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Carequality Monthly Information Call

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Agenda

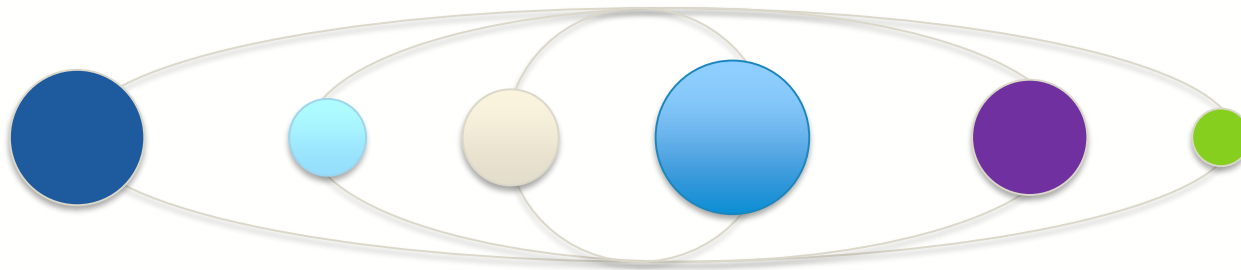
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Carequality Overview

The Situation

Communities of data sharing partners have formed, brought together by specific needs.



Some are geographically based, but many other types of data sharing communities also exist.

The Solution

Carequality creates a standardized, national-level interoperability framework to link all data sharing networks



Carequality is creating a web of interconnected communities

The Power of Connecting Communities

*How do you get nationwide connectivity?
Clinic by clinic, hospital by hospital?*

Data sharing networks have already connected many participants. The connections grow exponentially by connecting these user communities to one another, as groups.

➔ If you connect six clinics, you might reach a few dozen physicians.

➔ If you connect six networks, you can reach thousands of physicians.

Carequality Framework

- The Carequality Framework includes a number of elements:
 - Carequality Connected Agreement
 - Carequality Connection Terms
 - Dispute Resolution Process
 - Technical Trust Policy
 - Query-Based Document Exchange Implementation Guide
- Documents are available for reference on the Carequality Wikispaces and our public website:

<http://carequality.wikispaces.com/Carequality+Framework>

<http://sequoiaproject.org/carequality/resources/>

Carequality Members



Participation Opportunities



SAVE THE DATE!

2017 Annual Member Meeting

The Sequoia Project, Carequality, eHealth Exchange & RSNA Image Share Validation

- December 5th & 6th
- Gaylord National Harbor, MD
(Outside Washington, DC)
- Room Reservations Open Now:
<https://aws.passkey.com/go/593c9494>

You won't want to miss
this opportunity to
connect with peers and
data exchange partners!

Registration is now open! Carequality Implementers and Members [can register at The Sequoia Project website](#)

Advisory Council Application Process Update

- Thanks to all who applied to be members of the Advisory Council!
- We will be filling about 12-14 seats this fall, for 2 year terms.
 - Note, the Steering Committee retains some discretion on the exact numbers
- Our nominating committee will be meeting in the next two weeks to identify a recommended slate of candidates to the Steering Committee
- The Steering Committee may approve the slate by email or may choose to discuss during its December meeting
- Applicants will be informed of their status in early December, at the latest (and hopefully sooner)

Production Operations Update

Current Carequality Connected Agreement Signees

HIEs and HINs



Technology Vendors



Service Providers



PHRs



In Production:



Significant rollouts planned for November

6 additional applications for production use are in the review process

Estimated 4.5 million clinical documents exchanged

Project Updates

Ongoing Project Updates

- **Patient Authorization and Access Policies:**
 - We are incorporating feedback from Implementers and the Advisory Council
 - The Advisory Council will be asked in November to recommend adoption
 - [You can access the proposed IG changes on our Wikispaces page](#)
- **Document Content:** The group has reached several recommendation conclusions and will be reporting out to the Steering Committee soon
 - Remember, you can join the conversation on the workgroup's Slack form. Contact admin@carequality.org for more info.
- **Patient Request Queries:**
 - The full group is in a hiatus, as we focus on initial background work with a small set of potential early adopter sites.
 - We have been meeting with these sites and associated implementers, and have begun to zero in on topics to raise with the full group

Coming Attractions – Care Team Notifications

- Work has begun on a draft Use Case Proposal for a Care Team Notifications Use Case
 - This Use Case is intended to include event notifications, but also much more through a generic structure
 - Potential “notifees” could extend beyond a traditional care team, and certainly would include the patient
- This Use Case, if developed, will ultimately involve a new Implementation Guide
- For now, work is focused on the Proposal which will lay out the questions to be addressed in developing an IG, workgroup plans, timelines, and business considerations

Your Questions

Thank You!