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INTRODUCTION: ENHANCING STATEWIDE HOSPITAL DISCHARGE DATABASES

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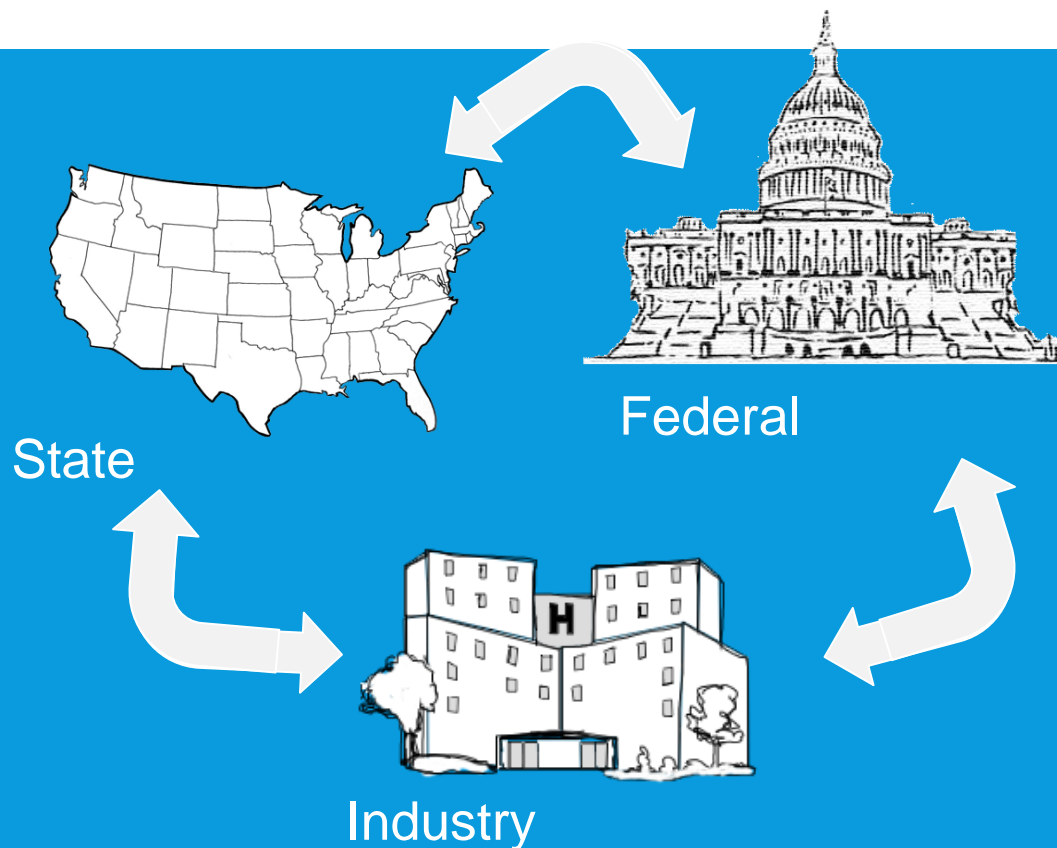
OUTLINE

- Statewide hospital discharge data
- Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project
- AHRQ-funded Enhanced State Data Grants
- *Health Services Research* special issue on grant findings

STATEWIDE HOSPITAL DISCHARGE DATA

- Almost all states have all-payer statewide collection
- Billing data involve little extra data collection burden
- Fairly standardized across hospitals
- Core data set useful for a wide-range of purposes
- Research methods & software readily available
- AHRQ's HCUP aggregates at national level; creates uniform research files

THE HCUP PARTNERSHIP



Multi-Year,
starting **1988**

All-Payer

Inpatient

Emergency
Department

Ambulatory
Surgery

Databases

based on
Hospital
Billing Data

DATA USES SPANNING 40 YEARS

- Health Services Researchers
 - Health policy
 - Access and quality
 - Clinical practice and clinical aspects of care
 - Race-ethnicity and insurance impacts
 - Economics and financing
- States, Communities, Hospitals
 - Public health and safety
 - Disease and injury surveillance and registries
 - Community health assessments and health planning
 - Quality assessment and performance improvement
 - Public reporting for purchasing and comparative reports

