

2015 Edition §170.315(e)(3) Patient Health Information Capture

Testing Components: Health IT developer self-declaration to the testing outcomes

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Please consult the Final Rule entitled: *2015 Edition Health Information Technology (Health IT) Certification Criteria, 2015 Edition Base Electronic Health Record (EHR) Definition, and ONC Health IT Certification Program Modifications* for a detailed description of the certification criterion with which these testing steps are associated. We also encourage developers to consult the Certification Companion Guide in tandem with the test procedure as they provide clarifications that may be useful for product development and testing.

Note: The order in which the test steps are listed reflects the sequence of the certification criterion and does not necessarily prescribe the order in which the test should take place

Required Tests

(e)(3) Patient health information capture. Enable a user to:

(i) Identify, record, and access information directly and electronically shared by a patient (or authorized representative).

Standards: None

Criteria ¶	System Under Test	Test Lab Verification
(i)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The user demonstrates the ability to identify patient information directly and electronically shared by a patient or authorized representative. 2. The user demonstrates the ability to electronically record information directly shared by a patient or authorized representative. 3. The user demonstrates the ability to electronically access information directly shared by a patient or authorized representative. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The tester verifies the user has the ability to identify the patient information that has been electronically shared by the patient or authorized representative. 2. The tester verifies that the user has the ability to electronically record the information directly shared by the patient or authorized representative and associate it with the specific patient along with the information identifier. 3. The tester verifies that the user has the ability to electronically access patient information directly shared by the patient or authorized representative.

(ii) Reference and link to patient health information documents.

Standard(s): None

Criteria ¶	System Under Test	Test Lab Verification
(ii)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The user demonstrates the ability to provide a reference (e.g. Providing narrative information on where to locate a specific health information document) to patient health information documents. The user demonstrates the ability to link to an external internet site where a health information document is stored. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The tester verifies that the user has the ability to create a reference to where a patient health information document can be found. The tester verifies that the user has the ability to link to an internet site where a health information document is stored.

Document History

Version Number	Description of Change	Date
1.0	Final Test Procedure	January 20, 2016
1.1	As of September 21, 2017, Test Procedure has been moved to Attestation/Developer self-declaration only	September 21, 2017

Dependencies: For all related and required criteria, please refer to the [Master Table of Related and Required Criteria](#).