IT Connects the World at the IHE NA Connectathon and HIMSS Interoperability Showcase 2018

An Introductory Webinar for New and Past Participants
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- IHE’s Relationship to ONC’s initiatives
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IHE is the foundation of health information exchange in the USA and globally.

Millions of patient lives are impacted by IHE!

DEPLOYMENTS IN THE USA
60 Health Information Exchanges
167 Hospitals or Health Systems
7 Major Interoperability Initiatives
Advancing Interoperability in the US

National Policies and Rulings
- [ONC 2016 Interoperability Standards Advisory](#)
- [Nationwide Health IT Interoperability Roadmap](#)
- [2015 Edition Health Information Technology Certification Criteria](#)

Industry Leaders
- Continua Guidelines
- HL7 FHIR® including FHIR based IHE Profiles
- American College of Cardiology

National Initiatives and Projects
- eHealth Exchange & Carequality
- Concert By HIMSS™ certification
- New York ehealth Collaborative
- IHE Conformity Assessment
- Direct Project
- CommonWell Health Alliance
- RSNA Image Share Validation
- Strategic HIE Collaborative (SHIEC)
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The Office of the National Coordinator and IHE

- Welcome Michael J. McCoy, MD, FACOG, Senior Fellow HIMSS
- Michael is the IHE International Co-Chair and IHE USA Representative to ONC

Agenda
- Overview of ONC’s current focus and future vision
- Explain how IHE enables ONC’s vision for Health IT
ONC – Current Focus

Proposed Interoperability Standards Measurement Framework

• Measuring interoperability is essential to monitoring progress towards a goal set by Congress
## ONC – Current Focus

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Trusted Exchange Framework and Common Agreement

“Not later than 6 months after the date of enactment...the National Coordinator shall convene appropriate public and private stakeholders to develop or support a trusted exchange framework for trust policies and practices and for a common agreement for exchange between health information networks. The common agreement may include –

“(I) a common method for authenticating trusted health information network participants;

“(II) a common set of rules for trusted exchange;

“(III) organizational and operational policies to enable the exchange of health information among networks, including minimum conditions for such exchange to occur; and

“(IV) a process for filing and adjudicating noncompliance with the terms of the common agreement.

21st Century Cures Act - Section 4003(b)
ONC – Current Focus
Trusted Exchange

- Purpose and Scope of Arrangement
- Permitted Purposes for Data Exchange
- Permitted Participants
- Identity Proofing and Authentication
- Technical Approach and Infrastructure
- Cooperation and Non-Discrimination
- Accountability

*Trusted Exchange Framework and Common Agreement Kickoff Meeting*
ONC – Current Focus
National Trust Frameworks and Network-to-Network Connectivity

Initiatives built on IHE Profiles
ONC – Current Focus

Public Comment Areas (Option for Supplying Comments to ONC)

- **Standardization:** Adhere to industry and federally recognized standards, policies, best practices, and procedures.
- **Transparency:** Conduct all exchange openly and transparently.
- **Cooperation and Non-Discrimination:** Collaborate with stakeholders across the continuum of care to exchange electronic health information, even when a stakeholder may be a business competitor.
- **Security and Patient Safety:** Exchange electronic health information securely and in a manner that promotes patient safety and ensures data integrity.
- **Access:** Ensure that patients and their caregivers have easy access to their electronic health information.
- **Data-Driven Choice:** Exchange multiple records at one time to enable identification and trending of data to lower the cost of care and improve the health of the population, and enable consumer choice.

- **General Comments Category**
# ONC – Current Focus

## Trusted Exchange Framework and Common Agreement Timeline (Preliminary Internal Targets)

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ONC – Future Vision

• Testing for Certified Products
  • 5-year Goal to Transition the ONC Health IT Certification Program’s Testing Portfolio
  • First Step: NCQA’s electronic clinical quality measure (eCQM) testing method as an alternative

• Open Application Program Interface (APIs)

• Consumer Access
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What is an IHE Connectathon?

