



ConnectingOntario provides convenient access to critical patient information.

The ConnectingOntario ClinicalViewer displays a patient's journey including emergency visits, hospital admissions and community care access centre (CCAC) services. New information is being added all the time.

“The viewer is going to provide clinicians with timely and secure access to their patients' health information ranging from consultants' notes to hospital reports, discharge summaries and lab results. Clinician access to this information means better quality of care and better safety for patients.”

Dr. Glen Geiger
Chief Medical Information Officer
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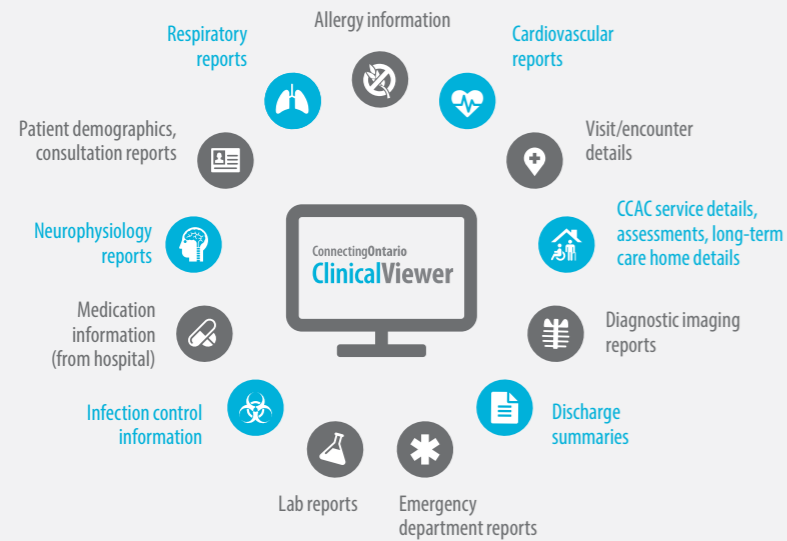
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Available information currently includes:



Accessing the ConnectingOntario ClinicalViewer

Access patients' health information in a seamless manner using eHealth Ontario's ONE®ID service via:

- ✔ the web (for primary or community care settings) or
- ✔ your hospital information system (for hospital settings).

Single sign-on enables you to log in once and get the right information at the right time, when you need it most.

Primary care providers can also access additional information not available in their electronic medical record (EMR) system.

“It's such a wonderful thing to have all the information about a patient in one place.”

Dr. Roddy Caulfield
Family Physician
Sauble Family Health Team
Sauble Beach, Ontario

Benefits

Real-time comprehensive patient health records:

- ✔ Enables faster and more informed clinical decision-making
- ✔ Facilitates improved interactions with patients
- ✔ Reduces duplicate testing

Seamless access to providers in the continuum of care includes:

- ✔ Family doctors are able to follow patients' entire journey through the health care system
- ✔ Emergency room clinicians can access patient medical records including recent test results

Improved health care delivery and sustainability:

- ✔ Information delivered to the right people at the right time
- ✔ Enhanced patient / provider experiences
- ✔ Reduced administrative costs and improved resource allocation through increased efficiencies

“The benefits of the viewer for our patients is that we can get their information in real time. If they are sick or critically ill, we don't have to wait for faxes and phone calls.”

Melissa Rose
Resource Nurse, Coronary Care Unit
William Osler Health System
Brampton Civic Hospital
Brampton, Ontario

More about the ConnectingOntario program

eHealth Ontario is leading the integration of electronic health care systems across the province. Together with the local health integration networks (LHINs) and health service providers, we are delivering integrated electronic health records for Ontarians.

Divided into three regional health information centres that cover central, northern and eastern, and south western Ontario, health care providers across the continuum of care will be able to securely access patients' personal health information electronically.

We take patient privacy seriously

With robust standards and policies, patient rights and their information are protected. Access to patient records is limited to only those clinicians who need to know to provide care. Patients can restrict access to their records and find out who has accessed them.