



Use Case Description: Pharmacist Access to Clinical Data

Overview

Pharmacists are an integral part of many patient care teams. Working together with other health care professionals, the pharmacist's input is critical in improving patient's quality and coordination of care. Additionally, pharmacists have recently seen their scope of practice grow to be able to provide specific vaccinations and prescribe contraceptives. With this comes a need to understand the broader context of a patient's health. Providing pharmacists access to clinical data via CRISP services can improve the quality and coordination of care provided to patients.

Permitted Purpose Category

For Care Coordination Purposes (Permitted Purpose #3).

Technical Design

Pharmacists will use the Unified Landing Page to access clinical data beyond the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP) data.

Use Case Description

This use case will allow community pharmacists that are involved with the care of a patient to utilize CRISP services such that improved patient care can be provided. Community pharmacists will have access to review up-to-date and comprehensive clinical data, including laboratory results, hospital discharge summaries, social history information, radiology reports, patient histories, and medication histories available for patients with whom they have an active relationship. Pharmacist participants must educate and obtain consent from patients in order to access their CRISP information.

Pharmacists that are employed or consulting within a hospital or long term care setting, such as a Skilled Nursing Facility or Assisted Living Facility, are covered under other use cases and/or policies and are provided access to the same patient's charts within the facility as those available to physicians. Additionally, those employed or contracted by a CRISP participant may have delegated access to CRISP services.

Opt Out Applicability

Individuals who have chosen to opt out of CRISP services will not be accessible via the CRISP services by the consultant pharmacists.

Pharmacist Responsibilities

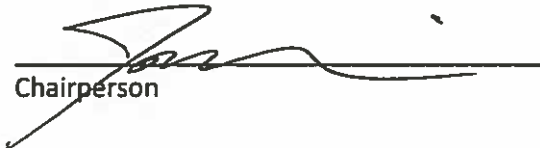
Pharmacists will be required to follow all CRISP policies and procedures as other healthcare professionals gaining access to CRISP services under the CRISP Participation Agreement. Pharmacists will not be eligible to delegate their CRISP access. Pharmacists would need to provide the list of patients they are actively working with, so that CRISP may conduct administrative processes the same as other CRISP participants. Pharmacists must also secure, and document for audit purposes, verbal or written consent from a patient to access their



CRISP data. This consent can be part of a broader patient consent for a program or service, but pharmacists must make available CRISP patient education materials.

Approval

This Use Case Policy has been approved by the Clinical Advisory Board.


Chairperson

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