NEED FOR IMPROVED RACE & ETHNICITY DATA

- Racial/ethnic minorities receive lower access & quality care
(*Unequal Treatment*; Nat'l Healthcare Disparities Report; Numerous studies)
- Need good data to identify areas for improvement; track progress
- Challenges identified by HCUP Partners
 - Convincing stakeholders about the value of collecting race/ethnicity data
 - Concerns about accuracy (e.g. clerks collecting by observing)
 - Sensitivity about asking for the information
 - Coding schemes (national standards vs local needs)

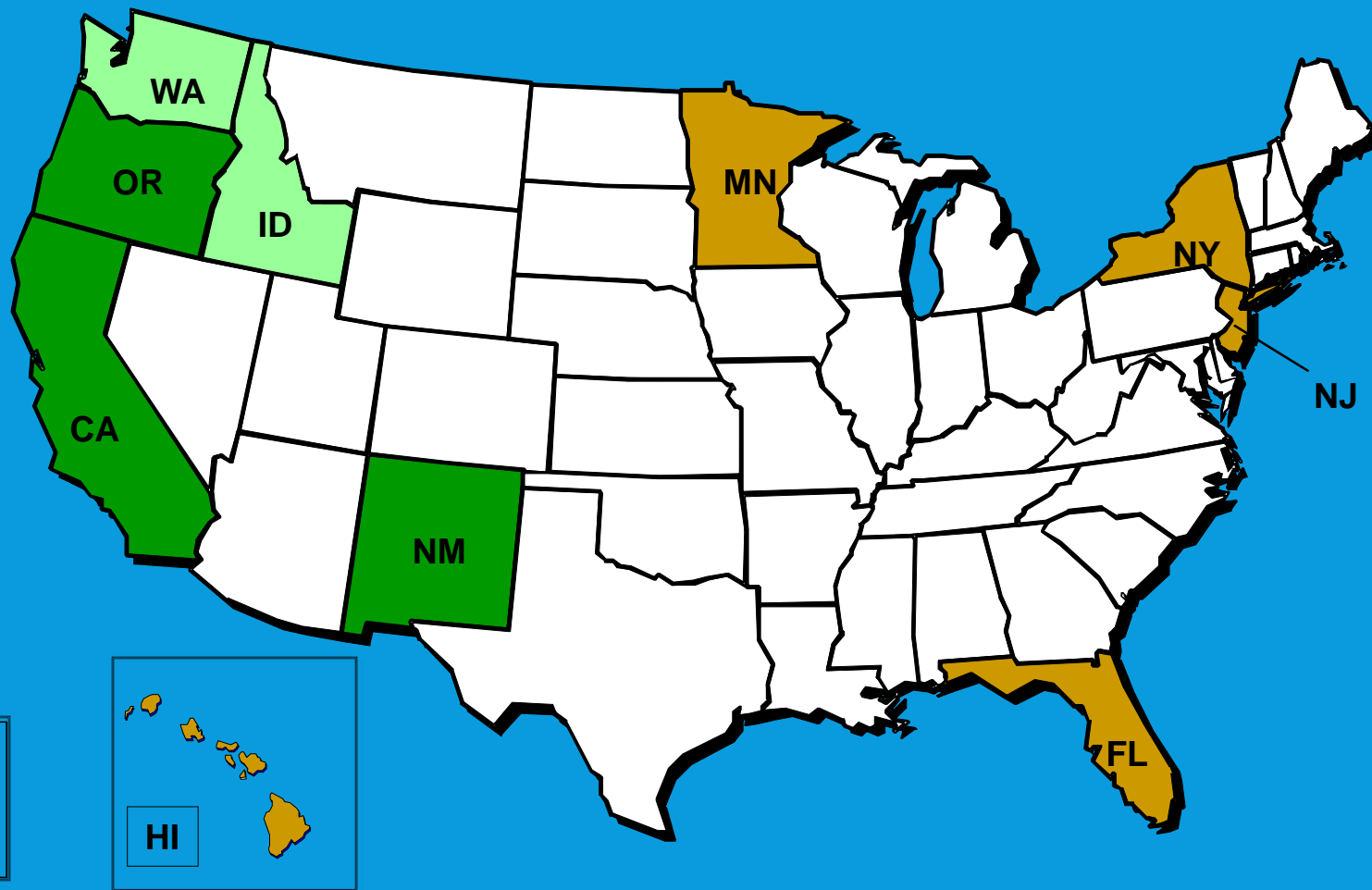
NEED FOR IMPROVED CLINICAL DATA

- Limited to ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes
- Missing physiological data (lab values and vital signs) for hospitalization
- Lacks relevant pre- and post-hospitalization clinical information
- With advances in IT and EHRs, there is a growing availability of clinical data in electronic form

AHRQ GRANTS TO ENHANCE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

- Recovery Act (ARRA) funds to improve data infrastructure for comparative effectiveness research
 - Three-year grants awarded in Fall 2010
- Enhance the data infrastructure of statewide data organizations to improve local uses and HCUP data

AHRQ ENHANCED STATE DATA GRANTS



Key:

Clinical Data Grant

Race/Ethnicity Data Grant

Race/Ethnicity Data - Covered State

RACE-ETHNICITY DATA GRANTS

| State | PI | Data Improvement |
|------------------|--|---|
| CA | David Zingmond UCLA | Improve accuracy of race-ethnicity and language data through improved auditing methods, training and indirect (statistical) methods. |
| NM | Michael Landen NM Dept of Health | Improve the quality of race and ethnicity data, including use of OMB categories. Collect tribal identifier data. |
| ID, OR, WA | Victoria Warren-Mears Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board | Using the roster of AI/AN in the Northwest, correct inaccurate AI/AN data in hospital discharge, vital statistics, STD/HIV, cancer & trauma registries. |

