



## Health IT Wins!

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**WIN!:** IHIN Patient Query and Transitions of Care

**Who:** Martin Health Services LTC Pharmacy

**When:** 12-9-15

**Where:** Clinical Pharmacy Review of Patient Transitioning from Acute Care to Post Acute Care

**Why:** Patient was being reviewed as part of transitions of care program that reviews patient's medications as they transition from an acute inpatient stay to a post-acute care facility.

**What:** IHIN patient look up function revealed that the patient being reviewed had decreased renal function and hyperkalemia. The patient had two medications that require adjustment based on those results.

**Benefits:** The ability to have this information at hand allowed for pharmacist to make a recommendation for follow-up for basic metabolic panel (BMP) to be completed to verify results, and then adjust medications based on those findings. Without this access the patient may have continued taking inappropriate doses of medications for the foreseeable future.