

# Northwest ConnectingOntario NER Bulletin

December 2017

## December Updates

### TECHNICAL SERVICE PROVIDER UPDATES



We are pleased to share with you that as of December 11, 2018, the Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre (TBRHSC) is now live with contribution. This is a major milestone with our program and we are excited that the TBRHSC is now contributing. **Congratulations!**

The tentative contribution go live date for St. Joseph's Care Group in early January 2018.

Clinical Validation testing sign off has now been obtained for Atikokan.

Clinical Validation testing with additional regional facilities are temporarily on hold until security remediation work is complete.

Final Terminology Mapping completed for all 12 sites.

Technical teams continue to work with the PDP, eHealth Ontario and Meditech on the Federation/POSA solution.

Technical teams continue to work with Meditech on issues encountered with Meditech MSO.

### SECURITY UPDATE

As of December 2017, 6 of the 12 hospitals have had their contribution-specific security exemptions/controls approved. A quick reminder that hospitals must have this work completed before they are able to start Clinical Validation Testing. At this time, this is the only road block keeping the remaining hospitals from moving into Clinical Validation. If you are one of the 6 outstanding hospitals, you can contact Caroline Harding or the resources at eHealth Ontario directly for additional support. Contribution specific security is only one part of the required security work to be completed for the project, as the Viewer and IDP requirements will need to be met prior to end user adoption.

Hospitals	In Review	Final Submitted	Working On Exemptions	Contribution Completed	Federation Completed	Viewing Completed
AGH				✓		
DRHC				✓		
GDH				✓		
LoTW				✓		
MIGH				✓		
NDMH				✓		
NOSH				✓		
RLMCMH				✓		
RHCF				✓		
SJCG				✓	✓	✓
SLMHC				✓	✓	✓
TBRHSC				✓	✓	✓

### CLINICAL VIEWER PRESENTATIONS

The Northwest Health Alliance is pleased to report that both Anishnawbe Mushkiki and the NorWest Community Health Centre have commenced ClinicalViewer adoption activities. Anishnawbe Mushkiki hosted an additional two sessions for their clinical staff on December 12th and are optimistic that the Viewer will enhance patient care at their organization.

Several HSPs attending the Kenora Rainy River Mental Health and Addictions Network meeting on December 12th, received an awareness/engagement presentation from the NWHA and learned how the Viewer could enhance their delivery of care. HSPs were reminded that additional sessions can be arranged for clinicians to access the training environment to provide better insight into the available data.

The ClinicalViewer allows providers to have real-time access to local, regional and provincial patient health information via two clinical, secure, web-based viewers. Please contact Heidi Smith for information or to schedule a presentation!

### WHAT CAN I SEE IN THE CLINICAL VIEWER?

#### Ontario Laboratories Information System

Laboratory Results  
91% of the annual provincial laboratory test volumes  
96% of provincial community laboratory test volumes  
All Public Health Ontario laboratories  
Most hospitals' laboratories (and growing)

#### Hospital Documents

Discharge Summaries  
Emergency Department Reports  
Consult Reports  
Diagnostic Imaging  
(DI) Reports  
Specialty Diagnostic Reports  
Visits and Encounter Details  
Consent Directive and Override Rules

#### LHIN-Home and Community Care Reports

Assessments  
Care plan, service details  
Medical equipment information

#### Digital Health Drug Repository

Ontario Drug Benefit funded medications  
Monitored Drugs  
Pharmacy Service

### PRIVACY UPDATE

There is a Privacy and Security Working Group (PSWG) meeting scheduled for January 4th, 2018. If anyone is interested in sitting in and observing, please contact Caroline. It is also exciting to share with you that the PSWG now has three new members representing the North West: Paul Cloutier from Geraldton, Bridget Davidson from Atikokan, and Corrie Trist from Dryden.

### MOUs

9 out of 10 MOUs submitted to the hospital have been completed. These 10 hospitals can expect their first adoption payment to be made in December 2017. In the New year we will be focusing heavily on Adoption in the hospitals and the HCC.

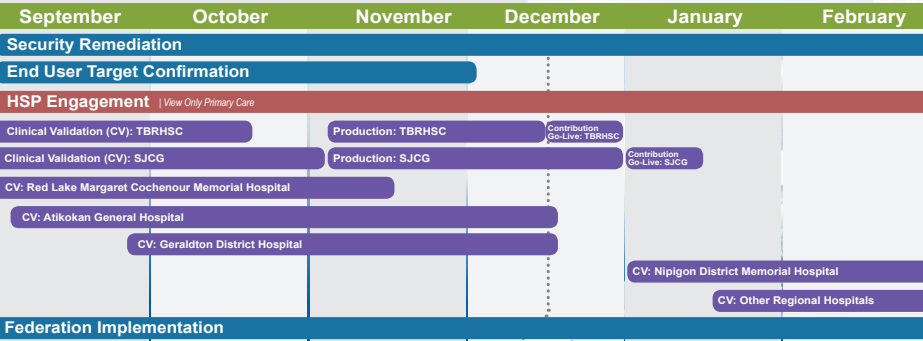
### PROGRAM NEWS:

#### CAMH CONTRIBUTES TO THE CDR

The Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH) in Toronto, Canada's largest mental health and addiction teaching hospital, is now contributing clinical data to the provincial Clinical Data Repository (CDR). This development blazes the trail for more hospitals to contribute mental health and addictions information, enhancing patient care across Ontario. Providing clinicians with access to this data ensures that an entire segment of critical patient information is part of Ontario's digital health record.

Working with CAMH as the first hospital of its kind to contribute mental health and addiction data was a collaborative approach.

### STAGE 2 TIMELINE



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