Nurse Leaders Create Structural Empowerment for the Electronic Age

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Greetings from Johns Hopkins!

- Academic medical center in Baltimore, Maryland, USA
- 918 staffed beds
- 48,232 admissions
- 278,736 patient days
- Mean length of stay 5.9 days
- 86,050 ED visits
- 439,469 outpatient visits
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- 2,184 Registered Nurses in hands-on patient care roles
- 83% Baccalaureate-prepared
- Salaried compensation
- Clinical ladder/professional advancement
- Robust research/evidence-based practice program
- Magnet recognition since 2003
Objectives

• Describe the role of nurse leaders in ensuring evidence-based practices for health Information technology (IT)

• Illustrate how structural empowerment through a centrally-supported model of local adaptation ensures safe transition to health IT