# NextGen Connected Health Solutions

An Introduction

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# **Connectivity Options**

- Local and Regional Health Information Exchange
  - NextGen technology powers three New York state HIEs:







- Carequality & CommonWell
- Direct Messaging
- FHIR and API connectivity to trusted 3<sup>rd</sup> party apps & services
- In-office medical devices
- Point-to-point interfaces

# NextGen Data Exchange by the Numbers

190

Million sent & received secure Direct Messages†

2.1

Million directory addresses in NextGen Share (largest in nation) † **76** 

Million clinical docs exchanged thru Carequality<sup>‡</sup> 85

Million patient records in the NextGen Record Locator Service<sup>†</sup>

71%

Of all clinical exchanges are with a non-NextGen system<sup>†</sup>

28

Million clinical registry document submissions<sup>‡</sup>

6.5

Million clinical docs exchanged with insurance cos. & payers<sup>‡</sup> **75** 

Million Carequality queries from external systems / month<sup>†</sup>

Sources: † NextGen Share Platform Reports 11/2019, ‡ NextGen Share Bastion Report 11/2019

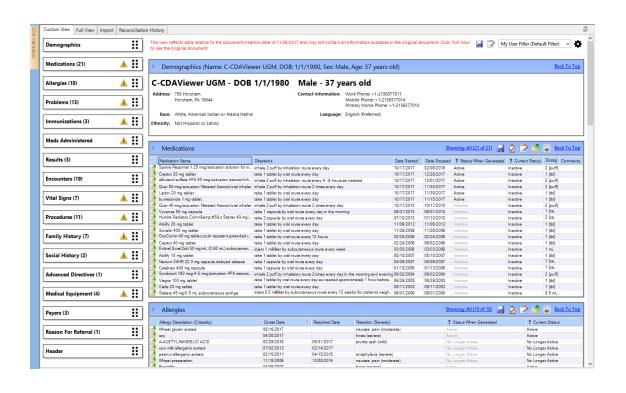
## Challenges with External Data

- Frequency and quality of external data
  - Users cannot always control the amount or type of data they receive
- C-CDA Usability
  - Documents are often too long
  - Format is hard to navigate & read
  - Fixed order of elements
- Discovery and connectivity to trusted 3<sup>rd</sup> parties
- Coding systems & vocabularies
- Patient matching challenges



# What we're doing well

- Connectivity through all available national networks
  - Direct Trust, Carequality & CommonWell, eHealth Exchange, local & regional HIEs
- Custom View of C-CDA Content
  - Improves readability & usability
  - Provides in-line clinical reconciliation
  - Ability to filter and sort external content
- Interoperability Rules engine
  - Improve routing and in-office organization of external content & minimize work load
- SMART on FHIR Integration in EHR



# What's coming next

- Improved SMART on FHIR app integration
- Payer activation across the NextGen Share network
  - Clinical data extracts & exchanges with payers and insurance companies
- FHIR R4 roll-out with Connect integration engine
- Expand support for additional documents
  - Carequality support for PDFs, images, etc.

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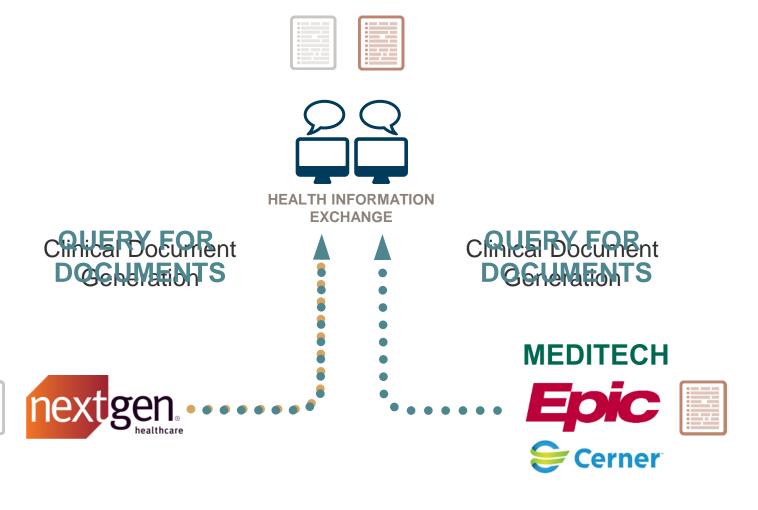
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# **HIE Connectivity**

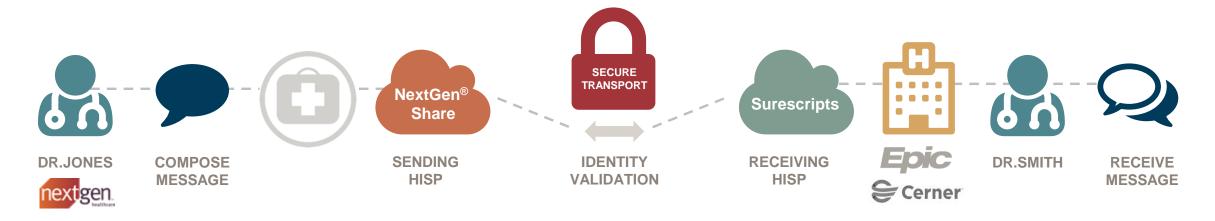
An interface which supports demographics and document exchange (CCD/C-CDA) with a Health Information Exchange (HIE)

#### **Benefits**

- Automation of data exchange
- Patient demographic synchronization
- Locked encounter document submission



### **Direct Messaging**



Real-time manual or automated push of data from NextGen EHR to any downstream EHR.

#### **Benefits**

- Ability to send structured & unstructured data
- Supports provider-to-provider, provider-to-organization messaging
- Access to the largest searchable provider directory with 1.5 million recipients

# Carequality & Surescripts



**Patient discovery** 

Do you have a record for

John Smith, M (12/07/81)?

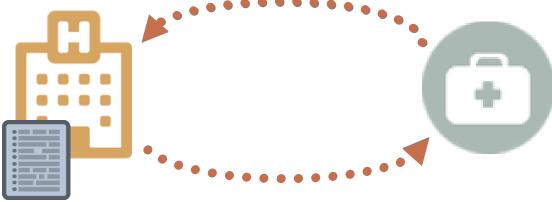
Provides the ability to query and retrieve patient data from any other Carequality connected system.

#### **Benefits**

- Automation of data exchange
- Notification of new document availability from 3<sup>rd</sup> party systems
- Ability to preview documents prior to import
- Clinical data reconciliation

#### Patient discovery response

Yes, I have 1 record for John Smith, M (12/07/81)



#### **Document retrieval response**

Here is the record for John Smith, M (12/07/81)

#### Document Retrieval

Can I have the record for John Smith, M (12/07/81)?