

## **HEALTHBRIDGE-**

## **Succeeding in the Indian market**

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## HealthBridge is a management consulting company focused solely on healthcare delivery

#### **Our Mission**

- To assist healthcare leaders in emerging markets imagine and develop institutions that deliver efficient and high quality health services.
- To provide our consultants with outstanding leadership opportunities that exceeds those offered by any other healthcare firm

#### **About us**

HealthBridge is a Management Consulting company focused on the healthcare sector. We are headquartered in Mumbai, with branch offices in Delhi and Bangalore

We specialize in helping healthcare organizations achieve superior clinical results and exceptional business performance by providing expert advice for their most important business problems

Our expertise spans the lifecycle of healthcare delivery and management from developing entry strategies and commissioning new facilities, to achieving business excellence and growth in existing ventures. We bring a robust grounding in health services, a repository of best practices from healthcare and other industries, and a strong execution orientation to implement, monitor, and sustain change

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### India is currently experiencing a powerful collision of forces

#### **Demand explosion**

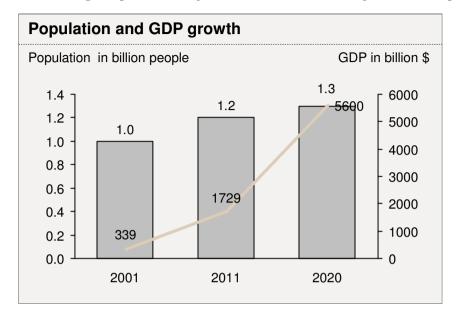
- More than 1.2 billion population; growing at > 17% decadal growth rate
- Geriatric\* population in excess of 76 million
- More than 370 million people living in urban areas
- World capital for chronic conditions like diabetes and cardiac diseases
- 20% YoY rise in insurance penetration
- 4<sup>th</sup> largest economy\* in the world growing at more than 8.1% YoY

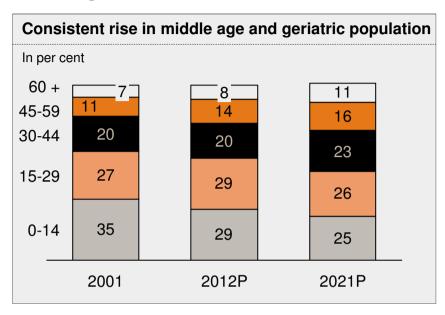
Positive alignment for growth of hospital market

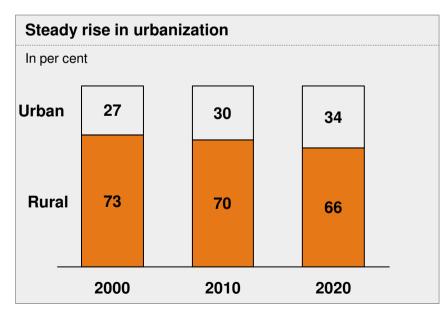
#### **Supply limitation**

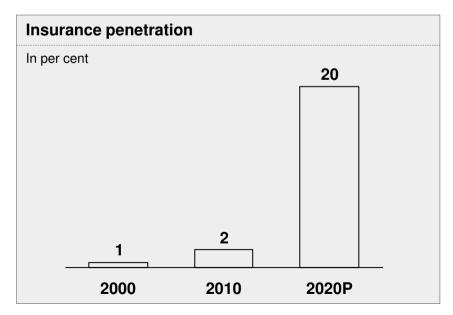
- Acute scarcity of hospitals;
  Bed to population ratio among the lowest in developing countries (1.3 per thousand population\*)
- Tertiary care facilities concentrated only in the urban landscape
- Limited differentiation of service
- Significant gaps in the available infrastructure
  - No true emergency care facilities
  - Daycare surgery market in its infancy
  - Less than 10% labs in the country are accredited

## Demographically, India is ready for exponential growth in healthcare...









### At present, resources and supply are inadequate for tomorrow's India

#### **Short on quantity**

- Less than 6 doctors per 10,000 population, as compared to 27 per 10,000 in USA and 35 per 10,000 in Germany
- Only 1.03 beds per thousand population compared to 3 to 4 in other developing countries
- 13 nursing personnel per 10,000 population as compared to 98 in USA and 80 in Germany

#### **Short on quality**

- Disproportionately large share of bed supply through unregulated nursing homes and dispensaries
- With almost non existent entry barriers, substandard and poor quality care provided by these unorganized providers
- More than 70% of the tertiary care facilities concentrated in the urban areas serving less than 30 % of the population
- Less than 10% of all the labs in the country accredited

#### **Short on completeness**

- Almost non existent ambulance networks and sparse presence of true emergency care services, accident and emergency management is in shambles
- Day care surgery concept in its infancy, only 20% of the cases in India are done on a day care surgery basis, leading to heavy utilization of scarce hospital beds for avoidable In-patient stay
- Very low government spending – more than 85% of care paid for out of pocket; more than 75% of capacity in the private sector

