

Interboro RHIO and NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation Join the Statewide Health Information Network of New York

The Statewide Health Information Network of New York (SHIN-NY) today announces a partnership with New York City's Interboro Regional Health Information Organization (RHIO). This alliance is the next step in unifying New York State's existing regional health records exchanges into a strong statewide network. The SHIN-NY will improve healthcare and reduce costs by making health records securely accessible by providers treating a patient anywhere in the state. The SHIN-NY is run by the New York eHealth Collaborative (NYeC).

Interboro RHIO's health records exchange is broad, and includes hospitals, trauma centers, long-term care facilities, diagnostic centers, and private practices. Interboro's participants include the NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation (NYCHHC) and its founding members include several HHC entities (Elmhurst Hospital Center, HHC Health & Home Care, MetroPlus, Queens Hospital Center, Woodhull Medical and Mental Health Center) along with New York Hospital Queens and Visiting Nurse Services of New York.

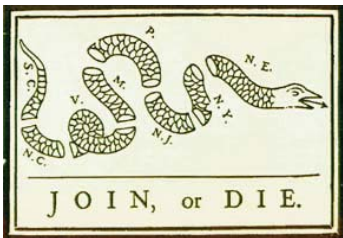
Read more here:

<http://nyehealth.org/news-list/interboro-rhio-and-nyc-hhc-join-the-statewide-network-release/>

The NYeC Blog: Join a RHIO or Else



Posted by: David Whitlinger on August 13, 2012



Given the immediate nature of blogging, we have the ability to be timely in discussing different topics as they arise. So, today, I'll interrupt the thread that was started last week, relating to Health Homes and the Digital Health Accelerator, to jump onto something very topical. Last Friday, Crain's published a brief article with an intriguing headline:

"Join a RHIO, or else, DoH Says."

Here is an excerpt:

"The panel told the Hospital for Special Surgery and Memorial Sloan-Kettering that they could have certificates of need for two pending construction projects only if they agree to participate in a Regional Health Information Organization—an electronic network for sharing patients' medical records and other health documents. Getting the state's health care facilities fully interconnected is a major goal of the state and the federal governments."

Read the rest of Dave's blog here: <http://nyehealth.org/join-a-rhio-or-else/>

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