

## HOW HEALTHINFONET CAN HELP WALK-IN CARE ORGANIZATIONS IN THEIR CLINICAL WORKFLOWS

As patients increasingly seek treatment at walk-in clinics, the importance of data sharing with those organizations is critical to maintain effective care delivery. HealthInfoNet facilitates real-time data exchange to help urgent care providers stay on top of their game.



### OVERVIEW

The benefits to patients seeking treatment at walk-in clinics are well known: convenience, affordability, and comprehensive treatment. Which means attending urgent care providers are faced with pressure to treat those patients quickly, efficiently, and effectively. And that's a difficult task for providers who have likely never met or treated these patients before. That's where our services can help. HealthInfoNet empowers urgent care providers with the necessary tools and data points to help make informed decisions about their patients' care.

#### **Connect to diverse systems of care.**

Become a part of an ever-growing network of HIE participants to gain invaluable insights into patient care activities throughout the state.

#### **Optimize already rapid care delivery.**

Obtain the information you need about your patients to help make timely and quality decisions about their care.



I use **HealthInfoNet** to help get records on prior ED visits, hospitalizations, imaging and lab studies, and procedures done at hospitals outside of MaineHealth. This can be very helpful given that patients do migrate between hospitals and hospital systems for a variety of reasons.

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# TOP USE CASES & INTERVENTIONS

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## Inform acute care illness and injury assessments.

- Retrieve critical information on patients' healthcare activities throughout the state
- Enhance patients' confidence and satisfaction with informed decision-making

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## Promote improved communication and coordination.

- Enhance and expand communication methods and data accessibility across systems of care
- Facilitate patients' transitions of care based on ailment severity and necessary follow-ups
- Educate patients on appropriate use of services based on personal health record reviews

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## Incorporate walk-in care treatment plans within longitudinal health records.

- Share important diagnostic and preventive health services information with the HIE that patients increasingly receive exclusively through walk-in care settings
- Give patients' care teams complete views into their patients' activities at walk-in care settings

## COMMON HIE SOLUTIONS



Facilitates **communication and collaboration** among diverse systems



Provides assurance that care teams have **comprehensive and accurate information** available at the point of care



Identifies patients' relevant **gaps in care** and most recent personal **health changes** to inform care plans



Continuously builds on patients' **longitudinal health records** with real-time information captured from diverse systems of care

## CRITICAL HIE SERVICES



Electronic health record systems designed to share comprehensive data in real-time at the point of care, including the following:

Allergies & Medications

Active Problems & Diagnoses

PCP Notes & Care Plans

Inpatient & Emergency Department Visit History

Screenings & Vaccinations

Imaging & Laboratory Results

## Take Advantage of the HIE's Services

Visit our online learning platform, **HealthInfoNet Academy**, to discover new ways of integrating the HIE's services within your clinical workflows.

[www.hinfonetacademy.org](http://www.hinfonetacademy.org)

## Not A Participant? Join the HIE Network!

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