

NewYork-Presbyterian agrees that to achieve open, connected care for our communities, we all have the responsibility to take action. To further these goals, NYP commits to the following principles to advance interoperability among health information systems and enable free movement of data, which are foundational to the success of healthcare delivery system reform.

1. **Consumer Access:** Help consumers easily and securely access their electronic health information, direct it to any desired location, learn how their information can be shared and used, and be assured that this information will be effectively and safely used to benefit their health and that of their community.
2. **No Blocking/Transparency:** Help providers share their patients' health information for care by other providers whenever permitted by law, and not block electronic health information (defined as knowingly and unreasonably interfering with legally permitted information sharing).
3. **Standards:** Implement federally recognized, national interoperability standards, policies, guidance, and practices for electronic health information, and adopt best practices, including those related to privacy and security.

To meet these commitments, NYP is actively engaged in implementing national interoperability standards, including the HL7 FHIR and C-CDA standards for data exchange and the SMART on FHIR framework for application integration. In addition, NYP participates in regional data exchange activities through our local health information exchange in support of a health system that embodies these principles.