



# Empowering Patients and Improving Outcomes

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# Sarah's Wellness Journey



Vitals



Seasonal  
allergies



Medication



Quit  
smoking



Diet and  
exercise



PCP



Plan



Claims



Lab  
results



Rx



Vitals



X-Ray



Referral



Plan



Claims



Eye exam



Rx



Optometrist



Uncovered



Bills

# Empowering Sarah

## Her Perspective



### Daily log



Vitals



Medication



Diet and  
exercise



Seasonal  
allergies

“How have my vitals changed over time with diet, exercise, and other life changes and events?”

### Care team



PCP



Referral



Optometrist

“How can I allow my PCP to see the notes and test results from the specialist I was referred to?”

### Clinical history



Rx



Lab  
results



X-Ray



Vitals



Eye exam

“I want to participate in a study on young mothers. How do I give the researchers access to my insurance claims and health records without compromising my privacy?”

### Financials



Claims



Bills



# This is a challenge for all of us

# Thank you.

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# THE MORAL IMPERATIVE AND BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE HEALTH BY CONNECTING HEALTHCARE

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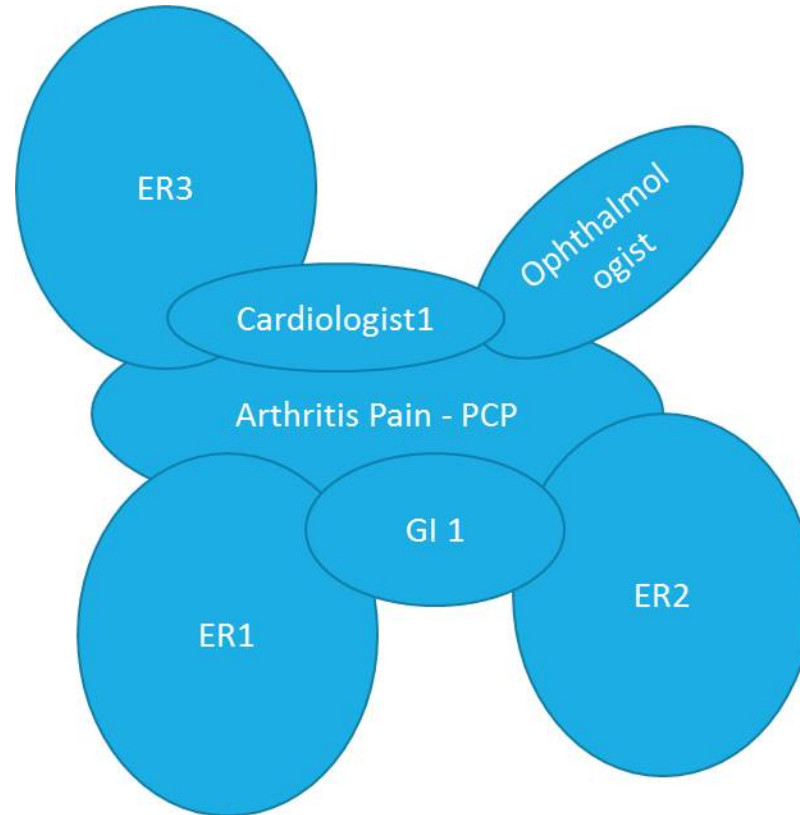
Vik Kheterpal, MD

Improve Outcomes  
Reduce Costs  
Improve Patient Satisfaction  
Improve Provider Satisfaction

# Lack of Longitudinal Data Creates Blind Spots – The Vioxx Experience

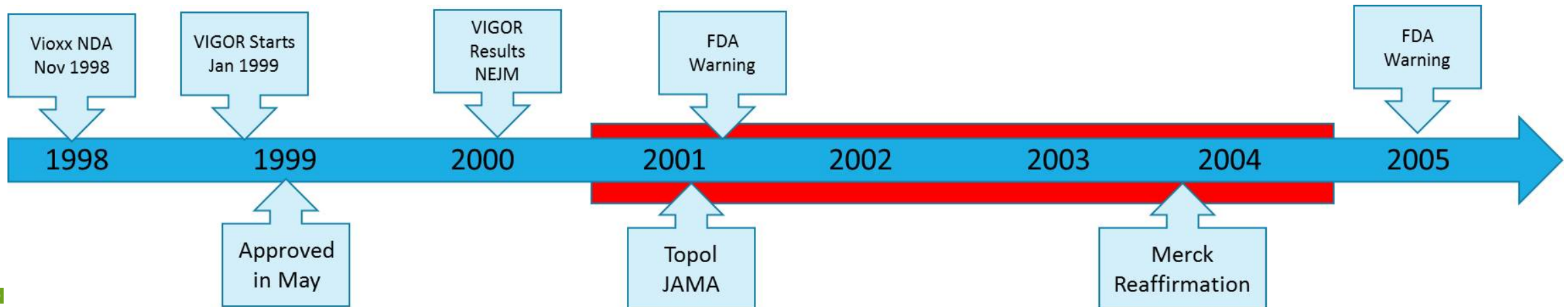
## “Claims Data”

- Broad - time and population
- What actually happened (Filled Rx)
- But, shallow (HbA1c ordered)
- Late
- Lacks nuance



## “Clinical Data”

- Deep (HbA1c results)
- Nuanced (social, severity, progression, intent)
- Near real time
- But narrow
- What should happen (ordered Rx)

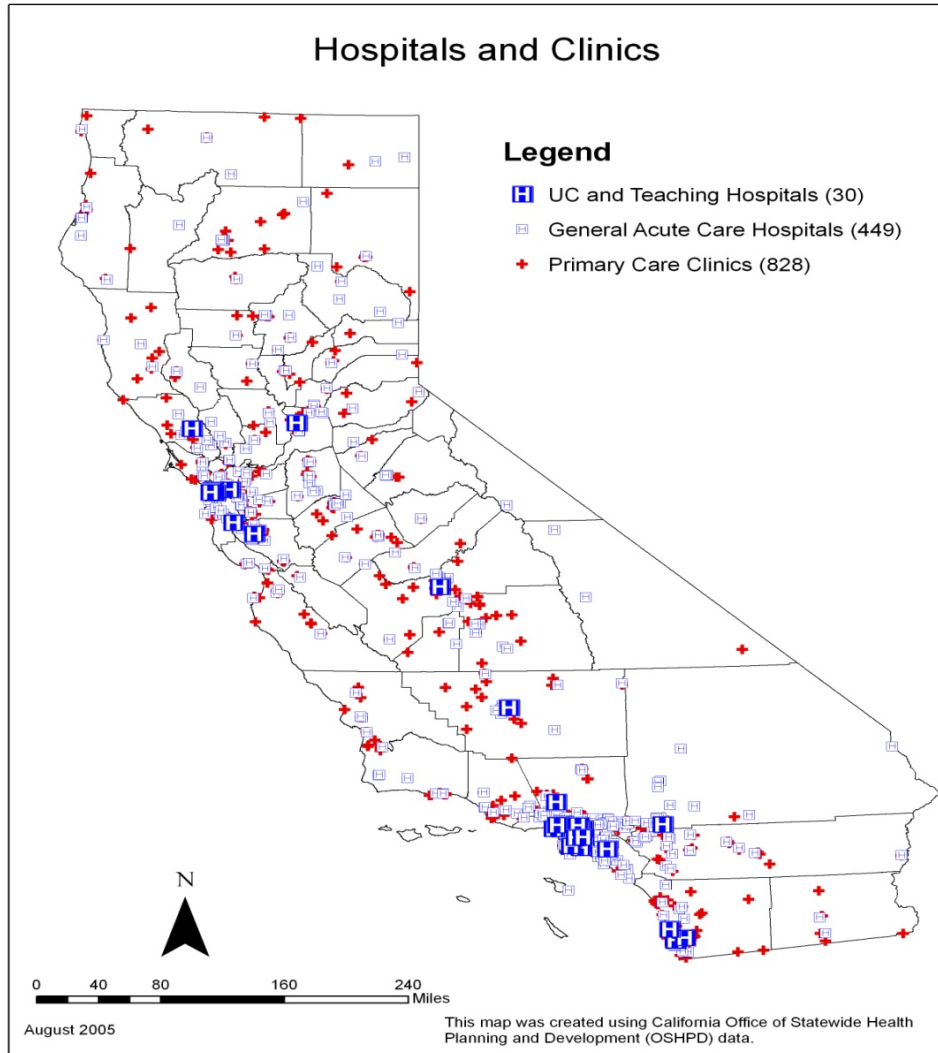


# Key Themes

- The case for the LPR –Longitudinal Patient Record
- Reframing the typical discussion about claims versus clinical data – false choice
- Honesty about the traditional perversions that have been an invisible (but powerful) drag on sharing data
- CDeX – role of consumer mediated exchange – HIE of 1
- Establish case for optimism and call to action



# Healthcare digitization has created digital islands of automation while our challenge is to manage patient health across time



