

NCVHS Update on ONC Activities

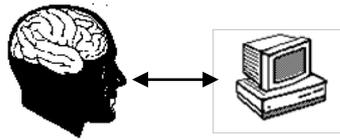
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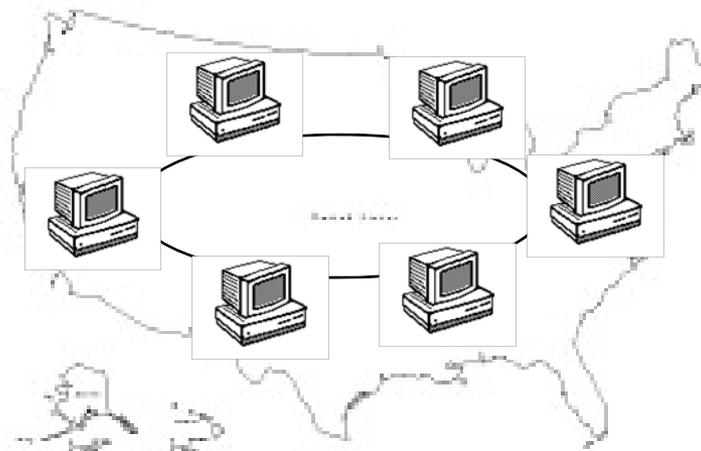


The “Two Element” View

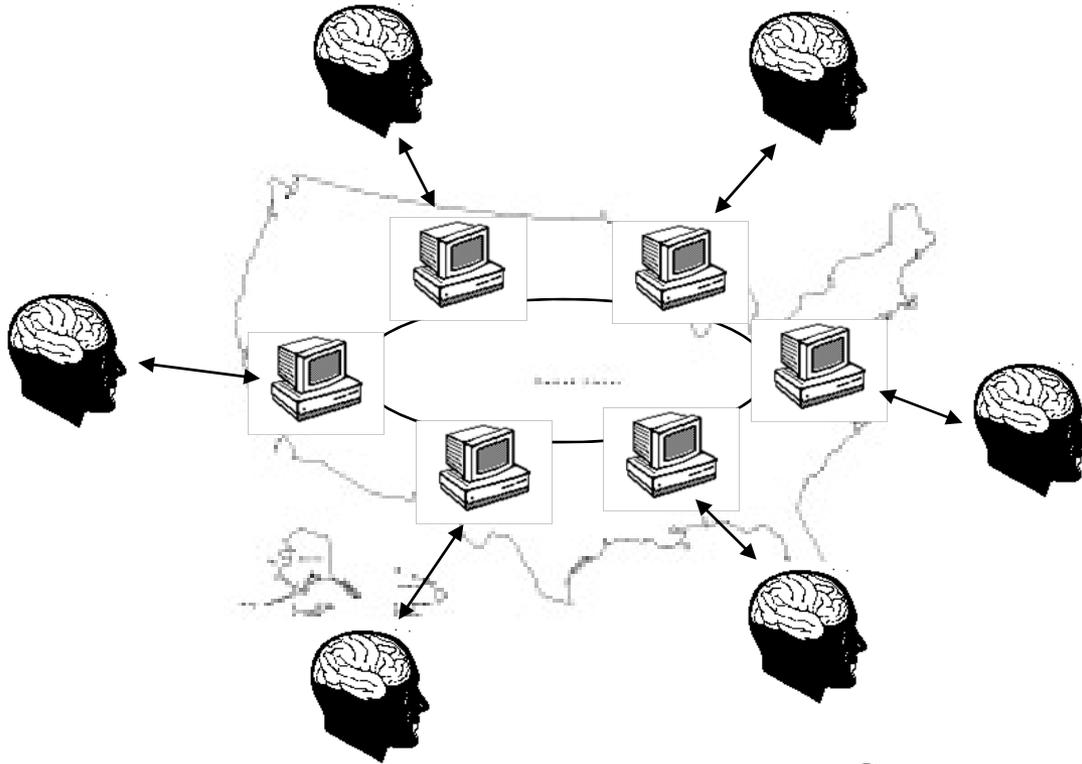
Element 1: **Adopted** Health IT Systems



