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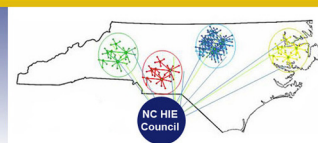
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NC HIE UPDATE



May 14, 2008 Meeting Highlights

Nationwide Health Information Network (NHIN 2) Update

NCHICA hired some interns for the summer who will work on the evaluation and business plans, which are contract deliverables. The Data Use and Reciprocal Support Agreement (DURSA) for the exchange of test data was submitted to numerous federal agencies (including DoD, VA and SSA) for review in April 2008. All NHIN contractors are currently working on the policy framework necessary to exchange real personal health information, which is due in November 2008.

IBM has deployed a robust and flexible architecture to interface with other types of systems through HL7 and IHE adapters. IBM is currently in the process of implementing interfaces with Pinehurst Surgical Clinic and Southern Pines Women's Health Center. The NC HIE project is the only contractor demonstrating the *Consumer Access to Clinical Information Use Case*. Additionally, the NC HIE project is demonstrating the *EHR Lab Results Reporting* and the new Social Security Administration (SSA) Use Cases.

NCHICA and MedVirginia are the only organizations that were awarded the new SSA *Authorized Release of Information to a Trusted Entity Use Case*. The NC HIE project will focus the SSA Use Case on the Wounded Warrior and mental health issues. Also, IBM is developing analytical tools to help the SSA make determinations, and the SSA will need partners to analyze that data. If any NC providers would like to participate, either through use of their data or by observing the processes of this Use Case, they should contact Andrew Weniger.

Stakeholder Relations

NCHICA's next Regional Meeting is scheduled for August 1 in Asheville. Rep. David Price is attending the NC Consumer Advisory Council on Health Information meeting on May 27, which will be held at the NCHICA office.

North Carolina Strategic Plan Proposal

The NC General Assembly is currently in session. Council members with contacts at the General Assembly were asked to voice their support for the proposal to create a strategic plan.

NC HIE Council Committee Workplan

Council members agreed to serve as liaisons to the committees as follows:

- ▶ **Policy Development:** Dave Dillehunt and Kris-Shae McCall (first meeting May 28, 11:00 a.m.)
- ▶ **HIE Development & Technical Operations:** Dave Dillehunt and Mary Jo Nimmo
- ▶ **Finance & Administration:** Phred Pilkington and Lanier Cansler (first meeting June 4, 8:00 a.m.)
- ▶ **Stakeholder Relations:** Sally Cameron and Regina Crawford
- ▶ **Quality of Care & Evaluation:** Ed Ermini and John Kessler

Upcoming Meetings

- ▶ **June 18:** NCHICA office, Research Triangle Park, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
- ▶ **August 1:** Mountain AHEC, Asheville, 2:00-3:00 p.m.
- ▶ **September 9:** Grandover Resort, Greensboro, 7:45-8:45 a.m.