**Fragmented Healthcare** : Geographic and Sub-specialization Trends Continue

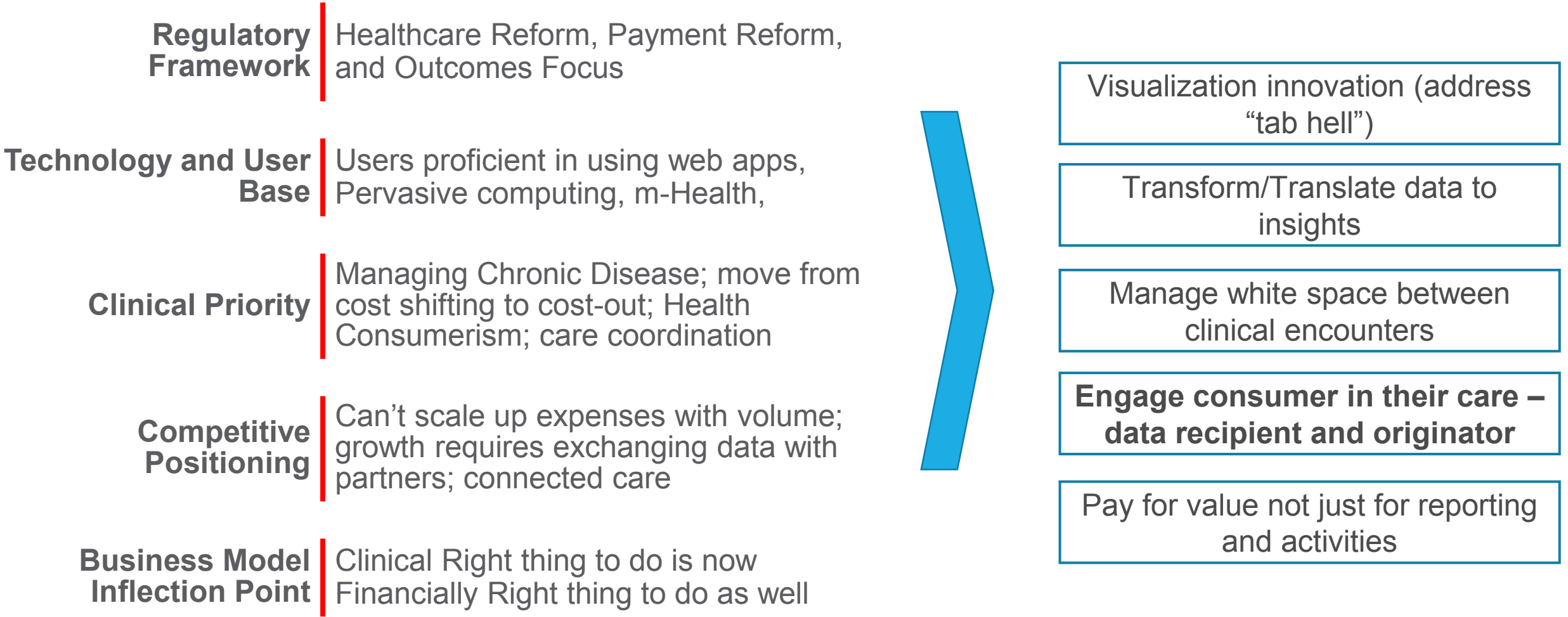
**Facility Focus** : Just Get My Doctors and Nurses on-line

**Traditional HIT Focus** : EMR, PMIS, Departmental, HIT etc.

**Pace of Adoption Quickening**

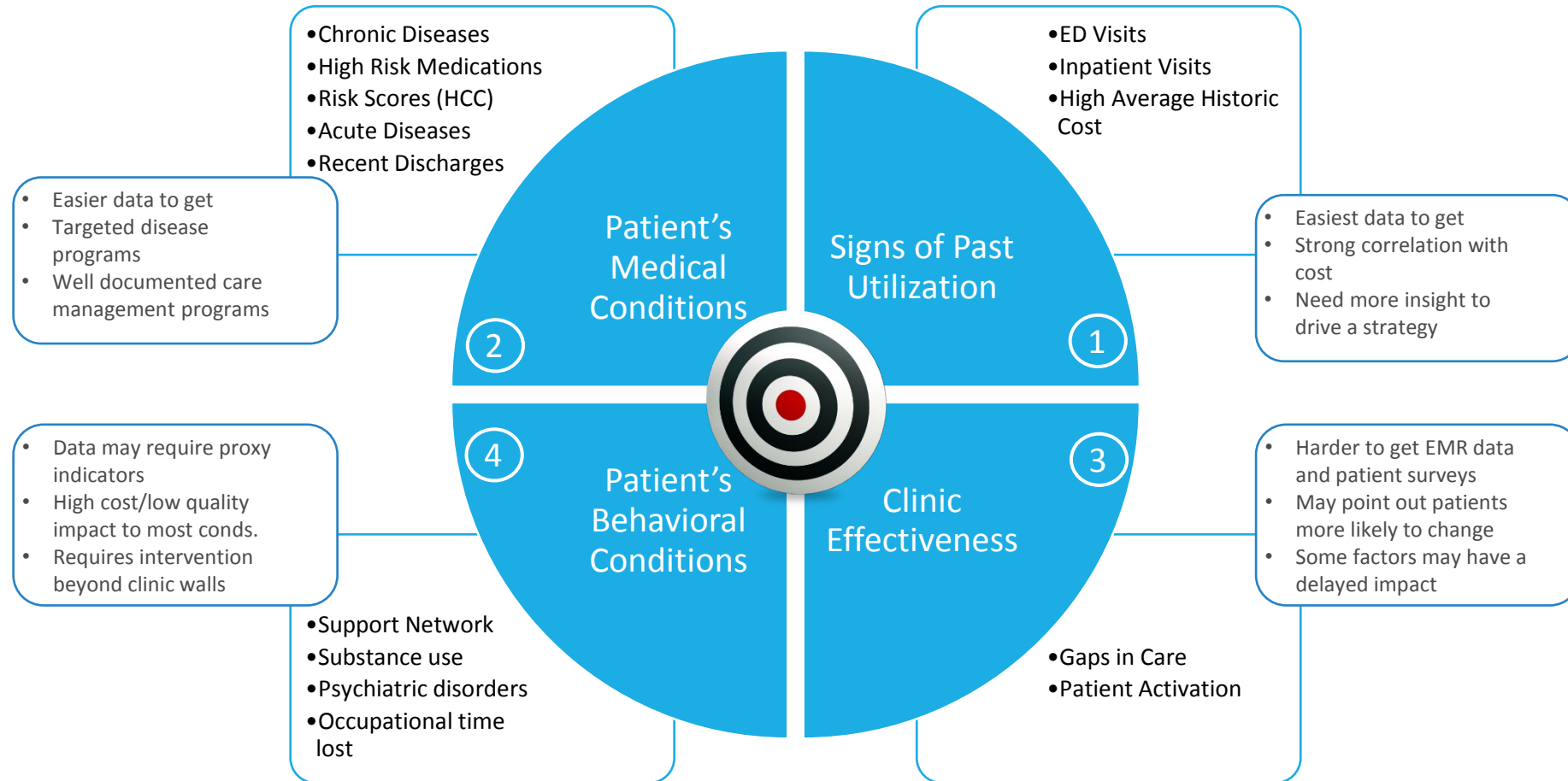
**Islands of Automation**

# “Post-EMR” & “Post-Measure” Era – VBC requires remove cost out of system – not just cost shifting (Everyone is now a Pay-Vider)



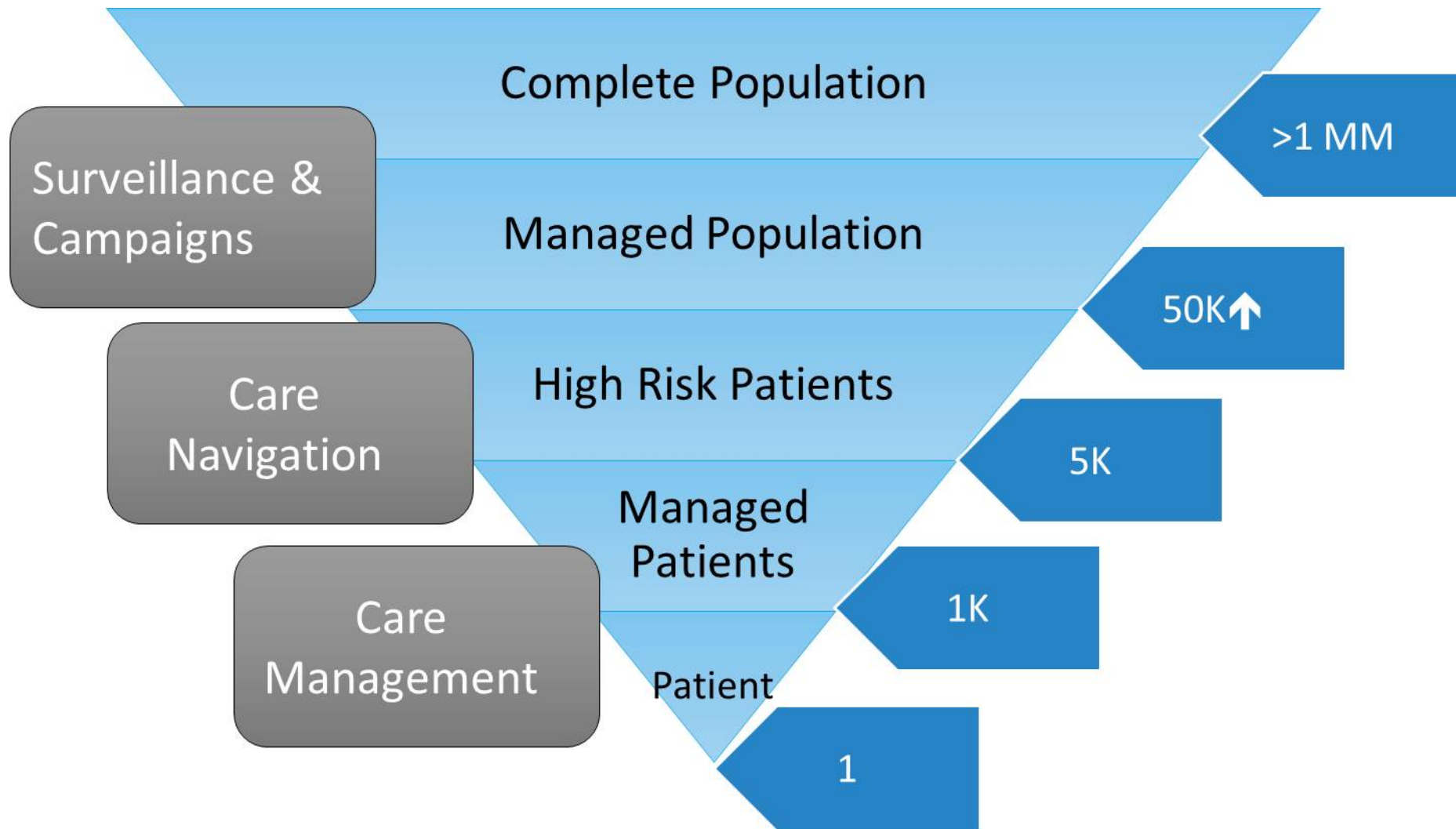
# “Rising Risk”: Find Targets for Care Management Interventions

Narrow to a population you can manage and who has factors you can impact...look for new service needs.



