



Interoperability Working Group Call- Monday, April 18, 2016- 3:00 pm EDT

- Laura Young the Executive Director of the Arizona Behavioral Health Network provided an excellent presentation on 42CFR Part 2. Laura explained the current regulations, provided an overview of proposed regulations, and discussed practices that can be adopted to comply with the regulations.
- The Work Group discussed ideas for innovation topics for the eHI innovation challenge. The suggestions included both policy and technology topics. The following innovation topics were identified:
 - Opt-out policy
 - Tools to automate consent management, e.g., a consent management platform
 - Ability to extract email addresses from ADT feeds to send out emails that provide a link to an opt-in function
 - Breach notifications – ensuring that correct patient contact information is used for notifications
 - Value-based payment model innovations to monitor patient care across providers who do not have EMRs, e.g., optometrists
 - Business models and incentives
 - Data standardization across data sources
 - Unique provider codes to facilitate delivery of data to EHRs
- An update on activities to collect examples of privacy and consent management practices was provided
 - The template for gathering information is completed
 - Commonwell has agreed to assist in gathering examples
 - A request for examples will be sent to the full eHI mailing list
 - Additional outreach will be made to SHEIC, The National Council on Behavioral Health, and individual organizations
 - Work Group members are asked to send additional suggestions for outreach to Virginia Riehl at virginia.riehl@verizon.net
- The next Work Group call will be on May 9th at 3:00 p.m. ET