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# Facilitating Secondary Use of Medical Data by Using *openEHR* Archetypes

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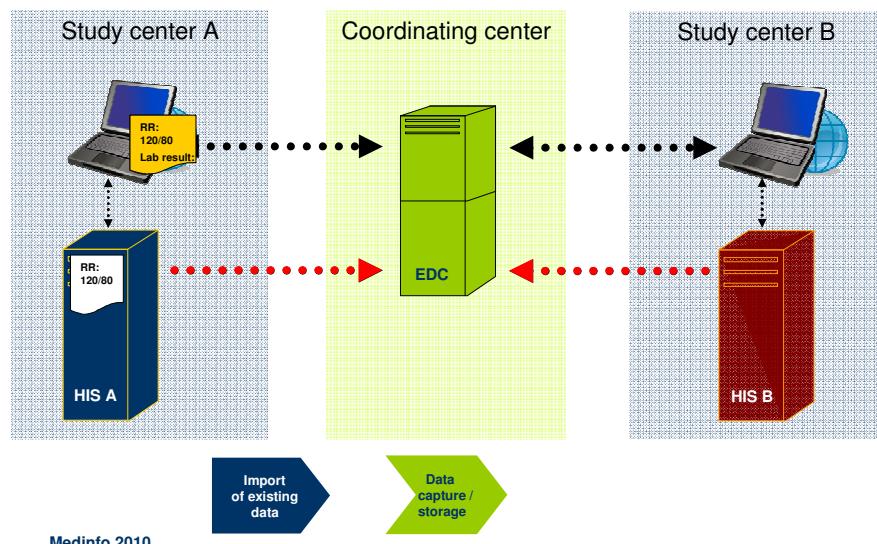
## Introduction

- Clinical trials are of high importance for medical research and progress.

