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OCTOBER AGENDA

Title	Start	Duration
Open		
Call to Order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roll Call and Introductions Approval of September Minutes October Agenda and Objectives <i>Michelle Mills, Chair</i>	12:00	5 mins
Announcements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> OeHI Updates -eHealth Commission Updates Decision Items & Action Items <i>Lt. Governor Dianne Primavera, Director of the O\$PMOHC</i> <i>Carrie Paykoc, Director, Office of eHealth Innovation (OeHI)</i> <i>eHealth Commission Members</i>	12:05	15 mins
New Business		
eHealth Commission Chair & Vice Chair Nominations and Vote <i>Carrie Paykoc, Director, OeHI</i>	12:20	15 mins
Colorado's Health IT Roadmap Discussion <i>Carrie Paykoc, Director, Office of eHealth Innovation (OeHI)</i> <i>Sara Schmitt, Managing Director, Research, Evaluation, and Consulting, Colorado Health Institute</i> <i>Paul Presken, Senior Consultant, Colorado Health Institute</i>	12:35	60 mins
Colorado's Health IT Roadmap Discussion and Vote: Approval of Draft <i>David Mok-Lamme, eHealth Commission Vice Chair</i>	1:35	10 mins
Colorado's Health IT Roadmap Funding and Implementation Strategy Discussion <i>Carrie Paykoc, Director, OeHI</i> <i>Stephanie Bennett, State Health IT Coordinator, Deputy Director, OeHI</i>	1:45	30 min
Public Comment Period	2:15	5 mins
eHealth Commission Meeting Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Discussion Recap Action Items November Agenda Adjourn Public Meeting <i>Michelle Mills, Chair</i>	2:20	10 mins

OeHI and eHealth Commission Updates

- THANK YOU for attending Colorado's Innovation Summit
- eHealth Commission Chair/Vice Chair Opportunity
- eHealth Commission Opening for payer role; [link](#) to application
- Welcome aboard
 - Melissa Hensley
 - Gabby Elzinga
- OeHI is Hiring- Coming soon!
 - Senior Health IT Project Managers
- Federal Policy Update
- State Health IT Policy/Leg Update
- OeHI Budget/Funding Update
- Commissioner Updates?

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Colorado Health Information Technology (IT) Roadmap Refresh



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Agenda

- Discuss final revisions to the Roadmap
- Approve Roadmap
- Review new and existing financing for initiatives implementation
- Proposed approach for implementation: workgroups and financing
- Framework

Comment and Review Process Since September eHealth Commission Meeting

- State agency listening session & fourth draft posted online for public comment
- Themes incorporated
 - Edits (such as electronic health records not electronic medical records)
 - Highlight role of community in evaluating technology solutions (not just informing their development)
 - Clarify value statements to include quality, ease-of-use
 - Emphasize health outcomes as a component of “monitoring for accountability”
 - Addition of an appendix highlighting social-health information exchange

Comment and Review Process Since September eHealth Commission Meeting

- Themes not incorporated
 - Reference to community health workers/promotores de salud
 - Naming specific organizations as designing S-HIE and interoperability
 - Setting targets/success metrics
 - Assigning responsibility to specific state agencies and/or organizations (beyond the Office of eHealth Innovation) for funding and implementation tasks.
- Comments relevant to implementation
 - Ensure broad cross-sector participation of equity, diversity, and inclusion experts in future digital health equity work group activities.
 - Establish SMART goals

Additional 2021 Roadmap Revisions

- Restructured introduction to include digital health equity and digital inclusion; outcomes and uses that the goals can support.
- Table that crosswalks initiatives (new or existing) with Roadmap goals and Administration priorities
- Inclusion of Tribes
- Created appendices to highlight health information exchanges, social health information exchange, and to streamline content in the draft.

Next Steps

- Commission approval.
- Governor and Lt. Governor approval.
- CHI to finalize designed version and communications materials.
- Roadmap released by end of 2021.



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Implementation: Workgroups

Goal: Workgroups have a clear charge and accomplish time-bound tasks using an agile approach.

