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Upon completion of the Summit, each participant will be able to:

1. Understand and be a part of the significant change in e-health in Minnesota.

2. Learn how e-health can support a culture of change in the context of emerging health care payment and delivery models.

3. Understand national and Minnesota perspectives of how e-health is improving the health of individuals and communities. Gain practical and actionable knowledge from local examples.

4. Understand emerging opportunities for advancing connectivity, equity, and population health in Minnesota and describe the latest insights and resources to connect, communicate, and transform health and health care.

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7:30 - 9:00AM  Registration  Reedy Gallery
8:00 - 9:00AM  Breakfast & Tram Rides  Reedy Gallery
9:00 - 9:10AM  Welcome & Opening Remarks  MacMillan Auditorium
  Jennifer Fritz, Director, Office of Health Information Technology, Minnesota Department of Health
9:10 - 9:30AM  Commissioner’s Address  MacMillan Auditorium
  Jan Malcolm, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Health
9:30 - 10:30AM  Keynote Address  MacMillan Auditorium
  Vindell Washington, Executive Vice President and Chief Medical Officer, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Louisiana
10:30 - 11:00AM  Healthy Snack Break & Exhibitor Showcase  Sponsored by Evident
11:00 - 12:00PM  Concurrent Sessions  Fireplace Room
  1: Advancing Equity in Health and Education Through Cross-sector Collaboration; Birth to Age 8 Initiative: Healthy Development & School Success
  2: Use Artificial Intelligence in EMR; Software Robotics: From Sci-Fi to the Work Place
  3: Hang Up That Phone! Best Practices to Improve e-Prescribing Information Flow
  4: MDH Interoperability: e-Public Health Reporting and Opportunities for Improvement
  5: Using Blockchain in Health Care  Azalea Classroom
12:00 - 1:00PM  Grab & Go Lunch  Reedy Gallery
12:15 - 12:45PM  Sponsored Session: Drug Overdose Reporting: Information That Works for All  MacMillan Auditorium
  Sponsored by the Injury and Violence Prevention Section of Minnesota Department of Health
1:00 - 1:30PM  Concurrent Sessions  Snyder Auditorium
  6: Tackling the Impact of the EHR on Clinician Wellbeing  Azalea Classroom
  7: Between Us: Work Flow and EHR Innovations in Confidentiality and Adolescent Primary Care
  8: Zero Suicide in Hennepin County: Creating a Pathway to Safer Patient Care  Classroom 1
  9: Health Care is on FHIR!  (This session replaces the previously published session, “Health IT Implementations -- Recipe for Successful Implementation from Real-World Experience.”)  Fireplace Room
1:30 - 1:45PM  Break & Exhibitor Showcase  Reedy Gallery
Thursday, June 13, 2019

AGENDA

1:45 - 2:15 PM  Concurrent Sessions
10: (Local) Public Health 3.0: Sub-County Analysis Implementation
   Successes, Frustrations and Plans
11: The ABCs of Community Paramedic Program and ADT Alerts
12: Sharing and Using Information to Improve Care Coordination and Health
13: Keeping Up with the Demand for Behavioral Health Services Using Telehealth
   Fireplace Room
   Classroom 1
   Snyder Auditorium
   Azalea Classroom

2:15 - 2:30 PM  Healthy Snack Break & Exhibitor Showcase
   Sponsored by Sage
   Reedy Gallery

2:30 - 3:30 PM  Under Construction: Building Bridges for Health Information Exchange
   MacMillan Auditorium
   Peter Schuna, President & CEO, Pathway Health
   George Klauser, Executive Director Community Services, Altair ACO, Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota
   Dr. Lisa Moon, CEO, Advocate Consulting
   Chad Peterson, CEO, The Koble Group
   Ann Warner, Program Director, Fairview Health Services

3:30 - 3:40 PM  Break & Exhibitor Showcase
   Reedy Gallery

3:40 - 4:30 PM  Leading Minnesota through Technology Advances in Health and Health Care
   MacMillan Auditorium
   Dr. Jennifer Lundblad, President & CEO, Stratis Health
   Dr. Connie White Delaney, Professor & Dean, University of Minnesota School of Nursing
   Dr. Alan Abramson, Senior Vice President & Chief Information Officer, HealthPartners

4:30 - 5:30 PM  Networking Reception
   Oswald Patio

Jennifer Fritz
Director, Office of Health Information Technology, Minnesota Department of Health

Jennifer Fritz is the Director of the Office of Health Information Technology at the Minnesota Department of Health. She is responsible for the direction of Minnesota e-health programs, including the Minnesota e-Health Initiative, Administrative Uniformity, Minnesota’s Health Information Exchange Oversight Program, and activities related to privacy and security, health informatics and data standards. Prior to this role, Jennifer served as Deputy Director of the Office of Health Information Technology and various other roles at the Minnesota Department of Health. Jennifer has received a Bachelor of Science and Master of Public Health degrees from the University of Minnesota.