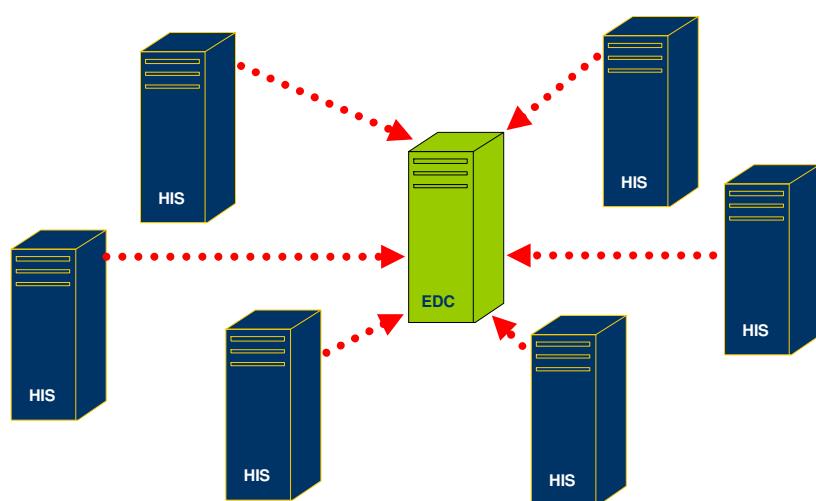
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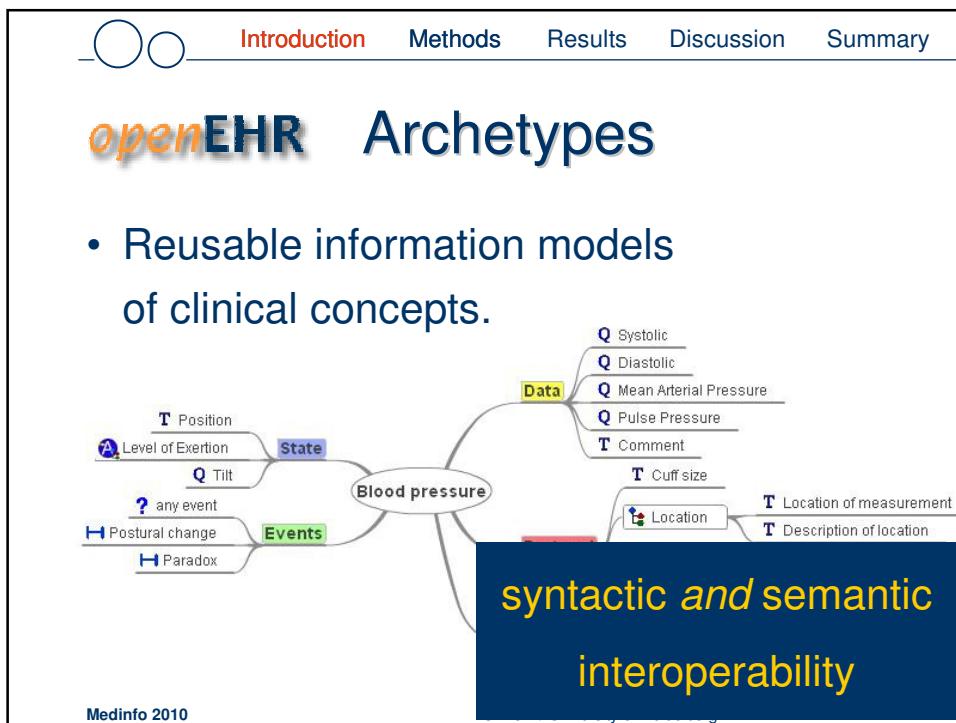
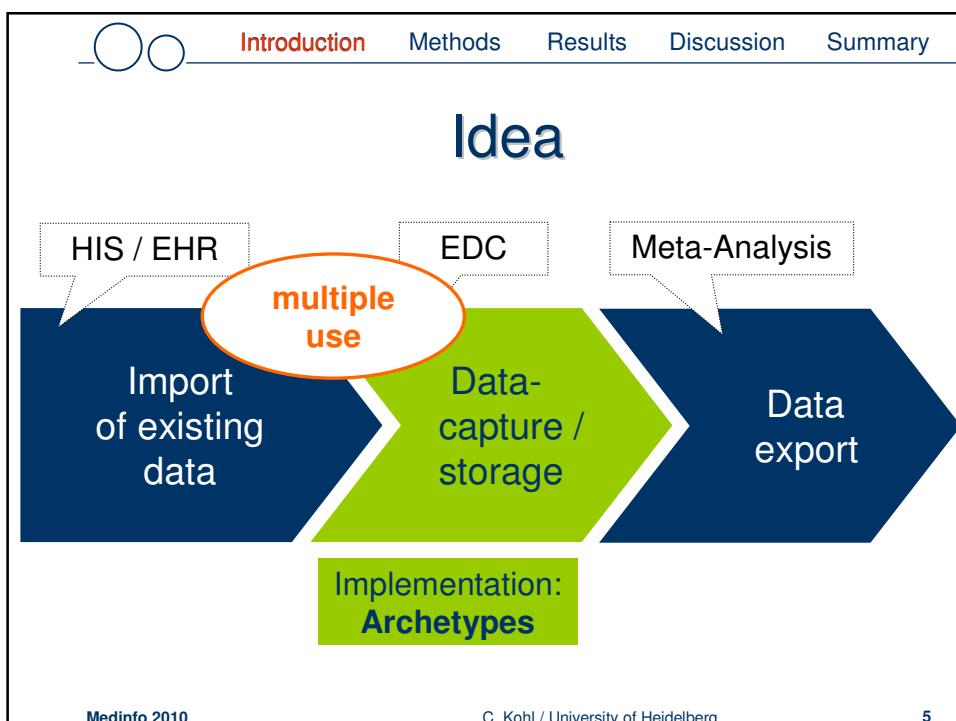
- Data collection in trials is a time consuming and expensive task.

