Transportation Delays Persist In Healthcare Supply Chain

Despite a modest drop in delay times since December, transportation times are still **440% longer** than they were before the pandemic, and the volume of medical supply containers awaiting delivery has **increased 13%** in the last three months.

	December 2021	March 2022	3-Month Change
Medical Containers Delayed	8,000-12,000 Containers	9,000-14,000 Containers	+13%
Average Delay	37 Days	27 Days	-27%

East Coast Ports See Surge In Medical Cargo

As suppliers redirect medical supplies away from congested West Coast ports, the volume of medical supply containers at East Coast ports has skyrocketed (percentage increase from December 2021 to March 2022).



61% of Medical Distributors Say Status Unchanged

When surveyed about the trend in transportation delays over the last 3 months, three-fifths of medical distributors have seen no appreciable improvement.

