



Healthcare Information Technology Conference: Technology's Impact on Care Delivery

Friday, October 17, 2008
The Wyndham Hotel, South Portland, Maine

Conference Program Includes:

Dr. David Howes – President and CEO
Martin's Point Health Care

Opening the Door on the Medical Home Model...and Technology's Foundational Role

John Halamka, M.D., M.S., Chief Information Officer
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and Harvard Medical School
Perspectives on Google Health and the PHR experience

Devore Culver, Executive Director
HealthInfoNet
Maine's Health Information Exchange – Preparing for the Pilot Phase

Q & A with David Howes, John Halamka, and Devore Culver

Padraic Harrington, Chief Technology Officer
Covisia Solutions, Inc.
Healthcare technology trends to watch for. A focused update on new and emerging technologies relevant to you.

Panel Discussion: Various Perspectives on Finance, Technology, and Patient Care

WHO SHOULD ATTEND? Health Care and related organization CIOs, CFOs, COOs, Physician Executives, IS and Finance Management and Staff, vendors, and consultants.

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SPEAKER PROFILES

Dr. David H. Howes is widely recognized for his leadership role in advancing the principle that to improve health care in the United States we must begin with a reemphasis on the delivery of comprehensive primary care. As President and CEO of the Portland, Maine-based Martin's Point Health Care, a nearly 500-employee organization that operates health care centers and administers health care plans, he witnesses firsthand both the human and organizational impact of new and changing health care policies and processes. After earning his medical degree from Dartmouth Medical School in Hanover, N.H., and completing his residency, Dr. Howes began his medical career as a family physician serving the residents of a fishing community along the Maine coast. He joined Martin's Point Health Care in 1989 as Unit Medical Director in Bath, Maine, and was named President of the organization in 1996. Under his leadership, Martin's Point has grown from a single-site health care facility to a dynamic multi-location regional health care system.

Dr. John D. Halamka, M.D., M.S. is Chief Information Officer of Harvard Medical School, Chief Information Officer of Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Chairman of the New England Health Electronic Data Interchange Network (NEHEN) , Chief Information Officer of the Harvard Clinical Research Institute (HCRI), and an Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Halamka completed his undergraduate studies at Stanford University where he received a degree in Medical Microbiology and a degree in Public Policy. While at Stanford, he authored three books on technology related issues and formed a software development firm, Ibis Research Labs, Inc. Additionally, he served as a columnist for Infoworld, technical editor of Computer Language Magazine and technology consultant to several startup companies. In 1984, Dr. Halamka entered medical school at the University of California San Francisco and simultaneously pursued graduate work in Bioengineering at the University of California, Berkeley. Dr. Halamka served his residency at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center in the Department of Emergency Medicine. In 1996, Dr. Halamka joined the faculty of Harvard Medical School and continues to integrate his knowledge of medicine and technology focusing on the use of the Internet to exchange clinical patient data. He is also an active teacher, lecturing on both medical and technology topics to the students, residents, and faculty of Harvard and MIT. At Beth Israel Deaconess, he is responsible for all clinical, financial, administrative and academic information technology serving 3000 doctors, 12000 employees and one million patients. As Chairman of NEHEN, he oversees the HIPAA transactions exchanged among the payors and providers in New England. As Chief Information Officer of HCRI, he oversees the data management of clinical trials associated with Harvard Medical School.

Devore Culver is Chief Executive Officer for Maine's HealthInfoNet, a public-private partnership of providers, employers, consumers, payers and state government tasked with building the state's health information exchange (HIE). Prior to coming to HealthInfoNet, Dev has held a variety of executive, administrative and management roles in health care delivery organizations and health information technology vendor companies. He graduated from Brown University and holds a Masters in Management from Northwestern University.

Padraic Harrington, Chief Technology Officer brings over 15 years experience in the technology industry to Covisia Solutions, Inc - formed from the merger of DeVA Systems Group and Aegis Associates, Inc. Prior to joining DeVA Systems Group, Paddy was a network consultant for Novell Netware servers. Paddy joined DeVA Systems Group early in the company's history and quickly rose through the ranks from Network Engineer to Senior Engineer to Director of Technical Services to Chief Technology Officer. With a passion for customer service and a mind for technology, Paddy has helped to implement some of the largest server based computing infrastructures in New England. As Chief Technology Officer, Paddy sets the technical direction for Covisia Solutions, Inc. and oversees all technical operations of the engineering staff, putting together a team of knowledgeable and customer focused consultants who understand what it takes to implement solutions that meet Covisia's quality standard.

Time	Topic
8:00 – 8:45	Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:45 – 9:00	Opening Remarks & Thank the Sponsors
9:00 – 9:50	Dr. David Howes – President and CEO Martin’s Point Health Care <i>Opening the Door on the Medical Home Model...and Technology’s Foundational Role</i>
9:50 – 10:40	John Halamka, M.D., M.S., Chief Information Officer Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and Harvard Medical School <i>Perspectives on Google Health and the PHR experience</i>
10:40 – 11:00	Morning Break
11:00 – 11:30	Devore Culver, Executive Director HealthInfoNet <i>Maine’s Health Information Exchange – Preparing for the Pilot Phase</i>
11:30 – 12:00	Questions and Answers with David Howes, John Halamka, and Devore Culver
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 1:30	Padraic Harrington, Chief Technology Officer Covisia Solutions, Inc. <i>Healthcare technology trends to watch for. A focused update on new and emerging technologies relevant to you.</i>
1:30 – 2:30	Panel Discussion – Various Perspectives on Finance, Technology, and Patient Care John Stone, Corporate Director of Financial & Administrative Systems, Partners Healthcare Dr. Dan Mingle, M.D. Wayne Printy, CFO St. Andrews Hospital
2:30 – 3:30	Networking and Social Hour <i>Please stick around for some conversation with your peers on a Friday afternoon.</i>

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Registration:

- On-line registration (Major credit cards accepted) is available at: <http://www.nehimss.org> and follow the link Calendar of Events to find this conference and the link for on-line registration

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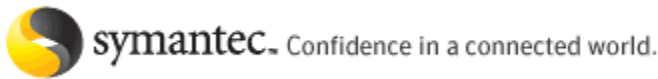
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<http://www.wyndham.com/hotels/PWMHT/main.wnt>

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The Wyndham Portland is two round, glass towers on the right

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