

2013 LTPAC Health IT Summit Agenda As of June 3, 2013

Sunday, June 16

3–5 p.m. **Registration–Constellation Foyer**

5–6:30 p.m.
OPTIONAL

**Constellation
AB
2nd Floor**

Complimentary, Optional Tutorial: Advancing LTPAC's Ability to Exchange Data

Jump start your Summit experience by joining this free conversation with LTPAC leaders and your peers to discuss policies, programs, and applied activities advancing interoperable health information exchange on behalf of LTPAC providers. Do you want to know more about important policy activities related to health information exchange and LTPAC? Do you have questions about activities and actions that have been implemented and are underway to further interoperable health information exchange with LTPAC providers? Are you aware of how health information exchange may be happening in your community, and are you involved? This free Sunday session provides you with an opportunity to gain an understanding about these and other topics, and have your health information exchange questions addressed.

Facilitators: [Jennie Harvell](#); [Larry Wolf](#); Bill Russell; [Terry O'Malley](#); [Evelyn Gallego-Haag](#)

Monday, June 17–Day 1

7–9 a.m. **Registration and Continental Breakfast–Constellation Foyer**

7:30–8:15 a.m.
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Optional Early Riser's Session

New attendees will be oriented to the history and priorities of the health IT initiatives in LTPAC and hear about progress since the first summit in 2005. Highlights of key topics on the Summit agenda will help new attendees gain a great foundation for fully benefiting from the sessions.

Speaker: [John Derr, RPh, JD and Associates Enterprises](#)

8:30 a.m.

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2nd Floor**

Welcome and Opening of the 9th Annual LTPAC Health IT Summit

[Deborah Green, MBA, RHIA, Chief Operating Officer, AHIMA](#), and Peter Kress, Vice President and Chief Information Office, ACTS Retirement-Life Communities

8:45–9:45 a.m.

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Keynote: Healthcare System Transformation: Connecting LTPAC to Healthcare Systems of the Future

Keynote: [Doug Fridsma, MD, PhD, Chief Science Officer and Director of the Office of Science and Technology Office of the National Coordinator for HIT](#)

9:45–10 a.m.

Networking Break

10–11 a.m.

**Constellation AB
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New Payment Models Requiring Care Coordination and Integration

Successful transformation of the acute, post-acute, and long-term care delivery and payment systems requires new and improved models care coordination and integration. This session describes some of the models being tested by CMS and the critical factors needed for care coordination including risk sharing, governance, and the use of health IT to support information exchange and critical analytics. The session will include information from the perspective of LTPAC providers regarding their involvement and experiences in these new models and discuss the LTPAC

industry's readiness, and benefits and risks for participating in these emerging models.

Moderator: [Jennie Harvell, ASPE](#); Speakers: [Connie March, President and CEO, Continuum of Care](#); [Shannon Flood, CMS Innovation Center](#); [Larry Wolf, Health IT Strategist, Kindred Healthcare](#)

11 a.m.–12 noon

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E-Decision-Making: Clinical Decision Support, Apps, and Analytics

Advancing the use of e-decision-making is an important step to healthcare system transformation supported by health IT. This session highlights the state of e-decision-making in LTPAC, identifies current initiatives and CMMI Innovation Grants, discusses the gaps in comparing LTPAC to eligible professionals and eligible hospitals, and looks at what is coming in the future.

Speakers: [Bill Russell, MD](#); [Joe Ouslander, MD Professor and Senior Associate Dean for Geriatric Programs Interim Chair, Department of Integrated Medical Sciences Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine Professor, Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing Florida](#); [Bill Spector, AHRQ](#); [Harrison Fox, Executive Director at Continuum of Care Improvement Through Information, CCITNY](#); [Con Foley, SVP and Chair, Medicine at Parker Jewish Institute](#)

12 noon–1 p.m.

Lunch—Constellation C-F

12 noon–7 p.m.

Exhibit Hall and Product Showcase Open—Constellation Foyer

1–2 p.m.