Element 2: A **Trusted Pathway** to Exchange Information



Combining the Elements Enables **Meaningful Use**

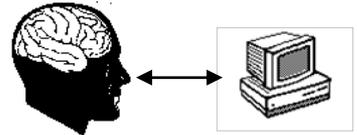


Statutory Components of MU

1. Adoption of certified EHRs
2. Health information exchange
3. Quality reporting

Building Element 1

Adopted Health IT Systems



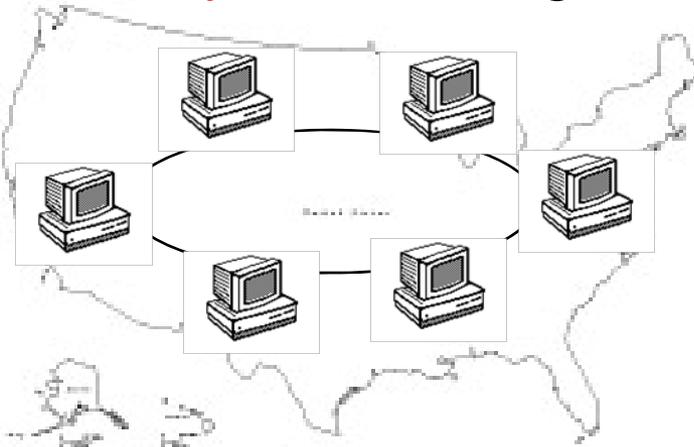
Primary Initiatives:

- Payment Incentives
- Regional Extension Centers Grants
- Health IT Workforce Grants
- Certification



Building Element 2

A **Trusted Pathway** to Exchange Information



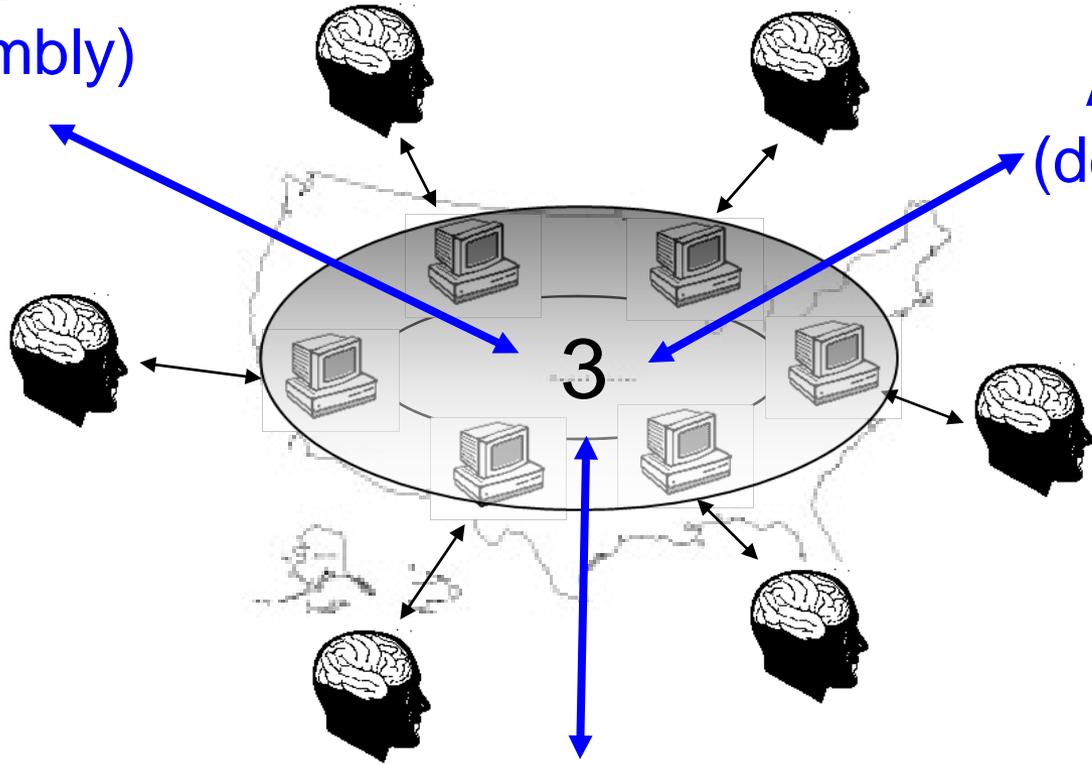
Primary Initiatives:

- Standards
- Grants to States
- Nationwide Health Information Network
- Privacy and Security

Element 3 Enables a “Learning System”

“Gridware”
(smart assembly)

“Cool”
Applications
(deliver value to
end-users)



“Learningware”
(discover new knowledge)