Jan Malcolm
Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Health

Jan Malcolm was appointed by Gov. Mark Dayton in January 2018 as commissioner for the Minnesota Department of Health. Commissioner Malcolm is responsible for directing the work of the Minnesota Department of Health. Minnesota Department of Health is the state’s lead public health agency, responsible for protecting, maintaining and improving the health of all Minnesotans. Prior to that, Commissioner Malcolm was an adjunct faculty member at the University of Minnesota School of Public Health, where she co-directed a national research and leadership development program funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.
Vindell Washington, M.D.

Executive Vice President and Chief Medical Officer, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Louisiana

Dr. Vindell Washington is Chief Medical Officer of Blue Cross and Blue Shield (BCBS) of Louisiana. He has extensive experience in leading clinical teams and in health IT. Prior to joining BCBS Louisiana, he served as the national coordinator for health care information technology in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Washington was at the Franciscan Missionaries of Our Lady Health System in Baton Rouge for more than seven years, leaving as president of the medical group, which includes more than 500 medical providers and 1,400 employees. While at the health system, he also served as vice president of performance excellence and technology and chief medical information officer.

Washington is a board-certified emergency medicine physician. Before coming to Baton Rouge, he served as chief executive officer of Piedmont Emergency Medicine Associates, a large private group in Charlotte, North Carolina.

He received his undergraduate degree from Pennsylvania State University and his medical degree from the University of Virginia. He also received a Master of Science degree in health care management from the Harvard School of Public Health.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

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In his keynote, Dr. Washington will address how spurring innovation can disrupt the health care system paradigm. Today, health care is too expensive, and patients are in worse health than they should — or could — be. To bring about meaningful change, payers, providers, and all stakeholders must work together to deliver improved care and support patients.

Dr. Washington will highlight three main areas of action participants can take to drive care transformation:

1. Use predictive analytics to intervene sooner and reach out to patients before they have an acute episode.
2. Adopt behavioral science techniques that retailers and consumer industries have used successfully to encourage patient engagement.
3. Realign financial incentives and reimburse providers based on value and taking extra steps to keep patients healthy, not just paying them to treat patients when they are sick.
SESSION 1: Advancing Equity in Health and Education Through Cross-Sector Collaboration; Birth to Age 8 Initiative: Healthy Development & School Success
Cindy Hillyer (Minneapolis Public Schools); Rochelle Olson and Sierra Hill (Dakota County)
This presentation will provide an overview of a school-based initiative, the Assuring Better Child Health and Development Screen @ 3 Project. The project builds equity in service delivery through family input, cross-sector partnerships, systems change, data analysis and continuous improvement to create new services and cross-system coordination to support families from diverse backgrounds in timely access to resources and supports. The session will share high impact strategies that have changed outcomes on hard to solve problems in early childhood health and education.

SESSION 2: Use Artificial Intelligence in EMR; Software Robotics: From Sci-Fi to the Work Place
Vitaly Herasevich (Mayo Clinic) and William Muenchow (MN Community Measurement)
This session covers best current knowledge about applied usage of Artificial Intelligence focusing on video recognition in the context of patient care. Lessons learned from other industries will be applied in health care, so an understanding of these technologies and their current state is critical to sketch out how they will intersect with health informatics applications. In part 2 of the session, participants will hear about the history of software robotics, modern usage, application towards health care, and how MNCM adapted the technology to help reduce provider burden for quality reporting in Minnesota. A software robot demonstration will be provided.

SESSION 3: Hang Up That Phone! Best Practices to Improve e-Prescribing Information Flow
Steve Simenson (Goodrich Pharmacy); Lee Mork (Allina Health); and Laura Topor (Granada Health)
This session will share key priorities developed by the e-Health Initiative’s e-prescribing workgroup, focusing on how to optimize e-prescribing transactions and workflows to improve patient safety, experience of care, and outcomes. Presenters will discuss best practices for using SCRIPT transactions to ensure communication is clear and complete, including workarounds in advance of upcoming changes. Learn first-hand how Allina Health implemented the CancelRx transaction to resolve prescription accuracy and safety issues within the prescribing workflow before they could impact patients. Attendees will also learn about updates on the status of e-prescribing in Minnesota, upcoming changes to NCPDP’s SCRIPT standard, and new policies that impact e-prescribing and e-prior authorization.