Constellation AB
2nd Floor

Use of Enabling Technologies

Even the most advanced EHR is not the end-all-be-all. To improve quality of care, LTPAC organizations need to expand their vision to include telehealth, remote monitoring, medication management, and safety technologies to support innovative care delivery and payment models. This session explores an arsenal of these enabling technologies and how they engage patients and care providers, discusses their role in care delivery, care coordination, their interplay with EHR systems, and discusses research and future tools.

Moderator: [Majd Alwan, Leading Age](#); Speakers: [Charles Lagor, MD, Ph.D., CPHIMS, Senior Manager, Innovations Group, Philips Home Monitoring](#); [Jacci Nickell, MBA, Vice President, Development and Operations Delivery Systems, The Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society](#); [Marjorie Skubic, PhD, Professor, ECE Dept., University of Missouri, Director, Center for Eldercare and Rehabilitation Technology](#)

2–3 p.m.

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Person Centric Longitudinal and Transition e-Quality Measures

As we move into person-centric longitudinal care, the need for harmonized e-Quality Measures is ever apparent. LTPAC organizations are faced with the need to collect an increasing number of e-quality measures for an increasing number of different groups. This session identifies the emerging challenge that providers will face accommodating different measures and explores the latest e-measures from NQF's Measure Application Partnership (MAP) report, discusses the types of quality measures that are emerging for ACO-type arrangements that impact LTPAC. This session also presents CMS's strategy discussing how they identify, select, and prioritize e-quality measures advanced through NQF or 5 Star, and how to prepare for the QAPI rule that will be released next year which will include a requirement for LTPAC organizations to have a quality improvement plan.

Moderator: [John Derr](#); Speakers: [Kate Goodrich, MD, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services](#); [Dr. Cheryl Phillips, Sr. Vice President, Public Policy and Advocacy Leading Age](#); [Helen Burstin, NQF](#)

3–3:30 p.m.

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The EHR-Based Solutions that LTPAC Providers Need Today

Members of the CIO Consortium and the Nurse Executive Council will discuss their recently released call to action. The paper prioritizes discussion of the HIT requirements for patient centered virtual care teams, reducing friction between systems and caregivers by integrating technology into care processes, and the need for EHR platforms that support extensibility, workflow, decision support, and integration of emerging technologies.

Speakers: Irene Fleshner, [Allan Crommett](#)

3:30–3:45 **Opening of the Interoperability and Innovation Showcase—***Constellation Foyer*
Networking Break

3:30–5:15 p.m. **Product and Interoperability Showcase**

Interoperability Showcase Demonstrations:

BridgeGate International with Geisinger | KeyHIE Transform service to convert MDS data to CCD and exchange with an HIE or another EHR.

HealthMedx and Ashbury Communities | Interoperable EHR platform exchanging demographic, medication and clinical history information between hospitals and LTPAC Providers.

Lantana Consulting Group | Web-based tool which allows organizations that do not have an EHR to access, create, and exchange HL7 CDA documents with other providers.

MDI Achieve | Cloud-based tool which facilitates interoperability and aggregation of data from multiple sources into an interoperable EHR platform.

Rosie Connect | Real-time automated data transfers from point of care and automated vital sign monitors directly into resident EMRs

Sigma Care with CCITI NY and Hebrew Home at Riverdale | Exchange a transfer form delivering the most pertinent clinical information between providers to reduce adverse events and duplication.

ONC Grantee Updates and HIE Activities to Advance Care Coordination

3:45 p.m. | Oklahoma Challenge Grant Update, [Brian Yeaman](#)

4 p.m. | CoRHIO/Colorado Challenge Grant Update, [Pamela Russell](#)

4:15 p.m. | Maryland Challenge Grant Update, [Sarah Orth](#)

4:30 p.m. | Massachusetts Challenge Grant Update, [Larry Garber](#) and [Terry O'Malley](#)

4:45 p.m. | Keystone HIE, Leveraging MDS and OASIS data for Health Information Exchange, [Jim Younkin](#)

5 p.m. | Transitions of Care Challenge Grant:Midpoint Lessons, [Kory Mertz, ONC](#)

Poster Sessions

Product Showcase and Vendor Exhibits

5–6:30 p.m. **Networking Reception**

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Tuesday, June 18–Day 2

7:30–9 a.m. **Registration and Continental Breakfast–*Constellation Foyer***

8–9 a.m. **Town Hall: Longitudinal Coordination of Care**

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2nd Floor***

Increasingly, the healthcare delivery system is being transformed to support coordination of care across settings and providers. This session explores:

