

Guaranteed Delivery for EMR Conversion

IN REMOTE HAWAII LOCATION

EXPERT SOLUTIONS FOR COMPLEX SITUATIONS

Implementing an electronic medical records (EMR) system is a challenging and time-consuming process, especially when faced with constant technological advancements and staffing concerns. For a major medical center in Hawaii, that challenge was amplified by its remote location and budget limitations during a busy season. That's when they turned to Fastaff, the pioneer in Rapid Response® travel nurse staffing.

The software upgrade demanded the redeployment of many staff nurses for training over five months, leaving the facility with a pressing need for skilled nurses who could quickly adapt. Fastaff stepped in and worked hand-in-hand with the hospital administrators to devise a solid workforce strategy for consistent nursing coverage.

Fastaff promptly recruited numerous nurses that could cater to different specialties, such as OR and adolescent psychiatry, and seamlessly integrate into the facility. In total, they managed 90 nurses throughout the entire five-month period.

Executive Summary

- › Scheduled five-month EMR software upgrade created severe staffing dilemmas
- › Fastaff guaranteed delivery of 90 nurses to provide continuous care during the holiday season and busy Pro Bowl weekend
- › Fastaff managed client's budget by strategically scheduling travel to avoid additional costs
- › Applying 48-hour work weeks provided optimal nurse utilization to control overtime costs

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PROVEN LOGISTICS EXPERTS

Fastaff took care of logistics like travel arrangements, housing, and credentialing — even securing temporary accommodations during the busy holiday season and Pro Bowl weekend. They also devised a cost-effective scheduling plan using their 48-hour work week model that eliminated overtime expenses and maximized utilization of their nurses based on patient loads.

Through this successful partnership with Fastaff, the hospital maintained optimal patient care during the five-month EMR upgrade process. Beyond that project, Fastaff continued to supply additional staff for short-term assignments.

Achieving top-quality care during crucial EMR projects can be realized by partnering with Fastaff, ensuring swift delivery of specialized nurses for flexible-length assignments.



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Facility Summary

- Largest private hospital in Honolulu, Hawaii
- 575 Acute-care beds
- 1,160 nurses
- Level I Trauma Center