CLINICAL DATA GRANTS COLLECTING LAB DATA

| State | PI | Hospital Data Enhancement |
|-------|---|--|
| HI | Todd Seto Queen's Medical Center | Add laboratory data |
| MN | Mark Sonneborn MN Hospital Association | Increase lab data submission, add inpatient pharmacy , link patients across hospitals & with death certificates |
| NY | Barbara Dennison NY State DOH | Add laboratory data |

OTHER CLINICAL DATA GRANTS

| State | PI | Hospital Data Enhancement |
|-------|--|---|
| FL | Hamisu Salihu Univ of South Florida | Link IP with vital stats , ED & AS data to create statewide maternal child dataset |
| NJ | Derek DeLia Rutgers University | Link to prehospital EMS data & death certificates |

RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA TOOLKIT



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Race and Ethnicity Data Improvement Toolkit

The Race and Ethnicity Data Improvement Toolkit provides practical tools and guidance to organizations interested in improving their collection of hospital patient race, ethnicity, and primary language data. It presents the combined experience of several Enhanced State Data grantees that embarked on data quality improvement projects in their states.



Race and Ethnicity Data Improvement Toolkit

This toolkit provides practical tools and guidance to those interested in improving the quality of their hospital patient race, ethnicity, and primary language (R/E/L) data collection efforts. The toolkit is designed for statewide data organizations that collect hospital administrative data, such as those participating in AHRQ's Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project. However, the toolkit may also be useful for a variety of others with a role in improving the collection of R/E/L in hospital data, such as hospital leadership, quality improvement personnel, clinicians, patients and consumers, registration and admitting departments, and hospital IT departments.

