



All Participant Call

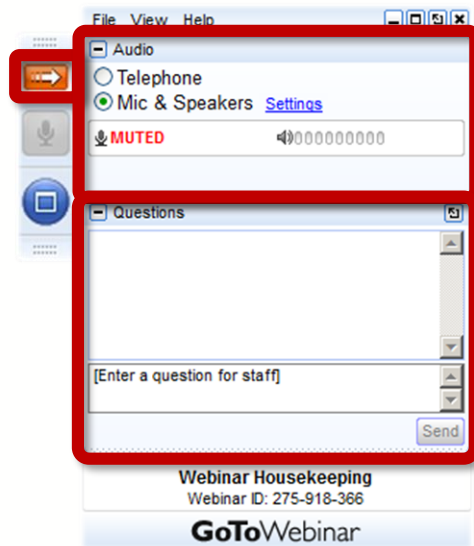
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Jay Nakashima, Executive Director

November 21, 2019

How Do I Participate?



Your Participation

Open and close your control panel

Join audio:

- Choose "Mic & Speakers" to use VoIP
- Choose "Telephone" and dial using the information provided

Submit questions and comments via the Questions panel

Note: Today's presentation is being recorded and will be provided within 48 hrs

Problems or Questions? Contact Dawn Van Dyke
dvandyke@sequoiaproject.org or 703.864.4062

Topics

1. DURSA Amendment
2. Hub Update
3. Task Groups
4. Upcoming Events

Congratulations to our Newest Participants



1. AnMed Health
2. University of Arkansas Medical Sciences (UAMS)

Committed to Improving Patient Care via Data Exchange

DURSA Amendment

Why are we Amending the DURSA?

- The Coordinating Committee (CC) has been exploring the requirements for the eHealth Exchange to become a Carequality Implementer
- A policy review determined that a DURSA Amendment is necessary to pursue becoming and [Carequality Implementer](#)
- Adjustments are necessary to align our network with the current market (i.e. expanded [Permitted Purposes](#) to support new use cases) given that the DURSA hasn't been changed in 8+ years
 - Allow [Value-Based Care Organizations](#) to join
 - Allow [individuals](#) to access health info & direct where info can be sent
 - etc
- Changes to the DURSA must be accomplished in accordance with the DURSA Amendment Process detailed in OPP #8.

Proposed Changes cover the following DURSA Provisions

- Definition of Participant
- Permitted Purposes
- Coordinating Committee
- Minimum Participation Requirements
- Duties When Submitting a Message
- Auditing and Monitoring
- Privacy and Security
- Data Breach Notification
- Third Party Technology
- Liability

DURSA Amendment Steps & Timeline

- ✓ **August 13, 2019:** Coordinating Committee **approved**
- ✓ **August 26, 2019:** Coordinating Committee **distributed official notice**
Participants had fifteen (15) calendar days to request 2/1/2020 effective date be postponed based on unforeseen complications or other good cause. No requests we received.
- ✓ **September 2019:** Provided, recorded, and published 4 **web meetings** and other materials provided to **educate** Participants regarding DURSA changes

Voting in progress now

- **October 1, 2019 through November 30, 2019:** Participants **vote** to amend the DURSA
- **December 1, 2019 through January 31, 2020:** **All** Participants must **sign** the amendment to the DURSA prior to the effective date of the amendment or terminate their participation (required by the DURSA and Operating Policy and Procedure 3).
- **February 1, 2020:** Target **effective date**

Why is Voting Important?

- 2/3 of governmental, plus 2/3 of non-governmental Participants must vote to amend the DURSA for the revision to go into effect
- If the ballot passes:
 - According to the current DURSA, all 270 Participants must sign the amended DURSA by 1/31/2020 to remain in the network
 - The amended DURSA would go into effect on 2/1/2020

Coordinating Committee Recommendation

- On August 13, 2019, the Coordinating Committee **recommended** Participants **approve** the August 2019 draft amended DURSA.
- The Coordinating Committee believes amending the DURSA now will position the eHealth Exchange as a stronger network.
- Terms introduced by the amendment are not required by law.

