

What externally sourced data do I need to improve patient care and meet my business goals?



When adding external data, how do I accurately identify a patient and create a unified patient record?



How do I use the tools I have to efficiently and accurately exchange data with my clinical and business partners?

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Exchanging data is only the beginning. We help you prioritize, acquire and transform external data into the clinical and business wisdom needed to engage with patients and partners, and meet your strategic goals.

Health Data Exchange and Interoperability

We get data.

Share information seamlessly.

Data exchange is not just a technology problem. It is also about understanding what data you need and what to do with it to navigate new healthcare delivery systems and evolving payment models. Managing patients beyond organizational walls and across the continuum of care have become key to population health management, clinically integrated networks and accountable care organizations. As a result, the demand for HIE (Health Information Exchange) continues to grow, and hospitals and physician networks have to share patient information with partners who often have different technologies and standards. We help you understand the data you need and how best to acquire, share and analyze that data to benefit your patients and your organization.

Safety first.

Managing each patient's identity is critical.

The risks are high when you're depending on data to be accurate, and never higher than when delivering patient care. Indeed, the viability of your organization depends on patient safety, which requires accurate data — from all sources. We start by understanding your business and clinical goals to help you define a data architecture and EMPI (Enterprise Master Patient Index) strategy that aligns with your connectivity requirements. We then help you develop a data governance strategy and process that results in consistent, accurate, timely, accessible and actionable data.

A toolkit for data sharing.

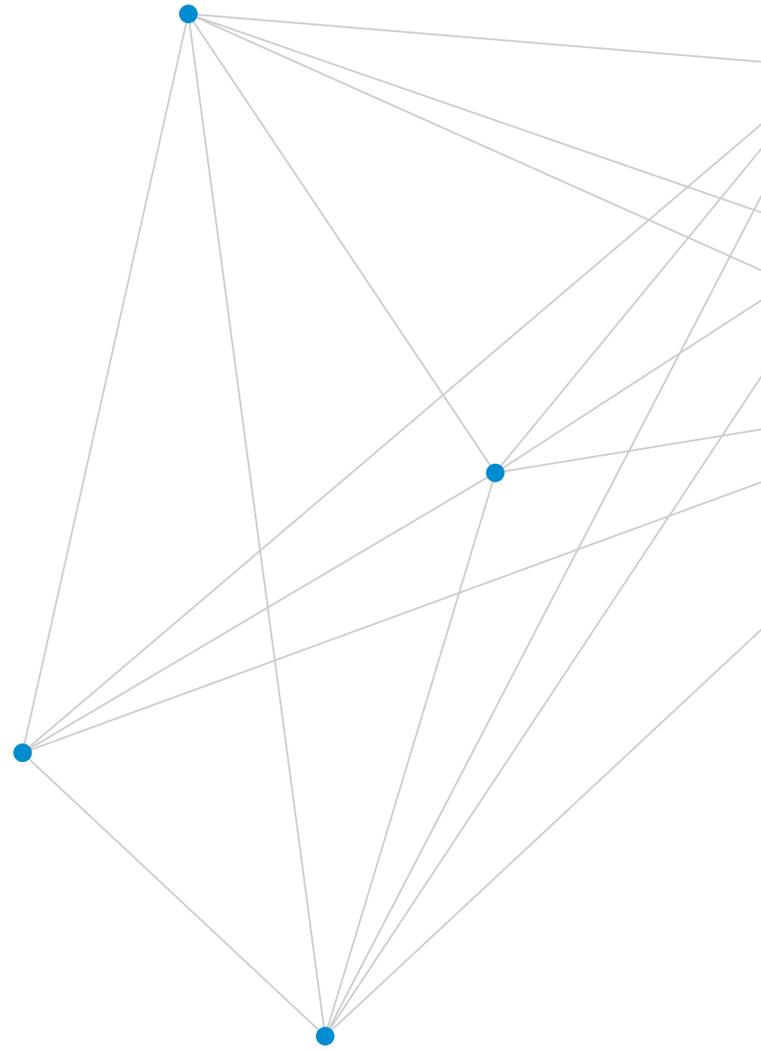
Get the most out of your capabilities.

As data exchange accelerates, the environment becomes more complex. You can choose from a variety of exchange tools, including vendor-specific exchange functions, industry efforts such as CommonWell and Carequality, federal efforts such as eHealth Exchange, and standards such as Direct Secure Messaging. We help you navigate these technologies to create an organized and efficient process for exchanging, integrating and preparing data that allows people to shift from collecting data to analyzing and using it to improve patient care and organizational performance.

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Areas of Expertise

- Electronic Health Records
- Health Information Exchange (HIE) Technologies and Initiatives
- Patient Identity Management and EMPI
- Data Governance
- Population Health
- Data Architecture
- Regulatory Requirements
- Analytics and Reporting



Why Himformatics?

We ask “Why?”

We help you achieve your goals — and can even help you figure out what they are.

Rather than chasing the latest trend, we ask tough questions upfront to understand what you need to accomplish, why and when. We can help with everything from IT assessment and strategy to vendor selection, implementations, training, and measurement.

We get in the trenches.

We work shoulder to shoulder to get the job done.

Your organization is unique. Your strategy and tactics should be, too. We first understand how your organization works, where the biggest challenges to achieving your goals are, and how to address them.

We know healthcare and IT.

We apply years of lessons learned to help you succeed.

Many of us have held leadership positions in healthcare organizations and understand the challenges you face. We are uniquely positioned to apply both business understanding and technical knowledge to your situation.

Core Competencies

- Strategy and Assessment
- Program and Project Management
- Workflow and Operational Improvement
- Implementation and Design
- Informatics
- Contract Reviews and Negotiations

Focus Areas

- Business Intelligence and Analytics
- Clinical Optimization and Process Redesign
- Health Data Exchange and Interoperability
- IT Strategy and Performance
- Physician Practice Integration
- Population Health Management
- Regulatory and Compliance
- Revenue Cycle Optimization and Process Redesign