GRACEBLOOD
ELECTRONICALLY LINKING THE SUPPLY CHAIN

GADGET METHODOLOGY

Why GADGET?

✓ 91% of clients surveyed state that the GADGET methodology is fundamental to their EDI project success

✓ GraceBlood gets you up and running up to 50% faster than other providers, saving you valuable time and money

✓ As every EDI project is unique, each team is formed to meet your specific needs to get you up and running quickly

FULLY MANAGED

With your customized EDI solution in place, your digital supply chain will be handled with excellence, expertise, and efficiency.

CLOUD BASED

Cloud based EDI solutions are an incredible asset to your business. You focus on your business while we handle the transformation & transport of data between you and your supply chain.

MITIGATED RISK

We effectively become your EDI department. We solve any issues and changes before they impact your supply chain.

Gather

This phase is comprised of a Kick-off call, onboarding activities (assembling all specs, file samples, known business nuances, etc.), establish the project timeline, roles & responsibilities, and meeting/status frequency.

Analyze

During this phase the project team will review all project materials, identify any perceived gaps between desired outcome and current documentation, and craft the overall design of the flow of data and rules to incorporate.

Develop

This phase is typically a quiet period in the project between GB & client while the GB integration specialists are busy configuring communications and developing translation maps. Testing occurs at the end of this phase and will require the participation of the client team for validating inbound data, producing outbound test data, and ensuring the automated processes are occurring as expected.

Go-Live

While not necessarily a light-switch event, this is the point in the project where we activate all developed integrations and all trading partners have been notified that the client is ready to receive inbound transactions. Open lines of communication between both the GB and client teams will aid in quickly addressing any oddities.

Evaluate

This phase typically consists of a post-project meeting a month or more after go-live to discuss the outcome of the project, assess whether objectives were met, and determining whether any changes, improvements, or additions should be made to the current integrations.

Tune

This phase really isn't a phase at all, rather it consists of the day-to-day operation and support of the developed integrations. If new requests surfaced during the Evaluate phase, these requests would be addressed as part of this phase.