

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: CARDIOLOGY LEADERS

Accelerating Imaging Workflows in Radiology and Cardiology: What Clinicians Need in 2026

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Yeang Chng, MD, PhD, Lead Radiologist at Spectrum Healthcare Partners, and Alan Jansujwicz, MD, Cardiologist at Northern Light Health shared how AGFA HealthCare Enterprise Imaging is helping healthcare organizations modernize cardiovascular imaging workflows, improve collaboration across specialties, and support more connected care delivery across the enterprise.

One theme came through consistently during the discussion: cardiology teams are looking for imaging environments that make it easier to access studies across modalities, streamline workflows, and improve collaboration across care teams.

As cardiovascular imaging continues to evolve and imaging volumes increase, organizations are reevaluating whether fragmented imaging systems can support growing clinical and operational demands.

The Challenge: Fragmented Cardiology Imaging Workflows



Cardiology teams described several inefficiencies caused by disconnected imaging environments, including:

- Separate imaging systems across modalities
- Limited access to imaging outside cardiology workflows
- Workflow interruptions caused by application switching
- Difficulty comparing studies across departments
- Reduced efficiency in remote reading environments

Clinicians explained that navigating between multiple systems for echocardiography, CT, MRI, and nuclear imaging created unnecessary workflow disruption and limited collaboration across specialties.

These fragmented workflows not only impacted efficiency, but also created barriers to more coordinated patient care delivery.

The Impact of Unified Enterprise Imaging

Cardiology teams working within a more unified imaging environment, like the AGFA HealthCare Enterprise Imaging platform, described improvements in multimodality workflow efficiency, accessibility, and collaboration across care teams.

Key benefits highlighted during the webinar included:

- Faster access to multimodality imaging
- More efficient review of echocardiography, CT, MRI, and nuclear studies
- Improved reporting workflows
- Better access to prior imaging studies
- More effective remote reading capabilities

Cardiology leaders also emphasized the value of unified imaging access in supporting faster clinical decision-making and improving workflow continuity across imaging environments.

Clinicians identified speed, reliability, and enterprise-wide accessibility as critical to long-term adoption and workflow efficiency.

Improving Collaboration Across Specialties

A unified enterprise imaging platform also strengthened collaboration between cardiology and radiology teams.

Shared access to cardiac CT and MRI studies enabled more coordinated review of incidental findings while improving communication and visibility across specialties.

Rather than operating within disconnected imaging silos, clinicians were able to collaborate within a common imaging environment that supported more connected and patient-centered care delivery.

Preparing for the Future of Cardiovascular Imaging

Enterprise imaging is evolving beyond a departmental technology decision and becoming more central to broader care delivery and collaboration strategies. It is becoming a strategic foundation for connected care, multimodality workflow orchestration, and future AI-enabled imaging innovation across the enterprise.

Future-ready cardiovascular imaging environments will increasingly depend on unified access to longitudinal patient imaging data, scalable infrastructure, and imaging ecosystems that support collaboration across cardiology, radiology, and broader care teams.

Many organizations also see connected imaging environments as an important foundation for future AI initiatives and longitudinal imaging analysis across specialties.

Key Takeaways for Cardiology Leaders

Clinical leaders reinforced that connected enterprise imaging strategies are increasingly essential to improving clinician collaboration, streamlining multimodality workflows, and enabling more coordinated patient care across the enterprise.

- Unified enterprise imaging environments help improve multimodality workflow efficiency
- Shared imaging access strengthens collaboration between cardiology and radiology
- Connected workflows support faster and more coordinated patient care
- Reliability, speed, and accessibility are essential to long-term adoption
- Future AI initiatives will depend on connected imaging environments and broader imaging accessibility across specialties.

About AGFA HealthCare

AGFA HealthCare Enterprise Imaging helps healthcare organizations unify imaging workflows across radiology, cardiology, and the broader enterprise through a connected imaging platform designed to improve accessibility, streamline collaboration, and support more coordinated care delivery.

By enabling enterprise-wide access to longitudinal imaging data, AGFA HealthCare Enterprise Imaging helps organizations support scalable workflow orchestration, operational efficiency, and future AI-enabled innovation across the continuum of care.

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