

eHealth Exchange Participant Spotlight: Walgreens

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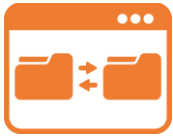
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eHealth ExchangeTM

An initiative of **the sequoia**
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What is the eHealth Exchange?



The eHealth Exchange is a
**health data sharing
network.**

It is one of many that
exist throughout
the United States

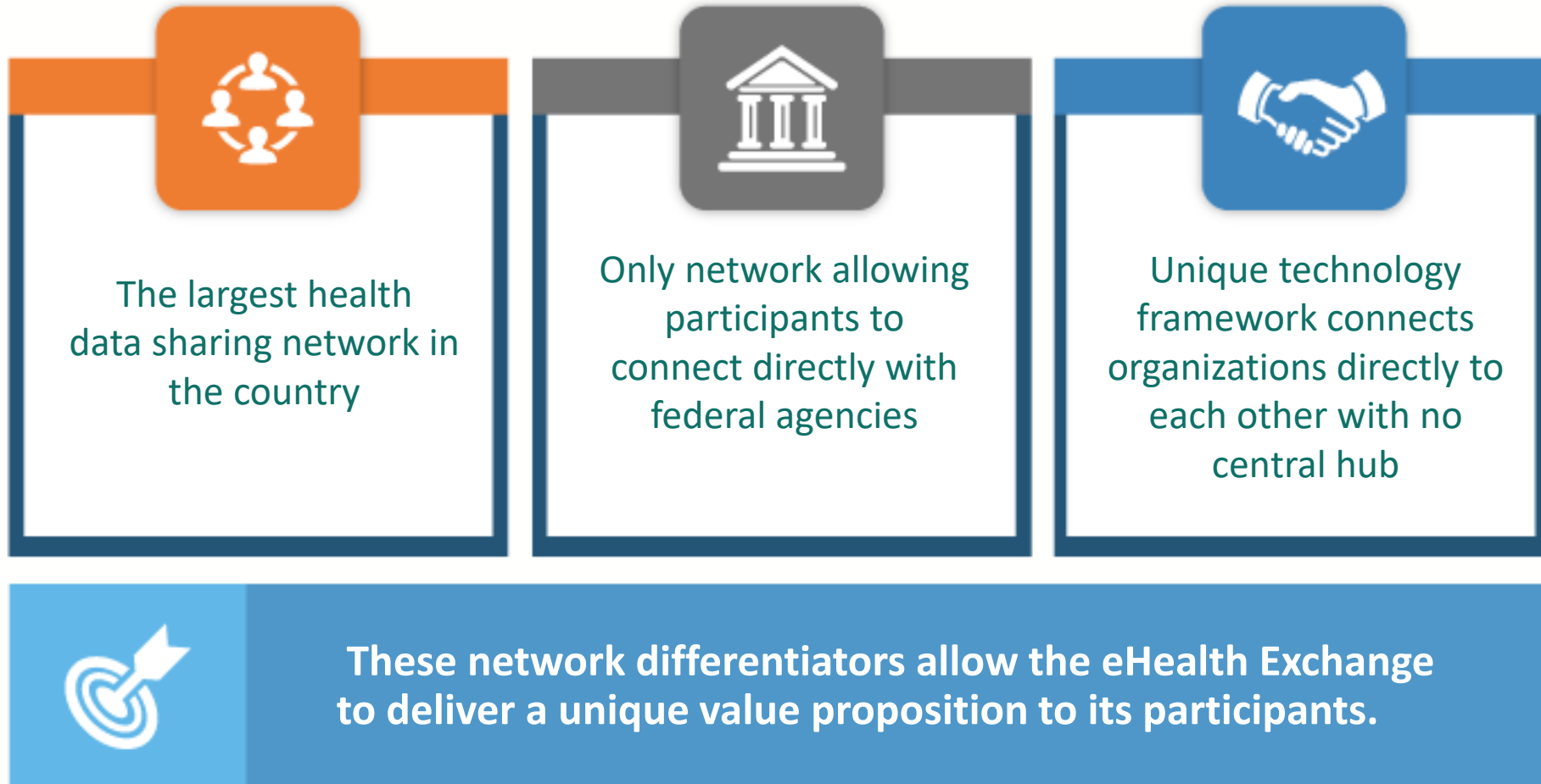


It provides a common set of
standards, legal agreements
and a governance
framework that sets the
groundwork for participants
to securely share health data









***But don't be fooled.
The eHealth Exchange
is no ordinary network....***

How the eHealth Exchange is Different



The Largest Health Data Network in U.S.

