Patient Portal Adoption

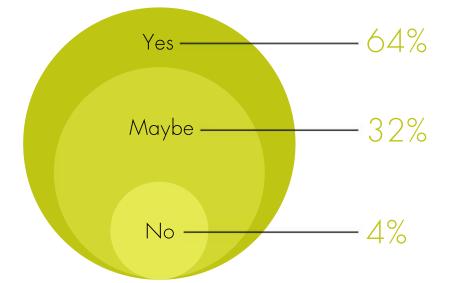
DICOM Grid and RadSite recently conducted research on the perception of patient portals. The information below summarizes key findings from a survey issued to 220 patients ranging from ages 18 to 75.

Patient Portal by the Numbers



1 out of 3 patients have used a portal to connect with doctors

70% of patients find portals to be a convenient way to communicate with doctors

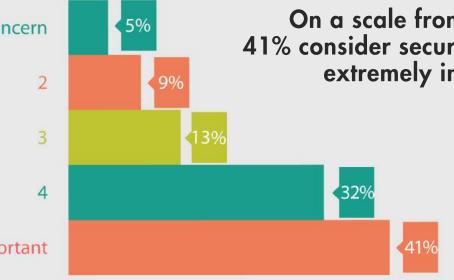


If your doctor provided you access to your medi-cal records online would you utilize it?

64% of patients who have never used a portal say they would access théir médical records online if provided

Security is a Top Concern

1 Not a huge concern



On a scale from 1 to 5, 41% consider security to be extremely important

2 It is extremely important

Don't Forget About the Images



90% said they were interested in accessing their medical images online

62% said "That would be nice to have, I guess."



28% said "Where can I sign up?!"

What Patients Are Saying



"Although I have not used a patient portal, I think I would like to use one for the main purpose of having my records for reference when going to new doctors or when trying to get a second opinion."

"I have treated seriously ill loved ones and having the ability to move CT and MRI scans would be critical."

"It is much more convenient to communicate via the patient portal - you can check at your convenience and do not have to wait on hold/deal with the many prompts that calling usually entails."

"I've never used a patient portal, but I would!"



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