The toolkit is based on the materials developed by, and the experiences of, three [AHRO Enhanced State Data](#) grantees from [California](#), [New Mexico](#), and the [Northwest](#) region (Idaho, Oregon, and Washington) that embarked on R/E/L data quality improvement projects. Enhancements included making substantial, sustainable improvements to the reporting of R/E/L data among patients in California's hospitals; improving the quality of race and ethnicity data in hospital discharge databases by revising the New Mexico administrative code to mandate race, ethnicity, and tribal identifier data reporting; and conducting record linkage with an array of health-related data systems in a three-state region in the Pacific Northwest to identify and, in some cases, augment racial misclassification and improve disease/mortality estimates.

- [The Case for Improving Race, Ethnicity, and Language Data](#)
- [Data Improvement through Education and Training of Hospital Staff](#)
- [Data Improvement through Data Linkages and Data Validation](#)
- [About the Grants \(includes tools developed by each grantee\)](#)

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raceethnicitytoolkit/home_race.jsp](http://www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/datainnovations/raceethnicitytoolkit/home_race.jsp)

CLINICAL CONTENT ENHANCEMENT TOOLKIT



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Clinical Content Enhancement Toolkit

The Clinical Content Enhancement Toolkit provides practical tools and guidance to organizations interested in supplementing their existing statewide hospital encounter data with additional clinical data. It presents the combined experience of several Enhanced State Data grantees that embarked on clinical content enhancement projects in their states.



Clinical Content Enhancement Toolkit

This toolkit provides practical tools and guidance to those interested in broadening and supplementing their existing administrative health data by adding clinical data elements. The toolkit is designed for statewide data organizations that collect hospital administrative data, such as those participating in AHRQ's Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project. However, the toolkit may also be useful for a variety of others with a role in enhancing administrative databases with clinical data elements, such as hospital leadership, quality improvement personnel, clinicians, and hospital IT departments.

The toolkit is based on the materials developed by, and the experiences of, five [AHRQ Enhanced State Data](#) grantees from [Florida](#), [Hawaii](#), [Minnesota](#), [New Jersey](#), and [New York](#) who collaborated with state and health care provider organizations to enhance existing hospital claims databases with clinical data, and use them to demonstrate how the enhancements improved their value in comparative effectiveness research. Enhancements included linking hospital claims data to hospital numerical laboratory data, to hospital ambulatory and emergency room claims data, to birth and death certificate data, to inpatient pharmacy order data, and to pre-admission emergency medical services data.

- [The Case for Improving Clinical Data](#)
- [Project Initiation and Planning](#)
- [Training](#)
- [Data Collection, Linkage, and Management](#)
- [About the Grants \(includes tools developed by each grantee\)](#)

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- Background on Statewide Discharge Data & Grants
- Grantee Challenges & Lessons Learned (collaborative paper)
- Case study- Sustainability of grant achievements
- Demonstration of the value of adding laboratory data
- An innovative approach for linking patient data
- Two different approaches to assessing and improving race-ethnicity data quality

PARTING COMMENTS TO RESEARCHERS

- Develop new methods to broaden the usefulness and improve statewide discharge data
- Collaborate with statewide data organizations and hospitals on data improvement
 - The Enhanced State Data grant projects are examples
- Let statewide data organizations (and HCUP) know about your data needs and ideas for improvement

RESOURCES

- HCUP Website

<http://www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/>

- HCUP Partners (Statewide Data Organizations)

<http://www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/partners.jsp>

- Clinical Content Enhancement Toolkit

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- Race and Ethnicity Data Toolkit

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Improving the Reporting of Race, Ethnicity, and Language in California Hospitals

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Objectives and Approach



Overall Objective: To improve the reliability, validity, and completeness of self-reported Race, Ethnicity, and Language in data for patients seen in California hospitals (inpatient, ED, and ambulatory surgery)

1. Pre- and Post- needs assessments through **structured surveys** to hospital registrars (and others) in California hospitals.
2. Adaptation/development/implementation of training materials
3. **Development of revised data auditing rules for evaluating data quality throughout the project and feeding back to hospitals**
4. Post-collection data improvement (supplementation and imputation)



Study Approach

- Compared R/E reporting in 2008-2009 discharge data vs. existing self-report R/E information overall and by hospital
- Created new audit measures based upon hospital population mean estimates from zip code of residence
- Assessed new audit measure vs self-report
- Compared new audit measure vs existing measures