- Longitudinal coordination of care, including transitions of care and shared care planning, and the tools needed to support these efforts.
- Work underway through the S&I Longitudinal Coordination of Care workgroup and its collaborators related to transitions of care and care planning, and the relevance of this work to what is coming in the future Meaningful Use stages that will impact LTPAC providers.
- How the electronic exchange of transition of care and care plan documents can be accelerated in LTPAC

Speakers: [Terry O'Malley, MD](#); [Larry Garber, MD](#); [Evelyn Gallego-Haag, MBA, CPHIMS](#); [Alissa Ray, CCHIT](#)

9–10:15 a.m. **Hospital Readmissions–Success Stories and Use of Technology from the CMS Grant for Long Stay Residents**

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Quality patient care involves avoiding unnecessary hospitalization. Using technology, hospitals, and nursing homes are working together to reduce hospital readmissions and improve care planning for their patients in successful and increasingly innovative ways. This important initiative is one of the advancing, first steps toward longitudinal care. This session provides lessons learned and success stories to date from CMS Innovation Center grantees to reduce hospital readmissions through LTPAC-Hospital partnerships. You will gain valuable insight into what's working with information technology and discover ways that you can enhance collaboration and improve outcomes.

Moderator: Evan Shulman, Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Speakers: [Greg Alexander, University of Missouri](#); [Kunal Agarwal, Chief Technology Officer, CCLC/CCITI NY](#); [Dr. Steve Handler, UPMC](#)

10:15–10:30 a.m. **Networking Break**

10:30–11:15 a.m. **Concurrent Sessions:**

***Constellation A
2nd Floor***

Track 1 | Implementing Health Information Technology for Post-Acute Care: A CMS Special Innovation Project

CMS designed a new project to further the use of HIE with particular focus on transitions of care including improving medication management and medication reconciliation, utilization of a standardized data set, and inclusion of cognitive/functional status and pressure wound status. This session will discuss the initial intent of the project (by CMS) as well as the experience and "lessons learned" by the QIOs in delivering this project.

Speaker: [Pam Valvano, BFA, Colorado Foundation for Medical Care](#); [Candy Hanson, BSN, PHN, Stratis Health](#); [Phil Magistro, Director of Health Informatics, Quality Insights](#)

Constellation B
2nd Floor

Track 2 | **Automation and Analytics Tools to Improve Care and Reduce Avoidable Hospital Admissions**

This session continues the discussion on industry initiatives that are focused on reducing avoidable hospital admissions, but focuses specifically on the use of information technology and analytics tools that can help pinpoint clinical processes for improvement, as well as identify properly functioning processes. Hear from Advancing Excellence on the tools they developed for the industry. Learn how Brookdale Senior Living intends to use those tools plus Interact and Loopback Analytics as part of their CMMI Innovation Grant. Brookdale plans on applying this approach in their nursing facility, assisted living, home health, and dementia care programs.

Speakers: [Mary Jane Koren, MD, MPH, Vice President, Long-Term Care Quality Improvement Program, The Commonwealth Fund](#); [Maria D. Moen, Healthcare Applications Director, Brookdale Senior Living](#)

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Baltimore**
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Track 3 Case Studies | **Interoperable Comprehensive EHRs**

Interoperability and Innovation Showcase Participants who demonstrated comprehensive interoperable EHRs facilitating direct provider-provider and HIE-mediated interoperability will provide an in depth review of their interoperability solution, highlight innovative approaches and describe the results of implementing the solutions.

Moderator: [Majd Alwan, CAST](#); *Speakers:* [Gerry McCarthy, HealthMEDX](#); [Kim Ross, MDI Achieve](#); [Bernie Mangano, SigmaCare](#)

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Track 4 Board Room Discussions | **Meeting MU Criteria: Attending Physicians and Nurse Practitioners Use of Certified HIT**

All Attending Physicians working in LTPAC settings are classified by ONC/CMS regulations as Ambulatory Physicians. They are required to demonstrate and report Meaningful Use of a *Certified Ambulatory EHR* by October, 2014 or face penalties. Hardship exemptions are possible, but not certain. In addition, both Physicians and Nurse Practitioners working in LTPAC are usually eligible for the initial State Medicaid EHR payment of \$21,250 if they adopt, implement, or upgrade to Certified Technology. Learn how LTPAC facilities, pharmacies and software vendors can successfully collaborate with Physicians to benefit patients using ONC Certified Technology.