• Participants test the interoperability of their systems based on IHE Profiles and U.S. Based Initiatives including C-CDA documents and Cancer Reporting over five days
• Peer-to-Peer testing is live, structured, and supervised
• Industry members collaborate in a neutral testing environment
• IHE’s technical management team & trained industry professionals oversee all testing
• Week also includes Plug-a-thons, networking and educational events to advance interoperability
IHE NA Connectathon 2018

• **Save the date:** January 15-19, 2018
• Huntington Convention Center of Cleveland and HIMSS Innovation Center
• Downtown Cleveland, OH

Visit their websites to learn more at [himssinnovationcenter.org](http://himssinnovationcenter.org) and [clevelandconventions.com](http://clevelandconventions.com)
Key Benefits to Participation

• Build quality into your products
• Reduce product development costs and time to market
• Gain knowledge from industry’s top health IT professional and experts
• Test product capabilities with key players such as:
  o EMR and device vendors
  o Public health agencies
  o Key infrastructure players
• Demonstrate leadership in interoperability
• Qualify to participate in the public demonstrations including HIMSS Interoperability Showcase™ across the globe
  o Learn more at www.interoperabilityshowcase.org

Rapid debugging and problem resolution

Months of work completed in minutes: able to identify problems, recode, and retest in 10 minutes.

Access to 140+ systems

Access to 20+ tools and their developers

Access to team of 60+ monitors (industry professionals)

Practical experience and learning opportunities

#EmpowerHIT
IHE NA Connectathon Testing Options

IHE Connectathon Testing – January 15-19, 2018
• IHE Profiles
• U.S. Based Initiatives including:
  o HL7’s Consolidated Clinical Document Architecture (C-CDA) Version 2.1
  o Cancer Registry Reporting

New Plug-a-thons Tacks – Dates vary
• January 16-17, 2018
  o Devices on FHIR®©
  o The Internet of Medical Things
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  o mHealth
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IHE Connectathon Results

- IHE publishes results for all actor/profile pairs tested
  - Results published in the IHE Connectathon Results Database
- IHE does not guarantee conformance to your customers
- IHE never publishes failures or incomplete tests
- IHE Connectathon testing is not certification
- Successful testing leads to demonstration at the HIMSS18 Interoperability Showcase™
  - March 6-8, 2018 in Las Vegas, Nevada
  - [www.himssinteroperabilityshowcase.org](http://www.himssinteroperabilityshowcase.org)
# IHE NA Connectathon 2018 Planning & Registration Schedule

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| On-site Testing | January 15-19, 2018 |
IHE NA Connectathon Test Selection

- View the list of IHE Profiles offered for testing this year: [http://tinyurl.com/yblj2ae2](http://tinyurl.com/yblj2ae2)
- Visit IHE website to read the full listing of IHE Profiles in each domain: [www.ihe.net/profiles/index.cfm](http://www.ihe.net/profiles/index.cfm)

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IHE Profile Selection – Start asking questions today

What IHE Profiles will you test?
• Registration requires selection of IHE Profiles (not just a contract)
• Read the brief profile descriptions at www.ihe.net/Profiles
• Read IHE’s technical frameworks at www.ihe.net/Technical_Frameworks
• Watch IHE International free educational webinars online at www.ihe.net/Webinars

Manage Expectations
• Start asking the Technical Project Managers questions now
• Determine outside factors that influence IHE Profile selection
• Assign staff and resources now for IHE NA Connectathon 2018

Contact Steve Moore at: Naconnectathon.helpdesk@gmail.com
System Registration
September 6 – October 6, 2017

• Follow instructions on IHE USA’s System Registration webpage www.iheusa.org/system-registration

• Register your system and submit your signed contract and payment by October 6, 2017

• Review IHE USA’s Policies and Guidelines www.iheusa.org/participant-resources
  o Guidebook for IHE NA Connectathon 2018
  o Designed to ensure successful testing
  o Incorporated into system contract

• IHE’s Technical Project Manager Support Page
  o https://gazelle.ihe-europe.net/cat/NA2018
IHE Connectathon System Fees

