HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE IN TEXAS

HFMA Conference

February 16, 2023



AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions
- 2 THSA/C3 Overview
- 3 Discussion of HIE and state and federal programs
- 4 Q&A







THSA/C3HIE Overview



TEXAS HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY

- Created in 2007 by the Texas Legislature as the public/private entity to promote and coordinate electronic health information exchange in the State of Texas.
- Operates two major functions: (1) HIETexas -- electronic health information exchange platform, and (2) SECURETexas a privacy and security certification program.
- Governed by a 12-member board of directors, appointed by the Texas Governor and confirmed by the Texas Senate. Two ex-officio members representing state health agencies also sit on the board.





TEXAS HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY

Our Health Services

EDEN

Emergency Department Encounter Notifications

Real time alerts to determine where a patient has been admitted, discharged or transferred.

PULSE

Patient Unified Lookup System for Emergencies

Remote and secure access to electronic health information during declared disasters in alternate care sites.

SANER

Situational Awareness for Novel Epidemic Response

Real-time and automated exchange of situational awareness data utilizing the FHIR data standard.

SECURETexas

Privacy & Security
Certification

Privacy and security program to certify compliance with state and federal medical privacy and security law.

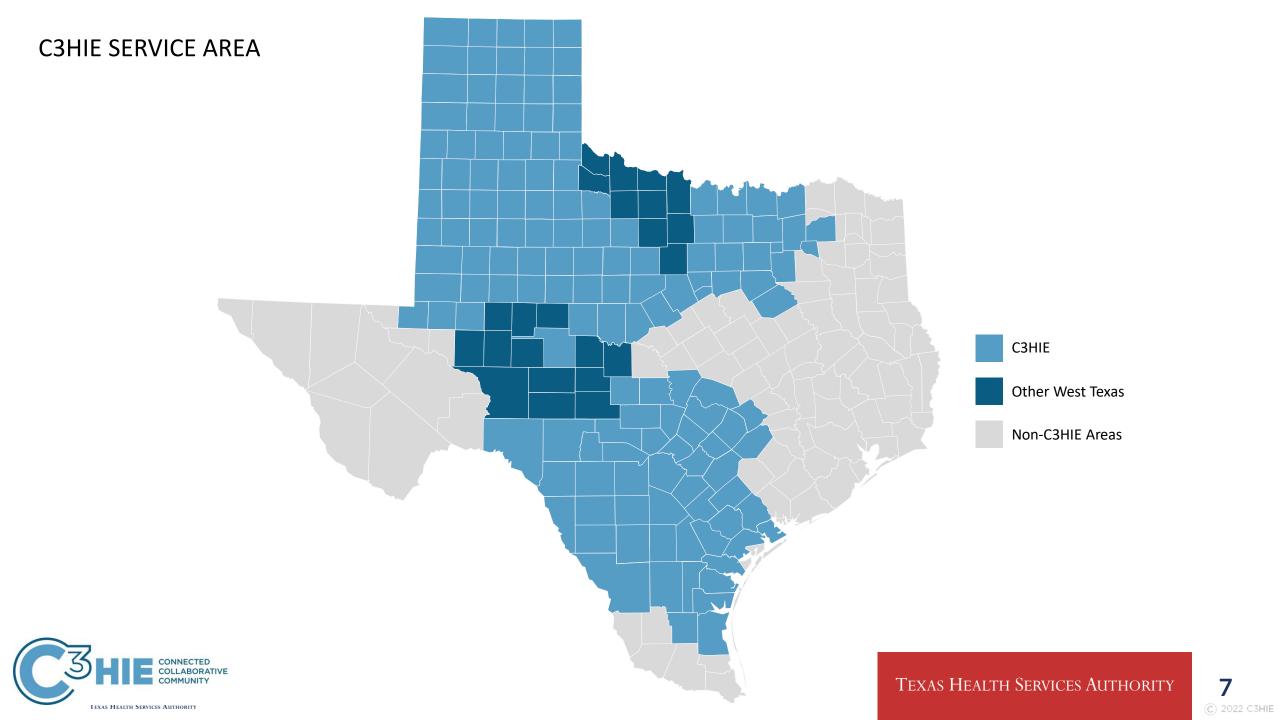
HIETexas

SECURETexas



Who is C3HIE?





