Meaningful Use Tip Sheet

DXC (formerly HPE)
General Tips:
- Check your demographics in GAMMIS before completing your CMS registration.
- Do not modify your federal-level registration with CMS once your state-level registration is in the “pended for review” status unless advised by DCH or DXC.
- Review objectives before submitting your application.

GA-HITEC
General Tips:
- Check your Meaningful Use EHR Dashboard every month to ensure you are meeting all measures.
  - If you are experiencing difficulty meeting your measures, check your Meaningful Use EHR Dashboard every week.
- Take screenshots for Y/N items within the first week of the attestation period.

Clinical Decision Support (CDS): Use CDS to improve performance on high priority health conditions.
- Set up CDS rules and take screenshot of set-up screen for each rule.
- Enable functionality for drug-drug, drug allergy interaction checks in your EHR.

Patient Specific Education: Use clinically-relevant information from CEHRT to identify patient specific education resources and provide those resources to the patient.

Health Information Exchange (HIE): The eligible professional, eligible hospital or critical access hospital that transitions their patient to (a) another setting of care or provider of care, or (b) refers their patient to another provider of care, must provide a summary care record for each transition of care or referral.
- Identify the five practices where you mostly refer patients and call to set up the HIE with them.

Public Health Reporting: The eligible professional, eligible hospital or critical access hospital must submit electronic public health data from CEHRT, except where prohibited and in accordance with applicable law and practice.
- Request a Syndromic Surveillance letter from the Department of Public Health.
- Submit a letter or email to a professional organization requesting to join their clinical data registry reporting.
GaHIN

**GeorgiaDirect:** A free email messaging service that lets providers securely send patient health information, such as referrals and reports, to other authorized healthcare professionals and patients.

- Check with your EHR vendor to determine if your technology already includes secure direct messaging exchange.
- HIE is a requirement for Objective 5: The eligible provider who transitions their patient to (a) another setting of care or provider of care, or (b) refers their patient to another provider of care, must provide a summary of care record for each transition of care or referral.
- Visit [gahin.org/get-connected](http://gahin.org/get-connected) to enroll in GeorgiaDirect.
- Visit [gahin.org/provider-search](http://gahin.org/provider-search) for the searchable Georgia provider directory.

**Available Resources**

- Georgia Medicaid EHR Incentive Program: [dch.georgia.gov/ehr](http://dch.georgia.gov/ehr)
- 2017 Program Requirements: [http://go.cms.gov/2pxB7xP](http://go.cms.gov/2pxB7xP)
- HealthIT.gov: [healthit.gov](http://healthit.gov)
- Certified Health IT Product List: [chpl.healthit.gov/#/search](http://chpl.healthit.gov/#/search)
- GA-HITEC: [ga-hitec.org](http://ga-hitec.org)