

# We're connected to Maine's Health Information Exchange.



## How does the HIE improve patient care?

- Informed decision-making
- Efficient care coordination
- Fewer medical errors
- Improved patient safety
- Fewer repeat tests and procedures
- Less paperwork, less waiting
- Efficient discharge and referral management
- Less waste in repeat testing



## What patient data is included in the HIE?

- Adverse Reactions/Allergies
- Diagnoses/Conditions/Problems
- Documents
- Encounter History
- Immunizations
- Laboratory and Microbiology Results
- Medication History
- Radiology Reports
- Community Services
- Vital Signs



## What is Maine's HIE?

The state of Maine's statewide Health Information Exchange (HIE) is operated by HealthInfoNet, an independent nonprofit organization. It is designed to link an individual's health information from unaffiliated healthcare locations to create a single electronic health record in support of better, easier, and safer health care.

**Contact your healthcare provider for more information on the Health Information Exchange.**

"With access to the **Health Information Exchange**, I am able to understand the general health of my patient prior to seeing them in order to provide the level of quality and continuity of care that we strive to achieve. **HealthInfoNet** is an incredibly helpful resource – I cannot imagine a workday without it."

— Kim DeMerchant, RN,  
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