Ballot

Please e-mail questions or your vote to administrator@ehealthexchange.org

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eHealth Exchange DURSA Vote

Please respond submit your ballot as soon as possible with your organization's vote regarding whether to amend the DURSA, the eHealth Exchange's multi-party trust agreement. Voting closes on November 30, 2019. For additional information on the DURSA, visit <https://ehealthexchange.org/onboarding/dursa/>

The Coordinating Committee, the eHealth Exchange's governing body, unanimously recommends you vote "Yes, Amend the DURSA" to position the eHealth Exchange as a stronger network.

Name *

Organization *

Email *

Is Your Organization a Governmental Participant? See DEFINITION *

GOVERNMENTAL PARTICIPANT DEFINITION: The DURSA defines Governmental Participants as Participants that are "local, state or Federal agencies."

Do You Vote to Amend the DURSA? *

Yes No

Submit

<https://www.cognitoforms.com/TheSequoiaProject1/EHealthExchangeDURSAVote>

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Critical Next Step

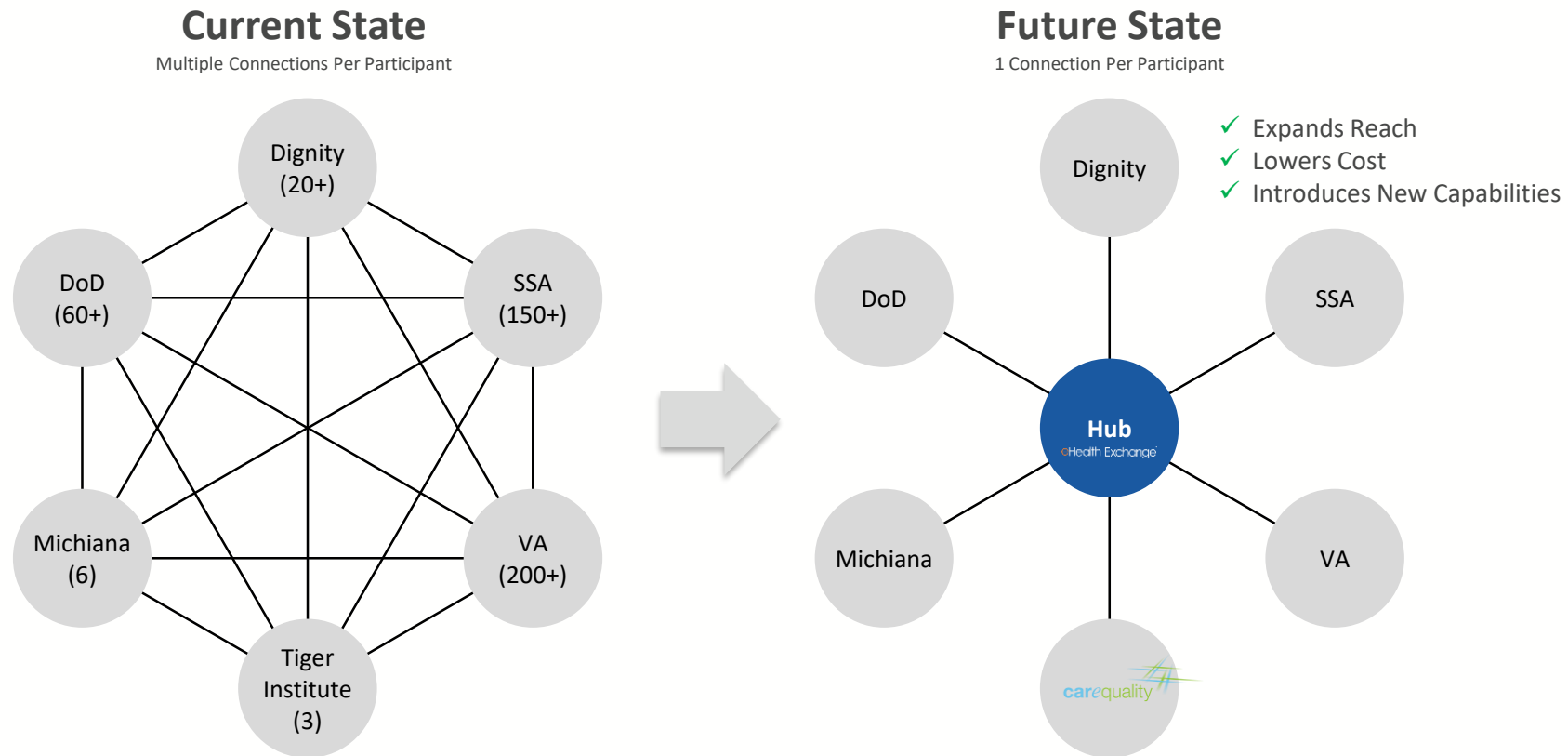
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Hub Update