Gold Standard Assessment



- Linked the California Patient Discharge Data to two external gold-standards
 - California State Vital Statistics – birth records
 - California State Cancer Registry
 - Subset of cases with self-reported race/ethnicity (SF Bay Area and LA County)
 - Full state cancer registry – chart abstraction with name-based algorithm
- Calculated agreement for race/ethnicity for each cohort

Table 1: Demographics and Overall Agreement: Inpatient Data versus Maternal Cohort* and versus Cancer Cohort†

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| | <i>N</i> | <i>% Gold Standard Agreement</i> | <i>N</i> | <i>% Gold Standard Agreement</i> |
| Total discharges | 1,052,238 | | 14,918 | |
| Overall combined race/ethnicity | | 85.8 | | 90.1 |
| Overall race only | | 70.7 | | 90.7 |
| Discharges by race/ethnicity | | | | |
| Hispanic | 551,643 | 89.1 | 1,264 | 66.4 |
| Non-Hispanic | 500,595 | 82.1 | 13,654 | 92.3 |
| Whites (all) | 792,975 | 72.3 | 11,000 | 93.7 |
| Non-whites | 259,263 | 65.7 | 3,918 | 82.5 |
| Mean age of patients at discharge (years) | 28.1 | | 62.8 | |
| Number of hospitals involved | 261 | | 227 | |
| Number of observations per hospital (mean, range) | 4,001 | <1, 15,263> | 66 | <1, 715> |

*PDD 2008–2009 versus Birth Cohort 2008–2009.

†PDD 2008–2009 versus Cancer Cohort: 2000–2008.

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2009 versus Cancer Cohort: 2000–2008.

New Audit Measure: Mean-Population Comparison



Estimate disagreement between:


Reported = Distribution of race categories as reported by the hospital

Predicted = Population mean predicted distribution using zip-code level distribution for each patient in the hospital

Root mean squared difference (normalized vector difference between the reported and predicted)



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Audit measure vs Gold Standard