SESSION 4: MDH Interoperability: e-Public Health Reporting and Opportunities for Improvement
Åsa Schmit, Kaitlin Houlihan, Aaron Bieringer (Minnesota Department of Health); Richard Paskach (HealthPartners); and Jonathan Shoemaker (Allina Health)
Moderated by Tony Steyermark (Minnesota Department of Health)
Public health agencies and health care providers do not use the same information systems, data formats, or even data standards. Interoperability, which supports the ability of different information technology (IT) systems and applications to communicate, exchange data, and use information, ensure that the right information can be shared between public health agencies and health care providers in a timely manner to address public health crises and epidemics. Optimally, interoperability facilitates connections and integrations across these systems to occur regardless of the data’s origin or destination or the applications employed and ensures the data are usable and readily available to share without additional intervention by the end user. Public health is an active player in health care interoperability with many opportunities and challenges for internal systems integration as well as external interoperability. Our panel will provide an overview of the current state of public health interoperability, including challenges and opportunities, and will discuss the needs for optimal interoperability to fulfill the public health mission.

SESSION 5: Using Blockchain in Health Care
Meyrick Vaz (UnitedHealthcare)
Join us for the latest update on the blockchain pilot program that the Synaptic Health Alliance is currently executing. The alliance was co-founded in early 2018 by MultiPlan, Quest Diagnostics, UnitedHealthcare, Optum, and Humana, to explore the use of blockchain technology in tackling the challenge of accurate and efficient health care data management and interoperability. Aetna, Ascension, and Cognizant also recently joined the alliance that is testing a permissioned blockchain to let members view, input, validate, update and audit non-proprietary provider data within the network, with the goal of improving data accuracy and lowering the associated administrative burden and costs.
SESSION 6: Tackling the Impact of the EHR on Clinician Wellbeing
Heather Britt and Rahul Koranne (Minnesota Hospital Association)
Alarmed by the rising tide of burnout, health systems are embracing the Quadruple Aim – inclusion of well-being of health care workers alongside the Triple Aim. Chief Medical Officers across Minnesota, facilitated by the Minnesota Hospital Association (MHA), have launched a statewide collaborative to tackle the challenge of creating work environments where clinicians thrive. MHA has surveyed clinicians annually for three years, examining levels and drivers of burnout. Time spent on and most challenging aspects of the EHR have been assessed. This session will present burnout data along with a deep dive into quantitative and qualitative reports of experiences with the EHR.

SESSION 7: Between Us: Work Flow and EHR Innovations in Confidentiality and Adolescent Primary Care
Rachel Sixberry, Maria-Veronica Svetaz and Javiera Monardex-Popelka (Hennepin Healthcare)
The Between Us Program at Hennepin Healthcare is grant funded by Minnesota Department of Health Family Planning Special Projects. The program has created an innovative EHR workflow to maintain confidentiality for reproductive services to patients aged 12-26 within eight Primary Care Clinics. This workflow within the EPIC EHR protects patient confidentiality from registration to lab, orders, treatment until the completion of the visit, and the after visit summary. The program supports parents and teens promoting healthy relationships and preventing pregnancy and STIs across Hennepin County. The Between Us program has also helped to pilot a “teen screen” effort in Pediatric Primary Care, aimed at supporting providers in identifying and helping teens with high-risk behaviors. Strategies, approaches, barriers, and lessons learned will be discussed.

SESSION 8: Zero Suicide in Hennepin County: Creating a Pathway to Safer Patient Care
Heather Kolnick and Amy Leite-Bennett (Hennepin County Public Health)
Sixteen health and behavioral health care systems are implementing the Zero Suicide model to improve suicide care and outcomes. Hennepin County Public Health is one Minnesota agency striving to improve patient care through its electronic health records system, by developing patient flow sheets and data elements around suicide prevention. Through the use of Link Plus, they are enhancing their monitoring system. This system has also helped to identify patients who may have been seen within their health system and have later gone on to die by suicide. These data will help them track suicides among clients over time.

