



Role and Impact of PCORnet in Precision Medicine:

Integration of Clinical and Genomic Research

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Objectives



- Describe evolving requirements for Clinical Research in age of precision medicine
- Introduce the Greater Plains Collaborative Research Network and PCORnet
- Discuss our effort to integrate genetic, biomarker, Anatomic Pathology and EHR data in Precision Medicine
- Look forward to next steps



Hidden agenda: Keep all the acronyms straight



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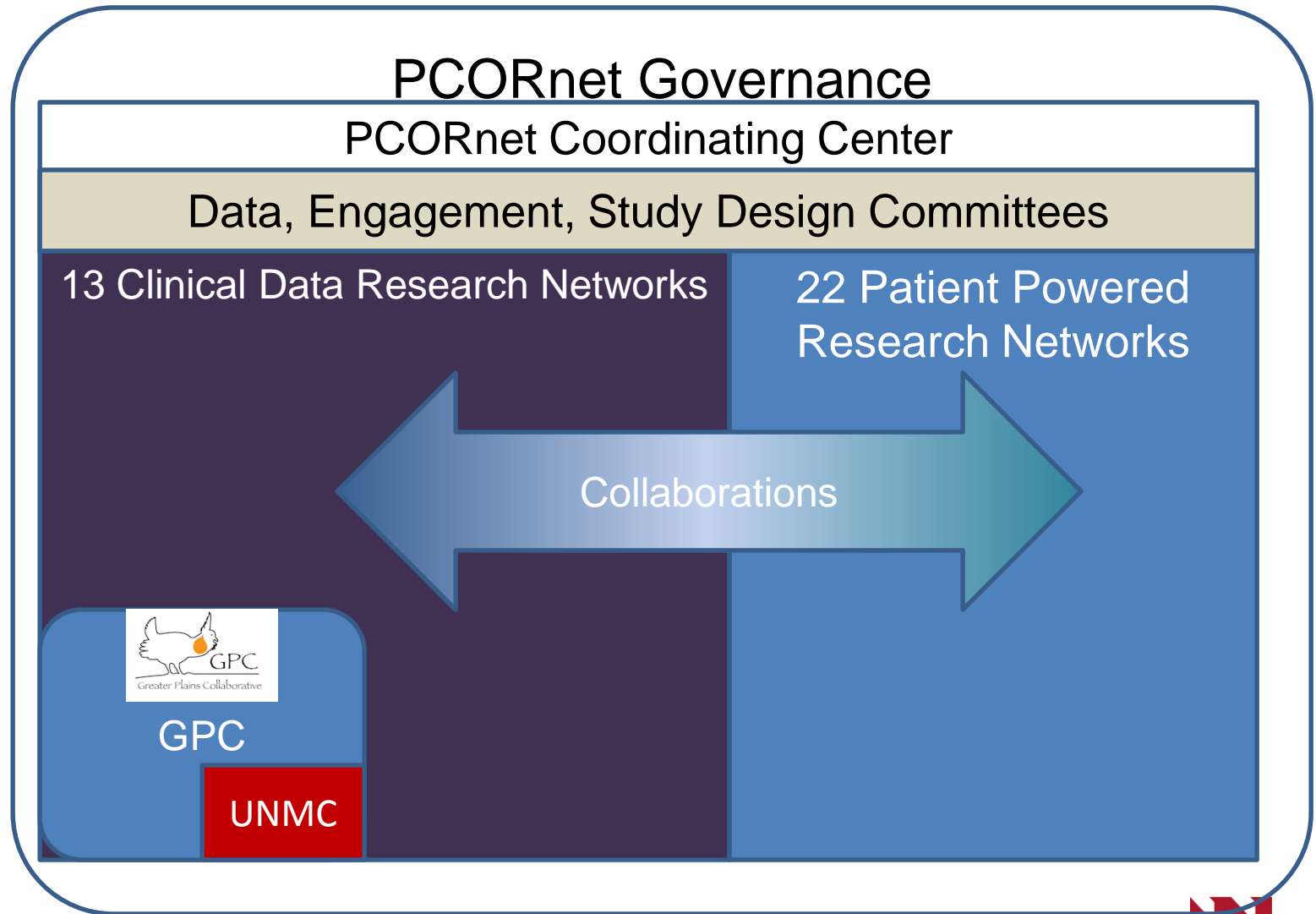


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“Doctors have always recognized that every patient is unique, and doctors have always tried to tailor their treatments as best they can to individuals. You can match a blood transfusion to a blood type — that was an important discovery. What if matching a cancer cure to our genetic code was just as easy, just as standard? What if figuring out the right dose of medicine was as simple as taking our temperature?”

