Huntzinger Infrastructure Cloud Transformation and Implementation Services

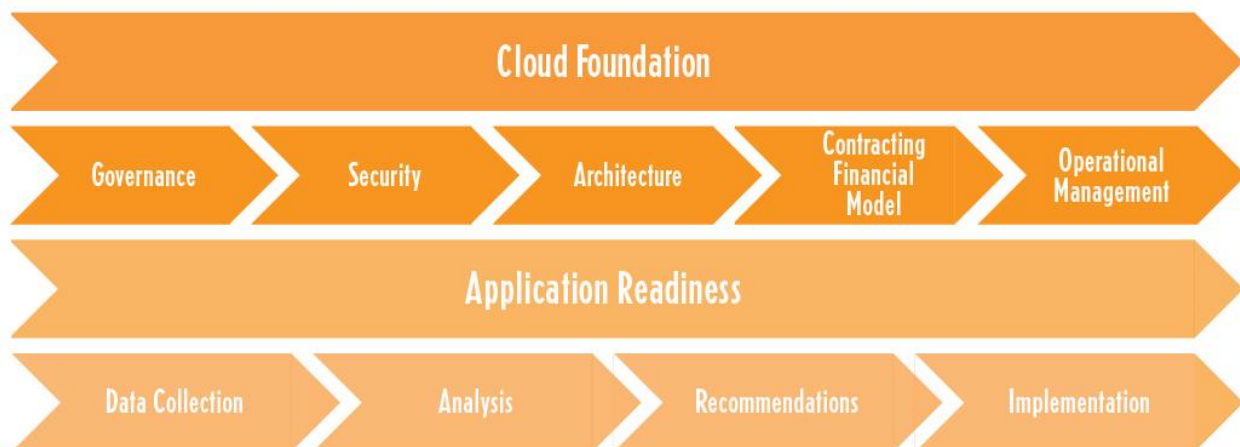## Getting Your Healthcare Organization Ready for the Cloud

Moving to the Cloud

Healthcare organizations need to develop a strategy and executable plan to move appropriate computing to the cloud. Considerations include what is appropriate for the cloud, scalability, reliability, security, cost, managing multiple cloud service providers, and the risk of switching environments. Huntzinger addresses these challenges using a comprehensive methodology that includes:

- Definition of common nomenclature for flavors of cloud computing and where each is appropriate
- An analysis of applications and supporting infrastructure
- Determine application readiness to move to a form of cloud computing
- Determine scalability requirements
- Identify what should remain in the on-premise data center (or co-location site)
- Impact on cost, security, and existing staff
- Establish a governance process to drive business decisions and defined objectives

Our Approach

Huntzinger partners with healthcare organizations to perform a comprehensive assessment and develop a roadmap to guide the organization through the move to cloud-based services. We engage and customize our tools and templates to meet the specific needs of the client. The assessment has two phases that are done in parallel, Cloud Foundation and Application Readiness, followed by execution:

The Huntzinger methodology includes client review checkpoints for validation and reaction. Processes can be modified to meet the client's specific needs.

Results

Organization Education	Successful Roadmap Execution	Implementation Strategy	Operational
• Common definitions and terms associated with cloud computing • Structured decision making: cloud vs. on premise • Identification of what infrastructure and services could move to the cloud • Identification of what applications should move to the cloud and when • Cost considerations	• Development of a strategic and executable roadmap to the future • Establish and maintain a solid foundation upon which to build • Ability to embrace/adapt to emerging technology	• Definition of approach, timelines and initial entry point • Short term, mid-range and long term goals • Selection of cloud services providers	• Contract considerations for cloud hosting • Management controls required to manage across cloud vendors • Impact on staffing and operational processes

How We Deliver

Huntzinger's team consists of passionate and experienced information technology professionals who have dedicated their careers to the healthcare IT industry. Their experience includes serving as CIOs, CTOs, and infrastructure executives at healthcare organizations ranging from community hospitals to academic medical systems.

Why Huntzinger

We Know Technology

Huntzinger consultants have broad and deep technology knowledge and expertise, designed to provide both immediate and sustained impact.

Healthcare Experience

Healthcare is our sole focus. Our consultants have worked at major hospital systems and other healthcare providers, many as CIOs/CTOs/VPs in technology and more. We have been in your shoes, and beyond that our talents and collective experience have been enriched through many, and diverse, client engagements.

Highest Quality Delivery

Huntzinger has a strong recruitment and evaluation process for our resources, ensuring that we match consultants to your organization's culture and specific role requirements, who then produce and deliver quality results on your behalf.

Strong Partnerships

Huntzinger has relationships with many of the major technology providers, and we leverage these relationships to deliver cost-efficient and highly effective solutions.

Culture of Performance

Client feedback, through many and diverse engagements, has consistently been expressed by the terms Integrity, Commitment, Expertise, Performance and Results — which, by design, are the keystones of our company culture.

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