SESSION 9: Health Care is on FHIR!
Greg Linden (Linden Tech Advisors LLC)
FHIR (Fast Healthcare Interoperability Resources) is an HL7 standard for health care data exchange, recently cited by CMS/ONC announcements. This session will describe why FHIR is important, what it promises for improved health data interoperability and potential implications that you should know about.
SESSION 10: (Local) Public Health 3.0: Sub-County Analysis Implementation Successes, Frustrations, and Plans
Mageen Caines and Roee Reinberg (Minneapolis Health Department)
Public Health 3.0 challenges public health to sub-county data analyses – as a city health department, we necessarily implement this challenge by pursuing data techniques to assess residents’ health by zip code or neighborhood. Engage in interactive discussion with our researchers about using Minnesota Hospital Association data to conduct sub-county analyses monitoring chronic disease and opioid use. We’ll touch on the difference between a health historian and a health strategist and share one project we’ve done predicting health outcomes, including what didn’t work. Finally, we’ll share lessons learned to continue to move sub-county population health forward for everyone.

SESSION 11: The ABCs of Community Paramedic Program and ADT Alerts
Jenny Kolb, Jaclyn Mann, Angela Townsend and Gina Morgan (Fairview Health Services)
Fairview Health Services launched its Community Paramedic Program in June 2017. This unique program serves a patient population who do not qualify for home care services and for a variety of reasons experience challenges to receiving care at the traditional primary care office setting. The Community Paramedic Program closes the gap for patients who have barriers by increasing access to health professionals in turn, decreasing the use of emergency rooms, reducing total cost of care and improving patient outcomes.

SESSION 12: Sharing and Using Information to Improve Care Coordination and Health
Denise Schneekloth (Minnesota Rural Health Cooperative) and Jim Roeder (Lakewood Health System)
Providers, networks and health systems need to better coordinate and manage patient care among multiple providers and services for accountable care arrangements and improved care overall. Automated notifications for emergency department visits, inpatient admissions and discharges as well as care summary documents are key tools for better care management.

SESSION 13: Keeping Up with the Demand for Behavioral Health Services Using Telehealth
Candy Hanson and Bill Sonterre (Stratis Health), and Maureen Ideker (Essentia Health)
This session will expand awareness of telehealth programs that are enhancing access to much needed behavioral health services for patients and communities across Minnesota. In 2019 Stratis Health conducted an environmental scan of Minnesota health systems to identify behavioral health services being delivered using telehealth technologies. This session will highlight the results of the Minnesota scan. Essentia Health will present business models and payer information for consideration and give active examples of both psychiatric and behavioral health services being provided using telehealth. Future telehealth trends related to facilities and patient locations will also be explored.
Under Construction: Building Bridges for Health Information Exchange

Learn about what the Minnesota e-Health HIE Task Force has accomplished in the past year. The HIE Task Force, a twelve member group appointed by the Commissioner of Health in 2018, has provided input and expertise on moving to a connected networks approach in Minnesota.

By the end of 2019, it is expected that large health systems and providers participating with a health information organization (HIO) will be able to exchange care summary documents using the national eHealth Exchange network. The HIE Task Force recommended this important step and developed an implementation plan for this which is being rolled out now.

The Task Force also provided input for governance, authority, and financing to help achieve foundational, robust, and optimal HIE across the state. A facilitated panel of task force and advisory committee members will provide comments on the task force work and audience members will have an opportunity to ask questions.

Moderators and HIE Task Force Co-Chairs

Peter Schuna
President & CEO, Pathway Health
Peter Schuna, NHA, HSE, has over 15 years’ experience in the long-term care setting, and understands the daily operations as a health care administrator in multi-facility operations. Peter has been a Pathway employee for the past 11 years serving in various leadership roles. He is currently the Chief Executive Officer for Pathway Health. Pathway Health is the leader professional management and consulting in Post-Acute Care, since its founding in 1997. Pathway specializes in clinical, regulatory, quality, and reimbursement trends to keep its clients on the path to success. Peter spent the past 10 years serving on state and national long-term care information technology committees helping to bring technology to the forefront of the long-term care industry. He currently serves as the appointed designee to represent Long-Term Care on the Minnesota e-Health Advisory Committee, he is also the Co-Chair of the Health Information Exchange Task Force and serves as the Chair of the Technology Committee for CareProviders of Minnesota.