- President Obama, January 30, 2015

PCORnet Architecture



PPRNs



[American BRCA Outcomes and Utilization of Testing Patient-Powered Research Network \(ABOUT Network\)](#)

University of South Florida



[ARthritis patient Partnership with comparative Effectiveness Researchers \(AR-PoWER PPRN\)](#)

Global Healthy Living Foundation



[CCFA Partners Patient Powered Research Network](#)

Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America



[Collaborative Patient-Centered Rare Epilepsy Network \(REN\)](#)

Epilepsy Foundation



[Community and Patient-Partnered Centers of Excellence for Behavioral Health](#)

University of California Los Angeles



[Community-Engaged Network for All \(CENA\)](#)

Genetic Alliance, Inc.



[COPD Patient Powered Research Network](#)

COPD Foundation



[DuchenneConnect Registry Network](#)

Parent Project Muscular Dystrophy



[Health eHeart Alliance](#)

University of California, San Francisco (UCSF)



[ImproveCareNow: A Learning Health System for Children with Crohn's Disease and Ulcerative Colitis](#)
Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center



[Interactive Autism Network](#)

Kennedy Krieger Institute



[Mood Patient-Powered Research Network](#)

Massachusetts General Hospital



[Multiple Sclerosis Patient-Powered Research Network](#)

Accelerated Cure Project for Multiple Sclerosis



[National Alzheimer's and Dementia Patient and Caregiver-Powered Research Network](#)

Mayo Clinic



[NephCure Kidney International](#)

Arbor Research Collaborative for Health



[Patients, Advocates and Rheumatology Teams Network for Research and Service \(PARTNERS\) Consortium](#)

Duke University



[Phelan-McDermid Syndrome Data Network](#)

Phelan-McDermid Syndrome Foundation



[PI Patient Research Connection: PI-CONNECT](#)

Immune Deficiency Foundation



[Population Research in Identity and Disparities for Equality Patient-Powered Research Network \(PRIDEnet\)](#)

University of California San Francisco



[Vasculitis Patient Powered Research Network](#)

University of Pennsylvania

CDRNs

ADVANCE

[Accelerating Data Value Across a National Community Health Center Network \(ADVANCE\)](#)

Oregon Community Health Information Network (OCHIN)



[Chicago Area Patient Centered Outcomes Research Network \(CAPriCORN\)](#)

The Chicago Community Trust



[Greater Plains Collaborative \(GPC\)](#)
University of Kansas Medical Center



[Kaiser Permanente & Strategic Partners Patient Outcomes Research To Advance Learning \(PORTAL\) Network](#)

Kaiser Foundation Research Institute



[Research Action for Health Network \(REACHnet\)](#)

Louisiana Public Health Institute (LPHI)



[Mid-South CDRN](#)

Vanderbilt University



[National PEDSnet: A Pediatric Learning Health System](#)

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia



[New York City Clinical Data Research Network \(NYC-CDRN\)](#)

Weill Medical College of Cornell University



[OneFlorida Clinical Data Research Network](#)
University of Florida



[Patient-Centered Network of Learning Health Systems \(LHSNet\)](#)

Mayo Clinic



[Patient-oriented SCALable National Network for Effectiveness Research \(pSCANNER\)](#)

University of California, San Diego (UCSD)



[PaTH: Towards a Learning Health System](#)
University of Pittsburgh



[Scalable Collaborative Infrastructure for a Learning Healthcare System \(SCILHS\)](#)

Harvard University

PCORnet Common Data Model

CONDITION v2.0

A condition represents a patient's diagnosed and self-reported health conditions and diseases. The patient's medical history and current state may both be represented.

