



CommonWell is driving health data exchange to help improve care coordination and health outcomes nationwide

Our Vision

CommonWell Health Alliance is a not-for-profit trade association devoted to the simple vision that health data should be available to individuals and caregivers regardless of where care occurs. Additionally, access to this data must be built into health IT at a reasonable cost for use by a broad range of health care providers and the people they serve.

Our Approach

The average person sees more than 18 care providers in their lifetime. Each provider has their own electronic health record and other clinical data sources to manage their patients' care. Most patients believe that their physicians have access to all their health data, but the reality is that health data is still very siloed.

CommonWell built a national interoperability infrastructure and person-centric network, focusing first on data exchange for treatment purposes and expanding across the care continuum into patient-driven and payment and operations data exchange. We continue to expand our reach by connection to other venues of care and with other health information networks and organizations, like Carequality and TEFCASM.



Get Connected



The Alliance is open to all organizations who are aligned with our vision to make health data accessible, helping to improve care coordination and health outcomes. Members today range from health systems to non-profits, government agencies to health IT vendors and much more.

CommonWell is a network of health IT service providers that share a common vision: to enable seamless access to health data across the care continuum. By using CommonWell services, providers can connect with other participating organizations and exchange health information securely and efficiently.

By selecting CommonWell as their network of choice and QHIN, providers can benefit from the best-in-class network, services, and patient-centric approach that CommonWell offers. CommonWell is the ideal partner for providers who want to join the national movement for health data exchange and improve the quality, safety, and efficiency of care delivery.



"CommonWell enables providers to give patients what they thought they were already getting: a provider who knows their story. And this is possible because once linked in the CommonWell network, providers can access records immediately and electronically from other providers across the nation, not just locally ... [CommonWell] is a game changer for the industry that is ultimately resulting in better value, vastly improved patient experience, reduced costs and decreased provider frustration."

Dr. Arthur Lauretano

Chief Medical Officer Circle Health (Lowell, Mass.)

Who is Connected

Connectivity in all 50 states, DC and Puerto Rico · Exchanging with external frameworks, including Careguality and TEFCA









Labs







Ambulatory

Intermediaries

Home Health

IAS







Hospitals **Health Systems**



Pharmacy

Post-Acute LTC



CommonWell Core Services

CommonWell core services aim to enable health care practitioners to manage patient identity, link patients across organizations and facilitate secure data access, alerts and exchange beyond one's own system or community. Our services are essential to the exchange of health data along the care continuum nationwide.



Master Person Index (MPI)

The CommonWell MPI matches patients across their care settings and offers both an automated and manual approach to handle patient matching at scale.



Record Locator Service (RLS)

The CommonWell RLS associates the patient across all of their care locations. This means that one query can request data from all care locations without the need for geo-searching or geographic limitations.



Data Broker

Because the patient and their care locations are known, the Data Broker can query and retrieve documents from all organizations on behalf of the requesting organization. This hub model removes the need for point-to-point connections.



Trust Network

CommonWell has governance, policies and procedures in which the adopters of the service agree to operate. While CommonWell itself never stores clinical data, the platform uses a layered security approach to help ensure the safety of the clinical and demographic data being transferred.

Learn More About How to Get Connected at www.commonwellalliance.org



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