



**VA HIMSS 7th Annual Fall
Conference:
Connecting Networks of
Health IT Stakeholders**

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What is StateNet?



CHIME StateNet is a 50-State (and the District of Columbia) network of health IT stakeholders created for purposes of gathering and communicating relevant in-state health IT developments, including Regional Extension Center (REC) and Health Information Exchange (HIE) formation and sharing best practices within and across states.

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CIO Coordinators

CHIME StateNet also has CIO Coordinators in every state who serve on a volunteer basis. They are charged with:

- Convening different groups of stakeholders within their state
- Promoting the StateNet Platform and its advantages
- Facilitating information and knowledge sharing through StateNet

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Mission:

StateNet seeks to foster statewide coalitions charged with advancing and standardizing the adoption of health information technology and health information exchange.

HIE Workgroup



- The StateNet HIE Workgroup was formed to identify state and regional-level interoperability concerns/solutions and share findings with State HIEs and other key stakeholders.
- Chair: Neal Ganguly, CentraState Healthcare System

REC Workgroup



- The StateNet REC Workgroup was formed in order to develop a more collaborative relationship between CIOs and the Regional Extension Centers (RECs), identifying ways that CIO expertise could assist them in achieving their mandated goals.
- Chair: Randy McCleese, St. Claire Regional Medical Center

HIE & REC Principles



- Both workgroups produced a Principles document outlining best practices and strategies.
- Both Principles documents cover 5 domains:
 - Healthcare Environmental Landscape
 - Technical
 - Business
 - Governance
 - Privacy & Security

StateNet Platform



New Online Engagement Platform

- Will allow StateNet members to
 - Facilitate information sharing among state health IT stakeholders;
 - Enable cross-state communications where regional or national collaboration is needed;
 - Provide an environment of easy-to-use, actionable resources to address important health IT issues