

# NYeCNews

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## Final Chance to Register for 2018 Gala & Awards



Our November 27th [Gala & Awards](#) is just a few weeks away! Join us for a night of festive celebration as we recognize and honor the leaders whose vision and extraordinary accomplishments have transformed healthcare across New York State and beyond.

Don't miss your chance to be a part of an exclusive community of leaders from New York State's largest and most prominent health systems, health plans, associations, and public sector organizations.

Register today to celebrate and join the leaders shaping the future of care in our state.

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**TRANSFORMATIVE LEADERSHIP AWARD**

 **Michael Dowling**  
President & CEO  
Northwell Health

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**2018 HONOREES**

 **Linda Lambert, CAE**  
Executive Director, New York State  
Chapter of the American College  
of Physicians

 **Ido Schoenberg, MD**  
Chairman & CEO  
American Well

 **Roy Schoenberg  
MD, MPH**  
President & CEO  
American Well

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**MASTER OF CEREMONIES**

 **Max Gomez, MD**  
Senior Medical Correspondent  
CBS News

## The SHIN-NY Answers the Call for Social Determinants of Health



**NYeC Director, SHIN-NY Programs Carianne Borut with Toby Lewis, Business Strategy Analyst presenting our poster at the event.**

NYeC recently submitted the SHIN-NY as an innovation and a creative way to improve patient outcomes through social determinants of health as a part of the New York State Department of Health’s Social Determinants of Health “Call for Innovations’ Initiative”. Out of over 200 applications, NYeC was selected to participate in a poster board presentation session to showcase our proposed innovation to approximately 500 attendees during the Social Determinants of Health Innovation Summit.

NYeC and the SHIN-NY’s shared mission with the Qualified Entities to improve healthcare by collaboratively leading, connecting, and integrating health information exchange across the state makes the organization an ideal partner to promote usage of and exchange of nonclinical data elements like Social Determinants of Health by potentially leveraging the existing SHIN-NY infrastructure.

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## Data Exchange Incentive Program (DEIP) Extended

The New York State Department of Health, with support from the Centers of Medicare & Medicaid Services, recently granted a two-year funding extension for the [Data Exchange Incentive Program \(DEIP\)](#). The program provides funding to eligible healthcare providers to connect to one of the state’s [Qualified Entities](#) and exchange health data through the [Statewide Health Information for Network \(SHIN-NY\)](#).

Since its launch in 2015, DEIP has enrolled over 650 organizations and has distributed close to \$5 million incentives to New York providers reaching data sharing milestones. NYeC manages DEIP and administers the payment of incentives to providers on behalf of the New York State Department of Health.

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## Join Our Team!

Healthcare is undergoing an unprecedented transformation through digital health—do you want to be at the center of it in New York State?

### Albany Opportunities

- [Clinical Informatics Manager](#)
- [Compliance Auditor](#)
- [Program Specialist](#)
- [Senior Information Security Engineer](#)
- [Vice President, Innovation](#)

### Opportunities Available in either Albany or New York City

The positions listed below can be operated out of either our Albany or New York City offices.

- [Data Services Manager](#)
- [Marketing Communications Specialist](#)

NYeC is an equal opportunity employer.

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## National HIT Week



This October 8-12, we were a proud partner of U.S. National Health IT Week. The nationwide awareness week focused on catalyzing actionable change within the U.S. health system through the application of information and technology.

Comprehensive healthcare reform is not possible without system-wide adoption of health information technology, which improves the quality of care delivery, increases patient safety, decreases medical errors, and strengthens the interaction between patients and healthcare providers.

Initiated in 2006 by the Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS), National Health IT Week has emerged as a landmark occasion for using health IT as part of the overall solution to improve America's healthcare as a bipartisan, federally led, market driven initiative.

Working together with [several NHIT Week partners](#), we are helping to transform healthcare for all. We look forward to participating again next year!

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## How Care Coordination Tech Helped One Health Network Address Social Determinants

Social determinants of health—access to housing, food, education, transportation, employment and more—are key to wellness, because they're often the barriers that interfere with unmet physical and mental health needs.