Optimize strategy by age, gender and zip code

# Big Data Paradox: Population Health Requires Focus: All About the “N of 1”



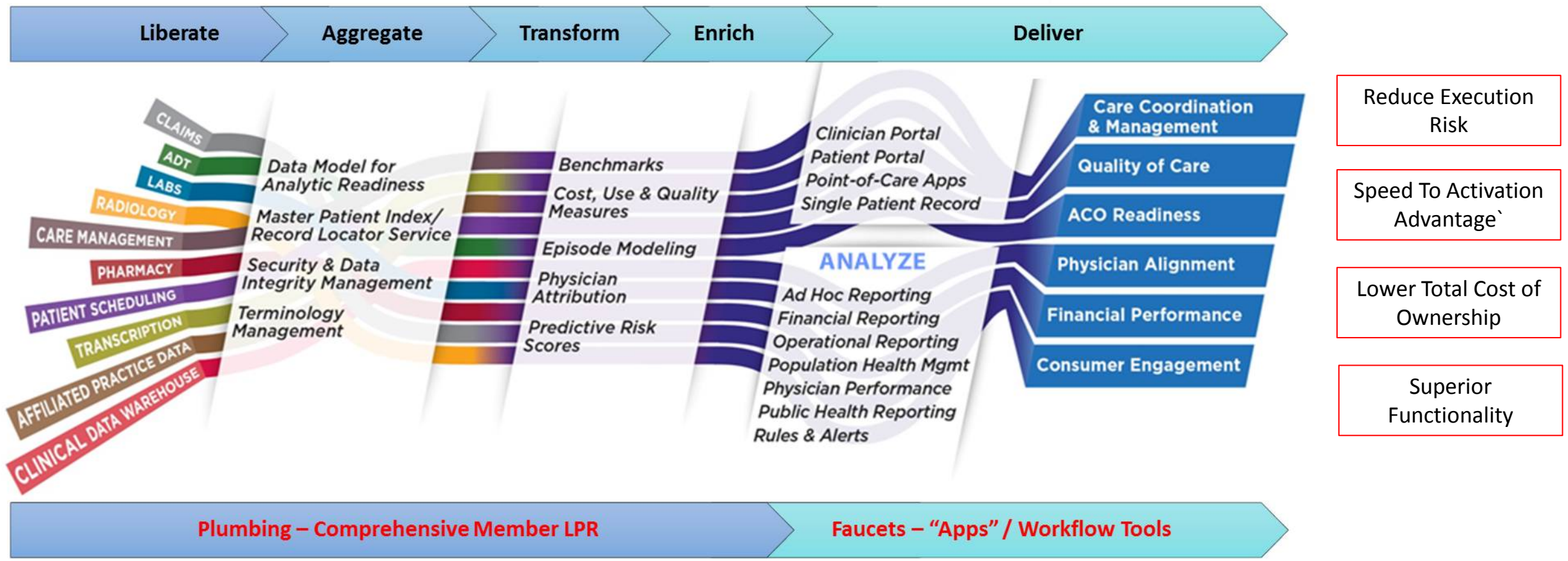
# The Challenge: Need and Effective “Tricorder” – A Universal Translator for Healthcare Data (This is HIEBus™)

Vocabulary	Content & Structure	Transport	Services
SNOMED	HL7 2.x	SMTP/SMIME	“Direct”/messaging
NPI/NPPES	HL7 CCDA	HTTP/RESTful	IHE XDR
ICD10	CDA BPPC Etc.	SOAP	PIX/PDQ
LOINC	NCPDP / SCRIPT	TLS	XDS/XCPD (NwHIN)
RxNorm	HL7 2.5.1	-	FHIR/SMART
HCPCS/CPT	DICOM (MWL)	-	HPD/HPD+
HL7 and other Value Sets	FHIR	-	DICOM (MWL)



# HIEBus™ : Last Mile Connectivity, MPI, Terminology, De-Duping, Attribution, Measures, Analytics and Predictive Models, Care Coordination

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# We Connect Healthcare To Help Manage Populations Across “Markets”

## Payers / White Labeled Resellers

- LPR – claims+clinical data warehouse
- 360 view of members for CM/UM/DM
- Patient/member portal – mobile/web
- Clinical analytics /community care planning



## Providers/ACOs

- LPR – clinical+claims data warehouse
- MU1/II compliant interoperability engine
- Care management platform
- Patient portal – mobile/web
- Clinical Analytics/population Health/ACO



## Research/PRO

- Research Data Warehouse
- Multi-center trials / National Societies
- ResearchKit based Participant enrollment and data gathering platform



## Collaboratives

- Statewide HIE – MPI, aggregation, portal
- Provider Registry and Index
- Secure messaging
- Analytics/population health/ACO



135+ million patients



720+ hospitals



800+ HIT System Interfaces



220+ FQHC, SNF, and home health



260,000 active users

# Beyond Basic Connectivity & Exchange. Need A New Way To Frame The Solutions So We Don't Talk Past One Another

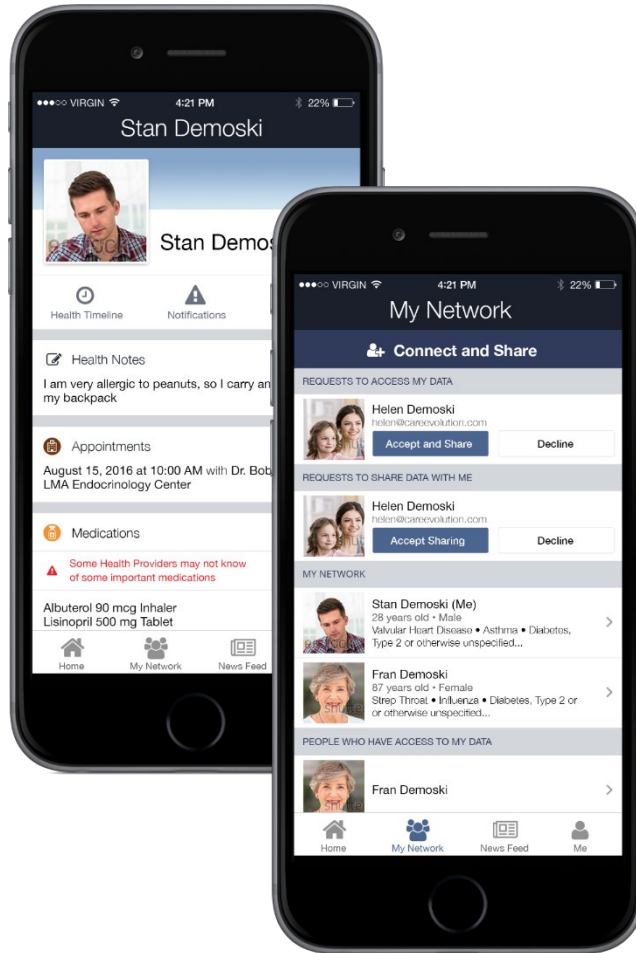
Health Plan: Economic View Measure and Track Focus		Provider: Care Delivery and Workflow Continuous Perf Improvement Focus
"Leakage", Network Utilization	↔	Minimize Handoffs, Improve Transitions of Care
Risk Score Optimization	↔	Falling Risk or Patients Lost to Follow Up
Benchmarking, "Rack and Stack" Physicians	↔	Continuous Improvement & Feedback To Assist Physicians So they Can Improve
Gaps In Care To Support Comparison Across Plans	↔	Evidenced Based Best Practices to Reduce Unexplained Clinical Variation
Analytics and Risk Score to Price Premiums and Populations	↔	Patient Stratification and Prioritize Those Needing Attention
Retrospective Performance and Dashboards ("Rear View Mirrors")	↔	Prospective Patients Needing Attention – Triage ("Out the Windshield View")

## Payer Provider Convergence Challenges and Opportunities

Today, effectiveness limited by disconnected clinical and claims data, unclear attribution and inconsistent definition of risk.

With CE, integrated clinical and claims data driven insights inform consistent care management.

With CE, one can pivot to prospective patient management with holistic, patient-centric, actionable care provider and care manager worklists



A Platform Leveraging Interoperability  
Standards To Empower The Consumer and  
Connect Them to Their Caregivers

# Enabling Consumers To Manage And Control Their Health Information – Items of Note in Demonstration

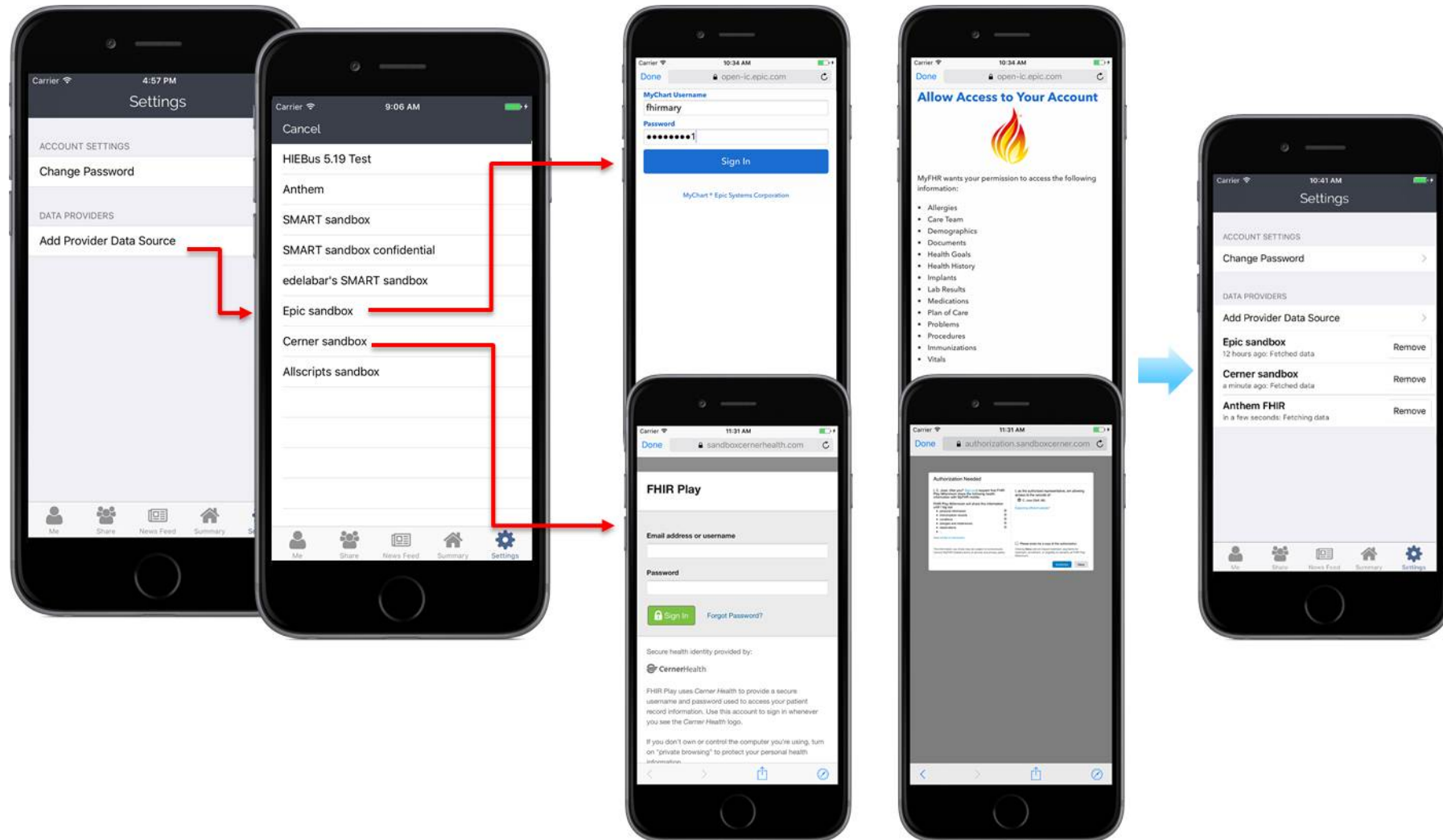
- Data
  - Liquidity: Access to multiple EHRs using FHIR API (CDA and other standards)
    - Aggregation: De-duplication, terminology mapping
    - Enrichment: Therapeutic classification; “reconcile” what different providers may know about the patient
  - Device Integration (HealthKit mediated) – BP, Weight scales, Glucometers
  - CCD/CDA Integration
- Patient Directed Control and Workflow
  - Amend information – annotate and tag information (ex. add OTC medications)
  - Share with family members and other caregivers
  - Create a summary across multiple sources and share back with new providers
  - Clinical Alerts and reminders
  - Sync For Science Ready (share with researchers)
- Connecting Patients to Caregivers
  - Ability to perform surveillance on thousands of patients at home and establish triggers for caremanagers
  - Rule based automated monitoring and tasking of notifications to patients and caregivers
- Multiple Platform Support



