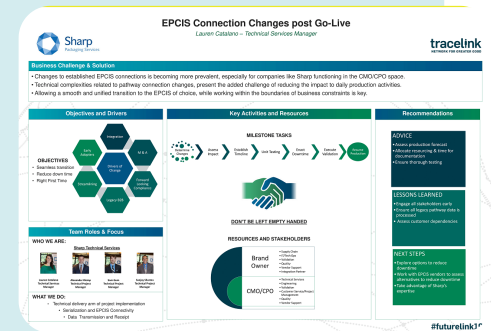


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Sharp Packaging Services provides serialization, packaging, and labeling solutions to pharmaceutical companies around the globe. Sharp's clients often need to change EPCIS connections and packaging requirements after they are in production—and this can result in delays that impact downstream supply chain stakeholders. Read Sharp Packaging Services' FutureLink Nashville case study poster—"EPCIS Connection Changes Post Go-Live"— and watch this video to learn about new processes the company implemented to overcome this change-management challenge.

Objectives and Drivers

OBJECTIVES

- Seamless transition
- Reduce down time
- Right First Time



EPCIS Connection Changes post Go-Live

Lauren Catalano – Technical Services Manager



Business Challenge & Solution

- Changes to established EPCIS connections is becoming more prevalent, especially for companies like Sharp functioning in the CMO/CPO space.
- Technical complexities related to pathway connection changes, present the added challenge of reducing the impact to daily production activities.
- Allowing a smooth and unified transition to the EPCIS of choice, while working within the boundaries of business constraints is key.

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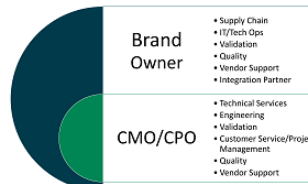
Key Activities and Resources

MIILESTONE TASKS



DON'T BE LEFT EMPTY HANDED

RESOURCES AND STAKEHOLDERS



Recommendations

ADVICE

- Assess production forecast
- Allocate resourcing & time for documentation
- Ensure thorough testing

LESSONS LEARNED

- Engage all stakeholders early
- Ensure all legacy pathway data is processed
- Assess customer dependencies

NEXT STEPS

- Explore options to reduce downtime
- Work with EPCIS vendors to assess alternatives to reduce downtime
- Take advantage of Sharp's expertise

Team Roles & Focus

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WHAT WE DO:

- Technical delivery arm of project implementation
 - Serialization and EPCIS Connectivity
 - Data Transmission and Receipt

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