

NC HIE Council Stakeholder Relations Committee

NCHICA
Research Triangle Park, NC
February 4, 2009

AGENDA

<u>Start</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Discussion Leader</u>
11:00	Welcome and Introductions	Holt Anderson Regina Godette- Crawford
11:10	Introduce Draft Charter	Andrew Weniger
11:20	American Recovery & Reinvestment Act	Holt Anderson
11:45	Working lunch	
12:00	Work Underway in NC and Elsewhere	Andrew Weniger
12:30	Membership / Recruiting / Leadership / Charter	All
12:45	Action Items	All
1:00	Adjourn	

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

American Recovery & Reinvestment Act – HITECH

- House - \$20 billion
 - \$2 billion for ONC
 - \$18 billion incentives through Medicare & Medicaid
- Senate - \$23 billion
 - Senate Finance Committee
 - \$18 billion
 - ONC Expanded Scope
 - Incentives through Medicare and Medicaid
 - Senate Appropriations Committee
 - \$5 billion for ONC

Draft Stimulus & Finance

- American Recovery & Reinvestment Act – HITECH
 - HIT Regional Extension Centers
 - \$300 million to support regional/sub-national HIE
 - Shovel ready
 - EHR Loan programs - competition
 - Develop HIT professionals

Draft Stimulus & Finance

- American Recovery & Reinvestment Act – HITECH
 - Medicare Incentives
 - 2011 first payments?
 - \$41K per provider – penalty starts in 2015 / 2016
 - Medicaid Programs
 - 100% federal match (funding) & 90% Admin match
 - Clinical Quality Measures / Medical Home
 - eRX
 - HIE connectivity
 - 85% of up to \$75K per eligible provider
 - 30% panel Medicaid
 - Children's Hospitals
 - Acute care hospitals w/ 10% Medicaid
 - FQHC & rural / underserved clinics

Work Underway

Andrew Weniger, NCHICA

HISPC Provider Education

Health Information Security and Privacy Collaboration Provider Education Toolkit



HEALTH INFORMATION SECURITY & PRIVACY TOOLKIT

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Welcome to the **Health Information Security & Privacy Provider Education Toolkit** designed especially for physicians and the healthcare community. We invite you to explore our Web site, learn more about electronic health information exchange, related privacy and security implications, earn free CME credits, ask questions, and get the tools and resources you need to safely and securely get connected!

It's Safe.

Health information exchange has the potential to improve communications among health care providers, support efficient transmission of patient records and provide effective coordination of care. Sharing information through health information exchange can improve patient safety and enhance the quality of care. Use this powerful tool to help improve clinical decisions, coordinate care and avoid medical errors.

It's Secure.

Properly implemented, CCHIT-certified electronic health record systems uphold the security protections you use every day to maintain the confidentiality and security of your patient



See what Physician Champions David C. Kibbe, MD, MBA, and Kentucky Lt. Governor Daniel Mongiardo, MD, have to

NY eHealth Collaborative

NYeC EHR Implementation and Adoption Education Series

NYeC is hosting an eight-session education series, designed to enhance and support EHR implementation and adoption across New York State. The series is a product of the Statewide Collaboration Process and is sponsored by the EHR Collaborative Work Group.

The target audience includes project leads, project managers and implementation staff from HEAL and MSSNY projects, as well as members of other organizations involved with EHR implementation and use in New York state.

All sessions will be delivered in a webinar format, will be 1 ½ hour in length - Mondays, 11 AM to 12:30 PM - and will be led by expert consultants and clinicians. The sessions will follow a curriculum based on the "EHR Implementation Value Chain".

