

Health Information Exchange Steering Committee Meeting

Strategic Planning Session

September 16, 2024

Agenda

- Introductions
- 2024 Results
- Top 3 items from each org for 2025-2026 HIE Strategic Plan
- Prioritization
- Wrap up

2024 Results to Last Years Strategic Plan

Year	Goal	Current Status	Current Status	Outlook for Dec 2024 Status	On Track	Notes
2024	Data Governance					
	SDOH Data Governance	Closed	100%	100%	Yes	The SDOH Data Governance Subcommittee has been stood up and is meeting regularly to establish the framework.
	Patient Education & Provider Outreach					
	Ongoing focus on patient education and provider outreach by VITL	Executing	80%	100%	Yes	VITL has performed ongoing patient education through media campaigns and is engaging providers who are not connected to the VHIE.
	Data Completeness, Quality, and Standardization					
	Data Standardization	Closed	100%	100%	Yes	DAs worked in partnership with AHS to standardize EHR elements to USCDI. Standard ADT and CCD feeds were used with a baseline of standard USCDI elements. No customizations.
	Medicaid Data Access and Aggregation (MDAAP) Implementation	Executing	25%	65%	Yes	Program design complete, MDAAP has moved to implementation and work is anticipated to be completed in December 2025.
	Maintenance & Operations Cost Focus					
	Focus on cost competitiveness for M&O costs - KPI development	Planning	15%	25%	Yes	VITL and AHS are collaborating on developing KPIs for this work.
	Connectivity					
	Provider connections/interfaces	Executing	88%	100%	Yes	Completed 87 interfaces to date (goal is 114 by calendar year end). This includes 13 completed bi-directional exchange of immunization data (IBID) interfaces, with 7 more estimated by years end. This number is slightly lower than last year, but includes a larger portion of more complex interfaces.
	Part 2 Data - all Designated Agencies are connected to the HIE	Closed	100%	100%	Yes	Connectivity completed between VITL and the two EHR Vendors - Netsmart and Credible; altogether 20 interfaces from 10 Designated Agencies (DA). Data is flowing.
	Development work to start for HIE to serve as the Medicaid Data Warehouse					
	VITL to be operator of Unified Health Data Space (data warehouse)	Planning	45%	50%	Yes	VITL is a key player in the DDI with the State's selected vendor.
	Application Programming Interfaces (APIs)					
	Implement FHIR APIs	Delayed	25%	40%	Partial	VITL's initial selected vendor was unable to agree to standard State terms and conditions. This work is anticipated to be completed by 6/30/25.
	SDOH Roadmap					
	Complete engagement with NORC on the development of an SDOH Roadmap for AHS.	Executing	50%	75%	Yes	SDOH Roadmap contract has been signed with NORC and work will be completed in early 2025.
	Integrate Dept of Health data into the HIE					
	VDH-VHIE Integration Strategy	Closed	100%	100%	Yes	Contract scope was successfully completed with Brilljent, LLC in December 2023 and is being used for the pilot which includes bulk and manual uploaded vaccination data and birth data.
	Analytics Layer					
	Stakeholder and requirements gathering RFP	Planning	25%	50%	Yes	We have a selected vendor for this work and expect to complete stakeholder and requirements gathering in early 2025.
	Care Coordination & Referral Management					
Scoping, Requirements Gathering, & Procurement	Delayed	0%	0%	No	Would like to re-evaluate with SC if this is a high priority item to continue.	
Provider Directory						
Scoping & Requirements Gathering, Procurement, Data Governance and Implementation	Delayed	0%	5%	Partial	Data quality aspects of this are in VITL's FY25 contract and once completed will enable them to perform provider matching through their vendor. Would like to re-evaluate if there are use cases for implementation with SC if this is a priority item to continue.	
Explore Options - Rural/Smaller Independent Providers						
Scoping & Stakeholder Identification	Planning	15%	25%	Yes	VITL and AHS have been discussing this and plan to continue that engagement in 2025.	

Top 3 Strategic Items Per Organization

Wrap Up / Logistics

Will's requests to the HIE Steering Committee

- What are your thoughts on how we can better streamline/format the plan?
- Last years plan:
https://healthdata.vermont.gov/sites/healthdata/files/documents/HIEStrategicPlan_2023Update_Modification%20Requests%20from%20GMCB.pdf
- We made progress last year, what could we do to continue to improve the plan?