## Problem



## Problem: Multicenter Trials





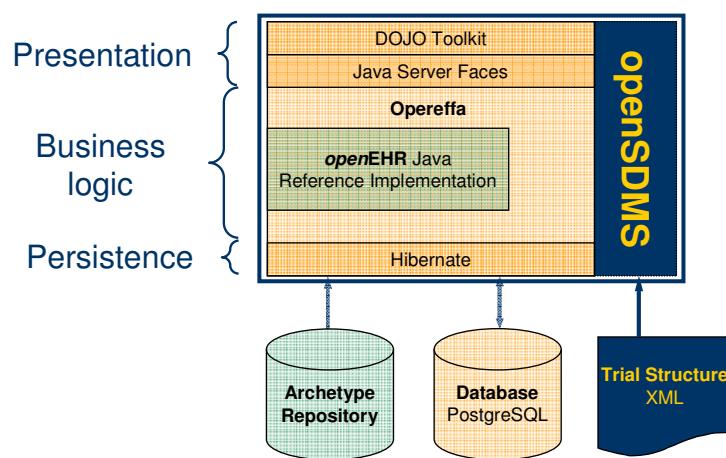


## Goals

- ...to explore how a system for recording data in clinical trials can be built based on the *openEHR* approach.
- ...to facilitate reuse of existing medical data for clinical trials.



## System Design





## „Trial Data“

### Trial

#### Meta-Data

- research question
- inclusion / exclusion criteria

#### Patient-Data

- sex
- age
- blood pressure ...

