

State Health IT Workgroup Meeting Agenda

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March 25th, 2019, 3:30 - 4:30 PM

1. Attendees

Abigail Worthen - CDPHE	Deanna Towne – OIT	Marty Esquivel – CDHS
Ako Quammie- OIT	Herb Wilson – OIT	Matt Haynes – HCPF
Alejandro Vera-HCPF	Jane Wilson – HCPF	Micah Jones – HCPF
Alison George-DOLA	Jason Sunstrom – DORA	Milo Knezevic – OIT
Bob Brown-MP	Joel Dalzell – HCPF	Nathan Drashner – SIM
Brian Shepard-OIT	Jon Gottsegen – OIT	Peggy Heil – CDPS
Camille Harding-OBH	Kim Davis-Allen – HTS	Sanjai Natesan
Carrie Paykoc-OeHI	Kimo Bonnelycke – OIT	Sara Grassmeyer – CDPHE
Chris Underwood-HCPF	Kristi LaBarge- OeHI	Sara Haynes – HCPF
Chris Wells-CDPHE	Kristin Toombs – DOLA	Sarah Nelson – CDHS
Connor Everson-DOLA	Laura Kolkman – MP	Tara Smith – GOV/2GEN
Christopher Miller-OBH	Leah Spielberg – HCPF	Troy Evat – OBH
Danielle Culp- OBH	Katie Olsen- CDPHE	Whitney LeBoeuf – COLAB

2. Standing Agenda

- a. Follow Up on Action Items
 - i. CMS and ONC Proposed Rules – What do you like? What don't you like?
- b. Announcements
 - i.
- c. New Agenda Items
 - i. State Agency Health IT Project Updates- All
 - ii. [Health IT Roadmap Update and Consumer Engagement Initiative- Carrie](#)
 - iii. Others?

• Notes

- a. Follow Up on Action Items
 - Carrie will send out the dates for all of the upcoming meetings as the calendar invite appears to be having issues.
- b. Announcements



- HHS is requesting public comments on potential changes in HIPAA

c. CMS Proposed Rule

- The CMS rule will mostly impact Payers
- The goal is to improve patient access to their health care information. Data should move seamlessly between health plans and payers. Patients should be able to access their full claims history.
- Members should have access to their claims information via an open API. Medicaid will have to make our data available. API's will have to be open so other developers will be able to create apps
- Claims data will move with an individual
- The Provider Directory needs to be available to patients via an API.
- Payers must participate in trusted exchange networks by 2020, this mostly effects private payers
- Improve the dual eligibility experience by increasing the frequency of data transfer. Right now, data is transferred once a month it will move to daily
- If an organization is data blocking, they will go on a list.

d. ONC Proposed Rule – Micah Jones

- Kate Horly is working on a presentation on the rule
- The rule covers conditions of certification including certification of API's. There are 3 conditions for API certification – transparency, fees, and open competitive
- Defines information blocking, mostly by listing what isn't information blocking
- If you are a vendor and information blocking there will be penalties of \$1 million
 - Carrie – Is that for each query?
- Ako – Not many have put a lot of thought into sharing data for citizens, except Blue Button. As contracts come up where data is being shared, that is something to consider adding to the contract.
 - Micah – At a minimum it needs meet Blue Button level standards
- Carrie – We should infuse the proposed rule into county plans that are meant to be rolled out later this year.

e. Division of Youth Services – eHR Go-Live – Ako Quammie

- This was a 2-year process from vendor selection to rollout
- It went live last Monday. It was very smooth, only 170 tickets for the whole week and about 70 were about user access.
- It went live on a new eHR, Gcentrinity by Fusion, which specializes in this population
- By day 3 people were telling us this is a really good system. This could work as a roadmap for future go-lives
- We had to put in some network infrastructure, such as wireless

f. State HIT Updates

- Alejandro, Boulder Connect Project – There is some difficult with how we want to share data because of scale and scope. This is a joint project with CDHS.
- Conner – Last week the US Department of Housing released their 5-year plan. Included continuum of care, coordinating homeless care. The goal is that organizations will use data not only from their internal system but also from other organizations to find vulnerable people and prevent them from entering the homeless population.
- Katie – The grant is out, CDC added a requirement and our current vendor has said they cannot meet it.
- Jon – We are working on developing a reusable process for Link. The key goal is identity





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resolution to tie different agency data sets together.

- v. Danielle – The CORHIO and QHN contracts have been executed. We had additional funding, so the pilot is doubled from 5 to 10
- vi. Sara – Working to create a screen for workers in child care and other organizations. We have seen mockups of the screen. We are working thorough data privacy issues and federal approval.
- vii. Kristi – The Consumer Engagement focus groups started last week. We are getting information on barriers to receiving information and ideas for tools

