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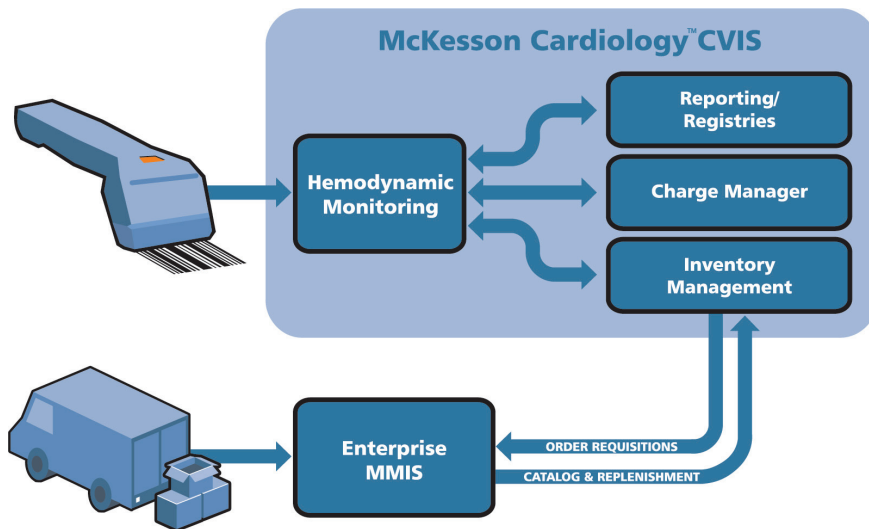
Enterprise Image and Information Management

## **McKesson Cardiology™ Inventory** A point of use inventory management solution built for Cardiology needs

### **Benefits**

**McKesson Cardiology™ Inventory helps organizations:**

- Optimize overall inventory asset value and reduce stock outs
- Decrease incidence of expired items
- Streamline item updates, supply requests and the replenishment process
- Improve staff productivity and reduce operational costs
- Identify procedure costs to improve vendor negotiations and physician preference item management



**figure 1**

**McKesson Cardiology™ Inventory helps you manage your inventory, charge capture and clinical documentation with a single bar-code scan.**

Implant trends estimate increases of 8.8% annually to \$16.4 billion when 73 million people will have one or more forms of a heart condition<sup>i</sup>. Approximately 73% of implantable medical device monitoring and tracking is still done manually<sup>ii</sup>. How can organizations improve management for these high dollar, high risk supply items? The McKesson Cardiology™ Inventory module provides comprehensive point-of-use inventory control and allows you to manage stock for each room and the entire department in real time.

The integrated architecture of McKesson Cardiology consolidates stock management, charge capture and clinical documentation processes through a single bar-code scan. The system updates clinical documentation, generates charges, adjusts stock levels and electronically sends orders, helping to improve staff productivity and reduce operational costs. **See figure 1.**



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## Features

### McKesson Cardiology™ Inventory includes:

- Single-scan workflow
- Web-based stock management module
- Multi-facility, multi-lab, multi-location capabilities
- Consignment inventory management
- Lot, serial and expiration tracking
- Multiple bar-code support for a single item

<sup>i</sup> Tyson, Patricia, RN, "Extract big savings from PPI medical device buying," Materials Management in Healthcare, May 2010.

<sup>ii</sup> Bob Kehoe, "Seeing Device Costs Clearly," Hospitals & Health Networks, [http://www.hhnmag.com/hhnmag/jsp/articledisplay.jsp?dcrpath=HHNMAG/Article/data/05MAY2012/0512HHN\\_FEA\\_VHAgatefold&domain=HHNMAG](http://www.hhnmag.com/hhnmag/jsp/articledisplay.jsp?dcrpath=HHNMAG/Article/data/05MAY2012/0512HHN_FEA_VHAgatefold&domain=HHNMAG).

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As a web-based solution that supports multi-site, multi-location and multi-bar-code environments, McKesson Cardiology Inventory provides point-of-use, anywhere access. By design, the solution platform supports the latest healthcare technology:

- Runs on iPad®
- Reads and interprets bar codes, meeting GS1 and HIBC standards
- Supports indefinite data storage with Microsoft® Windows®, Microsoft® SQL Server®
- Interfaces with any materials management information system (MMIS) or hospital information system (HIS)

### Full connectivity from anywhere in the hospital's network

McKesson Cardiology Inventory provides a single system experience that helps to significantly reduce time spent on inventory management. The data flows seamlessly from the McKesson Cardiology CVIS to the inventory management module onward to the hospital MMIS and back. The single database architecture of McKesson Cardiology helps to eliminate discrepancies between charge capture, inventory management and clinical documentation, while significantly reducing unnecessary labor.

Not only does McKesson Cardiology Inventory help improve staff productivity and reduce operational costs, it helps you better understand your lab. With data available in the McKesson Cardiology™ CVIS, you are able to create reports that tell you just how much inventory costs are created by each study. You will also be able to systemically reevaluate your min/max and critical levels to optimize your inventory value, reduce stock outs and decrease the amount of expired product. With a better understanding of your needs, the system helps you be prepared for negotiations with your suppliers.

### About McKesson Cardiology

McKesson Cardiology, a cardiovascular information solution (CVIS) from McKesson, helps enable organizations to improve quality of care, boost efficiencies and reduce costs while increasing physician and staff satisfaction. The system's unique parallel workflows are the key to improving the adoption rate of structured data reporting for cardiac and peripheral catheterization, hemodynamics monitoring, electrophysiology, echocardiography, vascular ultrasound, nuclear cardiology and ECG/stress/holter management.

The single database design provides the entire care team with instantaneous access to the complete cardiovascular electronic medical record (EMR) – images, reports, waveforms with integrated charge and inventory management – whenever and wherever it's needed. By giving clinicians a better picture of the health of their patients and their operations, they can provide better care.

### Contact us

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