

NH Health Information Exchange Implementation Phase

The Implementation Phase will begin after the Operational Plan is approved by the project Steering Committee. It is expected to take 12 – 24 months to implement an initial HIE capability depending upon the HIE Model to be implemented. The total time to implement a complete HIE capability covering all healthcare providers and transaction types will take several years. Joining a neighboring state's or states' HIE can be implemented faster than selecting and implementing an independent solution. The activities will also be different depending upon the HIE Model selected. The project team wishes to use the knowledge and expertise of the HIE consulting partner to develop an approach to implementing an HIE.

A phased implementation approach is planned. Phase in will be by provider group / provider and by data exchanged. The first implementation phase will be a proof of concept / pilot.