



# Interoperability MATTERS

an initiative of The Sequoia Project

## Data Usability Work Group

May 5, 2022

# Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions, Membership, Agenda - Bill Gregg– 5 minutes
- Website, Meeting and Workgroup Logistics & Collaboration Forum – Bill Gregg – 5 minutes
  - Reminder: New Calendar invite available: Beginning April 1, 2022 through December 1, 2022
    - **FIRST Thursday of each month at 4pm EDT / 3pm CDT / 1pm PDT**
    - **Next meetings will be held on May 5, 2022, June 3, 2022, July 7, 2022, etc.**
- Data Usability Work Group Draft IG Q&A Review and Next Steps – 50 minutes



Adam Davis, MD, Co-chair  
Sutter Health



Bill Gregg, MD, Co-chair  
HCA Healthcare



Didi Davis, VP  
The Sequoia Project

# Workgroup Members

221 Organizations

336 Participants



Healthcare Providers



Public Health



Consumer/Patient



Standards Developer



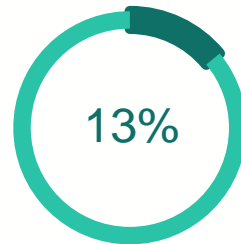
Health Plan/Payer



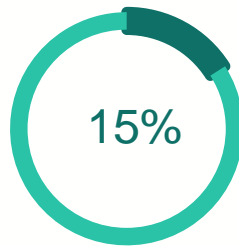
Federal, State, Local Government



HIN/HIEs



Other



Health IT Developers



# Sequoia Member's Shape Interoperability for the Public Good



## Members Continued



EVERNORTH.

GigaTECH.



HITRUST

HONORHEALTH

Humana

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# Members Continued



- CA Emergency Medical Services Association
- Cureous Innovations
- Hawaii HIE
- Health InfoNet
- Imprado

- Innovaccer
- Lyniate
- Mayo Clinic
- Mednition
- 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]-13 months after start

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



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## 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
  - Future work items will be documented in the existing Google document (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
  - Review feedback from Data Usability Collaboration space / forum and incorporate as appropriate
    - <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
    - All comments and feedback should be made directly to the draft IG
    - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/18njbwLECzNMg7gm9LP9btAiNQFtuEIHArXr-IrJN69o/edit#>



# Data Usability Work Group Draft IG

## Data Usability Work Group

**For more information:**

[www.sequoiaproject.org/interoperability-matters/data-usability-workgroup/](http://www.sequoiaproject.org/interoperability-matters/data-usability-workgroup/)



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Collaborate



Interoperate



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