- Restructuring, combining, and/or ending existing workgroups
 - Build out the table in the Roadmap as an initial starting point for identifying overlap
- Establishing new workgroup(s)/initiatives
 - Systems/project integration
 - Patient access to health information
 - Public health
 - Digital health equity
 - Innovation resource center
 - Scalable data platform
 - Rural Connectivity
- Clarify membership and expectations
- Restructure completed by end of 2021 to initiate in 2022

Implementation: Financing

- Applying existing resources
 - Screening criteria (next slide) based on Commission matrix
 - Successful approaches or solutions advance for funding consideration
- Identifying additional opportunities
 - Braiding with other public funding
 - Private funding options (fees, philanthropy)

Roadmap Initiatives FY21/22- New Funding

2021 Roadmap Initiative	OeHI Led/Engaged Project	OeHI Appropriation	OeHI recommendation
Accessible and Affordable Health Analytics and Population Health**	Rural Connectivity Program (leading)	\$6.4 million, Rural Connectivity OeHI appropriation FY 21-22	Continue as appropriated
Accessible and Affordable Health IT and Information Sharing	see above	see above	
Broadband and Virtual Care Access <i>* Wildly Important Goal*- support virtual care through policy, projects, and analysis.</i>	Broadband funds to support telehealth through ARPA (engaged)	N/A-\$15 million to be appropriated to Colorado Broadband Office (CBO), OeHI to steer investments toward rural safety-net facilities	Support and steer efforts with CBO in alignment with Rural Connectivity Program
Digital Health Equity <i>* Wildly Important Goal*- to establish baseline and advance health equity through Roadmap efforts*</i>	LTSS- Home and Community Based Care and Services, Digital Transformation and Phase II of Prescriber/ SDOH (leading)	\$22,250,000 for Digital Transformation \$15 million for Phase II of Prescriber Tool * Pending CMS approval Funding to HCPF, ARPA	OeHI to release funding and oversee implementation in partnership with HCPF
Integrate Behavioral, Physical, Claims, Social, and Other Health Data	Behavioral Health Safety-Net led by Office of Behavioral Health (engaged) Trusted Interoperability Platform led by Department of Public Safety	\$26 million to create a cohesive care coordination platform and app for individual with Behavioral health needs Funding to OBH Funding TBD	OeHI supporting and steering efforts to leverage and reuse Roadmap infrastructure, legal frameworks, etc.

Roadmap Initiatives FY21/22- Existing Funding

Remaining Roadmap Capital IT Funding and Inflight Projects

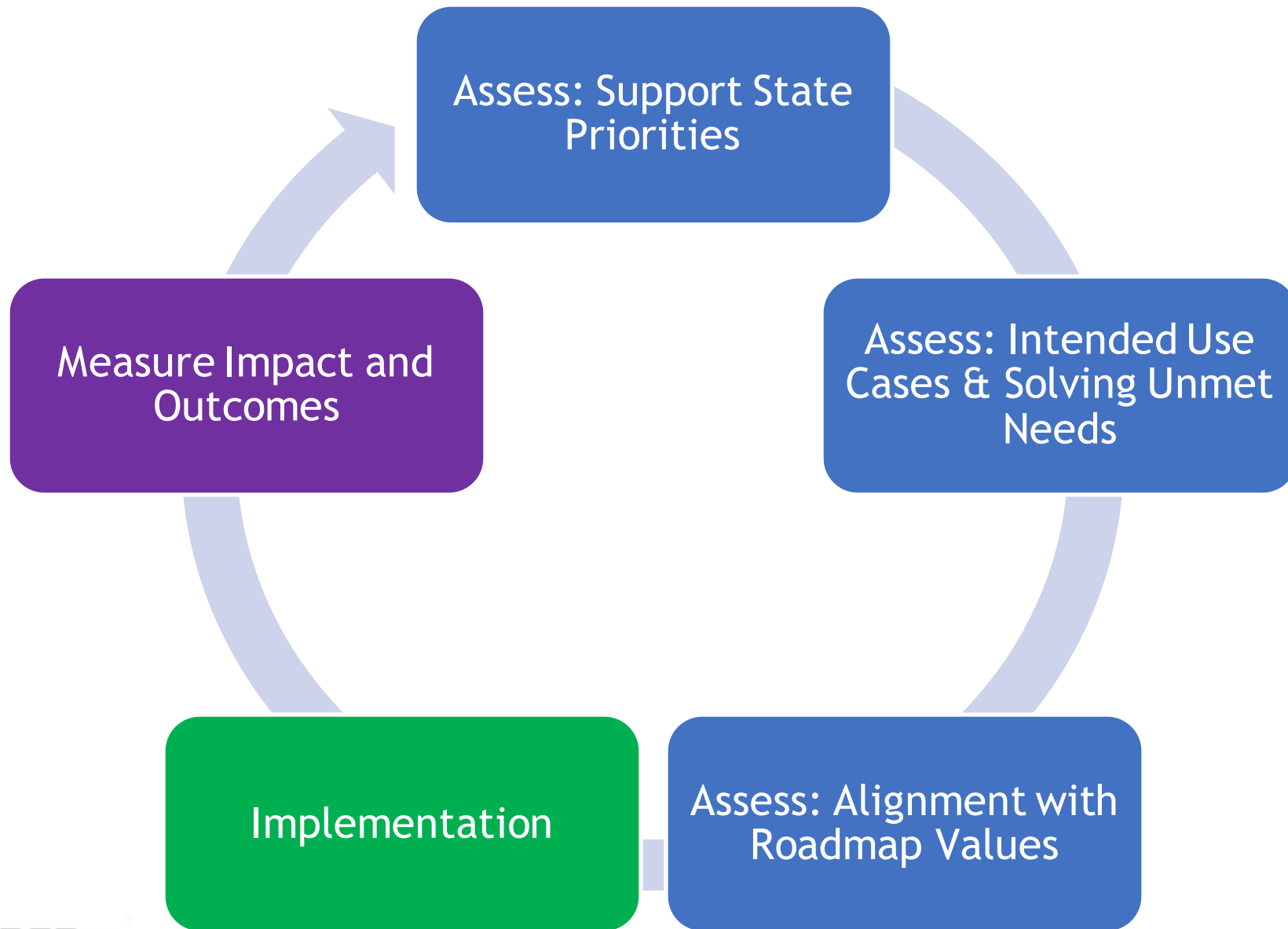
*~1 million Capital IT Funds; 3 million operating general funds- eligible projects can obtain federal funding match for Medicaid related projects at 90% for implementation; 75% certified operations, 50% for general operations