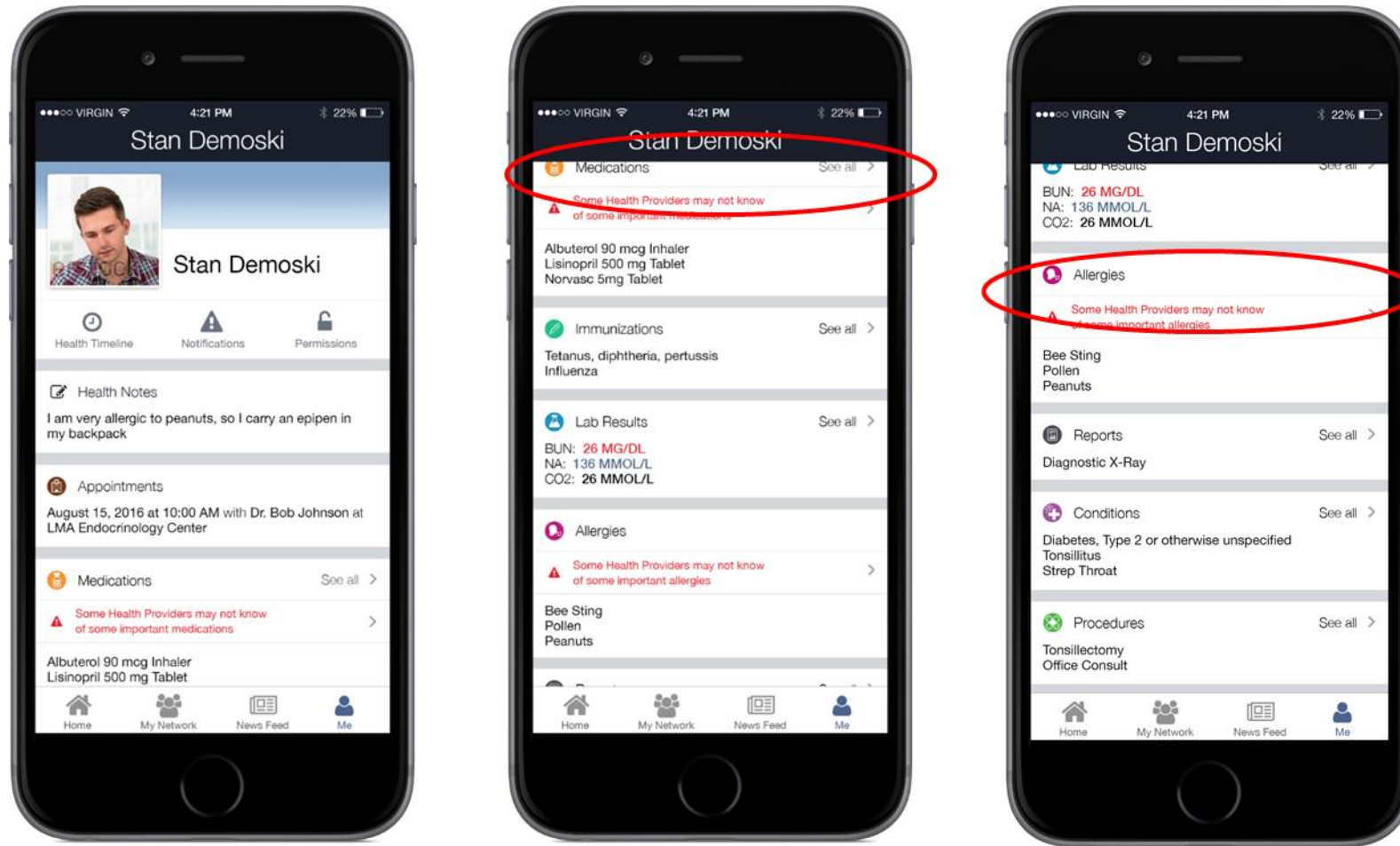
# Already Connected to Over 120 Large Health Systems Who Are Advanced Adopters of Latest EMR Vendor Support for FHIR



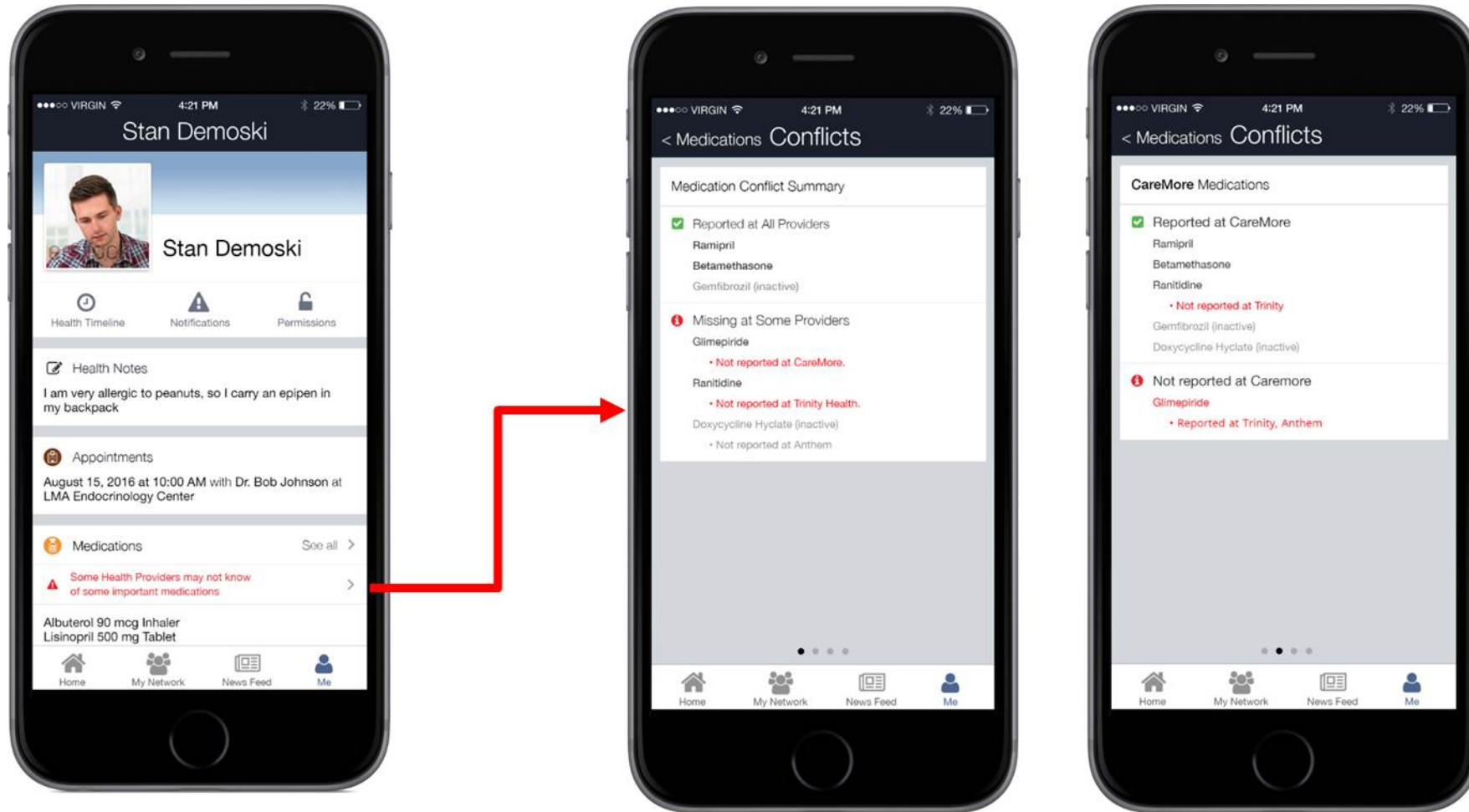
# Consumer Can Connect to Multiple FHIR Endpoints Such as Epic, Cerner, Allscripts, BB2.0 etc.