EHR  
archetypes



## Archetypes: Study Meta Data

- 15 Archetypes

– 3 COMPOSITIONS

– 12 ADMIN\_ENTRY

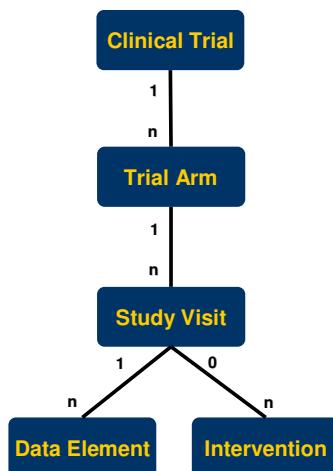
- which contain

over 50 data items

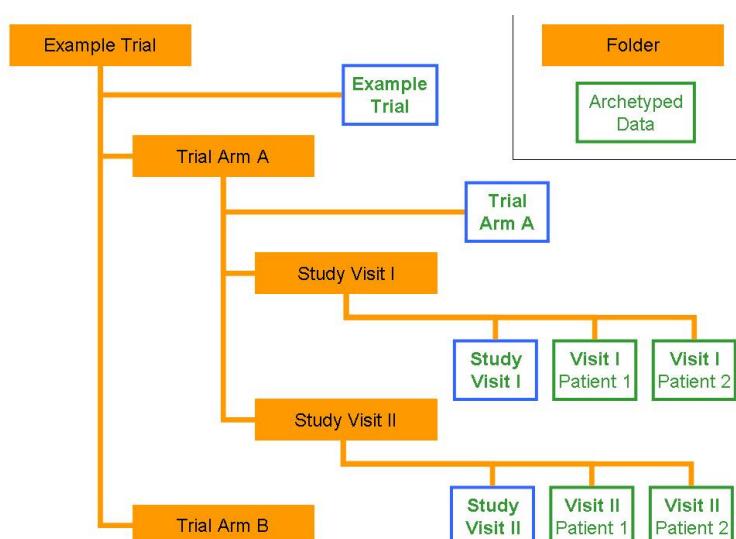


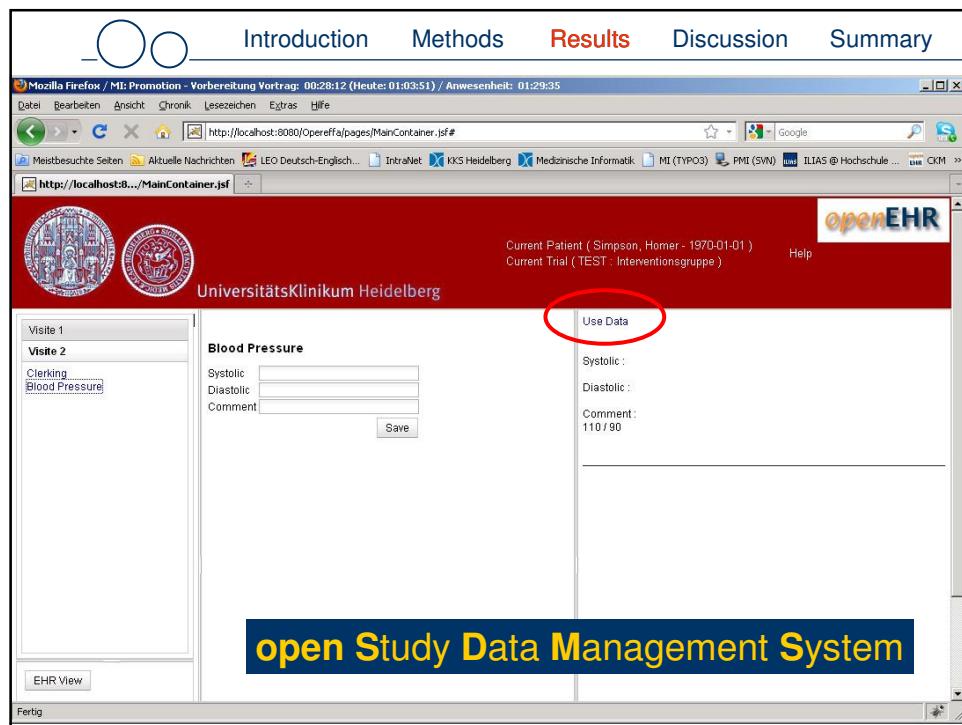
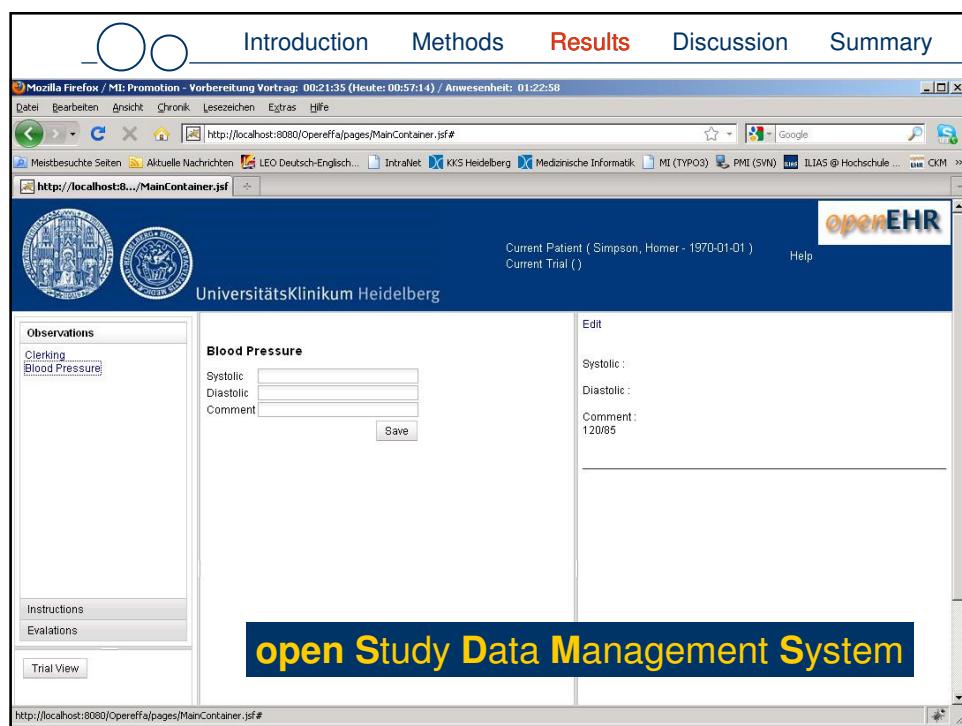