2021 Roadmap Initiative	OeHI Led/Engaged Project	Medicaid FFP	Upcoming OeHI Contracts	OeHI recommendation
Identity for individuals and providers (master data management)	Identity resolution service successfully established through Office of Info Tech, leveraging CORHIO identity services.	x- in queue for submission	New contract executed for 1 year of services with CORHIO ~\$500K	Continue to support. Critical state infrastructure; over time diversify contributions
Harmonize and Advance Data Sharing and Health Information Exchange Capabilities Across Colorado	Advancing health information exchanges- CORHIO, QHN projects completed. Focus on Rural Connectivity Program.	x- in queue for submission	Bridge contract extension for CCMCN/CRCH executed through Dec 31 for ~\$500K, contract executed with CORHIO/CRHC \$147K New contracts being developed for \$6.4 million to execute by Jan 01	Continue to support and advance rural connectivity. Invest in infrastructure to support behavioral health/ SDOH.
Support Care Coordination in Communities Statewide	SDOH planning and implementation projects with CORHIO, CCMCN, QHN near completion as scoped and directed	x- submitted request to build requirements for Medicaid business needs (250K)	*open request for proposal to bridge next phase < \$500K x3	OeHI to define Medicaid requirements; work with HCPF to submit a new funding match request; braid together funding/approach with other agencies
Statewide Health Information Governance	Established statewide health information governance committees and guidebooks for key use cases	x- submitted request	New contract in clearance to continue facilitation and operational work with CHI, ~\$500K	OeHI to leverage CHI to operationalize Refreshed Roadmap recommendations and continue information governance work

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Consent Management	Develop and implement statewide approach to consent focused on 1st use case Behavioral health	x- submitted request	None to date; originally earmarked \$2 million toward this initiative	Nuanced; successful completion of pilot, environmental scan, and engagement of attorney generals and state agencies. Support OBH with their implementation of the safety-net and crisis systems. Next steps develop requirements.
Health IT Portfolio Management	Implement statewide PMO, OeHI launched PMO within OIT; needs refinement across agencies and Office	x- submitted request	PMs contracted through OIT and contractors such as health tech solutions, new OIT IT Director to be hired focused on OeHI and HCPF	Expand capacity, automate reporting, and ensure staff work-life balance.
Statewide Health Information Technical Architecture	Established current state architecture; future state architecture and public utility approach TBD	x- submitted request as part of HTS contract	Contractor support for architecture	Define future state to support Roadmap goals and recommendations
Promote Value Based Payments; Systems Integration , Scalable Data Platform; Public Health Response; Innovation Resource Center, Patient Access to Health Info- NEW	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Promote and Enable Consumer Engagement, Empowerment, and Health Literacy	TBD- defunded to focus on COVID-10 response and virtual health efforts	TBD	N/A	Sunset





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CLOSING REMARKS