

The Value of HIE to Post-Acute Care Facilities

What is HSX?

HealthShare Exchange (HSX) is a 501(c)(3) health information exchange (HIE) serving the greater Philadelphia region.

- The HSX Mission is to provide secure access to health information that enables preventive and cost effective care; improves the quality of care; and facilitates the transitions of care.
- The HSX Vision is to build a trusted community of healthcare stakeholders collaborating to deliver better healthcare to patients.

HSX current membership includes acute care hospitals, health plans, post-acute care facilities, behavioral health organizations, accountable care organizations, clinically integrated networks, independent ambulatory practices and federally qualified health centers.

Services Offered to Post-Acute Care Facilities

DIRECT SECURE MESSAGING (Direct)

- Allows for the timely, secure routing of clinical information about patients after discharge via Direct secure messaging
- Send clinical information facilitating transitions in care between providers, utilizing the HSX Master Provider Directory

CLINICAL DATA REPOSITORY (CDR)

- Search the CDR for longitudinal clinical information about patients

ENCOUNTER NOTIFICATION SERVICE

- Notification to participating organizations about discharged patients who are subsequently admitted within a defined timeframe (e.g. 90 days) to HSX-Member emergency departments and hospitals
- Notifications are delivered real-time on a per-patient basis or as a summary list

CLINICAL ACTIVITY HISTORY (CAH)

- Leverages the healthcare insurer to collect recent clinical history about patients
- CAH Document is delivered as a PDF or continuity of care document into the electronic health record (EHR) via Direct

Post-Acute Care Facilities Benefit as HSX Participants

- Access to the HSX **Master Provider Directory**
- Streamlined transition of patients into a post-acute care facility post-discharge with **electronic sharing of continuity of care documents containing hospital discharge information**
- **Contribution of Admission, Discharge, Transfer (ADT) Feeds and Clinical Data Feeds to HSX improves care coordination** with primary care or other specialty providers following a patient transition out of post-acute care facility
- Access to **historical patient data** in the CDR to inform treatment and care plans
- **Notification of patient admissions** that occur within a defined period post-discharge from the post-acute facility to improve care coordination with hospitals to support bundled payments

Fees to Participate in HSX

One-Time Administrative Fee & Annual Subscription Service Fee