

# Patient CareBoard™

telehealth and digital care plans

Providing timely access to quality care and keeping patients and family members informed about their care plan are the goals for most healthcare facilities. Unfortunately, timely access to quality care could be prevented or delayed due to geographical restrictions, safety concerns, and inadequate communication workflow. Nurses are asked to convey important clinical care plan information about patients on handwritten grease boards which are hard to read and difficult to keep current. Furthermore, providers are often overscheduled, causing care delivery and patient discharge delays. West-Com's Patient CareBoard™† provides the solution. The Patient CareBoard delivers digital care plans and telehealth services inside every patient room to provide ubiquitous, safe and effective communication, optimize care delivery, and display clear and accurate patient care plans.



Vitalchat **telehealth services** integrate directly with the CareBoard to enable virtual rounding, family visits, and provider consultations.

**Virtual eSitter** increases patient safety through remote monitoring with intelligent video. Real-time dashboard tracks activity and notifies staff of warnings or patients with increased fall risk status.

## Digital patient whiteboard

communicates critical patient care plan elements such as precautions, dietary restrictions, medications, and daily activities. Real-time data pulls from the EMR to eliminate manual updates and out-of-date information.

West-Com's telehealth platform also allows for on-screen video playback to offer endless opportunities for **patient** and family education and encourage further engagement in their care plan.

Industry-first digital, telehealth whiteboards elevate standards for care communication, collaboration, and workflow efficiency.

# **Digital Patient Whiteboard**

Patient CareBoards™ ensure care plan communication is accurate and timely to improve the patient experience and patient outcomes.



Patient CareBoard™ screens and care blocks are configurable to meet the specific needs of your unit.

### Promote patient and family engagement.

Patient CareBoards help patients feel connected to their care staff while staying up-to-date on the status of their care. This provides peace of mind and elevates their perception of the level of care received.

# Enable care plan communication and collaboration among care staff.

The Patient CareBoard unites the team around a patient's care plan and provides confidence to every staff member that patient information is accurate and up-to-date.

#### Improve patient outcomes.

CMS research reveals that patient and family engagement leads to reduced re-admissions and falls. We also know that communication breakdowns cause up to 70% of sentinel events. Patient CareBoards improve patient safety and communication and engage patients with their care plans.



32%
PATIENT CALL LIGHT REDUCTION



Guadalupe Regional Medical Center is maximizing staff efficiency through fewer distractions and the elimination of manual processes. This is time that can be reallocated to direct patient care activities.<sup>†</sup>

## **Telehealth Services**

West-Com's Patient CareBoard™ seamlessly integrates Vitalchat's telehealth services to enhance and complement your existing patient care workflow. These virtual telehealth resources will increase patient and caregiver safety, improve clinical collaboration, enable specialty care access, and allow offsite family connection and engagement.

- Virtual rounding
- Virtual providers and specialists
- Virtual family visits
- Secure access from a web browser on any smart device, from anywhere



Virtual family visits via shared secure links.



Virtual rounding and visits with providers & specialists.

## Virtual eSitter



Remotely monitor patient rooms with intelligent video that can detect patients at risk of falling or developing pressure injures.

- Fall awareness
- Increased nurse efficiency
- Individual room or unit monitoring
- Remote accessibility
- · Ability to activate nurse call for a specific room
- · Real-time activity dashboard



# We wanted to improve the whole patient care experience for both our patients and staff members.

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Workflow Stations
Virtual visit reminders



360° Telehealth Camera Enhanced with pan/ tilt/zoom functionality



Telehealth Speaker and Microphone with ceiling mount



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Digital care plan communication
with telehealth integration



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