

Alabama's Health Information Exchange

One Health Record®

Secure Electronic Health Information Exchange for Alabama Providers

A System for All Providers

Imagine having the ability to quickly and easily pull claims history, demographic information and other details about your patients, all within a secure environment!

One Health Record® is available today in Alabama to work in tandem with your existing electronic health records system, or simply to provide a secure system for sending patient information to other authorized participants.

Our Vision

One Health Record® was created as Alabama's health information exchange (HIE) through a federal grant awarded to the state in 2009.

Under the guidance of the Alabama Health Information Commission, One Health Record® has emerged as an interoperable, two-way data exchange system between providers, hospitals and others.

Our ultimate vision is to create a trusted network to facilitate the use and exchange of patient data throughout the state as well as across state lines.

How Does It Work?

One Health Record® enables participants to query the system from within their electronic health record (EHR) systems to access patient health data from other participants. If providers do not have an EHR, a secure messaging system is available.

Who Can Connect?

Any licensed provider with Internet access can participate in One Health Record®. To fully benefit from a health information exchange, most doctors, hospitals and other providers link to an HIE via an electronic medical record system.

Benefits of Connecting

Our goal is to seamlessly and securely connect doctors, hospitals, clinics and other healthcare providers so patient information is available in real time, regardless of location.

Providers Benefit from:

- The ability to streamline office workflow by moving away from paper-based systems, reducing potential for errors and duplication
- The ability to receive critical patient information as needed whether in the office or in the emergency room
- Access to information to improve patient care and safety, avoid duplication of services and ultimately reduce health care costs
- Support to meet Meaningful Use requirements for connectivity.

What Does It Cost to Connect?

Thanks to federal support, One Health Record® does not charge a fee to join. However, there may be a charge from your EHR vendor for the connection.