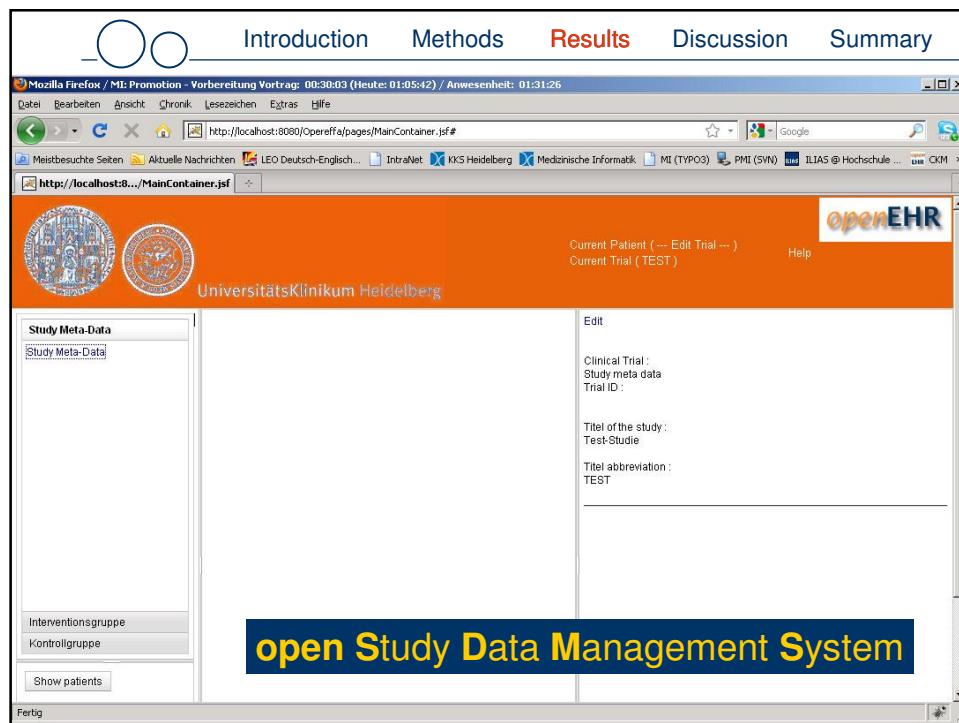
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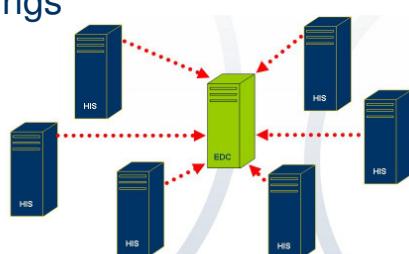
## Discussion

- *openEHR / Opereffa*  
proved as a good starting point.
- **openSDMS is still a prototype**
  - importing mechanisms for existing data
  - CDSIC / ODM-Export



## Conclusion and Perspective

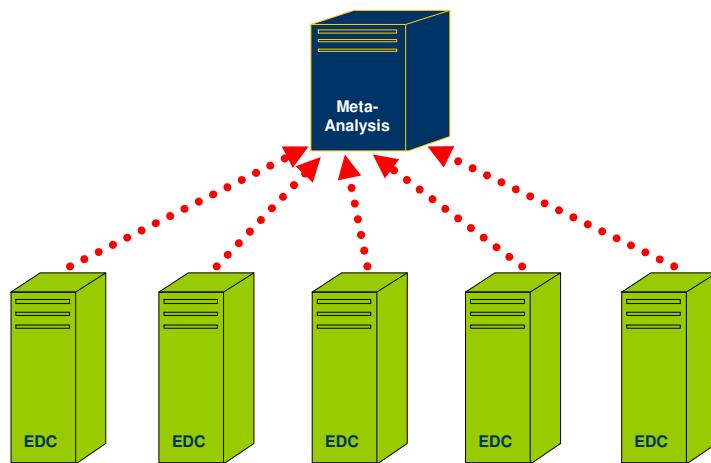
- Benefits of using archetypes in EDC systems for clinical trials...
  - ...integration of existing data sets
  - ...multiple use of mappings
  - ...meta analysis.



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