

# MKM BedManager™

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The efficient provision and management of inpatient beds is central to delivering the hospital service and important in achieving good patient outcomes and effective use of resources. Understanding arrivals (including emergency) and placing incoming patients into beds is, however, complex, and achieving the right balance of capacity management and process management is difficult to achieve.

MKM BedManager™ is a practical solution that simplifies the task of patient placement, improves hospital occupancy rates and delivers information to support the development of bed management policy and procedures.

MKM BedManager™ is an easy-to-use application that allows Bed Managers, Admitting Staff and Nurse Managers to see both current and planned bed occupancy through a graphical ward layout. Planned and emergency bed requests are held in a queue which can be managed directly by staff, or via existing systems. Requests can be manually or automatically filled to the ward level, and staff can place the patient in an appropriate bed within local ward operating practices.

MKM BedManager™ can be enhanced with additional optional modules to facilitate common ward practices such as the recording of patient acuity scores, capturing patient meal orders and reviewing of test results. These additional modules communicate with other hospital systems using standard health messaging protocols.

MKM BedManager™ builds on existing Patient Administration System and other ICT investments, integrating seamlessly with hospital systems and work practices. It provides a practical operational tool as well as a new source of information to assist in understanding the complex interactions that influence bed usage.

Contact us today to find out more about this practical product.