Single Connection to the Nation



Go-Live Progress

As of Wednesday 11/13/2019

- **4 early adopters live** bidirectional
- **156 live as responders**
- 52 ready for live once Amended Participation agreement signed
- 43 Participants signed Amended Participation agreement but haven't passed testing
- 25 Participants haven't passed testing or signed agreement

Upcoming

- Additional responder go-lives each Wednesday
- Initiator testing/setup
 - 2 **Connectathons** each week to test pulling CDA from any live responder or from Hub ITP (fictitious responding gateway)
 - Real-time debugging
 - Common Pitfalls to Troubleshoot:
 - Incorrect Initiator IP address provided to Hub firewall
 - Incorrect test patient details provided

Initiator
Connectathons
begin today

156 Live Responders

<https://ehealthexchange.org/participants>

Participating Organization	Locations	Notes
AdventHealth		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Two-Way <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Content Validated
Advocate Aurora Health Care, Inc.		
Alabama One Health Record		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Allegheny Health Network		
Allina Health	Allina Health Facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Altru Health System		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
AnMed Health		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Anne Arundel Medical Center		
Ardent Health Services		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Arkansas SHARE (State Health Alliance for Records Exchange)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Asante Health System		
Aspirus Inc.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Atlantic Health System		
Atrium Health (formerly Carolinas HealthCare System CareConnect)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Content Validated
Ballad Health		
Baptist Health-Arkansas		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Baptist Memorial Health Care		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Bayhealth Medical Center		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Beaumont Health		
Bronson Healthcare Group		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only
Bryan Health		
Buffalo Medical Group		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUB Responder Only

Please Engage!

Task Groups (3)

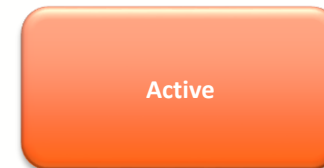
Hub-Aware Directory Implementation Guide Task Group

- Confirm the Hub Aware Directory Implementation Guide properly documents how the directory operates
- Meetings:
 - July 19, 23, 26, 30, August 2, 2019
- Draft guide headed to Coordinating Committee soon



CUI Marking Task Group

- Kickoff 9/12/2019
- Meeting most Thursdays in October from 3-4 pm ET
- Document recommended standardized practice or content standard to specify how to electronically tag Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) specified with respect to Message Content
- Identify handling instructions required by applicable policy
- Meeting recordings at <https://drive.google.com/open?id=157NQJOEe9dkmxLYbgmN63DiISP-glgU8>



Task Groups (3)

Multicast- Broadcast Task Group

- Guide policy development regarding when and how large volume queries should be initiated
- Meeting Thursdays from noon - 1 pm ET, 10/31/2019 through 11/21/2019
- If you are interested, please notify administrator@eHealthexchange.com



Communication

- [Website](#) – Registration for the secured Participant-only section is fast & easy
- [Monthly Participant Web Meetings](#) – Typically the 3rd Thursday of Each Month at 1 pm ET
- [Email Administrator@ehealthexchange.org](mailto:Administrator@ehealthexchange.org) – Any time if you have a specific question and cannot attend the Hub Web meetings
- Weekly Hub Initiator Connectathons – Will identify dates/times next week
- [Annual eHealth Exchange Meeting](#) – December 4-6, 2019 at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center (Washington DC)

<https://ehealthexchange.org/events>

Save
The Date
12.4

2019

eHealth Exchange™

Annual Meeting

Agenda & Registration Coming Soon!

