

CRISP Care Management Connect-a-thon

CRISP – the Regional Health Information Exchange serving Maryland and DC – would like to invite you to an upcoming connect-a-thon to better understand how care management software can integrate with a regional HIE to improve user workflows and communication between providers and care managers.

Objective

CRISP is inviting care management software solutions to demonstrate their ability to integrate with a regional HIE to support end-user workflows and regional data exchange. CRISP is interested both in how solutions can receive and incorporate HIE-provided data and in the outputs that can be provided and shared with the healthcare community.

Background

Care management and care coordination initiatives are increasingly being leveraged to reduce cost, close gaps, and deliver better health outcomes. CMS and Maryland payment models are encouraging or requiring care management participation with specific requirements and deliverables. CRISP's mission is to identify and implement solutions that can best meet the needs of our participants and stakeholders.

Time and Place

The Connect-a-thon will be conducted remotely and will begin on **Thursday, October 27th, 2016**. A kick-off webinar will be held at **12 pm**. Access to test data (ADT messages and C-CDAs) will be provided following the webinar. Participants will have **10 days** to provide requested outputs.

How do I participate?

If you are interested in participating, please communicate with <u>Mickey Stringer</u> at <u>mickey.stringer@crisphealth.org</u>. Full details will be made available on **Wednesday**, **October 26**th, **2016** at <u>www.crisphealth.org</u> and will be emailed to those that have expressed interest.

Evaluation

Top performers will be able to seamlessly send *and* receive information in a structured manner. This includes sending CRISP outputs of care management (care plans, assessments, attribution) while also incorporating up-to-date treatment and encounter details from the HIE into care management profiles. CRISP is leaving the integration fairly open-ended and is looking forward to innovative solutions on how patient information can be incorporated to improve workflows of users within the system.

CRISP will also request the completion of a participant survey. The survey will address both the proposed solution and the vendor. CRISP encourages complete responses to the questions and requested supplemental information. Marketing material is discouraged and will not be received favorably.

The CRISP evaluation team will consist of CRISP staff and a number of stakeholders to include representation from ACOs, Maryland hospital systems, and care managers.