

# OeHI's Social-Health Information Exchange Strategy

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### About OeHI

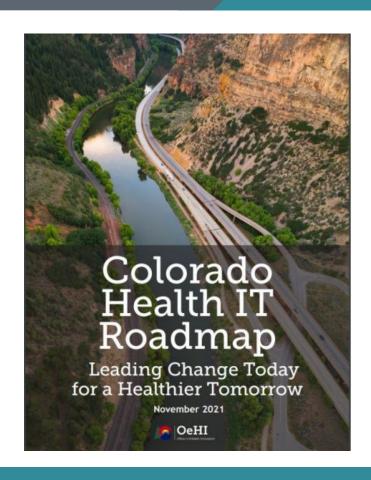


#### Our Mission:

Accelerate technology-driven health transformation by aligning public and private initiatives to support Colorado's commitment to become the healthiest state in the nation.

#### **Our Goals:**

- Equitable access to health information
- Coordinated in-person, virtual, and remote services
- Inclusive and innovative use of trusted health solutions



### How We Got Here



Patient Data Sharing 1.0 Health Information Exchanges (HIEs)

- System-dependent
- Analytics gaps
- Hospital-centric
- EHR change→ workflow reconfiguration

#### **Emerging needs:**

Public health data modernization

Patient/client empowerment

Automated reporting/analytics

Non-clinical data sources

Patient Data Sharing 2.0 Social Health Information Exchanges (SHIEs)

- System agnostic
- Flexible
- Data flows when/where needed for care coordination
- Patient-centric

### Our SHIE Vision

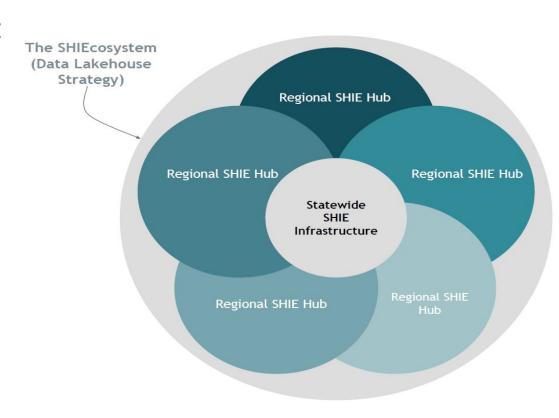


#### Two-Pronged Approach:

- Vendor agnostic ecosystem
- Focus on interoperability and data governance
- Build upon existing regional successes

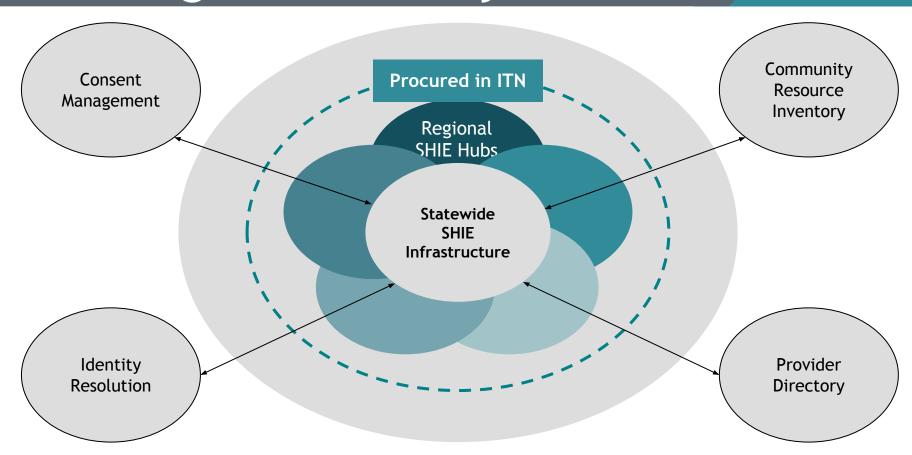
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- Providers stay in their preferred system
- Reduced duplication of screenings
- Reduced burden of social care delivery



## Procuring the SHIEcosystem





## SHIE in Action- Client







- Client: Adrian, age 35, from Mexico, currently residing in Pueblo with his husband and daughter, enrolled in Medicaid
  - Daughter: Lucia, age 8, enrolled in HCBS services due to an intellectual disability
- Clinical Health Concerns: Multiple chronic health conditions including diabetes and depression
- Social Risk Factors: Live in a food desert, lack reliable transportation, poor Internet access

### SHIE in Action- Care Coordinator





 RAE Care Coordinator: Elizabeth, assigned to Adrian

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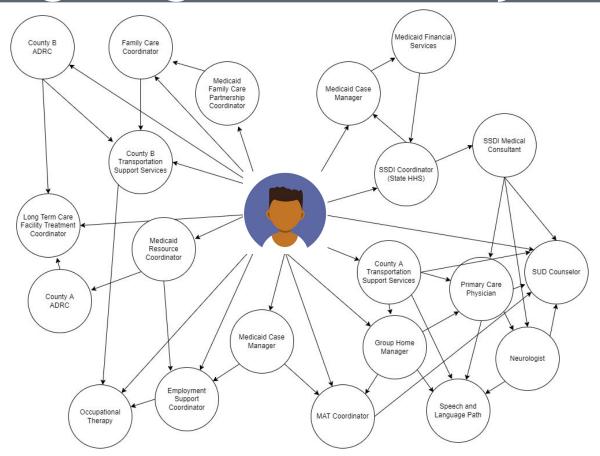
 Efficiently connect clients to the health services they want and need to thrive

#### • Challenges:

- Manual workflows
- Duplicative work in multiple systems

# Navigating the SHIEcosystem

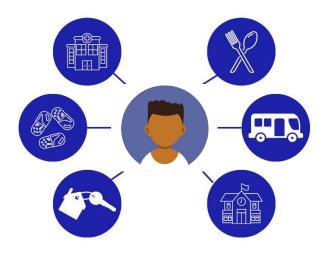




Data silos disempower providers and people.

## In a SHIE world...





Interoperability allows all provider types to access whole-person data in their preferred system.

- Adrian is able to get connected with services for himself and his daughter through one point of contact.
- Because his care coordinator Elizabeth knew his transportation situation, he was able to get transit vouchers and enroll in a phone-based diabetes management program and teletherapy to reduce his in-person medical visits.
- He learned he's eligible for a home delivery food program, and he was able to get enrolled without a long intake process.

### What's Different?



- Case managers and providers do not need to:
  - Leave their preferred system
  - Re-screen the client or ask them to recall their full health history and recent changes
  - Request medical or other care records
    - The client has already consented to share all data in the system

## What's Different?



- Referral organizations do not need to:
  - Leave their preferred resource management tool
  - Ask for a comprehensive health history
  - Follow up to get more info because not enough was provided to complete the referral
  - Fax anything

## Impact on People & Families



#### Reduced:

- Trauma
- Duplicative services
- Time spent on own case management

#### Improved:

- Relationship with the safety-net system
- Treatment outcomes
- Access to information
- Prescribe Programs, Not Just Pills



# Thank you!

Please reach out any time!

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