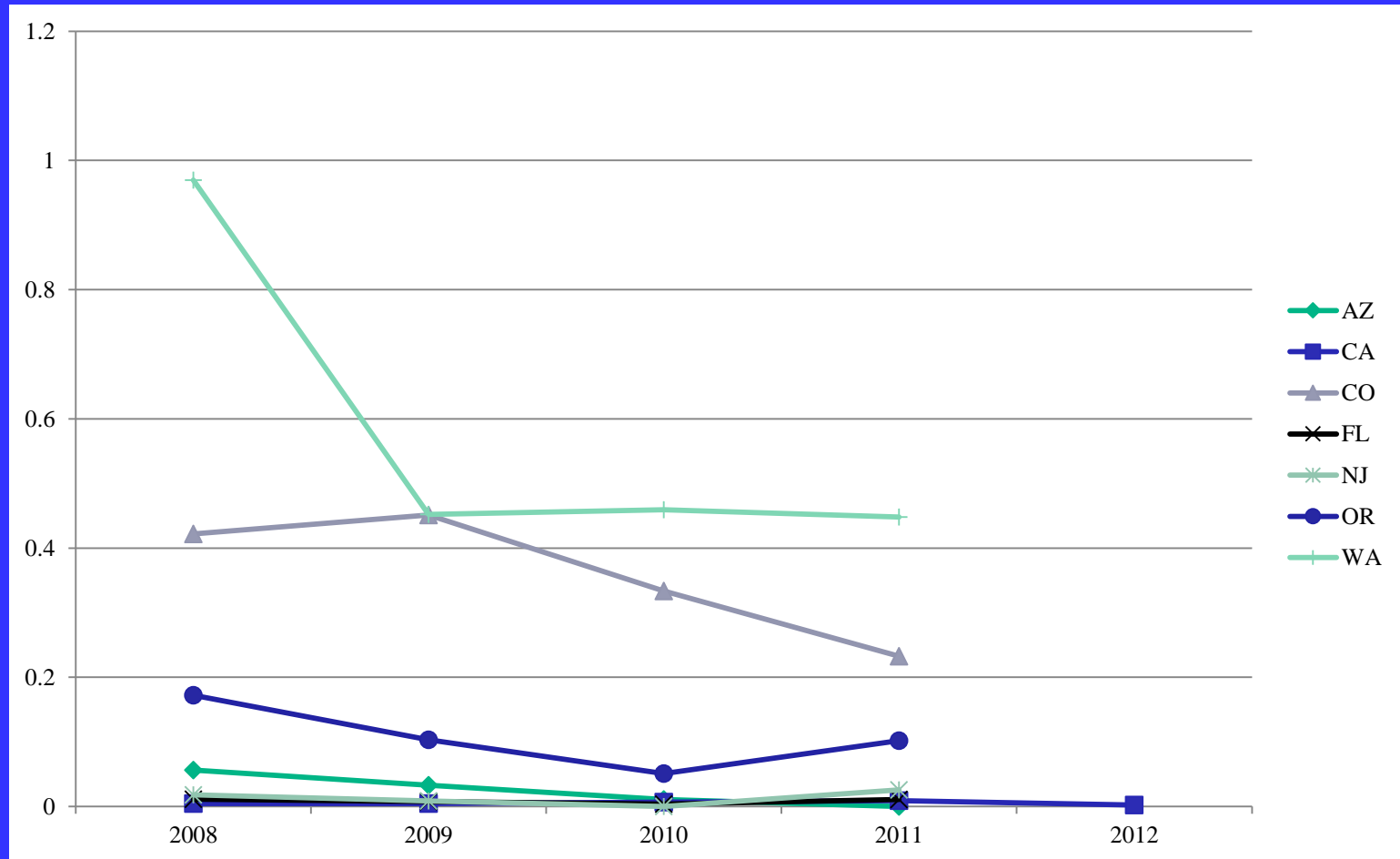
- Overall kappa: 0.44
- Kappa (highest 20% versus lowest 80% by RMSD): 0.47
- Kappa of audit rank disagreement versus gold standard measure: 0.1