DEATH v3.0

Reported mortality information for patients.

DEATH_CAUSE v3.0

The individual causes associated with a reported death.

DEMOGRAPHIC v1.0

Demographics record the direct attributes of individual patients.

DIAGNOSIS v1.0

Diagnosis codes indicate the results of diagnostic processes and medical coding within healthcare delivery.

DISPENSING v2.0

Outpatient pharmacy dispensing, such as prescriptions filled through a neighborhood pharmacy with a claim paid by an insurer. Outpatient dispensing is not commonly captured within healthcare systems.

ENROLLMENT v1.0

Enrollment is a concept that defines a period of time during which all medically-attended events are expected to be observed. This concept is often insurance-based, but other methods of defining enrollment are possible.

ENCOUNTER v1.0

Encounters are interactions between patients and providers within the context of healthcare delivery.

HARVEST v3.0

Attributes associated with the specific PCORnet datamart implementation

LAB_RESULT_CM v2.0

Laboratory result Common Measures (CM) use specific types of quantitative and qualitative measurements from blood and other body specimens. These standardized measures are defined in the same way across all PCORnet networks.

PCORNET_TRIAL v3.0

Patients who are enrolled in PCORnet clinical trials.

PRESCRIBING v3.0

Provider orders for medication dispensing and/or administration.

PRO_CM v2.0

Patient-Reported Outcome (PRO) Common Measures (CM) are standardized measures that are defined in the same way across all PCORnet networks. Each measure is recorded at the individual item level: an individual question/statement, paired with its standardized response options.