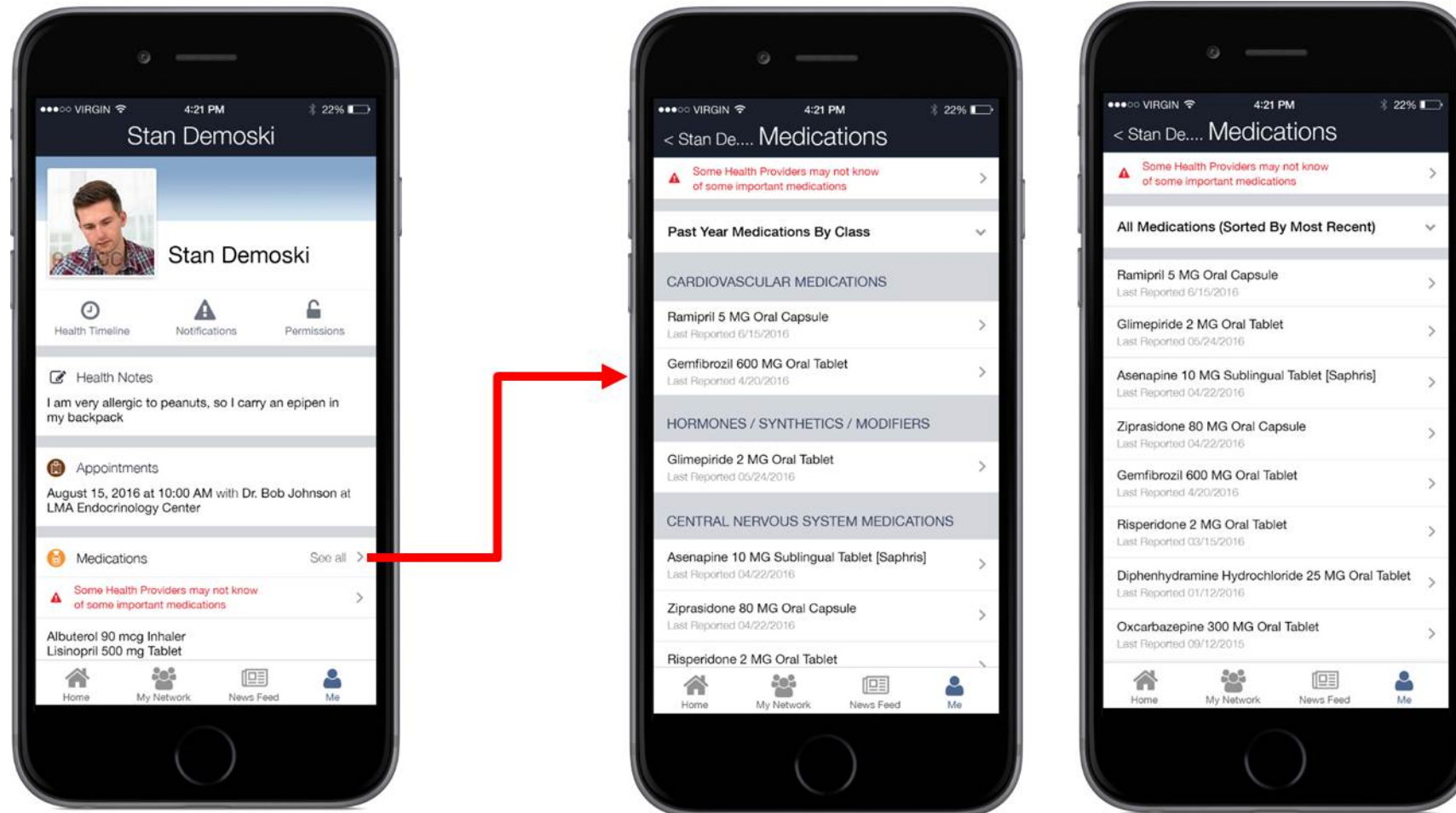
# Data Is Aggregated to Drive Advanced Functionality - Medication and Allergy Reconciliation To Detect Conflicts



