



State of Tennessee

eHealth Initiatives



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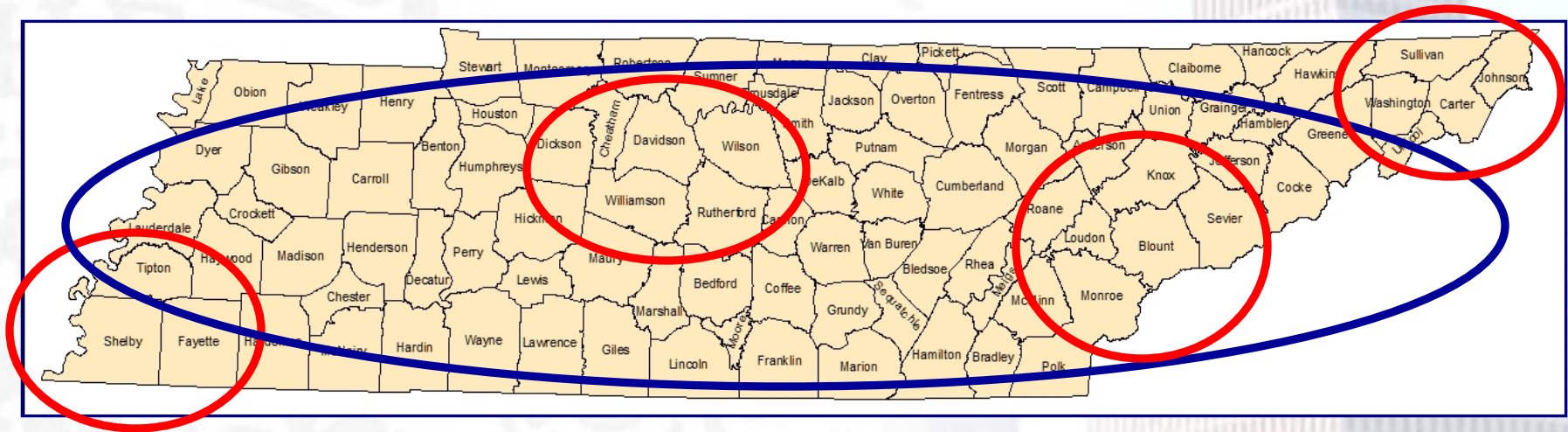
eHealth Topics

- Tennessee Regional Health Information Organizations
- eHealth Advisory Council
- Statewide eHealth Network
- Tennessee CIO / eHealth touch points



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RHIOs/HIE



- ◆ Innovation Valley Health Information Network (RHIO)
- ◆ CareSpark (RHIO)
- ◆ MidSouth eHealth Alliance (RHIO)
- ◆ Middle Tennessee Health Information Exchange (RHIO in development)
- ◆ Shared Health (Public/Private Health Information Exchange working statewide with TennCare and BCBST)



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eHealth Advisory Council

eHealth Advisory Council Mission

To drive improvement in the quality, safety and efficiency of healthcare by providing leadership, education, support and engaging the healthcare community to accelerate the implementation of eHealth solutions.

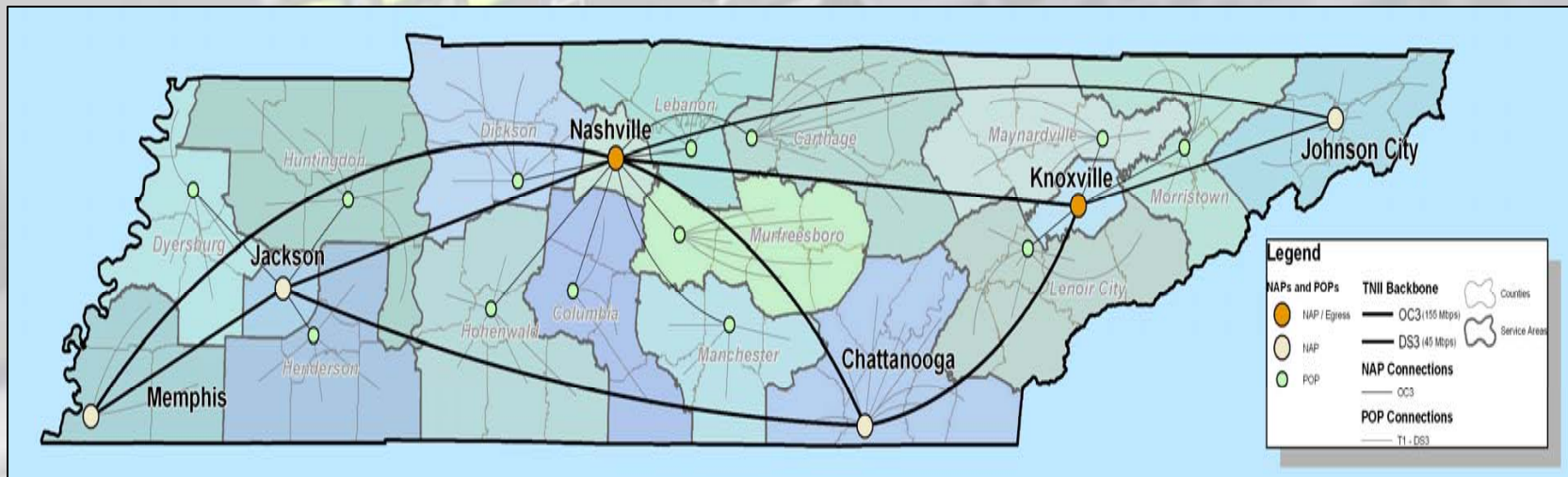
- ◆ Facilitate **sharing** of electronic health information
- ◆ Ensure appropriate **security** and **privacy** as required by State and Federal Law
- ◆ Ensure **interoperability** between all healthcare stakeholders
- ◆ Facilitate legal frameworks and **data sharing agreements**
- ◆ Define policy and procedures to ensure **appropriate use**
- ◆ Ensure **public trust** through appropriate safeguards and transparency



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eHealth Network

Tennessee Information Infrastructure (TNII)



Providing a private eHealth Network and core data sharing agreement for all healthcare stakeholders both public and private



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eHealth Network – Next Steps

- ◆ Legislative changes to facilitate data sharing
- ◆ eHealth Network connectivity grants
- ◆ Secure clinical messaging (labs, imaging, email....)
- ◆ Medication history application
- ◆ Community Portal / Record Locator Service



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CIO / eHealth touch points

Facilitate

- Education and awareness among State Agencies
- Data-sharing agreements between State Agencies

Provide

- Infrastructure for eHealth Network
- Draft connectivity agreement
- eHealth Community Portal/Record Locator Service