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New York State's Healthcare Revolution: Data

New York's health commissioner, Dr. Nirav Shah, wants to put the state at the forefront of a data revolution in healthcare that not only would improve medical treatment, but would also empower consumers and entrepreneurs. "If you can measure it, you can improve it," Shah said. "Data is the next national resource."

Read more.
(Source: New York Newsday)

Mana Health Awarded Contract to Build the Patient Portal for New Yorkers

New York City-based health IT start-up, Mana Health, was awarded the vendor contract to build the Patient Portal for New Yorkers. The portal is a website through which New Yorkers will be able to access their healthcare records safely and securely online.

Read more.

RHIO Spotlight: Southern Tier HealthLink

Learn about what Binghamton-area RHIO, Southern Tier HealthLink (STHL), does as an organization, what information is available in the STHL Health Information Exchange, and the various ways providers can connect with STHL.

View video.

Provider Interconnectivity Initiative: Improve Care Coordination and Patient Outcomes

Three New York State healthcare providers, Dr. Sumir Sahgal (Bronx, NY), Dr. Eugene Heslin (Saugerties, NY), and Dr. Frank Masselli (Bronx, NY), were selected as part of the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology's (ONC) inaugural class of Health IT Fellows. The 28 Fellows from 18 states are clinicians, office staff, and administrative office champions who have achieved Meaningful Use and leveraged it to become more efficient and innovative in their practices.

Read more.
(Source: Health IT Buzz)

Two-Factor Authentication, Opt-in Law Help Enforce HIE Security

Dan Porreca, Executive Director of HEALTHeLINK, describes two key steps in his organization's overall HIE security policy. HEALTHeLINK serves 2,627 providers in New York, an opt-in state, which means patients treated by one of the HIE's participating facilities must give their approval for their data to be shared amongst the other providers participating in the HIE.

Read more.
(Source: SearchHealthIT)

NY Digital Health Accelerator Pitches Investors at First-Ever National Accelerator Demo Day

Last month, 16 diverse business accelerators from across the country, including the NY Digital Health Accelerator, gathered in Washington, D.C. to pitch their programs as part of the U.S. Small Business Administration's inaugural Accelerator Demo Day.

Read more.

(Source: U.S. Small Business Administration)

Partnership Fund for NYC's CEO, Maria Gotsch

2013 Digital Health Conference

Join over 1,200 of your peers at the November 14-15 Digital Health Conference (DHC) as they come together to hear insights, ideas, and analysis from industry thought leaders and innovators who are shaping the future of healthcare through the use of technology.

Register by Friday, September 20th to receive the early bird rate.

Register now.

In the News

Paul Francis and Michael Golden Appointed to the NYeC Board of Directors

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ONC Makes Progress on 5 Strategic Goals

ONC recently posted a progress report assessing its achievements across their Federal Health IT Strategic Plan's five goals. "Federal investments in a wide array of programs and activities, including the Meaningful Use EHR Incentive Program, have impacted the health IT marketplace, allowing the healthcare system to improve health and healthcare," ONC said in the progress report.

Read more.
(Source: Government Health IT)

NFL Embraces Diagnostic Imaging, EHRs

The Buffalo Bills recently announced they will partner with Carestream Health to develop new imaging technology aimed at early detection of brain injuries. It's just the latest development for a league that's deploying health IT in football stadiums nationwide.

Read more.
(Source: Healthcare IT News)

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Bally's Atlantic City
1900 Pacific Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ
September 25-27, 2013

Keynote Speakers

"Meaningful Use Stage 3 Care Coordination: Preparing for Collaborative Care"
Charlene Underwood, MBA, FHIMSS

"The Future of Healthcare and Provider Sponsor Plans"
Annette Cantino, CEO of Qualcare

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NYC Health Business Leaders
New York's New Health Disruptor: Meet Cornell Tech

Alexandria Center for Life Science
450 East 29th Street, 2nd Floor, New York, NY
Thursday, October 10, 2013, 8:00 – 10:00 am breakfast

The new Cornell Tech is now taking shape, bringing academia and industry together to turn ideas into products and solve problems directly relevant to New York's leading industries. Healthcare features prominently in the school's curriculum and research agenda. In partnership with the Technion-Israel Institute of Technology, Cornell Tech will be designing the "Healthier Life" hub with an innovative two-year degree, industrial research projects and intense corporate engagement around health.

For the first time, Cornell Tech Dean Dan Huttenlocher and Professor Deborah Estrin — a mobile health pioneer with a joint appointment at Weill Cornell Medical College — will share their vision for how the campus will contribute to the city's tech, health and life science ecosystem. They will be joined by Dr. Curtis Cole, Chief Information Officer at Weill Cornell, one of the experts and thought leaders that the campus is engaging to navigate the complexity inherent in health and medicine.nsor Plans"

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