# “Med Reconciliation” – Highlighting Providers That May Not Be Aware of One-Another’s Medication List

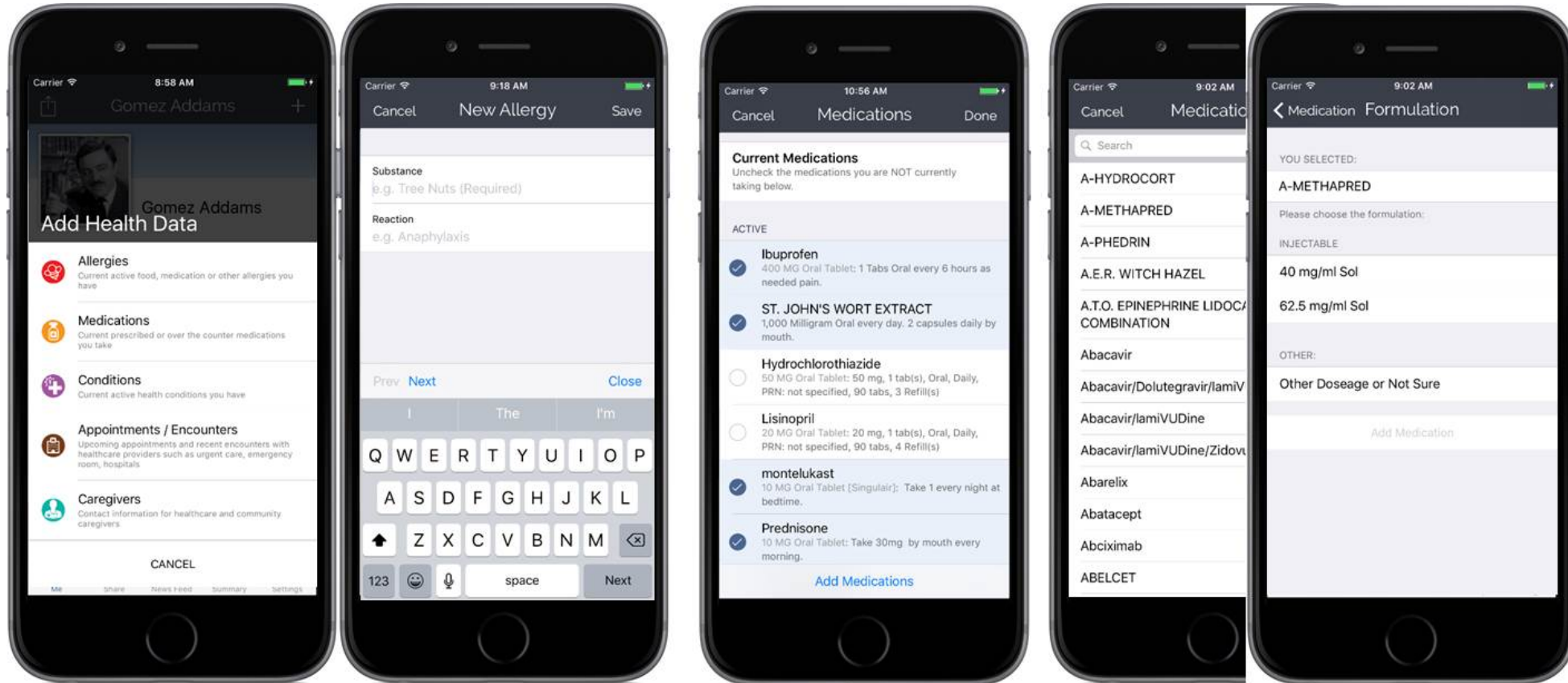


# Helping Consumers Understand Medication List By Therapeutically Classifying The Medications





# Empowering Consumers To Edit or Add Information to Their Record

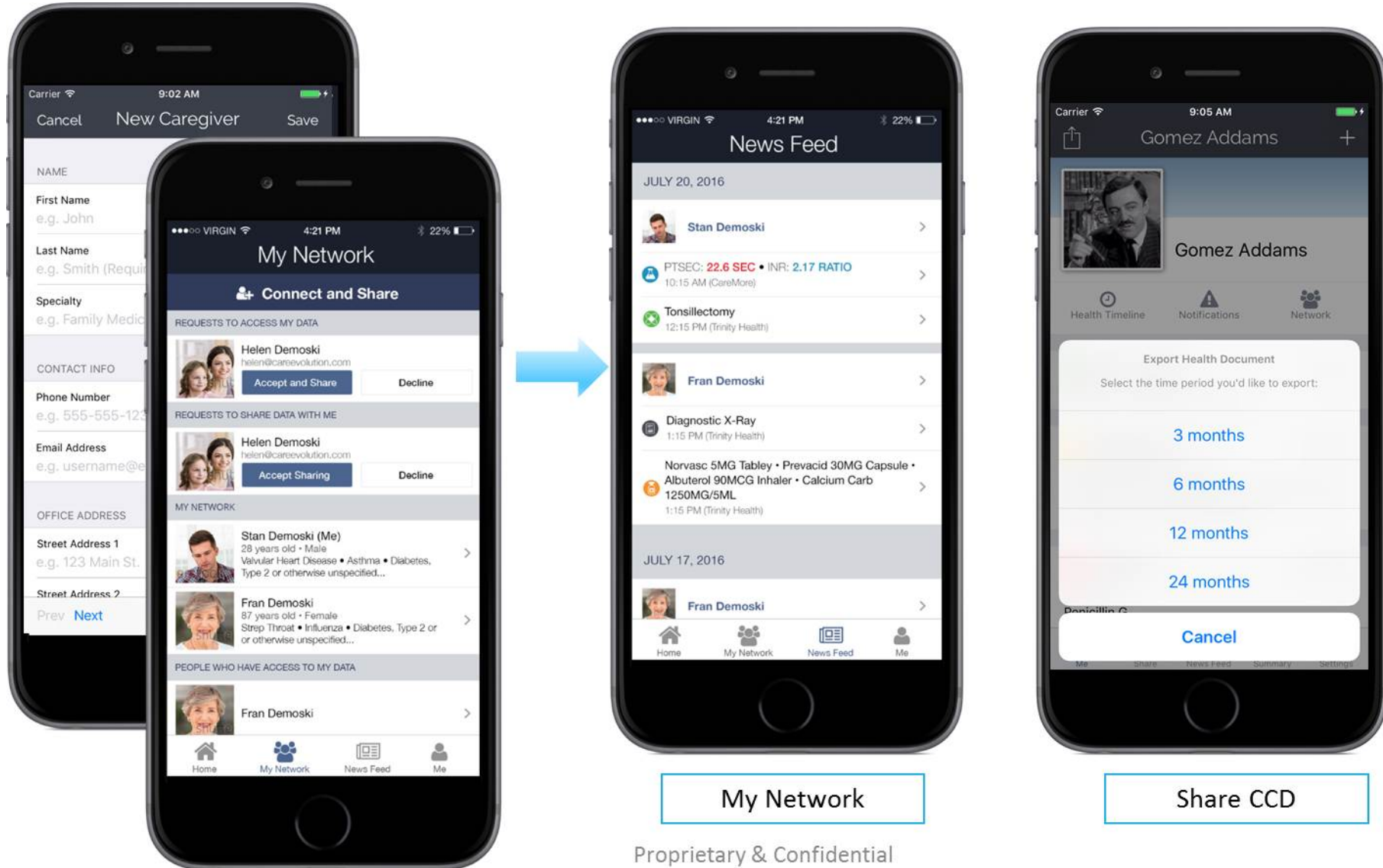


Add Allergy

Edit Meds

Add Meds

# Advanced Capabilities to Share Record With Family and Caregivers using FHIR, CCD, Secure Mail, or in-App Notification

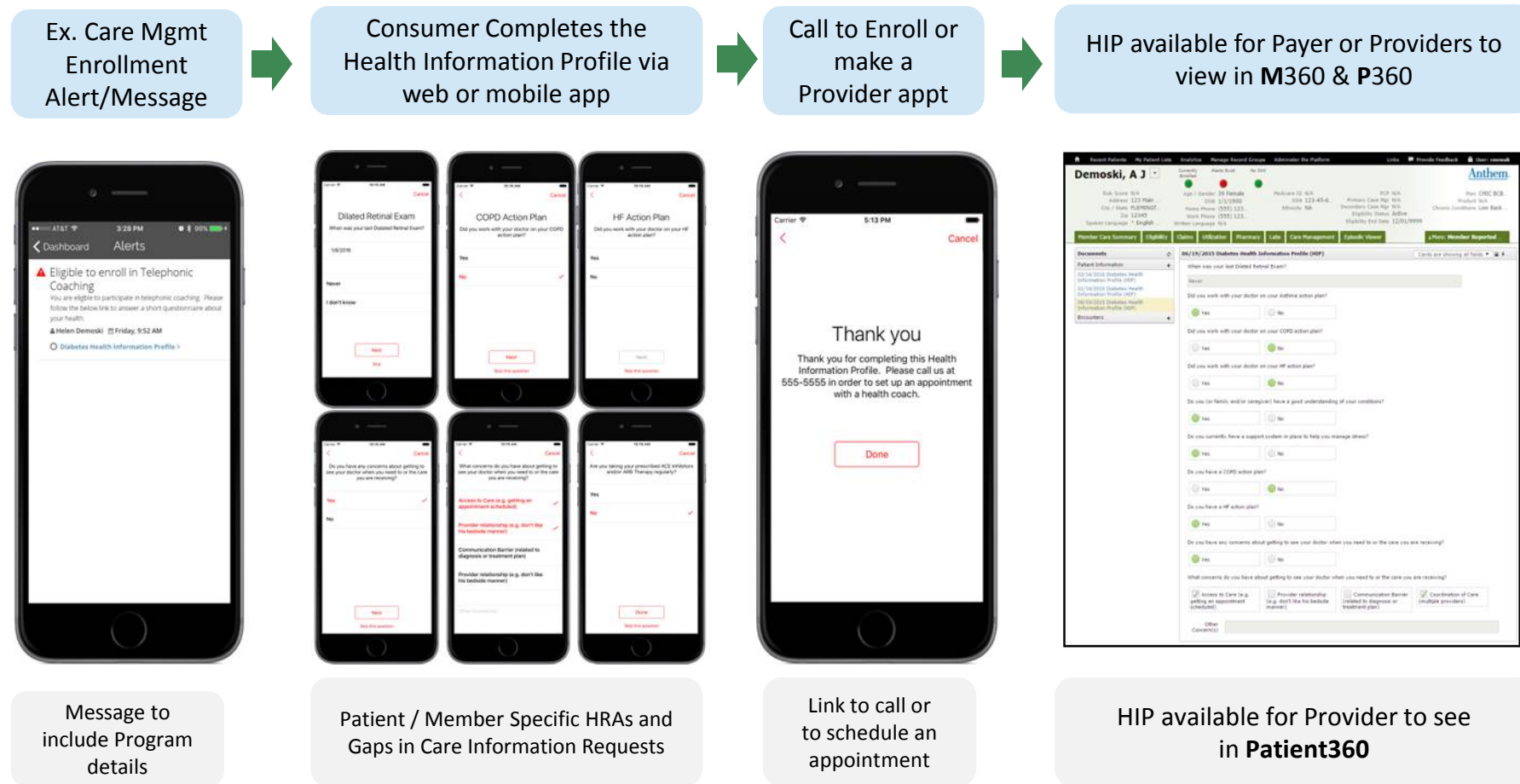


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# For Members With Apple Watch – Extends Information, Alerts and Data to Wearables



# Full Connectivity to Enterprise (Provider/Payer) to Engage with Patient/Member Across Platforms





*One Patient...One Record*

## Achieving Real-Time Care Coordination by Linking Clinical & Claims Data

Presented by: Gregory Church, President

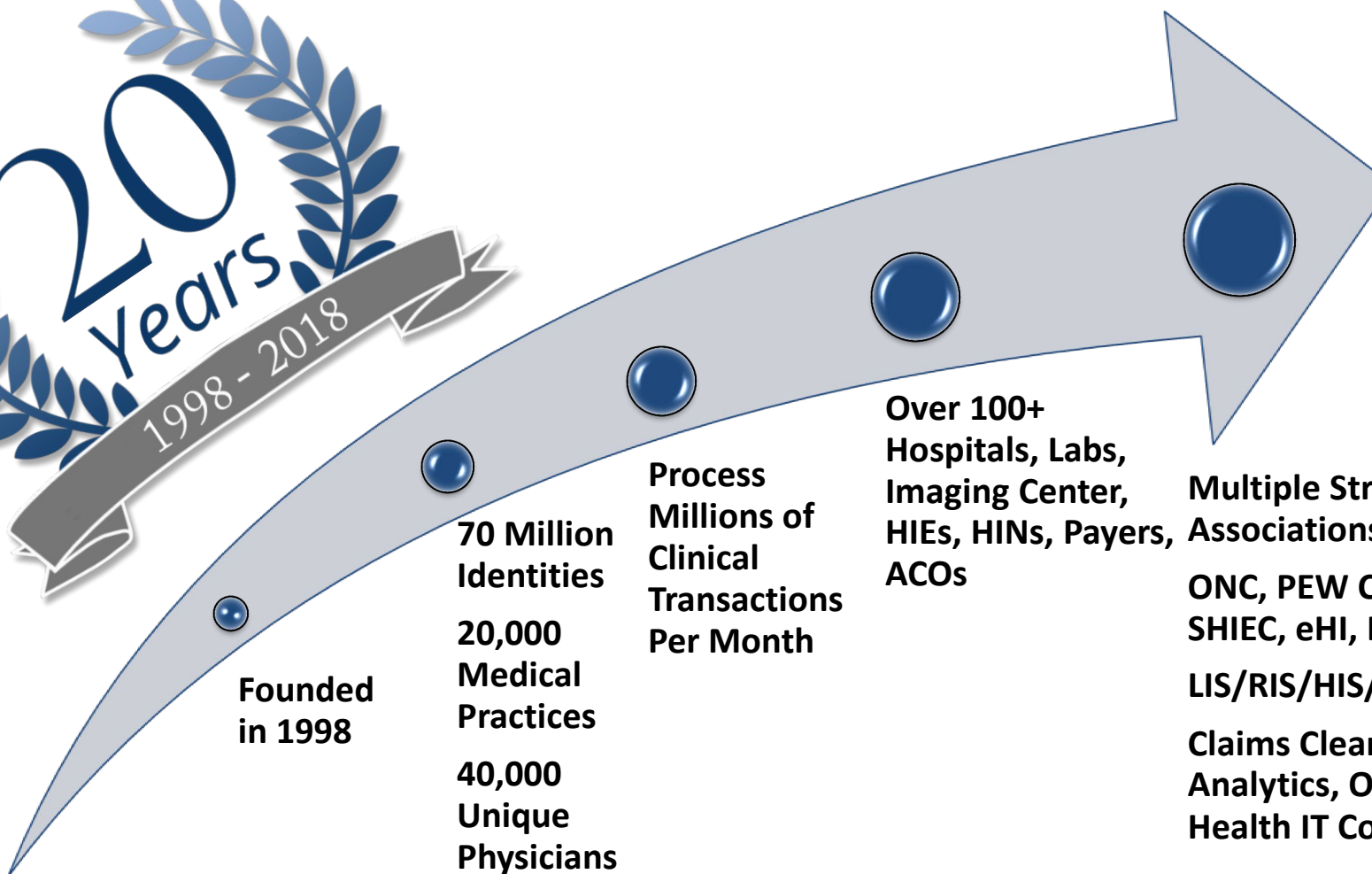


**4medica®**  
*One Patient...One Record*





# About 4medica



Founded  
in 1998

70 Million  
Identities

20,000  
Medical  
Practices

40,000  
Unique  
Physicians

Process  
Millions of  
Clinical  
Transactions  
Per Month

Over 100+  
Hospitals, Labs,  
Imaging Center,  
HIEs, HINs, Payers,  
ACOs

Multiple Strategic Partners &  
Associations:

ONC, PEW Charitable Trusts,  
SHIEC, eHI, HiMSS, AHIMA

LIS/RIS/HIS/EMR/PMS Vendors

Claims Clearinghouses, CRM &  
Analytics, Other Strategic  
Health IT Consultants



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# What We Do for Real-time Care Coordination



## 4medica Big Data MPI™

- Real-Time Precision Matching & Scoring
- Unlimited Data Sources
- Normalized Attributes
- Scalable to Hundreds of Millions of Identities
- Cloud-based SaaS Solution

## 4medica Big Data Identity Enrichment™

- Enriched Master Records (current & unlimited historic data)
- Referential Data Matching (using sophisticated external data sources)

## 4medica Big Data CDR™

- Unified View: Single Patient Record
- Real-Time Clinical Decision Support & Analytics
- Advanced Care Coordination Platform (portal for providers, patients & payers)

## 4medica ClinXdata® (Clinical Data Exchange)

- Clearinghouse for Real-time Exchange of Laboratory, Radiology & Other Clinical Data

# Why Big Data Architecture?



- 4medica utilizes deterministic, probabilistic, referential and machine-learning (ML) for precision matching
- 4medica uses a patented inverse document frequency index (IDFI) to perform searches across the millions of identities that belong to a health organization
- This is at the heart of the search relevancy model; similar model Google used when its search engine technology came to market
- 4medica utilizes in “standard configuration” fourteen (14) data attributes and has ability to ingest unlimited custom attributes for scoring
- Scoring can be performed for synonym, phonetic, transpositions and single character mismatches; as well as edit distance mismatches and partial match scenarios
- Scoring is real-time and can be done in production mode without downtime
- Updating is immediate with the next manual merge or API transaction
- Because, scoring updates are immediate and iterations are saved, any unwanted updates can be immediately terminated and a previous iteration can be restored

# Today's Challenges: Linking Clinical & Claims Data



- Lack of high volume, real-time transactional systems across the continuum of care
- No 'Universal Patient ID'
- Lack of data standards for normalizing patient demographics (such as postal addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, etc.)
- Too many legacy MPIs that lack increased speed, precision & simplification of the patient matching process
- Lack of a frictionless interoperability platform to facilitate the exchange of complete clinical & claims data
- Too many legacy health management systems that are expensive to acquire, maintain and **do not** solve the matching and clinical data integration problem

## What do we need to do as a Health IT Community to solve this challenge?

- Private and public sectors needs to agree on how we handle the lack of a 'Universal Patient ID' and making such an ID readily available (in real-time) for all types of healthcare organizations
- The ability to quickly & securely search for the ID of each patient and not be limited to basic demographic attributes to further increase the overall match rate in our disparate data silos
- We must have access to standardized demographics to further match and integrate clinical & claims history
- We must create a frictionless platform to securely exchange clinical & claims data for each patient identity

# Why Care Coordination Fails Today



Discrepancies in patient name, DOB, address, SSN, IDs and other unique patient attributes

Multiple information systems and databases – too many silos (HIS, EMR, Lab, Rad, etc.)

