# PUTTING THE "QUALITY" BACK IN DATA QUALITY

## Purpose

- Drive Successful Data Exchange Relationships
  - ■Improve data quality
  - Improve submission frequency
  - Improve outreach and communication

# Approach

- Track and Analyze DX Activity
- Identify & Eliminate Roadblocks

Follow-Up & Continued Communication

## On-Boarding

Work with File Creators, Copy the Decision Makers

Hold Your Ground, This is Your IIS

Make Testing Worth Your Time

■ Be Prompt

# Holding Your Ground, An Example

From: Benedict, Scott

To: JimBob the Support Guy; JimBob's Boss

Cc: Myself (I track everything)

Subject: RE: Provider Office HL-7 specs for registry - 8021

1. MSH-4 should be: SFMM

2. MSH-6 should be: NESIIS

- 3. ORC-3 is a required value in all 2.5.1 submissions
- 4. I will need to see actual values for RXA-5, and before we complete testing this will have to incorporate every possible imm the clinic might provide so I can verify the accuracy of what will be submitted.

Use the specs I provided. We match up with federal standards fairly well, but there will always be items unique to each state. We reference those tables within our documents very clearly.

Scott Benedict

## Holding Your Ground, An Example (2)

From: JimBob the Support Guy

To: Benedict, Scott; JimBob's Boss

Subject: RE: Provider Office HL-7 specs for registry - 8021

Dear Scott,

Because we match up with the federal standards we can't change our export for every state. Please let me know if you are able to match our standard specs.

Regards,

JimBob the Support Guy

## Holding Your Ground, An Example (3)

From: Benedict, Scott

To: JimBob the Support Guy; JimBob's Boss

Cc: Provider Owner; Me (just for kicks as well as tracking purposes)

JimBob the Support Guy,

Well then, your clients in Nebraska will not be able to share data with the registry. Here is your simple answer: there are 450 EHR/EMR vendors and 50 states. Simple math.

Additionally, the CDC has given states the right to set their own standards. THAT is a federal standard as well.

We follow federal standards for required fields, but very obviously have our own values that are required for certain items you may submit, some of which are required fields (i.e. race, ethnicity, identifier type, county codes, what we accept in RXA-6 and RXA-7, etc.).

You can choose not to modify your code, but that's not going to get you very far with clients who are desirous of attesting to Meaningful Use beyond Stage 1 and, if they still want to attest further, I suspect they will be looking for a new vendor.

I'll be happy to work with you on testing Nebraska-coded messages at any time. Every vendor is in this exact same boat nationally. It's up to you, I suppose, to determine whether or not you want to support clients who need to meet Meaningful Use.

**Scott Benedict** 

# Day to Day Approach

#### Monitor Jobs

- Organizations send files at least once a week; most continuously through each day
- Identify immediately if DX drops off

#### ■ Monitor Records

- Data quality
- Identify problems with the HL7 format/structure
- Identify problem with the organization's data
- Help new organizations establish quality DX

# Data Exchange Quality Overview

- Track Job Status and Volume
  - Completed
  - Failed (exception or error)
- Track Records
  - Volume
  - Status (processed or rejected)
  - Rejection reasons
- Identify Trends in Immunization Reporting
  - General
  - Organization-specific

# **Tracking Jobs**

## Simple Count

Copy weekly list of jobs from Job Monitor into a macro-enabled spreadsheet that tallies them by organization, parent, and vendor

No data/PHI from within the job is copied or pulled out of NESIIS

# **Tracking Records**

- Various Scripts
  - Job numbers of rejected records
  - Immunization counts by organization
  - Email
- Review Rejected Records Individually
  - Depends on various red flags or indicators (listed later in the presentation)

## Reporting Tool

- Customized Spreadsheets
- Local Database,
  - Identify the organizations
  - Tally a set of stats by org, parent organization, and vendor
  - Compile the data in report format.

# DX Quality Report High Level Summary

Sum of Weekly Imms		_		Jobs (Failed)
3448	3458	10	3033	0
1892	1955	63	6	0
4	4	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	
100	157	57	21	0
1391	1393	2	965	0
3062	3079	17	225	0
3372	3424	52	16691	0
0	123	123	18	0
445	1192	747	3171	0
8	8	0	9	0
0	6	6	1972	0
4	4	0	1	0
595	796	201	137	0
597	597	0	756	0
100	102	2	119	0
0	0	0	0	
13	13	0	0	
12	12	0	5	0
53	56	3	137	0
62	62	0	63	0
450	450	0	0	
0	0	0	0	
22	25	3	17	0
2	2	0	2	0
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# DX Quality Report High Level Summary

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# DX Quality Report High Level Summary

	Sum of We	Records	Rejected	Jobs	Jobs (Failed)
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Parent 1					
Organization	3	3	0	35	0
Organization	68	68	0	75	0
Parent 2					
Organization	1401	1411	10		
Organization	0	0	0	2923	0
Parent 3					
Organization	0	0	0	0	
Parent 4					
Organization	0	0	0	0	
Organization	657	657	0	0	
Parent 5					
Organization	402	402	0	0	
Organization	208	208	0	0	
Parent 6					
Organization	709	709	0		
Next Vendor					