### Sizing this opportunity, a slew of players are entering the market

#### **Existing players** growing













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## However, significant constraints exist that can obstruct or alter the growth trajectory: growth is neither certain nor inevitable

#### **Talent shortage**

- Severe shortage of trained doctors and nursing staff (1.1 million doctors short by 2020)
- Vast gaps in administrative, para-medical and research education
- Extreme scarcity of super-specialty trained resources

#### Weak regulations

- Does not enjoy industry status with policy designed to remove bottlenecks to hypergrowth
- Little regulation over care safety standards and quality initiatives (though NABH penetration is increasing)

#### **Heavy local obstructions**

- Land availability and costs are almost forbidding (more than 20% of the total cost – 16% of the world's people, 2% of the land)
- Very high taxation and interest rates (over 9%)

#### Generally low ability to spend

- Average insurance premium & coverage levels very low (less than 10% insurance penetration)
- 85% out of pocket payment with aggressive price shopping

## Key trends that will shape the future of Indian healthcare

- Massive build-out of healthcare infra will create several winners, many losers
- Rapid increase in competition and disaggregation of healthcare services to create clinical champions
- Government funding for the bottom of the pyramid to accelerate, a strong positive, with some areas of concern
- Shortage of talent to materially affect costs, efficiency and quality
- Dual disease burden to take its toll

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# Over the coming years, the healthcare industry will face rising pressures to control costs...

# Rising Competition – New Hospitals + New Business Models like stand alone Ambulatory care centers, Labs

- Decreasing Volumes
- · Case Mix High Margin Cases moving out
- Downward Pressure on Prices

## Poor innate operational efficiency

- Many Hospitals struggling to go beyond 15-17% EBITDA margins
- Underutilization of facilities and equipment
- Affecting profitability and ability to invest into new service lines, programs

# Delivery under significant pressure

## Workforce Shortage to intensify

- Nursing shortage to further increase with rising competition
- Disruptive plays by star Physicians
- Difficulty in attracting and retaining quality residents

## Rising influence of health insurance

- Rising share of Insured patients, Higher Accounts Receivables
- Insurance Caps on procedure Tariffs

## The changing healthcare consumer

- Seeks a better experience
- Wants personalized care
- Demands better ambience & privacy
- Has greater awareness of health issues and quality of care

# Try as we might to complain, our stakeholders have a point... waste is everywhere in healthcare delivery

Area	Indian hospita average**	l Benchmark performance
Wards	~75% BOR	>90% BOR
OTs	55% surgical time	>80% surgical time
CT/MRI*	~6-8 MRIs, 15 CTs per day	
Procurement	Consumable costs @ 26-30% of revenues	Consumable costs @ <20%
Inventory	30-45 days of inventory	< 15 days of inventory

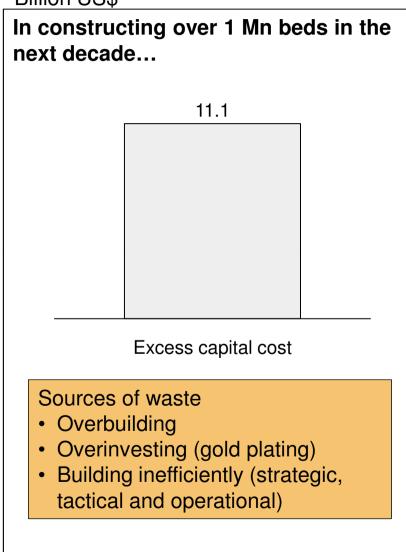


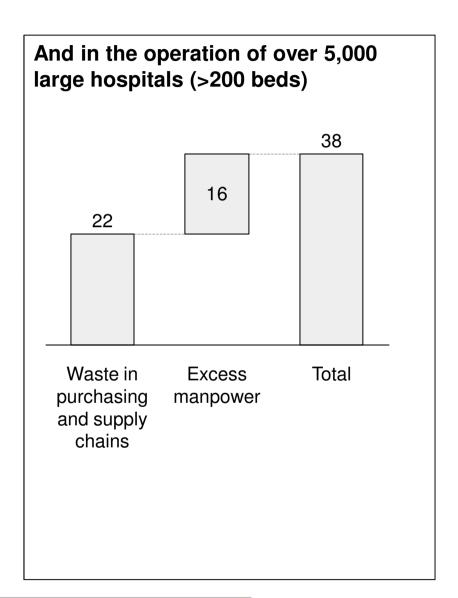




# We estimate that over the next 10 years, hospitals will waste an astonishing US\$ ~50Bn!!!

#### Billion US\$





#### Even as we focus on cost containment...

### ...we ignore other serious issues at our peril

- Public investment in healthcare still too low the poor will get left behind
- Role of government needs to be re-imagined: steward, regulator and shaper to create the right incentives for providers
- Stronger safeguarding of users and patients essential tighter regulation of quality, safety, conflict of interests critical
- Indian responses to Indian challenges needed (e.g. Indian guidelines for diabetes)

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## **Thank You**

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