Poor system integration, or absence of integration (time is of the essence, lack of resources)

Prior data conversions (hospital systems merging, multiple EMRs)

Current ineffective Patient Matching or lack thereof (relying on providers of care)



# The Data Integration Challenge



## Overlaps

Patient records in more than one data source/location

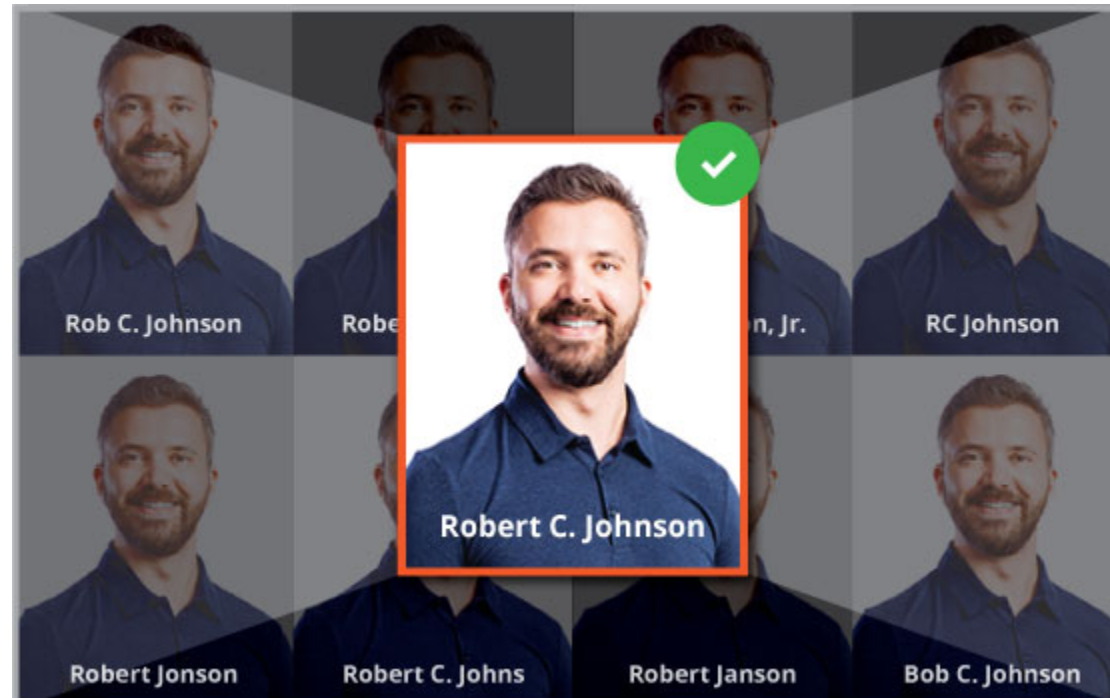
- Dangerous; reviewing treatment plans and coordinating care with missed important clinical information (blood types & allergies)
- Tests repeated; major financial impact on Payers & ACOs
- Delayed treatment

## Overlays

Two or more patients have the same MRN in same data source/location

- Very dangerous; huge patient safety risk – treating one patient with another person's record
- Quality of care problems numerous and extremely dangerous
- Especially Pediatric patients; who can't speak for themselves
- Did you know? It can take as much as 500 hours to fix one electronic record overlay?

# What is the End-Game?



***One Patient...One Record***

# Use Case #1



## Profile:

- One of the country's largest and most successful health information networks (HINs) with over 9M patient identities failed accurate patient matching and data integration after multiple attempts to use legacy relational database MPI products in batch mode.

## The Performance Challenge:

- HIN could not find an MPI engine that could scale to their volume of identities (>15,000,000) and transactions (>50,000,000 monthly).
- Prior MPI engines could not handle unlimited data sources in real-time processing mode throughout the state.
- 4medica's multi-patented Big Data matching algorithms, significantly reduced duplication issues while further automating the identity matching, resolution workflow and integration requirements with their internal clinical & claims data management systems.

## The End Result:

- Verified precision matching, real-time transaction processing, scaling to millions of identities and transactions (in millisecond latency), and lower processing costs.



# Use Case #2



## Profile:

- Another large successful HIN, on the East Coast, connected to multiple health reporting agencies, 50+ hospitals and thousands of providers using a legacy relational data base MPI in batch mode.

## The Performance Challenge:

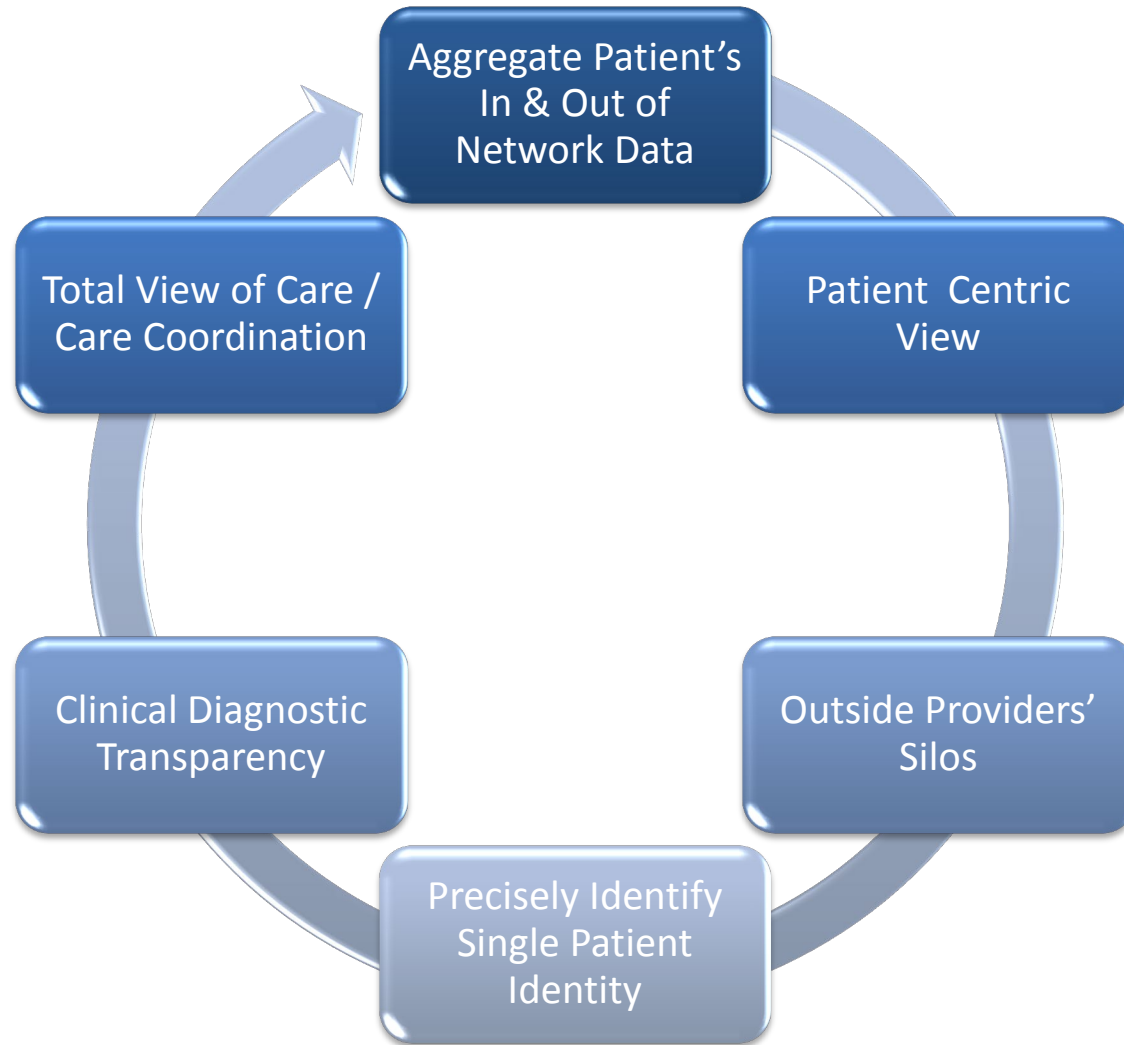
- HIN couldn't manage MPI data management requirements without loss of performance, speed and matching accuracy.
- 4medica Big Data architecture and its multi-patent MPI implemented as a "Pilot Use Case" reviewing 1.2 million identities that had been previously matched in the existing MPI engine.
- The multi-patented Big Data matching algorithms, and real-time scoring, quickly identified a high duplication rate on the initial data sources provided during the pilot.
- After less than (6) months, results of matching precision, combined with assigning a Unique Patient ID, were conclusive and the selection committee emphatically selected 4medica Big Data MPI.

## The End Result:

- Processing multiple state health agencies and other clinical and claims data sources on 6+ million identities and the results are even more resounding for the client. Patient matching and data integration resolution success.



