

## CMMN IS TO CASE MANAGEMENT PRODUCTS WHAT BPMN IS TO BUSINESS PROCESS MANAGEMENT PRODUCTS

For some time, there has been discussion on the need to model activities that are not predefined and repeatable, but instead depend on evolving circumstances and ad hoc decisions by knowledge workers regarding a situation or case. Thus the **Case Management Model & Notation (CMMN)** specification was born.

Currently going through the finalization phase, CMMN defines a common meta-model and notation for modeling and graphically expressing a case as well as an interchange format for exchanging case models among different tools. CMMN is intended to capture the common elements that case management products use, while also taking into account current research contributions on case management.

Known as an Adaptive Case Management, CMMN aids in the decision making process through suggestions, yet keeps humans firmly in the driver's seat. CMMN is centered around living information and relationships, while traditional business processes are centered around a-priori defined activity sequences.



CMMN can lead to optimized, normative processes and is based on dynamic runtime assembly of known and new activities.

## Are you interested in getting involved with the CMMN 1.0 Finalization TaskForce?

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