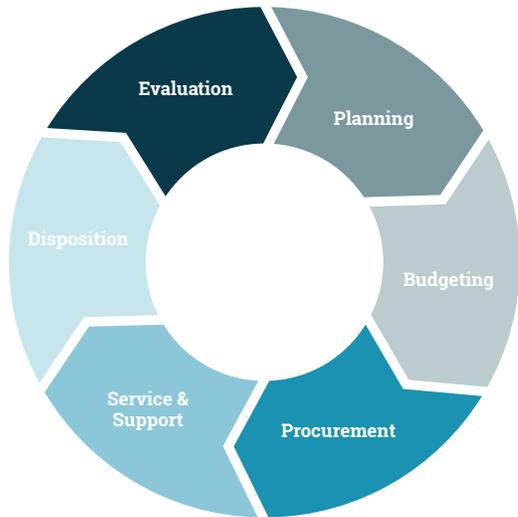


Evaluating and Managing Capital Technology



- + **Manage finite resources**
- + **Audit existing technologies**
- + **Plan for replacement**
- + **Assess new technologies**
- + **Set priorities**
- + **Evaluate future needs**

A **strategic technology plan (STP)** defines, prioritizes and consolidates needs over the next 5 years.

Five Scoring Criteria to Evaluate Each Device



Technological Condition
Asset's proximity to obsolescence



Utilization
Frequency of use



Useful Life
Anticipated life expectancy



Maintenance
Serviceability and parts support



Safety
Risk level to patient

- Low probability of replacement within 5 years
- Probable need for replacement within 3-5 years
- Probable need for replacement within 1-2 years

Cost savings opportunities through a combination of:

- + Identification of equipment redeployment opportunities
- + Aggregation of similar requirements when feasible
- + Identification of product and/or vendor standardization opportunities

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