George Klauser
Executive Director Community Services, Altair ACO, Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota
George Klauser is Executive Director of Lutheran Social Service’s Altair accountable care collaborative. Klauser is responsible for managing a collaboration of community services and medical partners that represent the Altair collaborative that utilize the Minnesota approved health information exchange for 10,300 members. Klauser has served as Vice President of Service and Operations for XioTech Corporation, Chief Operation Officer and Vice President of Virtual Growth, Inc., and President and Executive Vice President of Ceridian Employer Services. Prior to joining Lutheran Social Service, he served as Chairman of the Board, Vice Chairman and Secretary before becoming President and CEO of Opportunity Partners, a partner organization within the Altair collaborative.

Lisa Moon, PhD, RN
Advocate Consulting
Lisa Moon PhD, BSN, LNC, CCMC is the CEO of Advocate Consulting, LLC located in Twin Cities, Minnesota and a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Minnesota, Nursing Informatics. Dr. Moon is an informatics and interoperability system expert on design, development and implementation. Her professional experience spans care delivery, health plans and state government. She consults nationally with state governments, state-designated and private health information networks and advises to projects for technology vendors and national consumer consent projects. Her research interests include the factors that influence consumer health data sharing preferences, public policy and legal regulation implications for interoperability and implementation science on consumer-directed data management applications.

Chad Peterson
The Koble Group
Chad Peterson is CEO of The Koble Group, a Health IT company dedicated to advancing interoperability throughout healthcare. The Koble Group launched a Health Information Exchange (HIE) in Minnesota (Koble-MN) in 2015. He is also the VP of Public Sector Solutions for Orion Health and is a member of the Minnesota HIE Task Force. Chad was recently appointed as an alternate member of the Minnesota e-Health Advisory Committee. Prior to founding The Koble Group, Peterson helped lead the creation of the North Dakota Health Information Network, the statewide HIE in North Dakota, first as a member of the ND Health Information Technology Advisory Committee (HITAC) and then as the Technology and Operations lead for the Network.

Ann Warner
Fairview Health Services
Ann Warner is an information technology professional with experience in many types of industries including healthcare, higher education, insurance, financial and banking, manufacturing, marketing and retail. Ann lead a health information technology strategy initiative while at HealthEast, is currently the Program Director for Fairview Health Services Data Governance and Analytic Education and is currently a member on the Minnesota e-Health Advisory Committee.
Leading Minnesota Through Technology Advances in Health and Health Care

Over the past 15 years, the Minnesota e-Health Initiative has been leading, influencing and working together to leverage technology advancements in health and health care, as well as anticipating and responding to future challenges, opportunities, and uncertainties that are significant to e-health. In this session, you will hear and participate in a discussion of key Minnesota health leaders on emerging technologies and trends in health including topics such as consumer-focused health, artificial intelligence, innovative uses of data and data security.

Moderator

Jennifer Lundblad, PhD, MBA
President and CEO, Stratis Health

Dr. Lundblad is the President and CEO of Stratis Health, a Minnesota-based non-profit organization. She has responsibility to develop, support, and ensure successful achievement of Stratis Health’s mission to lead collaboration and innovation in health care quality and safety, and serve as a trusted expert in facilitating improvement for people and communities. She has an extensive background in program development and management in both non-profit and education settings. She has a BA in speech communication and economics from Macalester College, an MBA in public and non-profit management from Boston University, and a PhD in Education with a focus on training and organization development at the University of Minnesota.

Closing Speakers

Connie White Delaney, PhD, RN, FAAN, FACMI, FNAP
Professor & Dean, University of Minnesota School of Nursing

Connie White Delaney is a leader and visionary with unique organizational ability to re-create/co-create integrative communities, partnerships, programs, systems and collectives that produce sustainable relationship empowered impact, wholeness, conscious wellbeing, planetary health, and responsible stewardship. She is committed to transforming challenges into opportunities that advance discovery that transforms health, health systems, education, and integrative Informatics. She cultivates leadership transcendence in academia, health care, and informatics. She serves as Professor & Dean, School of Nursing, University of Minnesota, and is the Knowledge Generation Lead for the National Center for Interprofessional Practice and Education.

Alan Abramson, PhD
Senior Vice President & Chief Information Officer, HealthPartners

Alan Abramson is HealthPartners Senior Vice President for Information Services & Technology and Chief Information Officer. Mr. Abramson is active as an advisor or board member to numerous regional and national organizations including Normandale Community College, The Health Care Executive Group, University of St. Thomas Graduate Programs in Software, and BethelBiz mentorship program. He currently co-chairs the Minnesota e-Health Advisory Committee and has chaired numerous e-Health Initiative Workgroups.
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