



Noncontrolled Prescription Drugs Workgroup – Technical Discussion



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Note: This meeting is being recorded and will be posted on MHCC's website



Agenda

- ▶ Welcome
- ▶ Technical Discussion - Reporting and Using Noncontrolled Dispense Information
- ▶ Next Steps



Recap and Meeting Goals

Recap

- ▶ The goal of the Workgroup is to deliberate on technical and policy related matters pertaining to noncontrolled (non-CDS) data submission to CRISP
- ▶ Thank you to Workgroup participants who expressed interest in supporting a potential pilot
- ▶ The MHCC solicited preliminary input from dispensers on the data that could be reported for non-CDS dispenses; thank you to those who submitted feedback

Today's Meeting

- ▶ Discuss technical considerations for reporting non-CDS data, clinical view of non-CDS data, and public health utility in collecting certain dispense fields reported to CRISP



Goal for Data Collection

- ▶ Assist health care providers in treatment and care coordination
- ▶ Support public health efforts including antibiotic stewardship, quality improvement, addressing health equity, etc.
- ▶ When considering if a field could be reported, consider if the information could be helpful for:
 1. Matching with another data set
 2. Displaying for clinical providers
 3. Analysis for public health surveillance and evaluation



Technical Discussion

Fields Will Be Broken into the Following Sections:

- ▶ Dispenser Information
- ▶ Patient Information
- ▶ Prescription Information
- ▶ Prescriber Information
- ▶ Insurance/Claims Information

Questions for the Workgroup

- ▶ Dispensers – Are there technical or policy considerations for reporting a field for a non-CDS dispense?
- ▶ Providers – Would a field be helpful in clinical decision making?
- ▶ Workgroup – Would fields be helpful for public health analysis or evaluation?



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Thank You – Next Steps

- ▶ **Next tentative meeting:** January 30th, 10:00-11:30 ET
- ▶ **Noncontrolled Prescription Drugs Technical Workgroup web page:**
https://mhcc.maryland.gov/mhcc/pages/home/workgroups/workgroups_Noncontrolled%20Prescriptions%20Drugs.aspx