• $8,700 for base (1) test system
• $4,700 for each additional test system
• Participant can test multiple IHE Profiles across multiple domains on their system
• All payments and signed contracts due October 6, 2017

System Fees include:
• Table with two (2) chairs on-site
• Access to the Connectathon network
• Electrical service
• Access to test tools to support preparation
• Staff support from registration through the end of testing

Visit the system registration page for more details:
ww.iheusa.org/ihe-connectathon-registration
IHE Connectathon Badge Fees

- Connectathon Badges are **not** included in the system fees
- IHE USA recommends two staff members for every one system registered to support successful testing
- For more information visit [www.iheusa.org/badge-registration](http://www.iheusa.org/badge-registration)

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HIMSS Interoperability Showcase

• IHE NA Connectathon provides testing for participants that are demonstrating IHE Profiles* in the HIMSS Interoperability Showcase

• Registration for these events requires two (2) separate contracts and fees

*If you are demonstrating an IHE profile you must register, attend and successfully pass at an IHE Connectathon (separate fee required). Your system must have tested that profile at a Global Connectathon within 12 months prior to conference.
# IHE NA Connectathon 2018
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• Join the IHE NA Connectathon Google Group NA_connectathon+subscribe@googlegroups.com
• Leverage IHE’s Technical Project Manager Support Page: https://gazelle.ihe-europe.net/cat/NA2018

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Health IT Plug-a-thon Tracks

• Organized around specific Health IT topics that are in the developmental stage of their connectivity or interoperability maturity

• Provides a venue for connectivity options and opportunities to be discussed and developed by partner systems

• Targeted use cases that are determined by participants

• Two-day event including introductory presentations to increase awareness of potential health IT standards that could be leveraged

• Participation Fees
  o $500 participation fee, plus daily badge fees
  o Fee waived for companies participating in the IHE NA Connectathon; Participants must have both IHE NA Connectathon testing and Plug-a-thon desks stationed at all times
  o Special considerations for Health Care Providers/ Health Information Organizations that bring their data – Contact jtdonnelly@intepro.biz for more information
Plug-a-Thon: mHealth Track

mHealth Track is an exploration to connect the new, prolific generation of Health IT participant; the smartphone app and internet cloud product developer, with the current keepers of healthcare data; the health systems, integrated delivery networks (IDNs), and Health Information Exchanges.

It is a collaborative effort between data “owner” organizations and new, innovative application developers.

Systems and Applications include:
- Smartphone app developers
- Patient & provider services in the Cloud, and Cloud Interface vendors
- FHIR® enabled apps (edge systems)
- Health system and Health Information Organizations with clinical data or FHIR® servers

mHealth Track:
January 17-18, 2018
Plug-a-Thon: Devices on FHIR®© Track

Devices on FHIR (DoF) leverages HL7 FHIR to exchange health device information: on-demand, real-time, granular. This RESTful technology can simplify utilization of this content in knowledge-driven applications such as clinical decision support, care coordination, precision medicine and analytics (population health & predictive).

Devices on FHIR is a collaborative effort between 3 key organizations:

Systems and Applications include:
- Health Devices (personal health and acute / chronic care)
- Infrastructure systems (gateways, FHIR servers, identity managers)
- Applications & Services (CDS, care coordination…)

Devices on FHIR Track: January 16-17, 2018
Plug-a-Thon: Internet of Medical Things Track

Internet of Medical Things is aimed to explore the new tier of connectivity grounded in the growing number of medical equipment, facility and resource management solutions leveraging sensors information.

It is a collaborative effort between facility and resource management, information technology and biomed departments and the maturing sensor marketplace

Systems and Applications include:
- Hospital facility management systems
- Sensor manufactures/vendors
- Ambulatory care clinic facility management systems
## Plug-a-thon Key Activities & Dates

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New! Plug-a-thon Sponsorship Available

Support vendor collaboration and innovation at the IHE NA Connectathon Plug-a-thons with over 500 of the industry’s top engineers, architects and project managers.

