

Provider Directory

1	A durable Provider Directory must be configurable, scalable, interoperable, and provide high usability.
2	A durable Provider Directory must be likeable, that is, it must be a tool of high utility that works well and efficiently.
3	A durable Provider Directory must be attainable so that adoption uptake support HIE expansion and ultimate health cost containment with improvement of quality of care.
4	A durable Provider Directory must provide the ability for users to easily share data.
5	A durable Provider Directory must be easily integrate-able into other systems and have the ability to easily share information with other systems and in all environments.
6	A durable Provider Directory must have a data structure that can be added on to without diminishing the strength of any other parts of it structure.
7	A Provider Directory must have consistent terminology and semantics.
8	A durable Provider Directory must be able to allow a provider and their practice to manage their information real time and secure and decrease administrative burden so anyone from government to health plans to patients needing info contained in the database can obtain it.
9	A durable Provider Directory must be programmed using open architecture to allow maximum flexibility