

Demystifying cloud for healthcare

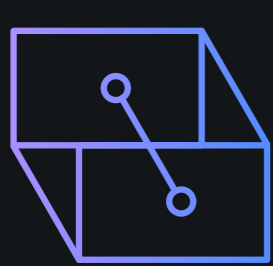
Discover the real costs of not moving to cloud and next steps for digital transformation.

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Healthcare delivery is changing fast. Digital capabilities are needed to support these changes. Yet complex, outdated legacy systems can act as a blocker.

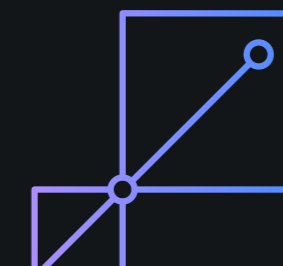
Imagine how much this is costing you today.



Direct costs

Maintaining legacy data centre facilities

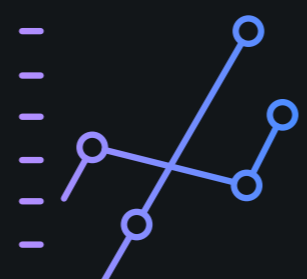
Isolated systems that don't allow interoperability



Opportunity costs

Overloaded IT staff

Lack of flexibility to support new ways of working



Risk costs

Security maintenance to keep data safe

Out of support legacy IT systems

The transition to cloud addresses the technology challenges of today. It provides a route to new ways of working for the hospital and the staff and better experiences for the patients.



It is resilient and secure

Data vulnerabilities can be monitored, and infrastructure is built to protect against cyberattacks.



It is open by design

Allows new technology and data to be more easily incorporated into your solutions to support new ways of working.

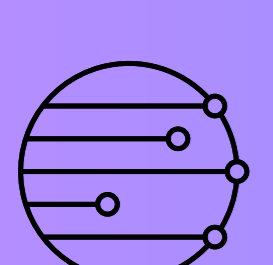


It is connected, integrated and flexible

Can enable the NHS to operate as an interconnected system rather than isolated organisations.

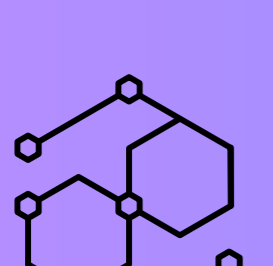
What are the next steps to get started on your journey to cloud?

IBM understands digital transformation for the NHS. We recognise your unique IT challenges and the difficulties in planning an end-to-end journey to cloud. Our three-step process creates your roadmap which considers the full complexity of your existing estate without compromising patient care.



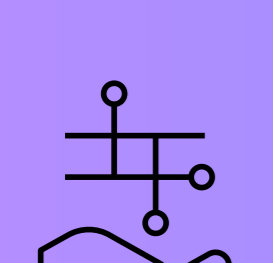
01. Aligning and prioritising your objectives

First, we'll start by aligning and prioritising your current costs (direct, risk and opportunity costs) based on your short-, medium- and long-term objectives.



02. Understanding your IT estate

We understand the complexity of a Trust's application estate. Our second stage involves us helping you to understand what you have, whether it can move, and if so, how to move it safely and securely.



03. Building your roadmap

Finally, we'll build you a roadmap to move to hybrid cloud, using IBM's pre-defined cloud patterns for Trusts, your priorities, and your application assessment.

We will help you navigate your cloud journey to ensure you can move to and take full advantage of your cloud environment, without interrupting patient care. We can help you on your digital transformation journey, no matter where you are today. We can work together to define your goals and map your needs, supporting you at every step.

We have expertise in cloud platforms that are open, vendor neutral and have security at their core. We have a wealth of experience of successfully migrating our partners' critical applications to the cloud where the technology, approach and method are industry agnostic.

Get to where you need to be with the right partner for your digital transformation journey.

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