

## How Harmony with Webex Improves Vendor Management for Large Hospitality Chains

For large hospitality chains, managing multiple vendors, suppliers, and operational workflows across properties can be challenging. Harmony with Webex simplifies vendor coordination, enhances communication, and improves operational efficiency in several keyways:

<b>Key Feature</b>	Details	Why It Matters
1. Centralized Vendor Communication	<ul> <li>Unified platform for communicating with all vendors (housekeeping, IT providers, food &amp; beverage distributors) via voice, video, or chat.</li> <li>Real-time updates on inventory needs, maintenance schedules, and contract changes.</li> </ul>	quick resolution of issues and reducing miscommunication or delays in service.
2. Automated Workflows & Task Assignments	<ul> <li>AI-driven call and message routing directs vendor requests to the appropriate department.</li> <li>PMS integration for syncing service requests, purchase orders, and maintenance needs.</li> </ul>	- Reduces manual handling of vendor requests, speeding up operations and cutting down on paperwork.
3. Multi-Property Coordination & Scalability	<ul> <li>Standardized communication processes across all properties.</li> <li>Scalability to add new locations or vendors without separate IT infrastructure.</li> </ul>	- Ensures consistency in vendor management across properties and facilitates easy growth and expansion.
4. Improved Cost Management & Vendor Oversight	- Usage-based cost control with the Per User Monthly Payment (PUMP) model. - Vendor performance tracking via Webex analytics to monitor service quality and response times.	- Helps manage vendor-related communication costs and ensures vendor accountability, improving contract negotiations.
5. Secure & Reliable Vendor Interactions	<ul> <li>End-to-end encryption ensures secure vendor contracts, transactions, and communications.</li> <li>Maintains audit trails for transparency and compliance.</li> </ul>	- Ensures secure and compliant vendor relationships, protecting sensitive data and maintaining legal standards.

## **Conclusion: Why It Matters**

By integrating Harmony with Webex, large hospitality chains can:

- Simplify vendor management with automation and real-time updates
- Maintain consistency across all properties
- Improve operational efficiency and reduce costs
- Ensure vendor accountability and quality service

The result is a more efficient, scalable, and cost-effective approach to managing vendor relationships and enhancing overall hospitality operations.