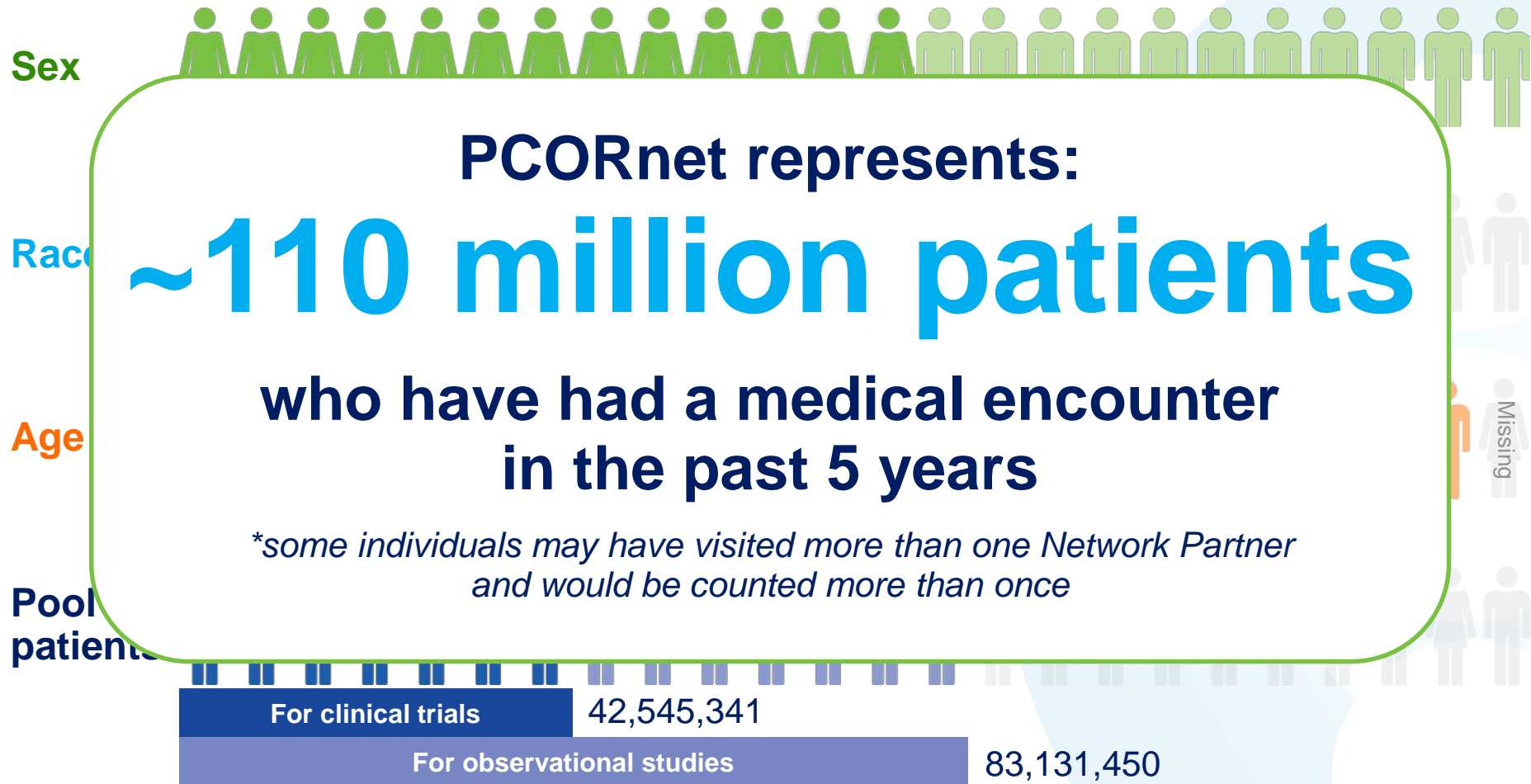
PROCEDURES v1.0

Procedure codes indicate the discreet medical interventions and diagnostic testing, such as surgical procedures, administered within healthcare delivery.

VITAL v1.0

Vital signs (such as height, weight, and blood pressure) directly measure an individual's current state of attributes.

Resulting in a national evidence system with unparalleled research readiness



Greater Plains Collaborative

University of Kansas
Medical Center (KUMC)

Children's Mercy Hospital

University of Iowa
Healthcare

University of Wisconsin-
Madison,

Medical College of
Wisconsin

Marshfield Clinic

University of Minnesota
Medical Center

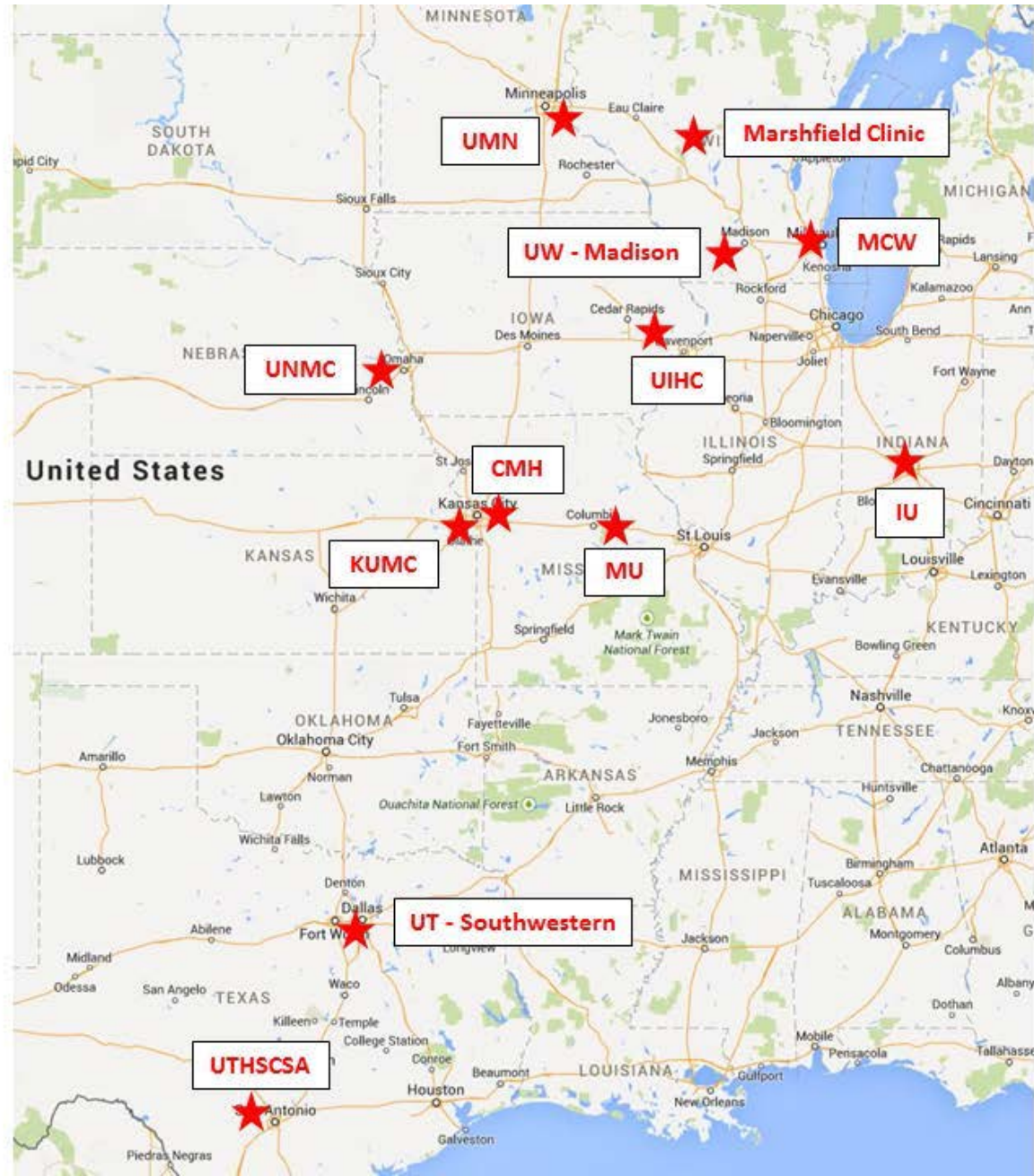
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Medical Center