A recent case study highlighted in *Healthcare IT News* shows how the Alliance for Better Health launched a referral network to help providers to ensure patients have access to housing, food, education, transportation and more.

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(Source: *Healthcare IT News*)

## Investing in Population Health? Start by Updating Your IT Infrastructure, Engaging Patients

The 2018 *HealthLeaders Media* Population Health Survey shows healthcare providers are investing across a broad spectrum of organizational needs in preparation for population health, and there are few areas that are immune from the need for improvement. IT infrastructure in particular accounts for a significant portion of the investment, because there are so many areas within it that require updating.

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(Source: *HealthLeaders Media*)

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## FYI: EP2 Program Updates!

### Final Reminder of 2017 Attestation Reporting Deadline: Today, October 31st

If you missed the 2017 attestation reporting period in MEIPASS, you might still have an opportunity to attest! The deadline to request an Attestation Deadline Extension (ADE) for Payment Year (PY) 2017 is today, October 31, 2018. Eligible Providers (EPs) may use this form to request a deadline extension by providing evidence that extenuating circumstances, beyond the provider's control, prevented the provider from attesting in MEIPASS by the deadline. NYS DOH will review all ADE requests and if granted, EPs will have until November 30, 2018 to attest in MEIPASS for PY 2017.

The ADE Request Form can be found here on the NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program website (under General Program Information) and must be submitted by October 31, 2018 to [attestation@health.ny.gov](mailto:attestation@health.ny.gov).

### EP2 CEHRT Upgrade Preparation Webinar on November 13th

Attention New York Medicaid EHR Incentive Program participants: Payment Year 2019 is fast approaching! Beginning in PY 2019, all EPs must have 2015 edition Certified Electronic Health Record Technology (CEHRT) to continue on the path towards Promoting Interoperability. The EP2 team will be hosting an educational webinar on November 13, 2018 discussing strategies for preparing for this upcoming transition to 2015 edition CEHRT.

Register here: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1181497106047855107>.

### MURPH Registration Deadline for 2018 MU Attestations

Eligible Providers must register their intent to submit data to the appropriate Public Health registries before or within 60 days from the start of their EHR Reporting Period! For those attesting to 2018 Meaningful Use, the last day to register is December 1st. EPs who previously registered with MURPH, and need to make any changes, must update their existing MURPH Registration rather than start a new registration.

Questions? Contact the New York Medicaid EHR Incentive Program by phone at 1-877-646-5410, Option 3 or email [MUPublicHealthHelp@health.ny.gov](mailto:MUPublicHealthHelp@health.ny.gov).

To enroll and receive the complimentary support services offered through the [EP2 program](#), please contact NYeC's EP2 team at [EP2Info@nyehealth.org](mailto:EP2Info@nyehealth.org).

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## Improving the Quality of Healthcare Delivery with MU Implementation

One of NYeC's technical assistant providers, TechLeaders Consulting (TLC), was featured in *Healthcare Tech Outlook* as one of the top ten HIT consulting firms in the country. TLC offers practice transformation services that help their clients assess their environment and workflow pattern to determine if it matches the requirements of their program. "NYeC runs a number of programs that assist providers by offering education and support for implementing technologies and processes to improve healthcare delivery across New York State. We are pleased to collaborate and partner with skilled organizations, such as TechLeaders Consulting LLC," said Valerie Grey, Executive Director of the New York eHealth Collaborative.

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## Partner Events and Opportunities



**Thursday, November 15, 2018**  
**8:00am – 12:00pm**

### **Crain's Health Care Summit: The Promise of Population Health – Healing New York's Neighborhoods**

Join *Crain's* and industry leaders to engage in a thoughtful discussion of best practices in population health and the challenges ahead. The interest in population health is growing in New York, as value-based payments gain ground and providers take on more risk. Many of these initiatives have taken place under DSRIP. Once the DSRIP expires in 2020, will the momentum in population health continue? And how can successful programs be broadened to serve non-Medicaid populations?

Register with promo code "ehealth" for a discount on ticket and table prices.

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