We connect:			
	All 50 States	50,000 Medical Groups	
	Four Federal Agencies (DoD, VA, CMS, SSA)	3,400+ Dialysis Centers	
	65% of U.S. Hospitals	8,300 Pharmacies	
Supporting more than 100 million patients			
46 Regional and State HIEs in production; 20 onboarding			

eHealth Exchange Benefits Providers

Doctors have ready access to
patient records from multiple facilities.



Reduced administrative burden to contact other medical facilities for records



More accurate picture of client's total health, aiding better diagnoses and treatment



Better customer service experience for provider's patients



Improved insight into effective treatment supports providers' ability to deliver quality care in line with CMS' pay for quality measures



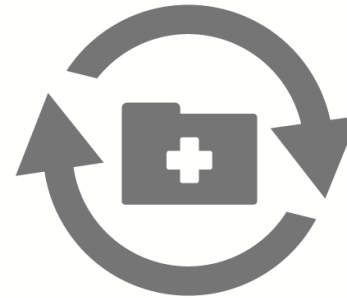
Dramatically easier to submit medical records to federal agencies in support of claims for payment as well as to help patients support their own claims

Unique Data Sharing Framework

Because the eHealth Exchange is a “framework,” it provides guidelines for organizations to connect directly to each other.

This means that:

- There is no central hub or data repository where data is vulnerable for hacking
- Organizations have tight control over their data
- An organization can ensure its data is properly protected per HIPAA laws



Summary of eHealth Exchange Approved Use Cases



Treatment / Care Coordination

Enables access to critical information (e.g., test results, medication history, allergy info, immunizations) and makes available to providers when patient is transferred



Responder Only Profile

Enables other networks (e.g., release of info, companies, and SAAS model vendors) to respond to queries from eHealth Exchange Participants on behalf of their client



Military/Veteran Health

DoD and VA exchange active service members and veterans' records to provide government and private caregivers with up-to-date medical histories



Authorized Release of Information – Disability Determination

Social Security Administration requests claimant records electronically to make disability determinations. Cuts down claims processes *from months to days*



Quality Reporting for the End Stage Renal Disease Program – CMS

Enables dialysis centers to send quality data to CMS to assure that individuals with End Stage Renal Disease receive the highest quality of care

Summary of eHealth Exchange Approved Use Cases (2)



Immunization

Enables the push of immunization data for treatment purposes (*this is not related to immunization registries*)



Authorized Release of Information – Consumer Access to Health Information Enables clinical exchange between patient and provider (e.g. via a Personal Health Record (PHR))



Encounter Alerts

Enables event notification of clinical encounters to patient associated care team members



Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP)

Enables exchange of PDMP data



Electronic Lab Reporting (in support of public health)

Enables electronic lab reporting to public health agencies



Syndromic Surveillance

Enables syndromic surveillance reporting to public health agencies

Summary of eHealth Exchange Approved Use Cases (3)



Authorized Release of Information – Life Insurance (Approved by CC on 12/7/16)

Enables life insurance companies to request copies of an individual's medical records for the purposes of making a determination for life insurance benefits



Image Share Use Case (Approved by CC on 11/15/16)

Enables organizations to share images via the eHealth Exchange.

Discussion with Walgreens

Introduction to Walgreens

- One of the largest drugstore chains in US
- 8,000+ stores serving 10 million customers a day
 - Stores located within five miles of approximately 76 percent of Americans
 - provider retail clinic services located in ~400 locations
- Global Walgreens Boots Alliance since 2014



Walgreens Health Data Sharing via eHealth Exchange



Immunization



Veteran Health



Treatment / Care
Coordination
(Coming Soon)

Thank You!