

DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING & EMR: A LITERATURE SURVEY

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ABSTRACT

This paper reviews the research literature on electronic medical record (EMR) systems, how electronic medical records are defined, how the structure of these records is described, in what contexts EMRs are used, who has access to EMRs, which data components of the EMRs are used and studied, what is the purpose of research in this field, what methods of data collection have been used in the studies reviewed and what are the results of these studies.

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