C3HIE LOCATIONS

78HOSPITALS

2
POST-ACUTE CARE

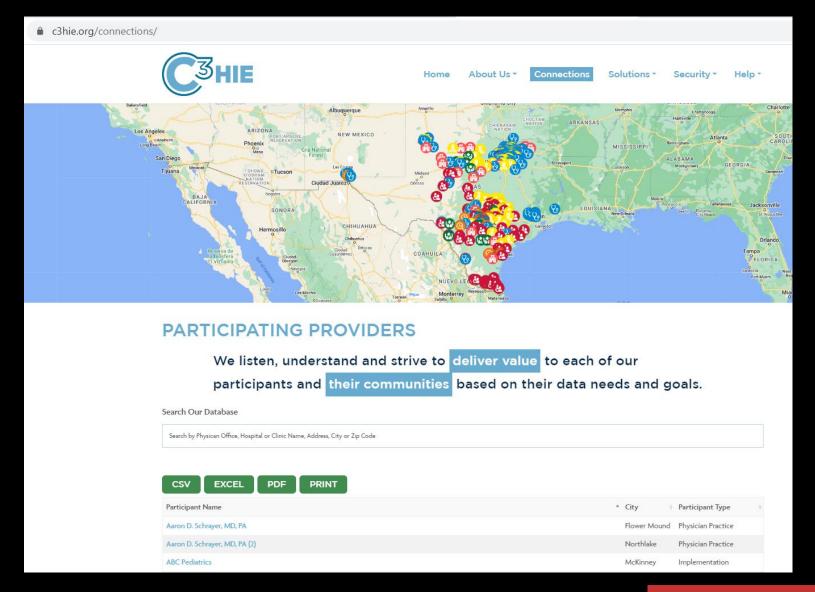
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LOCATIONS IN IMPLEMENTATION

578
PHYSICIAN LOCATIONS

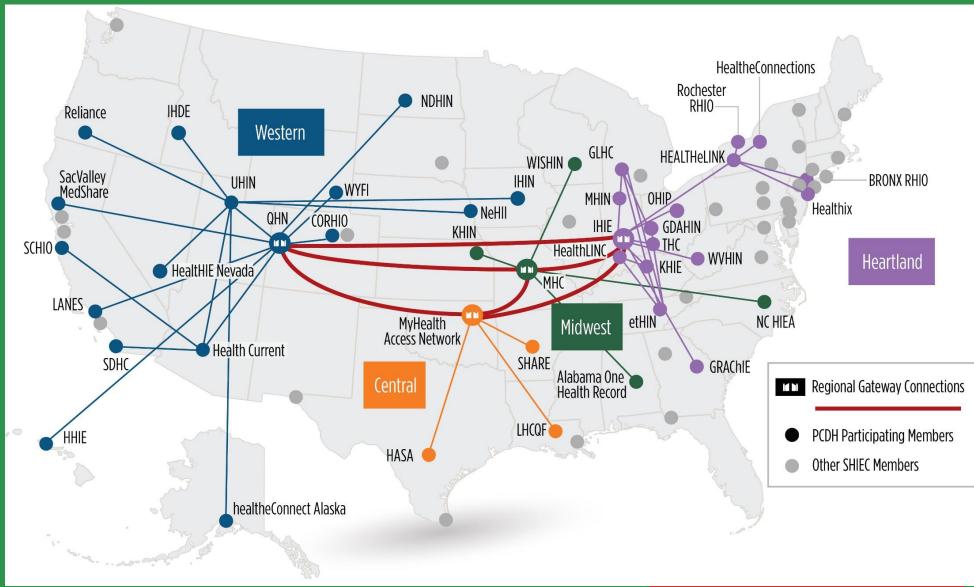


DATA CONTRIBUTORS ON OUR WEBSITE





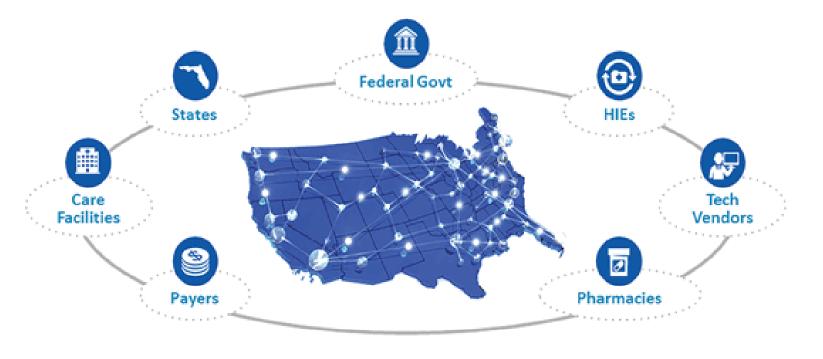
OKLAHOMA, ARKANSAS, LOUISIANA AND NATIONWIDE



DOD & VA CONNECTIONS

The eHealth Exchange

A rapidly growing network for securely sharing health information



Shared Trust Framework

Common Standards, Specifications & Policies







HIE and State and Federal Programs



CMS CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION (COP)

- As of 2021, hospitals must make a **reasonable effort to send notifications** to PCPs, & post-acute care providers as directed by the patient for inpatient, emergency department, or observation admission, discharge, and transfers
- Requirement includes **all patients**, not just Medicaid and Medicare
- Hospitals may use an intermediary (such as an HIE) to meet this requirement





HHSC CHIRP PROGRAM

- CHIRP, and other directed payment programs, recently replaced DSRIP
- Measures include:
 - Enrollment in a public HIE, including submission of ADT and CCD data (C1-105)
 - Care Transition; connectivity with EDEN to provide ADT notifications to MCOs (C2-142, C2-143); or direct relationship with MCO
- Series of questions are sent to participating hospitals regarding HIE structure measures laid out above

COMPREHENSIVE HOSPITAL INCREASE REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM





QUESTIONS?

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