# DX Quality Report Details

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# Monthly Immunizations Report Summary Page

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769	6799	5724	5802	5979	5295	4757	8957	8243
6	62	72	63	58	84	70	113	44
	12	11	3					
1	34	24	15	29	28	33	47	50
1807	14294	10645	8159	601	1993	7785	16177	12434
6	548	368	66	153	310	276	175	138
84	761	518	549	436	590	381	757	502
214	1976	1983	1232	1485	1046	1035	1945	3102
243	1265	869	1192	874	1864	564	853	533
47	449	470	394	393	473	509	772	783
106	510	494	423	481	461			
	0	0	0	37	102	2302	17251	10082
1796	15422	13714	12056	12004	12094	11402	18934	15058
32	206	140	152	35	71	87		
2	34	12	32	27	21	92	25	31
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# Monthly Immunizations Report Summary Page Expanded

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Parent 2	2194 469	1293 393	482 369	629 325	792 422	697 385	1028 573	1116 275	1140 398
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Organization	0	0	49	18	54	16	23	66	67
Organization	252	202	100	31	168	0	246	99	115
Organization	187	57	35	43	49	59	40	25	12
Organization						75	73	78	33
/endor 2	533	853	564	1864	874	1192	869	1265	2438

# Monthly Immunizations Report Details Page

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	01/29/2013		Live, PHINMS	AthenaHealth	AthenaHealth		4009	310	328	261	203
	07/08/2013		LIVE PHINMS	NeHII - HIE	NextGen						
	01/05/2012		Live, PHINMS	Alegent Health	Cerner						
	01/05/2012		Live, PHINMS	Alegent Health	Cerner	4	3		4	1	
	01/05/2012	HL7 2.4	Live, PHINMS	Alegent Health	Cerner	90	108	74	60	56	3
	11/18/2011		Live, PHINMS	NeHII	NeHll - Elysium						
	-	HLS 3.4	LIVE, PHINMS	Allscripts	ALLSCRIPTS						
	11/18/2011	HL7 2.4	Live, PHINMS	NeHII	NeHll - Elysium						
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	11/18/2011	HL7 2.4	Live, PHINMS	NeHII	NeHll - Elysium						
	01/29/2013	2.4	Live, PHINMS	Self	AthenaHealth						
				North Platte							
				Nebraska							
	04/18/2012		LIVE, PHINMS	Physicians Group	ALLSCRIPTS						
	01/05/2012		Live, PHINMS	Alegent Health	Cerner	317	391	261	280	171	17
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	06/10/2013		Live PHINMS	NEHII-HIE	NextGen						
	07/08/2013	2.5.1	Live PHINMS	NeHII Broadstone	NextGen						
	09/23/2011		Live, PHINMS	Hospital	Healthland	9	6	1	1	5	
	09/27/2011		Live, PHINMS	Self	Allscripts	88	86		56	87	10
	01/09/2012		Live, PHINMS	Self	Healthland	1	8	2	2	3	
	08/07/2013		Live, PHINMS	Self	e-MDs						
	8/7/2013	HL7 2.5.1	Live, PHINMS	Self	e-MDs						
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# Priority Indicators

- □ Failed Jobs
- High Number of Rejections
- New Organization Activity

#### Other Indicators

- Zero Jobs Submitted
- Higher Number of Rejections
- Percent Completed Jobs
- Percent Rejected Records
- Completed Jobs but No Imms
- Rejected Records, but No Jobs
- Previous Week's Performance

## Indicators (cont.)

- Trend Deviation
- Rate of Change
- Sudden Drop Offs
- Zero Deltas

## Action When Issues Are Found

From: Benedict, Scott [mailto:Scott.Benedict@nebraska.gov] **Sent:** Tuesday, June 11, 2013 12:48 PM To: Vendor Rep Subject: CMED, FMCH, NEIM Vendor Rep, Hey, can you reach out to each of the above sites again and impress upon them the fact they MUST enter a value in the CVX field regardless? Yesterday, 36 records rejected as they came in with values of 999 in RXA-5, mostly from CMED but a few from the others as well. It is certainly not for lack of information on their part. Seems to be an inside training issue on their part. **Scott Benedict** П **NESIIS Help Desk Coordinator Data Exchange Coordinator** Nebraska DHHS Personal: 402-471-6520 Help Desk: 888-433-2510 or dhhs.nesiis@nebraska.gov

#### Results Over Time



44,703 Immunizations

September 2012

147,141 immunizations

September 2013

### Administrator use of this data:

- Web Site listing of participating facilities
- Administrative updates to Directors and Legislators
- □ Coordination with other MU measures (SS, ELR, etc.)
- Internal DX promotion and recruitment
- Provider participation rates

## Future Use for Reports and MU:

- NE Medicaid and Managed Care Unit
- Project tracking tool
- Attestation Verification
- Public Health Role in the MU process

#### Value

- Drive Successful Data Exchange Relationships
  - Improve data quality
  - Improve submission frequency
  - ■Improve outreach and communication

### Accurate Information



# QUESTIONS