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Carequality Monthly Information Call

February 22, 2018

Agenda

- Logistical Note
- Carequality Intro
- HIMSS 2018
- TEFCA
- Production Operations Update
- Your Questions



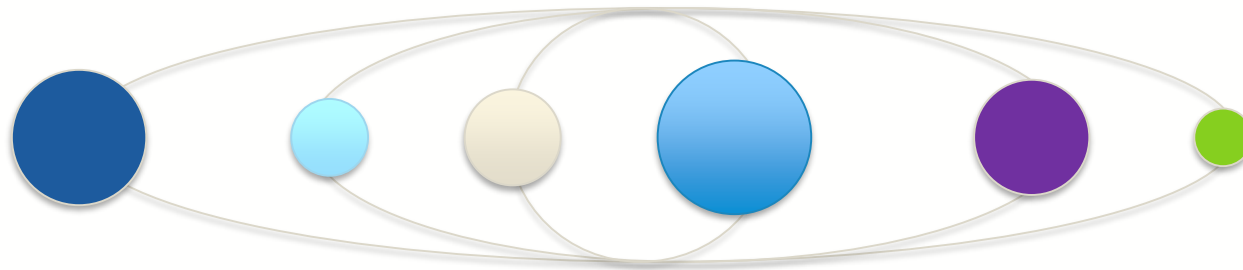
Logistical Note – Wikispaces

- We've historically posted slides and call-in details for the Carequality Monthly Information calls at carequality.wikispaces.com.
- Wikispaces is retiring their platform later this year
- We're in the process of identifying an alternative and developing a migration plan
- Stay tuned for more information on future calls

Carequality Overview

The Situation

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



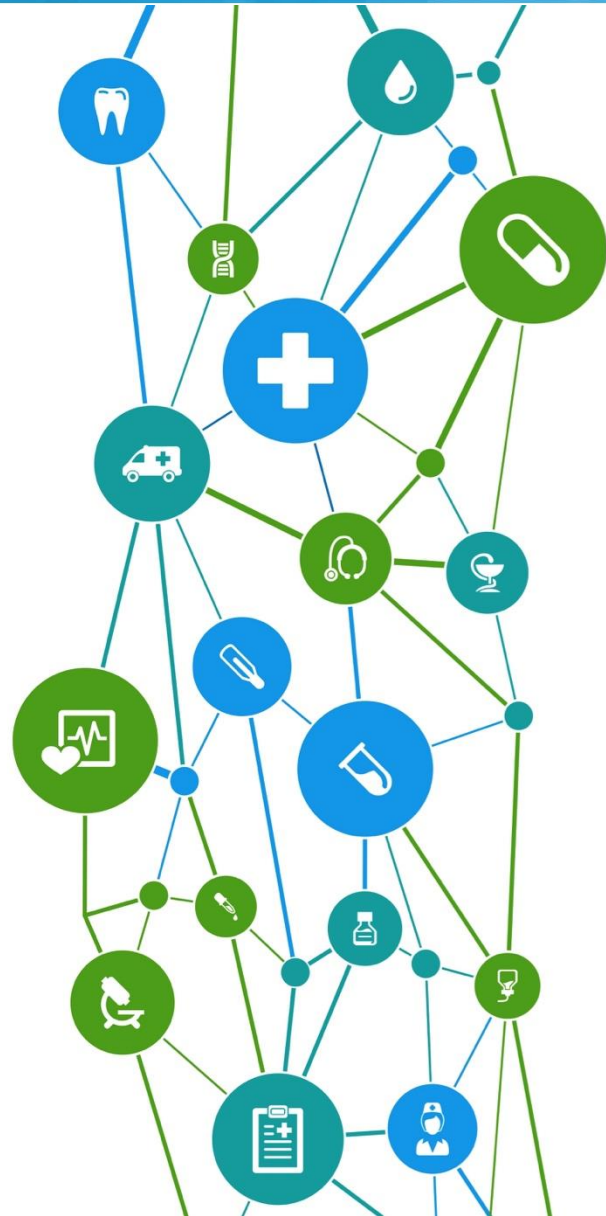
Some are geographically based, but many other types of data sharing communities also exist.

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



HIMSS 2018

The Sequoia Project at HIMSS18

Visit us at Booth #3374



The Sequoia Project Reception

Tuesday, 4 – 6 p.m.

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Stop by our booth for member ribbons* and sequoia seed packets anytime

*Ribbon required for reception



HIMSS Sessions

- TEFCA Response Overview
Tuesday, 11 a.m., Sequoia Booth
- Sutter Health: A Health Data Sharing Case Study with Carequality
Tuesday, 1 p.m, Marcello 4405
- PULSE Demonstration
Wednesday, 11 a.m., Sequoia Booth
- Carequality Spotlight: Mental Health Center of Denver
Wednesday, 1 p.m., Sequoia Booth

More to be announced...

TEFCA

Sequoia Project Comments

- Our comments were submitted last week, and are available on our website: <http://sequoiaproject.org/resources/tefca-response/>
 - This page also includes a link to our comments on the proposed US Core Data for Interoperability (USCDI)
- The comments are grounded in our experience supporting large-scale, nationwide health data sharing initiatives
- Our aim is to help ONC strengthen the final TEF and successfully carry out its implementation
- Our comments include general recommendations, but also include an appendix with very detailed analysis of the draft terms, with suggestions from our experience

Production Operations Update

Current Carequality Connected Agreement Signees

HIEs and HINs



Technology Vendors



Service Providers



PHRs



In Production:



Over 2 million clinical documents exchanged monthly

Estimated 13 million clinical documents exchanged since July 2016

Your Questions

Thank You!