Audit Measures by States and Years

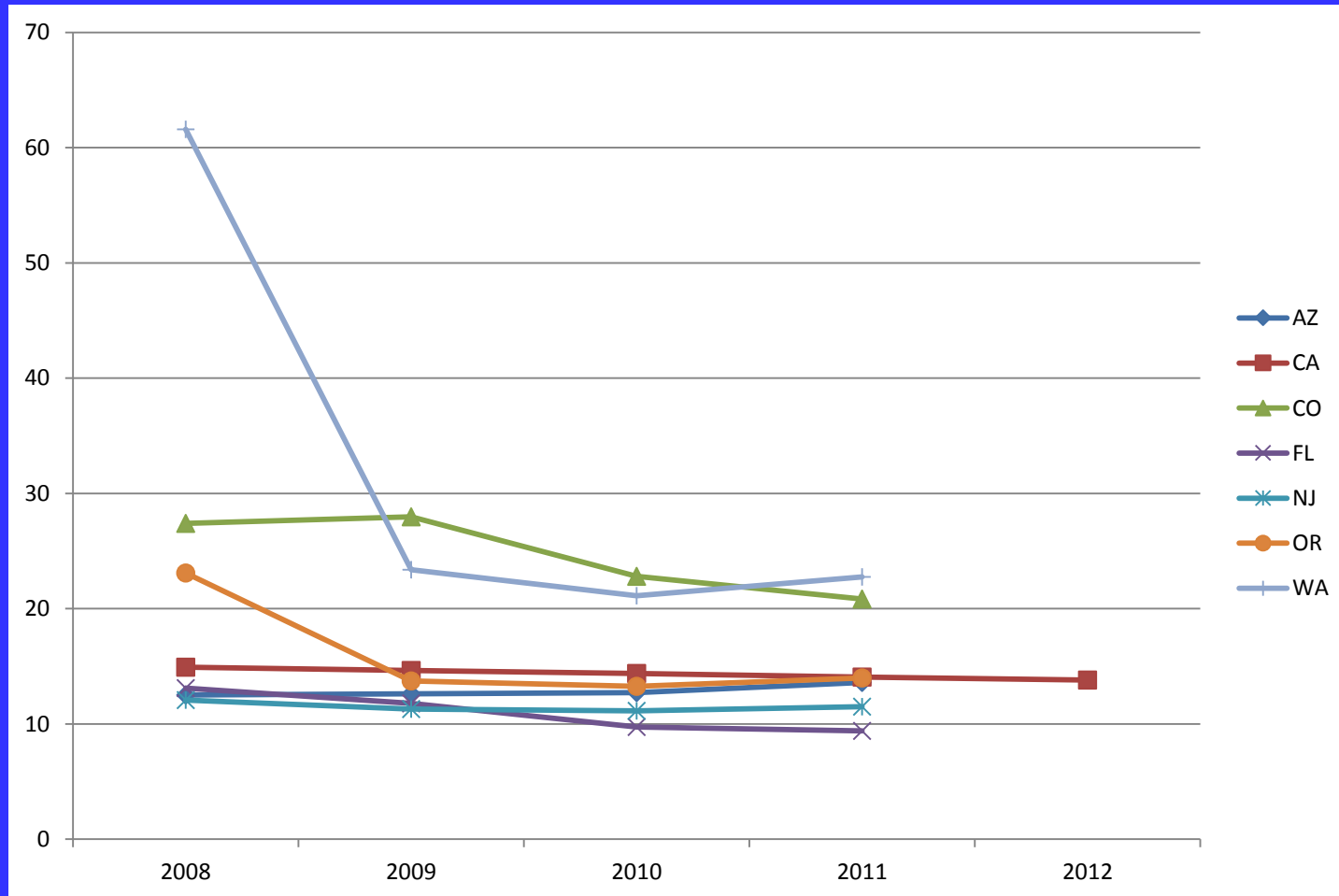


- Examined race and ethnicity reporting in CA and six comparison states—AZ, CO, FL, NJ, OR, & WA
- Compared the existing measure and the new audit measure

