

## Biometric Technology Implementation Proposal

### Objective:

The objective of this proposal is to outline a comprehensive solution utilizing biometric technology to enhance client tracking, communication, and compliance within Zinnia Health, with a focus on promoting client/patient wellness and accountability.

### Background:

Zinnia Health is dedicated to providing comprehensive care and support to its clients/patients. However, the facility faces challenges related to ineffective client tracking, communication gaps among staff members, and difficulties ensuring client compliance with schedules and activities. These challenges can impact client outcomes and hinder their preparation for reintegration into the outside world. To address these issues, the implementation of biometric technology is proposed.

### Proposed Solution:

**Deployment of Biometric Devices:** Install fingerprint scanners in each room and key areas of the facility where clients are expected to be present or move through regularly.

**Integration with EMR System:** Integrate the biometric data captured by the fingerprint scanners with the Electronic Medical Records (EMR) system used by Zinnia Health.

- **Enhancement of Client Interface:** Enhance the client interface of the EMR system to include a "Now Button" next to each client's photo and basic information.
- **Real-time Location Tracking:** Implement a feature within the EMR system that displays the real-time location of each client when the "Now Button" is clicked. Provide details such as the client's current location within the facility, assigned groups or therapy sessions, break times, medical appointments, etc.
- **Staff Communication and Coordination:** Enable staff members to access real-time location information of clients through the EMR system. Facilitate better communication and coordination among staff members to quickly locate clients and ensure compliance with schedules and activities.
- **Automated Attendance and Consent Logging:** Utilize biometric data captured by the fingerprint scanners to automatically log client attendance and consent for various activities, such as group sessions, therapy sessions, etc.
- **Training and Education:** Provide comprehensive training to staff members on how to use the biometric devices, navigate the enhanced client interface of the EMR system, and interpret real-time location information. Educate clients about the purpose and benefits of the biometric technology to encourage cooperation and compliance.

### Benefits:

- Enhanced client tracking and real-time location monitoring.
- Improved communication and coordination among staff members.
- Streamlined documentation processes and increased efficiency.
- Enhanced client compliance with schedules and activities.
- Empowerment of clients to take accountability for their wellness, better preparing them for reintegration into the outside world.

### Conclusion:

The proposed implementation of biometric technology at Zinnia Health offers a comprehensive solution to address the facility's challenges related to client tracking, communication, and compliance. By leveraging biometric data and integrating it with the EMR system, Zinnia Health can enhance efficiency, improve client outcomes, and empower clients to take accountability for their wellness, better preparing them for reintegration into the outside world.