

Building the Bridge to Better Health

HIT Roadmap Tracker
Quarter 3
Calendar Year 2023

HIT Roadmap Initiatives



Identify
Champions
and
Empower
Leaders



Enhance
Health Data
Utility



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Michigan's
Digital
Divide



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Onboarding
and
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Assistance



Protect
Public
Health



Adopt
Standards
For Social
Care Data
Fields

2023 HITC Recommendations

1. Expand and Diversify HIT Commission
2. Create Multipayor HIE Incentive inventory
3. Improve Data Quality and Conformance
4. Support for Broadband Access and Expansion
5. Technical Assistance and Training support
6. Support for Surrogate Consent Legislation





Tracking progress:

1. Identify champions and empower leaders

INITIATIVE: Identify champions and empower leaders	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
1A-1: Track, monitor, evaluate roadmap	MDHHS					
1B-1: Refresh state Health IT governance	HIT Commission / MDHHS					



Tracking progress:

1. Identify champions and empower leaders

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
HIT Roadmap Implementation Plan	Documents to track progress on HIT Roadmap objectives and identify opportunities to innovate	In progress	Ongoing – materials updated and reported out quarterly
Community Information Exchange (CIE) Task Force	Task force of CBOs and others convened around social care data which will become a subcommittee of HITC, bringing more perspectives from community-based settings	In progress – Final report expected by Fall 2023	Expected to become a subcommittee of HITC in Fall 2023
6 newly appointed HIT Commissioners in 2023	The HITC has had reappointments and newly appointed members in 2023, and continued to work within the public health code to expand its members	2 newly appointed and 2 reappointments - September 2023	Orientation and Advocacy
<u>HB 4693 – Amendment to OMA</u>	To allow non-elected and non-compensated bodies to attend and participate in meetings virtually	Introduced 5/30/23, referred to Committee	Monitor and track

What you can do:

- Participate in quarterly [HIT Commission meetings](#) and share your thoughts
- Engage with legislators to promote awareness and efforts related to HIT Roadmap



Tracking progress:

2. Enhance health data utility

INITIATIVE: Enhance health data utility	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
2A-1: Leverage existing investments – MDHHS Enterprise (MiCAL, CCWIS, MPI)	MDHHS	→				
2A-1: Leverage existing investments - Inventory and Assessment of current MiHIN Use Cases and Users - Dashboard	MiHIN	→				
2A-2: Promote and improve core HIN infrastructure (Admission, Discharge, Transfer, identity management, web-based longitudinal records, etc.)	MiHIN / MDHHS	→				
2A-3: Enhance interoperable clinical documentation	MiHIN	→				
2B-1: Promote privacy and security (legal infrastructure, cybersecurity)	MiHIN	→				



Tracking progress:

2. Enhance health data utility

INITIATIVE: Enhance health data utility	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
2B-2: Implement data standards that align with best practice	MiHIN / MDHHS	→				
2C-1: Implement electronic consent management	MiHIN/MDHHS	→				
2C-2: Prioritize use cases that protect patient safety (advanced directives, timely medication information, ID management)	MiHIN/MDHHS	→				
2C-3: Connect all dots in care ecosystem (behavioral health, children, education, justice involved)	MiHIN / MDHHS	→				
2C-4: Promote and simplify consumer applications	MDHHS/MiHIN	→				



Tracking progress:

2. Enhance health data utility

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
E-consent	MiHIN e-consent pilot with select PIHPs	Ongoing	Continue pilots, reporting out
Advance Care Directives	Advance Care Planning is an ongoing discussion between a provider and patient and can include many documents. How and where those are stored is something MiHIN is working on.	Ongoing	MiHIN completed stakeholder engagement/feedback forums, published whitepaper in Fall 2023, discontinuing ACP training but continuing AD Use Case
Inventory and Assessment of MiHIN Use Cases (Dashboard)	MiHIN utilizers, inventory of current use cases, # of facilities signed on and using to develop a baseline for use case prioritization	Phase 1 complete	Evaluate, working on Phase 2
School Based Clinics/Behavioral Health	MI Department of Education and MiHIN piloting cross-sector data sharing, leveraging MiHIN infrastructure for School Based Clinics usage	Pilots with 4 ISDs starting in 2023	Track progress, support efforts

What you can do

- Act on data quality now, engage in conformance efforts



Tracking progress:

3. Address Michigan's digital divide

INITIATIVE: Addressing the digital divide	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
3A-1: Leverage existing work	MiHI/MDHHS					
3B-1: Advocate for funding to increase broadband access for underserved communities	MDHHS / HIT Commission					



Tracking progress:

3. Address Michigan's digital divide

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
Realizing Opportunity with Broadband Infrastructure Networks ROBIN Grant Program	ARPA funding for broadband infrastructure, \$238m, 24 projects from 11 applicants with \$311 matching funds – impacting 100k homes, 7k businesses, 211 community anchor institutions	Awarded August 2023	Funds must be expended by the end of 2026
Broadband Equity Access Deployment (BEAD) Program planning	\$5 million planning grant over one year, in preparation for application for \$1.5-1.7 billion in funding for infrastructure grants over 5 years	MIHI Office created, Map challenged, MIHI conducting statewide, regional forums/outreach for input	Planning continues, first round of grants likely Feb. 2024
Affordable Connectivity Program	MI ACT NOW Campaign to increase participation in ACP program – which pays for devices and connecting eligible households.	1.7 m eligible, only 644k enrolled. Campaign launched June 8, 2023	Educate, track, promote

