

Post Implementation Evaluation Report

Automated Medication Dispensing System – LSH – Social and Rehabilitation Services

Project Dates: 10/2005 through 5/2009

Project Cost: \$584,020

Project Objectives:

The scope of the project was to acquire and implement an automated medication dispensing system for Larned State Hospital to safely and efficiently meet the medication requirements of patients in the new Isaac Ray Building.

The investment in the new technology would provide greater drug distribution and administration efficiency, improved accuracy in billing, and greater medication security guarding against pilferage. The new system will also enable the maintenance of critical patient information associated with the dispensing of medication, such as pain scale data, that will enable hospital staff to better care for the patients.