

Table 4

Barriers to Adoption of the EHR System

Barrier	Mean Rank
Software cost	7.31
Hardware cost	6.92
Participation from physicians	5.95
Interoperability among different electronic systems and the true EHR system	5.61
Inability to find the software that meets the requirements of the true EHR system	5.17
Organizational culture	5.10
Participation from nursing staff	5.03
Standards	4.81
Return on investment (ROI)	4.73
Personnel cost	4.54