# What We Have Accomplished – a Real-time 360° View





# Patient Centric Care...360° Real-time View



Share Clinical & Claims Data  
Transparently in Real-time

Promote Informed Patient-  
Centric Care Coordination

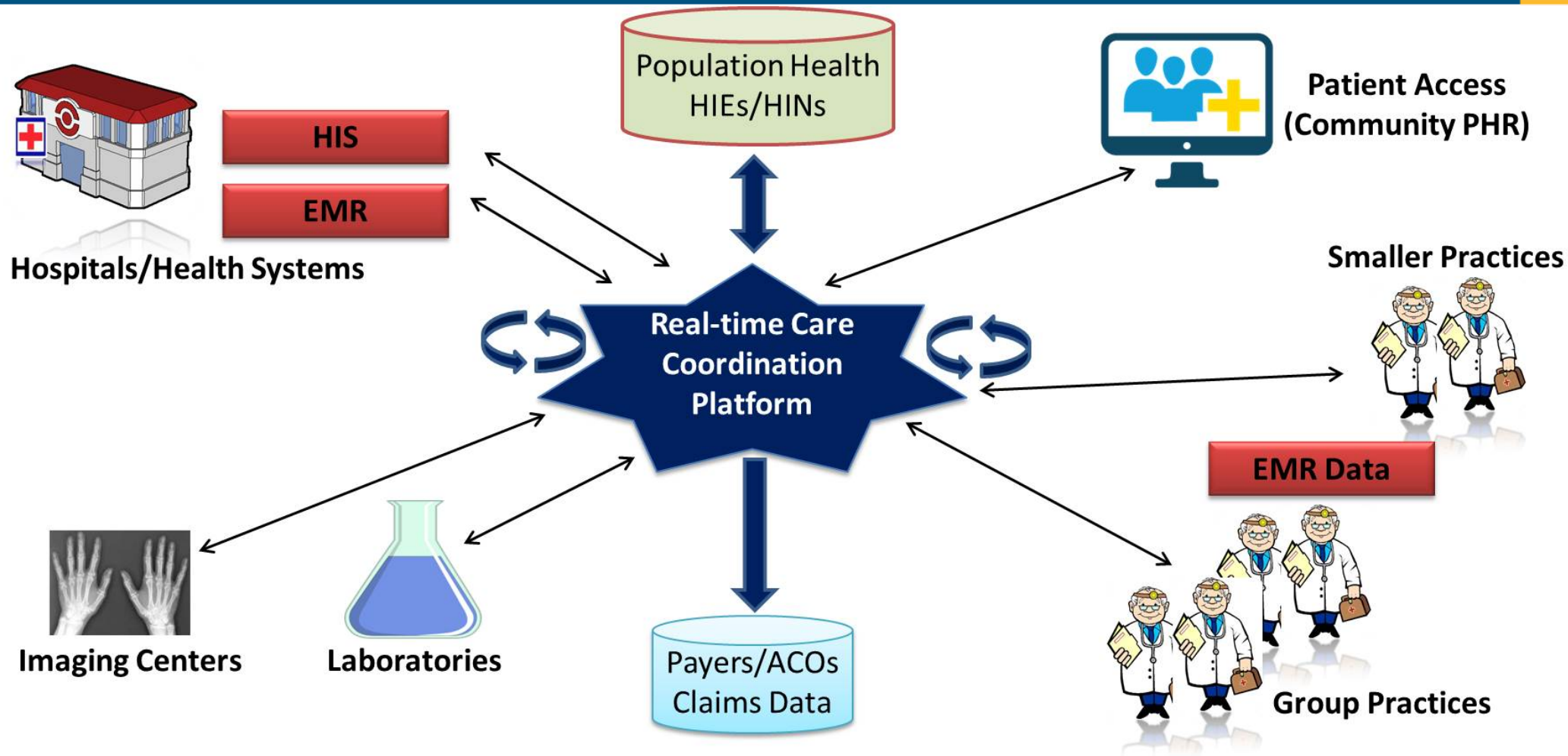
Segregate & Identify Clinical  
& Claims Information from  
Each Data Source



ADVANCED METABOLIC PANEL		
GLUCOSE	9.1	MG/DL
UREA NITROGEN	18	MG/DL
CREATININE	1.2	MG/DL
ALBUMIN	3.2	MG/DL
TOTAL PROTEIN	7.5	MG/DL
BUN	1.5	MG/DL
UREA TOTAL	9.2	MG/DL
PARATHYROID HORMONE	30	PGU
CALCIUM PHOSPHATE	28	MG/DL
2	48	MG/DL
PARATHYROID HORMONE	48	MG/DL
UREA PROFILE	200	MG/DL
GLUCOSE	200	MG/DL
UREA PROFILE	14	MG/DL



# Real-time Care Coordination Platform







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pokitdok

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# DokChain



- Blockchain Intro
- Quick Use Case Example
- What's Next

Blockchain  $\neq$  Cryptocurrency



Blockchain  $\neq$  Magic

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Blockchain  $\neq$  Solution



Blockchain = Technology



*“Blockchain allows possibly adversarial entities to obtain provable consensus with computational governance as a function of a trusted distributed network utilizing secure autonomous agents.”*

*- T. Tanner 2018*

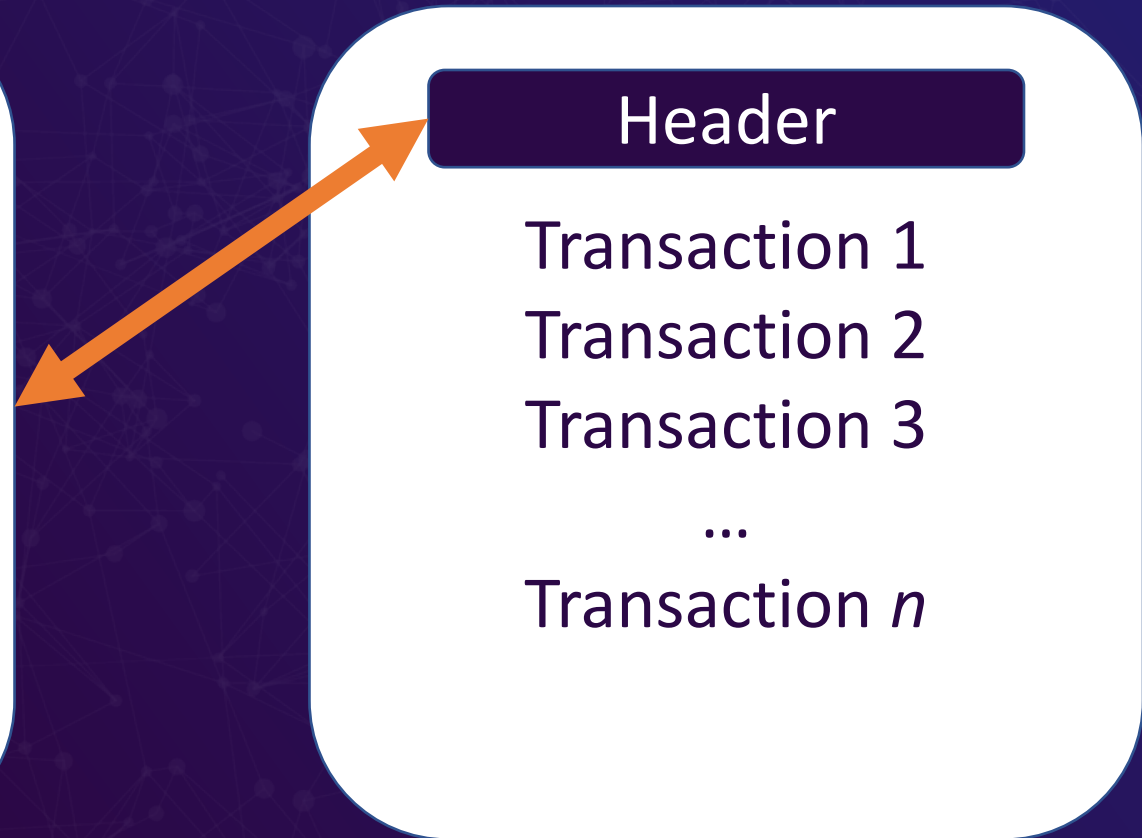
Transaction 1

Transaction 2

Transaction 3

...

Transaction  $n$





Node A  
[Health System]



Node B  
[Payer]



Node C  
[Other Entity]





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[Health System]



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Node C  
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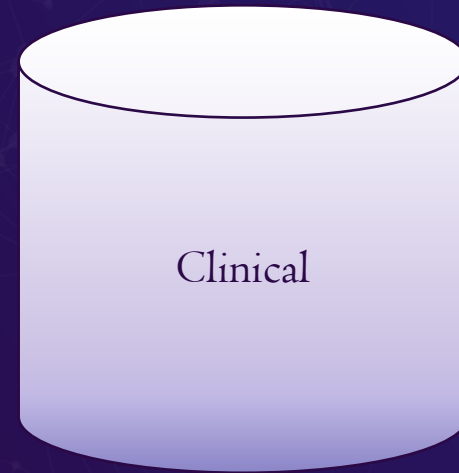
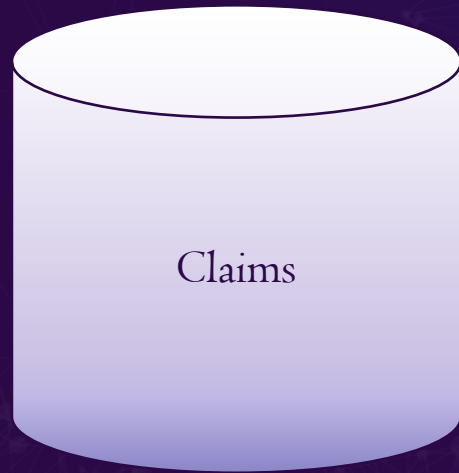


SECURE

AUTOMATED

AUDITABLE

CONTROLLED





The Complete Multi-Party Identity





## Example Contextual Identities



Health ID



Retail ID

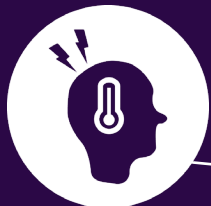


Voting ID









Patient walks in with chronic or new condition

0  
1

Tracking course of events

Current Condition



0  
2

Patient Health Information



Difficult patient information retrieval

0  
3

Treatment / Medication

Unclear details of medication or therapy

0  
8

Current Diagnosis

Insufficient understanding of prior care

0  
9

Provided Care

Incomplete care and treatment plan







Patient walks in with chronic  
or new condition

...and a DokChain app on  
their mobile phone

0  
1

Current Condition

Patient grants Provider  
access to historical claims



0  
2

Patient Health Information

Automated, secure patient info retrieval



0  
3

Treatment / Medication

Specific details of medication or therapy





Higher understanding of prior care

0  
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Current Diagnosis

Better designed care and treatment plan

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9

Provided Care





Future

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