University of Texas Health
Sciences Center at San
Antonio

University of Texas
Southwestern Medical
Center

University of Indiana

University of Missouri



GPC CDRN:



- Rich **clinical data** stored in *standardized* format on **~10 Million patients**.
- Reciprocal **IRB** Agreement (now SMART IRB)
- **Data Sharing Agreement**
- Capacity to conduct **trials embedded in clinical settings**
- **Complete set of Policies and Procedures**
- **Engagement of patients**, clinicians and health systems in governance and use of the network
- **“Front Door”** portal for engaging researchers
- Biobank sharing agreement

UNMC Initiatives

UNMC Clinical Research Analysis Environment (CRANE)

- i2b2 based de-identified, patient level data aggregation system for clinical & translational research.
- Integrates EHR, Registry, HIE, Death Index, CMS Claims data, patient reported outcomes, encoded pathology data, biomarker data, Genomic data
 - J. McClay & Clinical Informatics Team
 - UNMC Research IT Office

UNMC Health eStandards Project (BD2K U01)

- International collaboration to extend and coordinate computable phenotypic data linked with genomic data
- Extend SNOMED-CT & LOINC standardized encoding to include anatomic pathology, biomarker, and genetic marker data for inclusion in EHR
 - WS Campbell, JR Campbell, J McClay,

UNMC Health eStandards Project

GPC & SCILHS Common Data Model

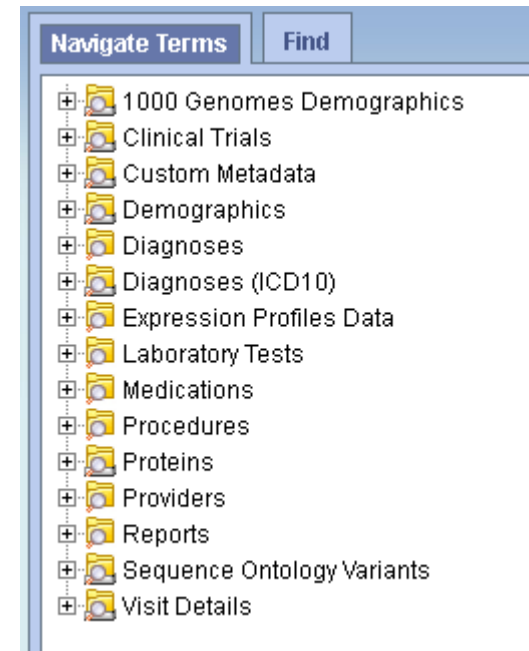
- Joint project between UNMC, GPC member sites and Harvard i2b2 developers.

