Community Information Integration (CII)
Project timeline

The CII initiative is the result of a collaboration between Alberta Health, the Alberta Medical Association, and the College of Physicians & Surgeons of Alberta.

It's being piloted and tested by several community-based health care service providers.

Better Patient Information.

Better Care Decisions.

Additional Information

For more information on the patient health information shared through the CII initiative, and how it will be accessed, please visit the Alberta Netcare Learning Centre:

www.albertanetcare.ca/learningcentre/CII.htm

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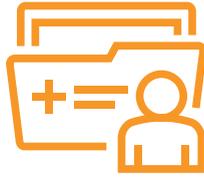Supporting coordinated and comprehensive patient care by sharing patient health information.

Alberta **Netcare**
ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD

Alberta

Better patient care ——— Community Information Integration (CII)

Alberta Netcare helps healthcare providers help you.

In Alberta, patient health information is centrally stored in Alberta Netcare.

Alberta Netcare makes your up-to-date health information immediately available to those providing the care you need.

It's available in hospitals, clinics, labs, and pharmacies across the province.

Alberta Netcare currently includes:

• Medication information

• Lab results

• Diagnostic images and reports

• Hospital visit reports

• Surgical reports

• Other specialty reports like cancer care

And now, it will include important health information from your community doctor's office.

Everything starts with your privacy in mind.

Protecting your privacy is not only important to Alberta's healthcare providers, it's our legal responsibility.

Multiple levels of access controls and encryption keep your information secure—and the system's security record has been very strong.

Authorized healthcare professionals may only collect, use, and disclose health information on a need-to-know basis in the most limited manner, with the highest degree of anonymity possible.

Alberta Netcare has over 20 permission levels, so providers only see the information they need to offer you the best care possible.

Patients can express their wish to their care provider to limit access to their health information through Alberta Netcare. Keep in mind, this could impact the availability of information for other care providers who treat you in the future.

Learn more about your privacy and security at www.albertanetcare.ca/PatientPrivacy.htm

The benefits of Community Information Integration (CII).

Albertans receive the majority of their healthcare through family physicians and community-based clinics. This information is not currently captured in Alberta Netcare.

The CII initiative bridges this gap by making sure that your health information is available to those who are involved in your care.

What are the benefits to you as a patient?

Clinical information gathered through CII includes your birth date, gender, health conditions, and observations, such as: immunizations, height, weight, blood pressure, and allergies etc.

With CII, doctors and care providers at hospitals and emergency departments will have access to this crucial information as needed.