What you can do:

- Sign up for communication from [MiHI Office to stay informed](#)
- Spread the word about the [Affordable Connectivity Program](#)



Tracking progress:

4. Improve onboarding and technical assistance

INITIATIVE: Improving onboarding and technical assistance	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
4A-1: Support statewide TA programs	MDHHS					
4B-1: Promote continued implementation of telemedicine	MDHHS / HITC					



Tracking progress:

4. Improve onboarding and technical assistance

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
Telemedicine	COVID-era telemedicine policies have been reviewed and revised, with most expansions preserved.	Policy effective May 12, 2023	Review, support efforts
Expansion of ADT sending facilities	MiHIN agreement with PointClickCare should increase SNF ADT engagement from 230 SNFs to over 400.	MiHIN/HIEs onboarding SNFs	Report from MiHIN CY2023 on status at 4 th QTR HITC
BCBSM Hospital P4P and Ambulatory CCDAs	MiHIN receives hospital CCDAs from 95% of hospitals and their ambulatory providers, now beginning to receive from practice units and POs.	Implementation, continued vendor engagement	MiHIN working on filtering, developing capabilities
Conformance Task Force	A sub-group of MOAC, Hospital, and PO User Group focused on data standards and development of best practices for data sharing.	Ongoing, bi-monthly meetings	MDHHS continues to engage and educate regarding Public Health use of ADTs
Funding for Technical Assistance	Seeking funding for onboarding and technical assistance – Regional Extension Centers for HIT/HIE	Ongoing	Define scope, developing concepts, looking for funding

What you can do:

- Continued encouragement of ADT, CCDA/Med Rec Use case participation for SNFs and Ambulatory/Outpatient providers
- Understand [Telehealth Policies](#)



Tracking progress:

5. Protect public health

INITIATIVE: Protect public health	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
5A-1: Immunizations, death notifications, Electronic Case Reporting	MDHHS PHA / MiHIN					
5A-2: Registries and analytics	MDHHS PHA / MiHIN					
5B-1: Enhance data services, workforce	MDHHS/PHA					
5B-2: Improve data quality	MDHHS/MiHIN					
5C-1: Training and education	MDHHS/PHA					
5C-2: Modernize public health systems	MDHHS/PHA					



Tracking progress:

5. Protect public health

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
Review of MDHHS PH Enterprise	Assessment of MDHHS PH data systems complete, Data Governance Project	Completed end of 2022	Data Governance Project continues
Data Modernization Initiative	5-year PH data modernization plan With 3 Tiers Tier 1 –5 year workforce development and DM plan Tier 2 – Electronic case reporting, moving forward with Covid, MPox and Orthopox, through MiHIN Tier 3 – Modernizing Vital Records with FHIR	Tier 1: Plan Completed Tier 2: 3 Conditions reporting Tier 3 : 3 hospitals testing with birth records	Seeking funding, continue planning, Implementation, outreach, onboarding more facilities to implement eCR, expand conditions
Blending and Braiding	Aligning PHA with other departments to fund and streamline efforts related to HIT, minimizing burden on providers and organizations	Ongoing, continuous	Continue to look for opportunities to support PHA's HIT needs

What you can do:

- Look for opportunities to engage with and support the MDHHS Public Health Administration around workforce enhancements and infrastructure investments



Tracking progress: 6. Social care data

INITIATIVE: Social Care data	Lead	Status				
		Plan	Build	Implement	Evaluate	Improve
6A-1: Charter a workgroup to develop standards for social care data	MDHHS					
6B-1: Advance social and health care data transfer	MDHHS / MiHIN					
6B-2: Support interoperability and integration	MDHHS / MiHIN					
6B-3: Leverage aggregate data opportunities for analytics	MDHHS / MiHIN					



Tracking progress:

6. Social care data

Exigent Milestones	Summary	Status	Next Steps
Community Information Exchange (CIE) Task Force	MDHHS convened a 15-person task force comprised of stakeholders with an interest in CIE, with a focus on participation by social service and community-based organizations	Final Report and Recommendations Fall of 2023	HITC to review, adopt report and recommendations at Sept 26 th Meeting, create CIE Advisory Committee under HITC
MiHIN Community of Partners	MiHIN convened vendors in social care data around a shared vision and commitment to interoperability. Interoperability Pledge signed by all participants	Ongoing, looking at pilots	The group meets regularly and sharing processes for consents and referrals
CMS Rules	Screening for SDoH for Inpatients . Voluntary in 2023, required in 2024- how will the data be used and is the HIE ready to receive, SNFs MDS requirements for PPS on Oct 23 for specific SDoH areas, Physician FFS proposed rule	Started	Continue to monitor
MiHIN working with Michigan Tribes	Opportunity for Michigan Tribes to connect tribal clinics and promote interoperability with other states and public health through MiHIN	Started	Continue to support, monitor

What you can do:

- [Sign up for SDoH Newsletter here](#)
- [Read the most recent newsletter here](#)

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