



# Interoperability MATTERS

an initiative of The Sequoia Project

## Data Usability Work Group

February 10, 2022

# Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions, Membership, Agenda - Bill Gregg– 5 minutes
- Website, Meeting and Workgroup Logistics & Collaboration Forum – Bill Gregg – 5 minutes
  - Reminder we will meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of each month
  - New Calendar invite should have been sent & available for download for meetings through March 31, 2022
- Data Usability Work Group Draft IG Q&A Review and Next Steps – 50 minutes



Bill Gregg, Co-chair  
HCA Healthcare



Didi Davis, VP  
The Sequoia Project

# Workgroup Members

220 Organizations

332 Participants



Healthcare Providers



Public Health



Consumer/Patient



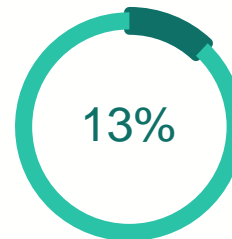
Standards Developer



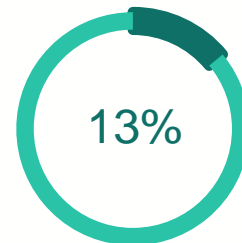
Health Plan/Payer



Federal, State, Local Government



HIN/HIEs



Other



Health IT Developers



# Sequoia Member's Shape Interoperability for the Public Good



## Members Continued



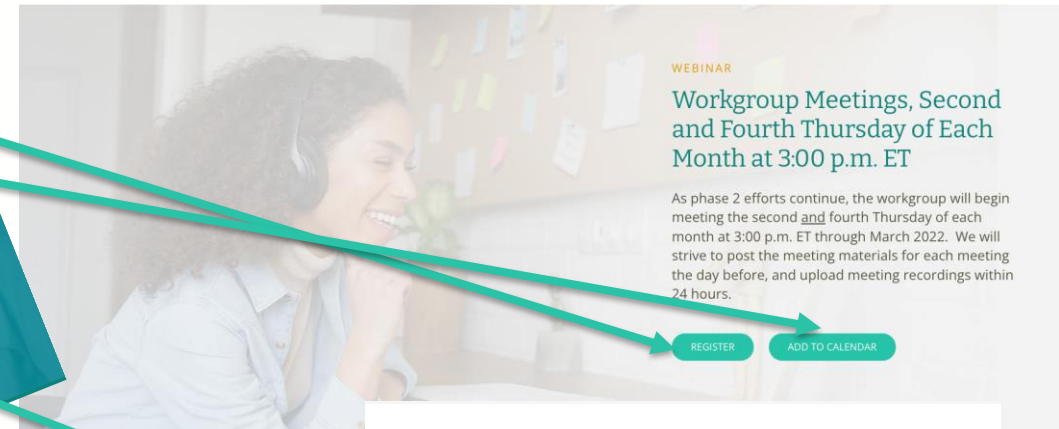
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- CA Emergency Medical Services Association
- Cedarbridge
- ConSensys Health
- Cureous Innovations
- Hawaii HIE
- Health InfoNet
- Imprado
- Innovaccer
- Lyniate
- Mayo Clinic
- Midato Health
- Virginia HIE










# Website, Meeting and Workgroup Logistics

- Register for the Workgroup
- Calendar Downloads
- Meeting Notes



## Meeting Materials and Recordings

### Phase 2

September 9: Meeting Notes	
August 26: Meeting Notes	
August 12: Meeting Notes	
July 8: Meeting Notes	
June 10: Meeting Notes	
May 13: Meeting Notes	
Apr 8: Meeting Notes	
Apr 1: Meeting Notes	
Apr 15: Meeting Notes	

### Phase 1

Mar 25: Meeting Notes	
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## Four Work Phases

The Interoperability Matters **Leadership Council** chartered the Data Usability Workgroup to work in the following phases:

**PHASE 1**  
Administration and Prioritization  
October 2020-March 2021  
[View Meeting Notes](#)

**PHASE 2**  
Developing Initial Drafts (current)  
April 2021-Q1 2022  
[View Meeting Notes](#)

**PHASE 3**  
Public Comment Period/  
Recommended Next Steps  
TBD, based on end of Phase 2-60 days after start

**PHASE 4**  
Finalizing Implementation Guides  
[TBD, based on end of Phase 3]-3 months after start]

<https://sequoiaproject.org/interoperability-matters/data-usability-workgroup/>



# Data Usability Workgroup (DUWG) Update

- **Many thanks** to Dr. David Camitta for his volunteer leadership to the workgroup 10/2020 - 12/2021
- Workgroup membership continues to grow: 217 Organizations with 312 Participants on the roster
- Co-chairs and staff continue to develop the draft implementation guide
  - Staff will reference existing recommendations from Carequality/Commonwell Joint IG V2 to be published prior to the DUWG IG is published for public comment
  - Phase 2 Draft IG is expected to be published in April 2022 to begin the 60 day Public Comment Period with a summary roadmap for future work activities included
- **Welcome** to [Dr. Adam Davis](#) from [SF Bay Pediatrics](#) who will begin his co-chair duties in February 2022 and the DUWG leadership team will bring him up to speed on the activities to date





## Phase 2 Implementation Guide Development Process

- Co-chairs and staff have organized and gathered the content for the 7 topic areas developed in phase 1 activities
- Topics will be addressed in priority order
  - This will be documented in the existing Google docs and/or the draft IG for the work
    - Priority Work Items Spreadsheet:
      - <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1eRbgoStsfhYzIK-wj4TIU9Wr4MEkxF3syOxsHWIPdg/edit#gid=0>
  - Staff will review existing recommendations from Carequality/Commonwell Joint IG V2
  - Integrate feedback from workshop(s), vendor discussions and Interoperability Matters meetings to the draft IG
  - Incorporate feedback from Data Usability Collaboration space / forum
    - <https://sequoiaproject.org/interoperability-matters/data-usability-workgroup/>
  - Go over problem statements from a more technical perspective
  - Document other aspects to be considered for the solution
  - Identify questions that still require clarification for all topics
  - Update the Draft IG for each topic category and use case
    - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/18njbwLECzNMg7gm9LP9btAiNQFtuEIHArXr-IrJN69o/edit#>

# Data Usability Work Group Draft IG

## Data Usability Work Group

**For more information:**

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