

HRIS Features Checklist

1. System Features

- Dashboards/scorecards
- Reporting abilities/analytics
- White labeling/branding
- Customization of look, reports, dashboards, etc.
- Application Program Interfaces (API's) (ie benefit/WC carriers, ATS, LMS, etc)
- Establish calendars to delete, store or back-up data
- Mobile access across platforms
- Cloud based vs desktop
- Cyber security and other IT protocols
- Ability to transfer employee across depts, locations, etc.
- Email Alerts
- Keyword or ease of search capabilities
- Employee Self Service
- Manager Self Service (level of access to information)
- Administrator, Manager, Employee, Finance, IT, etc customized views (Access restrictions/permissions for data security)

2. Administration

- Organization charts
- Workforce planning/analysis/predictive analytics
- Analytics/reporting (Canned and ease of ad hoc)
- Communication/reminders (i.e. birthdays, document destruction)
- Personnel file storage (ease of upload)
- Access to documents (integrates with ?)
- Time and attendance/scheduling
- Leave management
- Claims management
- Handbook Maintenance
- Job and pay history
- Salary Change Requests
- Employee Safety History
- FLSA
- Succession Planning

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3. Hiring capabilities in HRIS (*Applicant Tracking System is often a separate system but some HRIS offer basic ATS functionality and new hire paperwork support*)

- Requisitions
- Job description builder
- Internal posting of jobs
- Recruiting tie-ins to Indeed, LinkedIn, etc.
- Applicant tracking system (additional module or through API to another product or other systems)
- Interview documentation storage
- Tie-ins to testing and assessment software
- Tie-ins to background checks
 - Criminal
 - Credit
 - DMV/MVR
 - Drug test
- Immigration compliance
- Document management
- New hire docs like W-2 (Full onboarding module or just new hire paperwork?)
- Contracts/Offer letters
- Auto-fill and retain (ideally through info collected on application)
- Electronic signatures
- Retention and destruction calendaring
- Payroll integration and reporting
- Mobile access
- Onboarding process
- Analytics/reporting (Canned and ease of ad hoc)

4. Performance Management

- Canned performance reviews/ease of customization of reviews
- Assign goals/KPI's
- Develop metrics and timelines
- Employee self-assessment
- Manager 360
- Project management of annual review process, ongoing feedback, etc
- Performance Reviews, Notations, discipline, PIP
- Termination procedures
- Exit interview
- Employee surveys
- Analytics/reporting (Canned and ease of ad hoc)

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5. Training *(Most HRIS systems have some ability to track training, certs, etc)*

- LMS system – stand-alone or API tie-in
- Available training titles: compliance, leadership, technical, etc.
- Upload company developed training
- Employee career development training paths
- Enrollment
- Employee skill inventory
- Notices/certificates/licenses
- Analytics/reporting (Canned and ease of ad hoc)

6. Compensation Management

- Setting compensation ranges
- Bonuses: discretionary and non-discretionary
- Create compensation plans
- Pay equity analysis
- Salary history
- Pay grades

7. Benefits/Medical/Wellness/401K *(Rare that an HRIS can support benefits. If needed look for a strong Benefit Administration module to purchase)*

- Benefits
- Statements
- Choose, change, ancillary benefits
- COBRA
- ERISA
- TPA access/tie-in
- Wrap documents, SPD's availability for employees
- HSA, HRA, FSA, Transit, etc
- Wellness
- Enrollment
- Analytics/reporting (Canned and ease of ad hoc)
- Tie-in to Wellness apps or products
- Account balance reporting
- Employee discount programs
- EAP access
- Tie into 401K portal

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8. Compliance

- Recordkeeping
- OSHA reporting
- EEO-1 reporting
- Support for Affirmative Action plan development and administration
- Canned reports to meet individual state requirements
- Canned audit reports to support analysis of compliance with state laws
- VET-100 reporting
- I-9
- Document retention
- FMLA/state leave tracking
- Disability management or API to STD carrier

9. Multi-State and/or International Capabilities

- Payroll
- Benefits
- Leave management
- Work comp.
- Professional licensing/training requirements