BCBS of NC ePrescribing Program

[ePrescribe: Saves time. Saves money. Saves lives.](#)

Medication errors and harmful drug interactions account for thousands of hospitalizations and deaths each year.¹ BCBSNC is committed to improving patient safety. So we're encouraging health care providers to adopt safe, secure electronic prescribing through our ePrescribe program.

ePrescribe helps your doctor make more informed decisions

Alerts your doctor to potential drug interactions

Warns your doctor about allergies you have

Tells your doctor which medications your insurance will approve

Helps your doctor choose generic and lower-cost alternatives

Automates your refills – pick them up at the pharmacy before they run out

Sends prescriptions straight to the pharmacy from your doctor's office – no paper and no waiting at the pharmacy

ePrescribe gives you greater confidence in your care

Fewer harmful medication errors

Save money on your prescriptions with use of lower-cost alternatives

Less time spent on the phone and in the pharmacy

[Does your doctor ePrescribe?](#)

[Does your pharmacy accept ePrescriptions?](#)

[Are you a provider wanting more information about ePrescribe?](#)

Ask your doctor about ePrescribe

If your doctor doesn't currently ePrescribe, be sure to bring a list of the names and dosages of all the medications you are taking to your next appointment.



**BlueCross BlueShield
of North Carolina**

¹ Institute of Medicine. Preventing Medication Errors. Report Brief. July 2006

NC Academy of Family Physicians Improving Performance in Practice

IPIP: Improving Performance in Practice

A basic hallmark of the IPIP initiative is for a designated Quality Improvement Consultant (QIC) to work onsite with the practice leadership team to develop a practice-specific redesign plan utilizing the resources of collaborating experts. The effort is to improve outcomes and quality in the following areas:

- Disease registries
- Chronic Care Model
- Work Flow analysis
- Team building and communication



Carolina Center for Medical Excellence (QIO)

- 2005-2008 Eighth Statement of Work



- Ninth Statement of Work

QIOs will recruit a pre-agreed-upon number of practices to participate, securing at least 80 percent of the targeted number by the end of Quarter 2. QIOs will also identify non-participating practices with EHR capability.

The QIO will educate each participating practice on using its EHR capabilities to improve rates of screenings and immunizations, using Doctor's Office Quality-Information Technology University (DOQ-IT University). At the end of the 18th month, at least 80 percent of the participating practices should report tracking of each preventive service for at least 75 percent of patients or patient encounters. This will be determined by an assessment of care practices.

Identified Partners Include

- [AARP](#)
- Academic Medical Centers
- Academy of Family Medicine - NC
- Association for Home & Hospice Care of NC
- Association of Free Clinics – NC
- American College of Healthcare Executives
- [Amvets](#)
- CareShare NC
- CCME
- Chamber / Employers
- Community Care of NC
- Community colleges
- e-NC
- Federal agencies / ONC / SSA
- [Governor's Advisory Council on Aging](#)
- Health & Wellness Trust Fund
- [Hospice and End of Life Care, The Carolinas Center](#)
- Laboratories
- Local Health Directors
- MCNC
- NC AHEC
- [NC Association of County DSS Directors](#)
- NC Association of Pharmacists
- NC Association of Health Plans Members, (BCBSNC, Aetna, Cigna, FirstCarolina, United, Wellpath)
- NC Bar Association – Health Law Sector
- NC Chapter of the American College of Physicians
- [NC Coalition on Aging](#)
- NC Dental Society
- [NC Federation of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees \(NARFE\) Chapters](#)
- NC Foundation for Advanced Health Programs
- [NC Health Care Facilities Association](#)
- NC Healthcare Quality Alliance
- NC Hospital Association
- NC HIMA
- NC HFMA
- NC HIMSS

Identified Partners Include

- NC IOM
 - NC Long Term Care Association
 - NC Medical Society
 - All Affiliated Associations
 - NC MGMA
 - NC Osteopathic Medical Association
 - NC Pediatric Society
 - NC Radiological Society
 - [NC Senior Citizens Association](#)
 - [NC Senior Citizens Federation](#)
 - NC Society of Healthcare Attorneys
 - NC State Health Plan
 - Nurses Associations
 - Renaissance Computing Institute
 - Sheps Center / Academics
 - UNC School of Public Health
 - Communications, Technology, HIT &
- HIE Vendors / NCTA
 - State Agencies
 - Division of Health and Human Services
 - Division of Medical Assistance
 - Environmental Health
 - Health Service Regulation
 - Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse
 - Public Health
 - Social Services
 - State Center for Health Statistics
 - Vital Records
 - Administrative Divisions and Offices
 -
 - NC Department of Corrections
 - NC Agriculture and Consumer
 - Food and Drug Protection
 - Office of State Auditor
 - Community Colleges State Office