



Acquisition
Directorate



COAST GUARD ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD

FEATURES

- Improved usability
- Reliability
- Reduction of clinical errors
- Increased accessibility
- Interoperability between agencies
- Patient Portal

The Coast Guard is acquiring MHS GENESIS capabilities, the new electronic health record for the Military Health System, and deploying the new system to Coast Guard health facilities. MHS GENESIS will provide enhanced, secure technology to manage health information of the 50,000-member workforce.

Once fully implemented, MHS GENESIS will provide an electronic health care record for Coast Guard active and reserve duty service members. The solution will connect medical and dental information from point of injury to the military treatment facility, including Coast Guard clinics and sickbays. The patient portal will allow Coast Guard personnel to view health information online (including records, notes from visits, and certain lab test results), make appointments and exchange messages with a provider.

The Coast Guard is collaborating with the Department of Defense's (DOD) acquisition of MHS GENESIS to ensure interoperability and continuity of care across the DOD and the Department of Veterans Administration.



CURRENT PROJECTS

The eHRA Program has segmented the acquisition into three distinct segments:

Segment A began with delivery of MHS GENESIS to all pilot sites in 2020 and concluded with deployment of MHS GENESIS to a total of 43 ashore clinics and 67 ashore sick bays and was completed in 2022.

Segment B will accomplish the uploading and transitioning away from paper records and integration of X-ray radiology capabilities, along with peripherals and preferred devices. Segment B is scheduled for completion by early summer 2024. Coast Guard personnel can continue to use their paper records throughout this time period.

Segment C will deploy EHR capability to Coast Guard cutters. The schedule for deployment is still being determined via alignment with Defense Health Agency plans for deploying MHS GENESIS to the DOD afloat commands.

Segment D will implement telehealth capabilities. That deployment schedule is also still being determined.

For updates related to the eHRA and MHS GENESIS, visit the program's website at www.dcms.uscg.mil/acquisition