Room Reservations Now Open:

<https://book.passkey.com/go/AnnualMemberMeeting>

Gaylord National Harbor, MD
(Outside Washington, DC)

For more info, visit <https://ehealthexchange.org/events/annual-meeting-19/>

eHealth Exchange Agenda – 12/4/2019 National Harbor, MD

7:30 AM	Coordinating Committee Meeting	
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8:45 AM	eHealth Exchange Coordinating Committee Leadership Welcome	
9:00 AM	State of the Network: Celebrating 10 years of health information exchange this year, the eHealth Exchange network continues to thrive and evolve to support the changing needs of our Participants. The Executive Director will provide insight on the dramatic changes this year, as well as what the future holds.	Jay Nakashima, Executive Director, eHealth Exchange
9:30 AM	More Data, More Insights: How to identify with whom you transact, volume, location, and share success with your community with the new eHealth Exchange Hub Dashboard.	Michael Lundie, Cognosante Eric Heflin, The Sequoia Project
10:30	Break	
10:45 AM	The Last Mile: The eHealth Exchange is proud to support 75% of all hospitals nationwide, as well as many other healthcare settings. With the implementation of the Carequality Interoperability Framework, our network participants may connect to 92%* of acute care providers nationwide. Learn how we plan to expand connectivity by providing Carequality Connection access to our network Participants, as well as next steps to opt-out of exchanging with this community. (*at complete roll-out)	Dave Cassel, Executive Director, Carequality Jay Nakashima, Executive Director, eHealth Exchange
11:30 AM	HIE Synergies Spotlight: Why do more than 50% of regional and state health information exchanges participate in the eHealth Exchange network? Learn how HIEs leverage the eHealth Exchange network to expand connectivity for their customers, while using the time and cost savings to provide more value-added services. Once thought of as competitors, today the national and regional HIEs compliment each other to better serve providers and patients.	Brandon Neiswender, CRISP
12:00 PM	Lunch Presented by InterSystems	
1:00 PM	Federal Interoperability Progress and Promise: The eHealth Exchange was founded on the principal need for health information exchange between and among federal agencies and their private sector partners. Learn how these relationships have evolved, how network participants can better work together, and opportunities for future use cases.	Moderator: Kevin Larsen, MD, CMS Speakers: Arun Gopalan, DaVita Ganesh Persad, Memorial Healthcare System
1:45 PM	Electronic Case Reporting: The eHealth Exchange is facilitating a new use case, Electronic Case Reporting. Learn more about plans for automated generation and transmission of case reports from electronic health records to public health agencies.	John Loonsk, APHL
2:30 PM	Break	
3:00 PM	Content Remediation: One year into our enhanced content testing program we know more than ever what's working - and not working - within the data. This update on the testing program will include tips and tricks for those organizations striving to pass the rigorous new standards.	Didi Davis, The Sequoia Project
3:45 PM	Megatrends in Health Information Exchange: With weekly headlines on information blocking, trusted exchange frameworks, and more coming from Washington, DC, we know it can get overwhelming and a bit confusing. Our panelists will provide a foundational overview of the critical issues and what they mean to our network participants.	Moderator: Mark Segal, Digital Health Policy Advisors
4:45 PM	Closing Remarks	
5:15 PM	All Participant Networking Reception: Join us to celebrate 10 years of health information sharing while networking with current and potential health information exchange partners.	