Facilitator: [Rod Baird](#)

11:20 a.m.–12:05
p.m.

Concurrent Sessions

Track 1 | **No LTPAC, No ACO!**

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There are three critical components for the success of healthcare reform because of the demographics of healthcare costs. This session discusses how new ACO models are addressing the five percent of Medicare beneficiaries that account for 65 percent of all Medicare expenditures, their characteristics, and the complexity of issues that affect their healthcare.

Speakers: [Terry O'Malley](#), [Larry Garber](#), [Carol Carew](#)

Track 2 | **CAST Telehealth and Remote Patient Monitoring Initiative**

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2nd Floor

This session will introduce the CAST Telehealth and Remote Patient Monitoring (RPM) white paper providing background on different types of RPM, their uses in LTPAC settings, and ROI for providers and payers. Presenter will walk through the most important steps in planning for, and selecting, telehealth and RPM solutions, providing an overview of functionalities and features.

Speakers: [Majd Alwan, CAST](#); [Jayne Green, Mercy Home Health](#), other speakers TBD.

Track 3 Case Studies | **Lite Integration, Interconnectivity, and Transform Interoperability Tools**

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Interoperability and Innovation Showcase Participants who demonstrated Lite Integration, Interconnectivity, and Transform Interoperability Tools that may not interface with, or substitute an EHR, to facilitate interoperability will provide an in-depth review of their interoperability solution, highlight innovative approaches and describe the results of implementing the solutions.

Moderator: *Paul Burnstein, CAST*; Speakers: [Zane Schott, BridgeGate International](#); *Ashley Swain, Lantana Consulting Group*; [Tina Beskie, Rosie Connect](#)

Track 4 Board Room Discussions | **Open Meeting of the ONC LTPAC State HIE Community of Practice**

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The session is an open meeting of the ONC LTPAC Community of Practice (CoP). During this discussion session, attendees will understand the purpose of the CoP and engage with policy-makers and implementers on identifying opportunities to expand HIE in LTPAC and prioritizing future advancements such as medication management, lab integration, advance directives and others.

Facilitators: *Elizabeth Palena Hall, ONC*; *Bill Russell, MD*

12:05–1:05 p.m.

Lunch—Constellation C–F

1:05–1:50 p.m.

Concurrent Sessions

Constellation A

Track 1 | **LTPAC and the HIPAA HITECH Omnibus Rule**

The HIPAA Security Rule is law and also a core requirement under HITECH and Meaningful Use objectives. The rule is complex and can be difficult to know where to start and navigate. This session will cover the rule components, intentions, value, enforcement, ramifications, practical implementation, and recent Omnibus modifications.

Speaker: [John DiMaggio](#)

Constellation B

Track 2 | **CAST EHR Initiative Update and Tools**

This session will provide an update on the CAST EHR initiative. Speakers will review the Functionalities and Features added to the updated CAST EHR Selection Matrix, including Clinical Decision Support Systems (CDSS), Interoperability Standards, and Health Information Exchange (HIE) capabilities. Moreover, attendees will learn about LTPAC EHR products added to the matrix, including EHRs designed for PACE. Speakers will demonstrate the CAST Online EHR Selection Tool. Finally, the session will include one or two Case Studies from providers who implemented EHRs and used advanced features, including CDSS and HIE to improve the quality and coordination of care.

Speakers: *Majd Alwan, CAST*; *Brian Yeaman, MD, Donna Conner ; Director, Clinical Information Systems, Aloha Nursing Rehab Centre*

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Track 3 Case Studies | **The Use of Health IT in Homecare to Support Shared Care and Information Exchange**

Eastern Maine Home Care has been actively engaged in a Pioneer ACO, patient-centered medical home, and hospital readmission initiative. Hear how this home care agency uses technology as a key enabler to support the new care delivery and payment models emerging in healthcare.