NIH BD2K Grant

- Extends EHR data to include anatomic pathology, protein marker and genomic data.

Deploying ONC Natinal Standards in Support of Metadata for Big Data Research Warehouse Management of Repurposed Laboratory, Pathology & Patient Findings Data from the EHR

University of Nebraska Medical Center
Principal Investigator: Scott Campbell
Grant Number: U01 HG009455



Limitations of ONC terminologies for Human Genomics

Research community

- HUGO; Human Gene Nomenclature Committee
- UniProt; Ensemble; Cosmic
- NCBO: OMIM; Orphanet; Protein Ontology

Clinical community

- SNOMED CT:
 - No concept model for subcellular anatomy or molecular structure
 - No concept model for Observable entity or molecular basis of disease in Clinical findings
 - Little content, all primitives
- LOINC 2.54:
 - 1275 PCR; 1406 MOLGEN; 116 FISH; 1502 CELL MARKERS
 - Concept model inadequate to fully define what is being result
 - Provides only tag-level interoperability of molecular data

- **No meaningful bridge joining genetic scientific findings with clinical concept models**



UNMC: Project for structured encoding of Pathologist cancer reports

- Objective: Detailed structured reporting of all anatomic and molecular pathology observations for all CAP synoptic cancer worksheets (82 types of malignancies)
- Proposal: Analyze detailed semantics of CAP worksheets; apply harmonized concept model to develop terminology requirements; deploy as real-time structured reporting from COPATH system interfaced to tissue biobank and EPIC
- Tooling: Nebraska Lexicon© extension namespace; SNOWOWL authoring platform; SNOMED CT International + US Extension + Observables Technology preview; ELK 0.4.1 DL classifier
- Penciled into IHTSDO workplan for 2017



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+ Specimen Length (if applicable)
+ Specify: ___ cm

Tumor Site (select all that apply) (

- Cecum
- Right (ascending) colon
- Hepatic flexure
- Transverse colon
- Splenic flexure
- Left (descending) colon
- Sigmoid colon
- Rectosigmoid
- Rectum
- Ileocecal valve
- Colon, not otherwise specified
- Cannot be determined (see Comm

+ **NRAS Mutational Analysis (Note C)**

+ No mutation detected

+ Mutation identified (select all that apply)

+ Codon 12

+ Gly12Asp (GGT>GAT)

+ Gly12Val (GGT>GTT)

+ Gly12Cys (GGT>TGT)

+ Gly12Ser (GGT>AGT)

+ Gly12Ala (GGT>GCT)

+ Gly12Arg (GGT>CGT)

+ Codon 12 mutation, not otherwise specified

+ Other codon 12 mutation (specify): _____

+ Codon 13

+ Specific codon 13 mutation (specify): _____

+ Codon 13 mutation, not otherwise specified

+ Codon 61

+ Gln61Lys (CAA>AAA)

+ Gln61Arg (CAA>CGA)

+ Codon 61 mutation, not otherwise specified

+ Other codon 61 mutation (specify): _____

+ Other codon (specify): _____

+ Cannot be determined (explain): _____

+ **BRAF Expression (by immunohistochemistry) (Note B)**

+ Positive cytoplasmic expression

+ Negative for cytoplasmic expression

Precision Medicine Terminology Use Cases

- Health maintenance alert for BRCA1 or BRCA2 positive patients
- Retrieve all melanoma tissue specimens which had BRAF gene testing
- Alert cardiologist for CYP2C19 low metabolizer patients prior to angioplasty to adjust clopidogrel dosing
- Which patient with cystic fibrosis should be treated with Ivacaftor at \$300,000 per year?