• Open to all stakeholders for that Plug-a-thon topic
  • Healthcare industry associations and societies
  • Professional associations and colleges
  • Care provider organizations, regional/state Health Information Organizations and Networks
  • Health IT vendors and trade associations
• Multiple sponsors per track permissible
• Open invitation to participate on all Plug-a-thon planning WebEx’s
Sponsorship Benefits

Marketing: Company name or logo displayed on:
• All communications promoting the testing track
• Displayed in prominent areas on-site
• Featured on IHE USA’s website
• Featured at IHE USA presentation at HIMSS18 Annual Conference
• Provide a overview of your organization during the track’s educational sessions onsite

Value:
• Use of IHE USA Plug-a-thon sponsor designation on own marketing materials
• Daily badge fee waived for attendance at Plug-a-thon event onsite
• For vendors, no charge to test your 2nd system at the IHE NA Connectathon 2018 ($5,200+ value)

Investment: $14,500 (per Track)
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HIMSS17 Interoperability Showcase™

*HIMSS18 Interoperability Showcase Details
HIMSS Interoperability Showcase at HIMSS18

HIMSS Interoperability Showcase – a premier 34,000-square-foot exhibition that displays, in real time, the exchange and use of data through interoperability profiles and standards with live products currently in the marketplace.
At HIMSS18 We Seek to...

• Demonstrate standards-based technology that improves access to and exchange of information to improve outcomes and enable continuity of care
• Goal of 8,234 unique attendees (5% increase from FY17)
• 25 Education sessions
HIMSS17 Interoperability Showcase Impact

- 19 Connected demonstrations: 117 systems representing 66 organizations
- 380 schedule demonstrations of standard based interoperability
- 21 VIP or specialty tours, including the Dutch Minister of Health and the Nursing and Physician communities.
- 35 vendor whitepapers and 8 vendor blogs developed
- 22 education sessions with over 1,500 attendees
- 1.9M reached through social media
- Over 10,000 visitors were scanned entering the Interoperability Showcase
- **7,482** of those were unique (Demographics available on our website)
Average length of time spent in the HIMSS Showcase

- Based on wireless data - We were able to capture information about the wireless devices within the Showcase
- At any given time during exhibit hours, on average 1,400 individual devices spent 20-60 minutes in the Showcase,
- 1,300 individual devices spent over an hour!
**Draft Use Case** Category Titles

- Virtual Care: Rural Settings
- Cancer and Imaging
- Immunization and Vaccination
- Opioid Addiction Care
- Home Health Referral Management
- Medication Management
- Patient Identification & Security
- Labor and Delivery
- Diabetes and Cardiovascular Risk Factors
- Telehealth: Improving Stroke Systems of Care in Rural and Underserved Areas

- Heart Attack
- Malnutrition
- Cancer Registry and Discovery
- Revenue Cycle
- NICU
- Transplant
- Healthy Habits
- Battlefield to Bedside
- International Care

*HIMSS18 Interoperability Showcase Details*
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Steps to Participate

- Review the Use Case Categories
- Determine what system(s) you would want to demonstrate
- Determine what standard(s) you are demonstrating*
- Fill out the Participant Interest and Goals Survey
- Contact salesinfo@himss.org to complete your contract

*If you are demonstrating an IHE profile you must register, attend and successfully pass at an IHE Connectathon (separate fee required). Your system must have tested that profile at a Global Connectathon within 12 months prior to conference.
Participation Timelines

Today!
- Reach out and begin discussions on how you would like to participate! The earlier the better so we can customize for you.

Early November
- Use Case Demonstration Planning Calls start

January 18-19, 2018
- Face to Face meeting in Cleveland, Ohio

March 4-5, 2018, Las Vegas, Nevada
- Demonstration Setup (9am-5pm)

March 6-8, 2018, Las Vegas, Nevada
- Tuesday March 6, 9:30 am – 6:00 pm
- Wednesday, March 7, 9:30 am – 6:00 pm
- Thursday, March 8, 9:30 am – 4:00 pm
Thank you for your participation at HIMSS18

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Q&A Session

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• Today’s webinar will be recorded and posted online at www.iheusa.org/webinars-ihe-usa