Speaker: [Carol Carew, Chief Nursing Officer, Eastern Maine Home Care](#)

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Track 4 Board Room Discussions | **Improving the Quality and Accuracy of Medication Reconciliation at Transition of Care**

Medication reconciliation is a critical care aspect especially during transitions of care. It's important for healthcare professionals to collaborate to improve medication safety as the patient transitions between patient care settings or levels of care. This session will discuss the issues and challenges LTPAC providers face with medication reconciliation and solutions emerging.

Facilitator: [Shelly Spiro, RPh, Pharmacy eHealth Information Technology Collaborative](#)

1:55–2:40 p.m.

Concurrent Sessions

Constellation A

Track 1 | **Talking EHR with the Nurse Executive Council and the CIO Consortium**

Carrying from our Monday general session presentation "The EHR-Based Solutions that LTPAC Providers Need Today," an expanded panel of CIOs and Nurse Executives will answer questions from a moderator and the audience. During this session, you will gain a deeper understanding of what members feel is missing in most EHR deployments today and how our long-term and post-acute settings can chart a better course to a more interconnect healthcare future.

Moderator: [Scott Ranson](#); Speakers: [Irene Fleshner](#); [Allan Crommett](#); [Rich Castor](#); [Karen McDonald](#)

Constellation B

Track 2 | **Real World LTPAC HIE Implementations**

This session highlights key initiatives and strategies deployed to advance health information exchange in LTPAC. Participants will hear findings from recent HHS/ASPE studies and hear from leaders on the strategies that have worked to bring LTPAC organizations into exchange organizations and get information moving.

Facilitator: [Jennie Harvell](#); Speakers: [Michelle Dougherty, AHIMA Foundation](#); [Colene Byrnes, PhD, Center for Health Information Technology, Westat](#); [Pamela Russell](#); [Sarah Orth](#); [Alisa Ray, CCHIT](#)

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2nd floor

Track 3 Case Studies | **Staying Connected While Aging in a Digital Era**

People choosing to age in place frequently get increasingly isolated. Digital technology is facilitating multiple avenues for increased communication and connectedness, but families are proving slow to adopt technology as a practical solution to the challenges of aging. This session will discuss the latest in sensor technology to detect routines or activities that might be out of the ordinary, and to notify families and caregivers by phone, e-mail, or text message should something be amiss.

Speaker: [Liddy Manson](#)

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Track 4 Board Room Discussions | **Developments in HCBS: CARE, Quality, and HIT**

Section 2701 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) raises the bar for advancing quality measures and quality measurement programs for adult Medicaid populations. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) is testing and making available new adult quality measures, including a library of "modified" CARE functional assessment elements, for use in Medicaid CB-LTSS. The presenters are seeking input from participants on benefits and challenges to standardizing data elements across CB-LTSS programs, use of CARE in other initiatives (for example, Massachusetts IMPACT challenge grant), and implications of broader implementation of standardized assessment items.

Facilitators: [Susan Joslin, CMS](#); [Anita Yuskas, CMS](#); [Don Mon, RTI](#); [Sue Mitchell, RTI](#)

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2:45–3:30 p.m. **LTPAC Informatics: Workforce Acceleration and Organizational Readiness**

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The 2013 Summit focused on the emerging care coordination and payment models underpinned by health IT, but successful use of health IT will be challenging without a knowledgeable and trained workforce. This final panel will wrap up the summit by discussing the concept of “LTPAC Informatics” as a unifying theme for discussion of workforce acceleration and development of organizational readiness, and identify/comment on specific training, education and specialized support needs. The panelists, selected to reflect provider, state level program sponsor and educational organization experience and perspectives with workforce acceleration and organizational readiness programs and issues will each present their views on needs, current levels of accomplishment and future opportunities.

Moderator: [Thomas Mottl](#) Speakers: [Larry Wolf, Health IT Strategist, Kindred Healthcare](#); [Larry Garber](#), Greg Alexander, and [Peter Carcia](#)

3:30 p.m. **Closing of the Ninth Annual LTPAC HIT Summit**

Speaker: [Larry Wolf, Health IT Strategist, Kindred Healthcare](#)