Conclusion

- Described Greater Plains Collaborative Research Network and PCORnet
- Demonstrated Pathway from Clinical Research to Precision medicine
- Discussed our effort to integrate genetic, biomarker, Anatomic Pathology and EHR data in Precision Medicine

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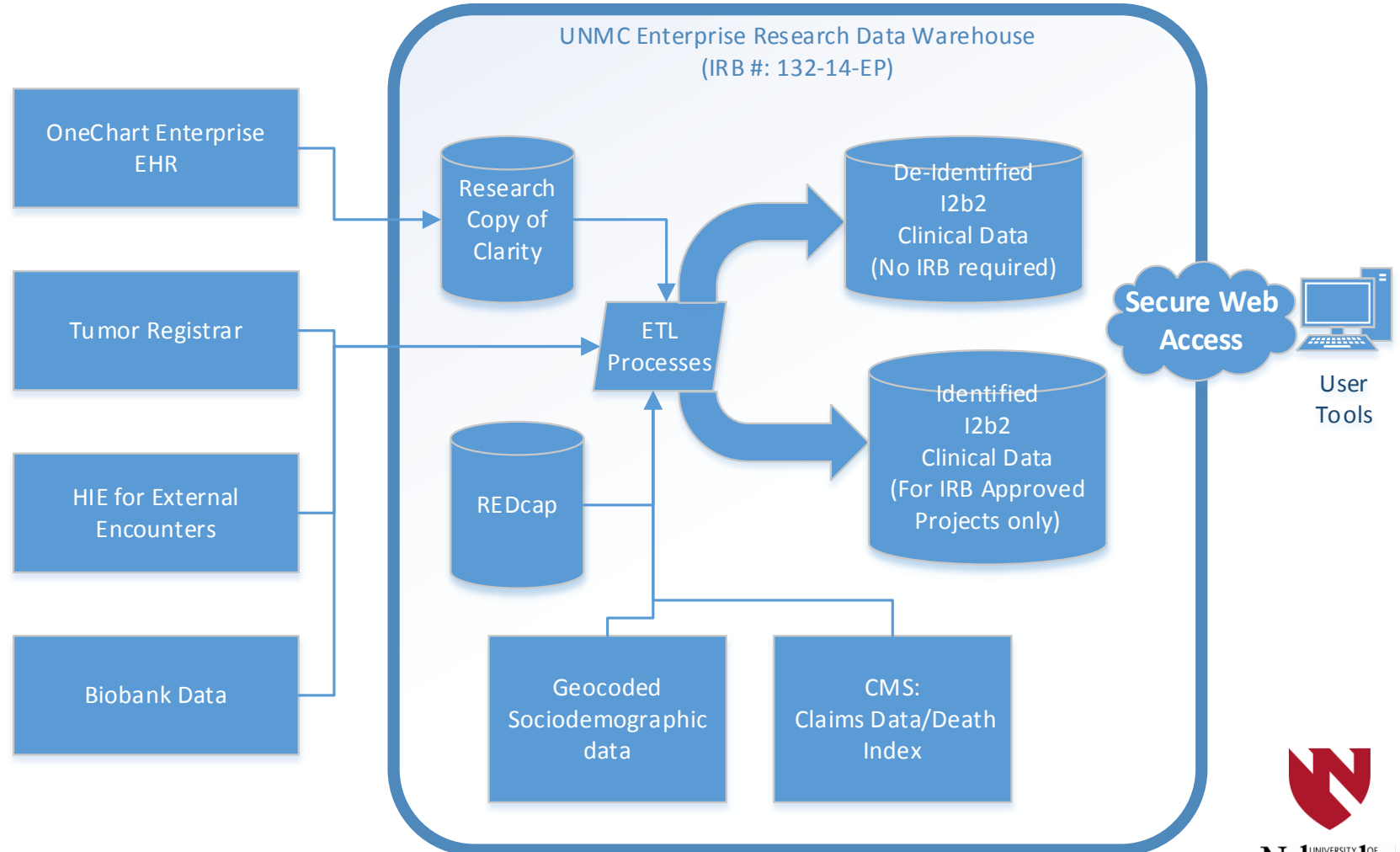


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UNMC Clinical Research Analysis Environment



Molecular Pathology Data Collection, EMR storage and Biorepository Storage Model. UNMC System example

