lot of siloed data.
- Unstructured data.
- Low quality data unusable for research.
- Same information stored differently across systems.
- Duplicate data entries.

Solutions

- Unlocking data to be structured in an open format, accessible in real-time.
- Providing a low-code forms environment with a modern user interface suitable for mobile devices.

Benefits

- User-centred design.
- Ability to separate data from applications.
- Providing a core foundation to unify cancer data into single record.
- Enables patient-centric longitudinal record.
- Structured storage of clinical data for research, innovation and AI purposes.
- Ability to integrate other applications into the vendor-neutral data layer.

“Modernisation of our EHR platform and unlocking the power of data is a key part of the strategy to lead the development of cancer research. The ability to innovate at pace and easily integrate locally and regionally will ensure the trust stays at the forefront of specialist cancer treatment and research.”

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