HIMSS SOUTH FLORIDA CHAPTER

Healthcare Technology Innovation Award Criteria

1. **A vendor may only apply in collaboration with a HIMSS South Florida provider where they have implemented a solution in partnership with that organization.**

2. There must be a direct correlation between the IT initiative and accomplishment of a documented organizational objective.

3. Achieved benefits from initiative must be quantifiable.

4. Concept must be transportable and have application to other healthcare organizations.

5. Accomplishment must have written acknowledgment from the organizations or departments Senior Executive or equivalent.

6. The IT initiative must have a minimum of 6 months of proven results.

Documentation Required

1. To be considered for this award, applicants must submit:
   a. Project Description:
      Part 1- A description of the IT initiative
      Part 2- A listing of the specific, quantifiable benefits obtained from the IT initiative and how this initiative has been sustained at your organization
      Part 3- A description of why this project is innovative for your organization
      Part 4- An explanation of how this project in linked to your organization's Strategic Plan
      Part 5- A description of how this initiative would be transportable to other healthcare organizations.
7. A letter of support from the organizations or departments Senior Executive or equivalent.

Healthcare Technology Innovation Award Application

Any applicant can be asked to present at IntegraTe21 or a local HIMSS Event

Applicant Name:	
Contact Information:	
Title:	Role on Project:

Organization Information:

Name:	
Address:	
Number of facilities:	Type
Number of beds:	For Profit Non Profit

1. **Initiative must have proven results for a minimum of 6 months.**
   a. All Healthcare & Life Science organizations are welcome to apply. **A vendor may only apply in collaboration with a HIMSS South Florida provider where they have implemented a solution in partnership with that organization.**
   b. Only HIMSS South Florida Members can apply. If you are not a member, please click here to join the HIMSS South Florida Chapter.

2. **Please describe your organizational healthcare technology initiative. Max 250 words**

3. **What problem are you trying to solve? Max 250 words**

   a. **What challenges did you encounter?**

4. **Provide a story board outlining your initiative including current state and future state plans**

    a. **Describe the overall impact of the innovation. Max 250 words**

    b. **Provided actual data about the impact of your innovation. Max 250 words**

    Attach supporting documentation or video.

5. **Please describe the scalability and sustainability of your solution? Can it be replicated with other organizations? Max 250 words**

6. **How is this project linked to your organization's Strategic Plan? Max 250 words**

7. **Did you have external support to implement this initiative?**

    ☐ Yes   ☐ No

If yes, please describe the support in detail. Max 250 words

8. **What was your "hard" ($ savings, FTE savings, etc.) return on investment? What was your "soft" (nonquantifiable) return on investment? Max 250 words**

9. **How did this impact regulatory and compliance requirements if applicable?**

10. **Attach a letter of acknowledgement from your organizations or department's senior executive recognizing the innovation.**

Prize

- Trophy for winner
- Community recognition including:
  - Innovation and the organization is marketed to the HIMSS membership
  - We provide an ad for the winner
  - Webinar session to our membership highlighting the winning organization
  - Partner in conjunction with South Florida Business Journal
- One complimentary ticket to HIMSS 2022

Application Submission

- Please email completed application to Venessa Bannon (mailto:vbannon@baptisthealth.net).

Timeline

- Application deadline: 09/10/2021
- Review of Application: 09/13/2021-09/27/2021
- Final presentations: mid-October, 2021 in a virtual SFLHIMSS event
- Winner announced at IntegraTe: November 2021