



## **Nightingale Signs 15-year Clinical Management System Agreement With OntarioMD**

***Contract win solidifies Nightingale's EMR market leadership in Ontario and  
represents significant revenue growth opportunity***

**Markham, Ontario – October 22, 2007** – Nightingale Informatix Corporation (“Nightingale” or the “Company”) (TSX-V: NGH), a healthcare Application Service Provider (ASP) of Electronic Medical Record (EMR) software, today announced that it has signed a 15-year agreement with OntarioMD for its Nightingale on Demand, Clinical Management System (CMS) ASP Offering. A CMS is a software application that combines practice management software with an integrated EMR. Based, in part, on this agreement, eligible primary care physicians across the province will be able to apply for funding through the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (MOHLTC) and Ontario Medical Association (OMA) Physician Information Technology (IT) Program when implementing Nightingale on Demand.

Currently, total funding available through the Physician IT Program is up to \$28,600 per physician, over three years. The OMA has obtained funding for up to 2,700 physicians to date and hopes to work with the MOHLTC in Ontario to drive further funding initiatives that will enable physicians across the province to implement CMS. OntarioMD is a subsidiary of the OMA and is responsible for the administration of the Ministry's Physician IT Program funding.

“This agreement is a significant milestone for Nightingale,” said Sam Chebib, President and CEO of Nightingale. “There are more than 22,000 physicians in Ontario, and studies show that the adoption rate for EMR is currently less than 20%. As the adoption of EMR gains momentum across Ontario and governmental funding becomes increasingly available, we believe this agreement will position us to capture a significant share of the market and accelerate our growth over the next two to five years. In addition, it serves as a testament to the technology leadership of our EMR ASP Offering, and further validates our position as the largest EMR provider in Canada.”

The Physician IT Program was designed to help primary care physicians with the adoption and implementation of IT solutions in their practices. To receive funding as part of the Program, eligible physicians must select an OntarioMD funding eligible CMS Offerings. OntarioMD issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) in April 2007 and conducted an extensive evaluation process to select up to two new certified ASP Offerings. OntarioMD assessed each Offering, focusing on security, privacy, functionality and other technology specifications. Upon completion of the evaluation process, OntarioMD signed agreements with Nightingale and one other CMS provider. Once certified, these Offerings will join an already approved CMS Offering, allowing physicians to select from three CMS ASP Offerings, which will not be revised until the year 2021.

Chebib added: “Our EMR Offering was specifically designed and built to be delivered as an ASP model, and we have been providing our customers with state-of-the-art performance and reliability since 2002. Nightingale already has more than 2,000 providers in Canada on our ASP technology platform, managing more than 4.5 million patient records. We are pleased to be part of OntarioMD's CMS Program and to be a part of OntarioMD's initiative to facilitate the implementation of healthcare IT solutions province-wide, within its mandate.”

“We are pleased to announce the selection of Nightingale on Demand as one of our two new CMS ASP Offerings,” said Brian Forster, Chief Executive Officer of OntarioMD. “Nightingale worked hard to produce an Offering which withstood a rigorous RFP process to achieve this status.”

Nightingale’s CMS ASP Offering, Nightingale on Demand, will be funding eligible once the Offering completes OntarioMD’s certification process. Funding is immediately available for Nightingale’s software-based Local Solution CMS offering. Groups currently eligible for funding are: Family Health Networks, Family Health Teams, Family Health Groups and Family Health Organizations, Primary Care Networks, Health Service Organizations, Group Health Centres and Rural and Northern Physician Groups.

### **About OntarioMD**

OntarioMD was established to support physician adoption of information technology (IT) by connecting Ontario physicians to valuable products and services. OntarioMD’s primary goal is to help physicians implement efficiencies in their practice and deliver improved patient care by leveraging the value of IT. OntarioMD is a subsidiary of the Ontario Medical Association and receives funding from the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.

### **About Nightingale**

Nightingale Informatix Corporation ([www.nightingale.md](http://www.nightingale.md)) is one of North America’s fastest growing healthcare ASPs. Nightingale’s Internet-based Electronic Health Record (EHR), CMS and practice management solutions are designed to help physicians, health centers, hospitals and other healthcare organizations more efficiently manage their operations and patient records.

Nightingale’s products and services offer physicians in United States and Canada leading-edge functionality for clinical documentation, patient scheduling, resource scheduling, billing, transcription, end-to-end coding and claims processing, data management, work flow tools, laboratory interfaces, documentation management and patient portals, along with other real-time services. The Company’s proprietary offerings of software include Nightingale On-Demand, RidgeMark, Medical Helper, Therapist Helper, Northern Health Anesthesia, Entity and Physician WorkStation and SecureConnect, providing physicians with fully integrated, simple-to-use systems that automate daily tasks and create a single, accessible source of patient data.

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