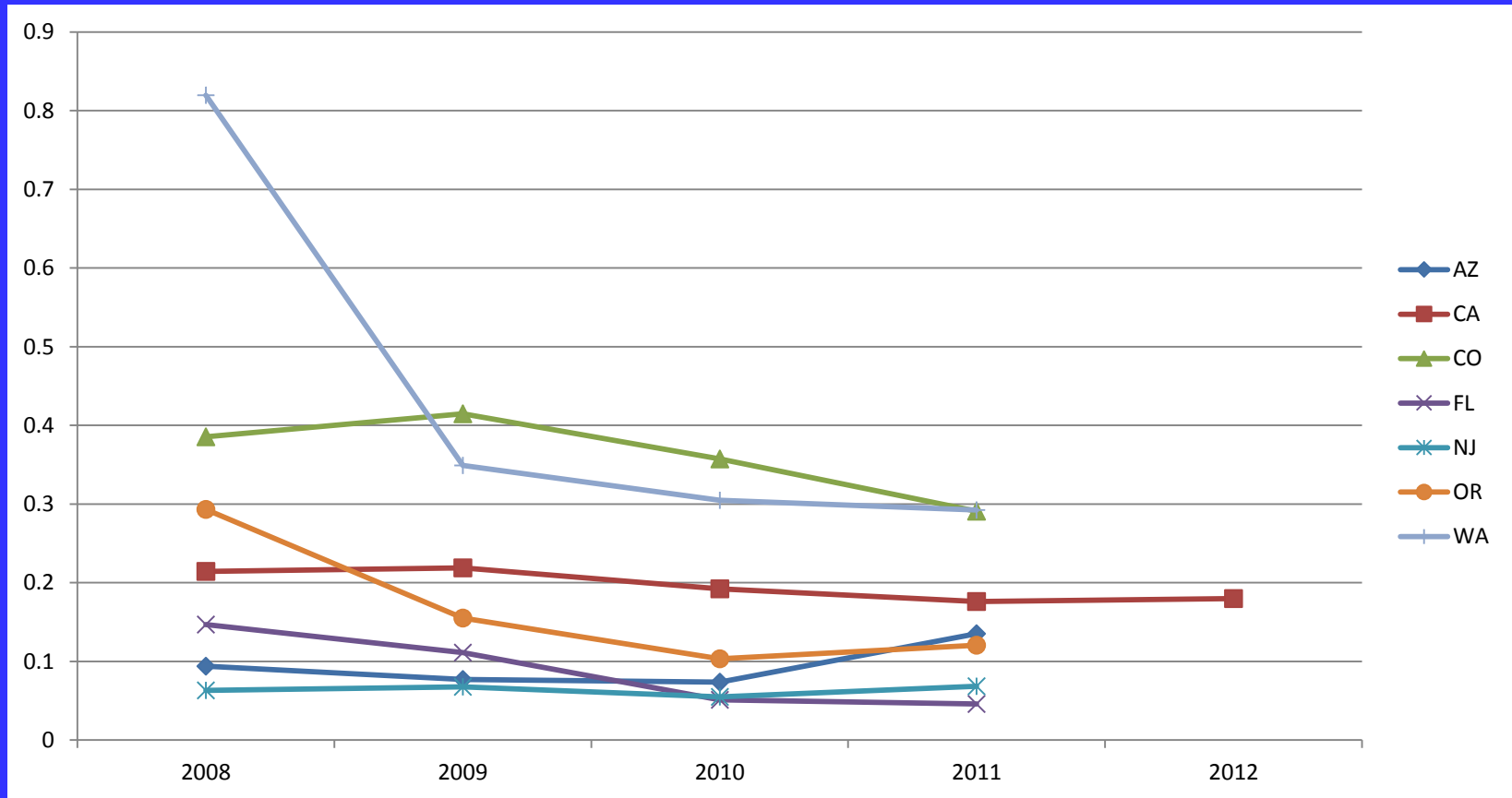
Rates of High 'Other/Unknown' RE Reporting by State



Average Estimated Disagreement in RE across Hospitals by State



Rates of High* Disagreement of RE Reporting by State



* > 0.20 error



Discussion

- Created audit measures that can assist hospitals and states with tracking overall reporting performance for R/E
- Development of alternative validated metrics for assessing the accuracy of data is difficult
 - For R/E, self-report is the gold standard
 - Few routinely collected sources of information are available for data auditing or comparison



Discussion

- Alternative metrics must depend upon routinely available, self-report data
 - Census data uniformly available, but problematic
 - Granularity of data likely to improve estimates
 - Certain comparisons of this type may cause false positives (& negatives) due to selection effects
- Revised audit measures show promise, but cannot account for specific, underlying biases
 - e.g. the general population (Census) does not resemble patients seen in the hospital

Reasonable Approaches to Improve Data



- Collecting institutions could change data reporting by adding:
 - Patient name
 - More granular geographic information
- Improving dissemination of developed education intervention

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- Hospitals could change data collection by:
 - Increasing avenues for data collection and data improvement, e.g. allow patients to modify their profiles electronically

Incentivizing Hospitals to Make Change



- Fairness
- Quality ⇔ assure appropriate decision making
- Marketing ⇔ appeals to competitiveness / attractiveness to community members
 - Directed marketing
 - Improved patient satisfaction
- Publicly reporting estimated accuracy
- Regulatory fiat (with penalties)



Conclusions

- Mean population predictions appear to be a reasonable contextually relevant improvement for audit purposes
- Data improvement will come with improved data collection and collateral information for auditing and indirect improvement (imputation) of data
- Changes in hospital culture are necessary to improve collection of patient demographic data

Incorporation of Laboratory Results into Statewide Hospital Data

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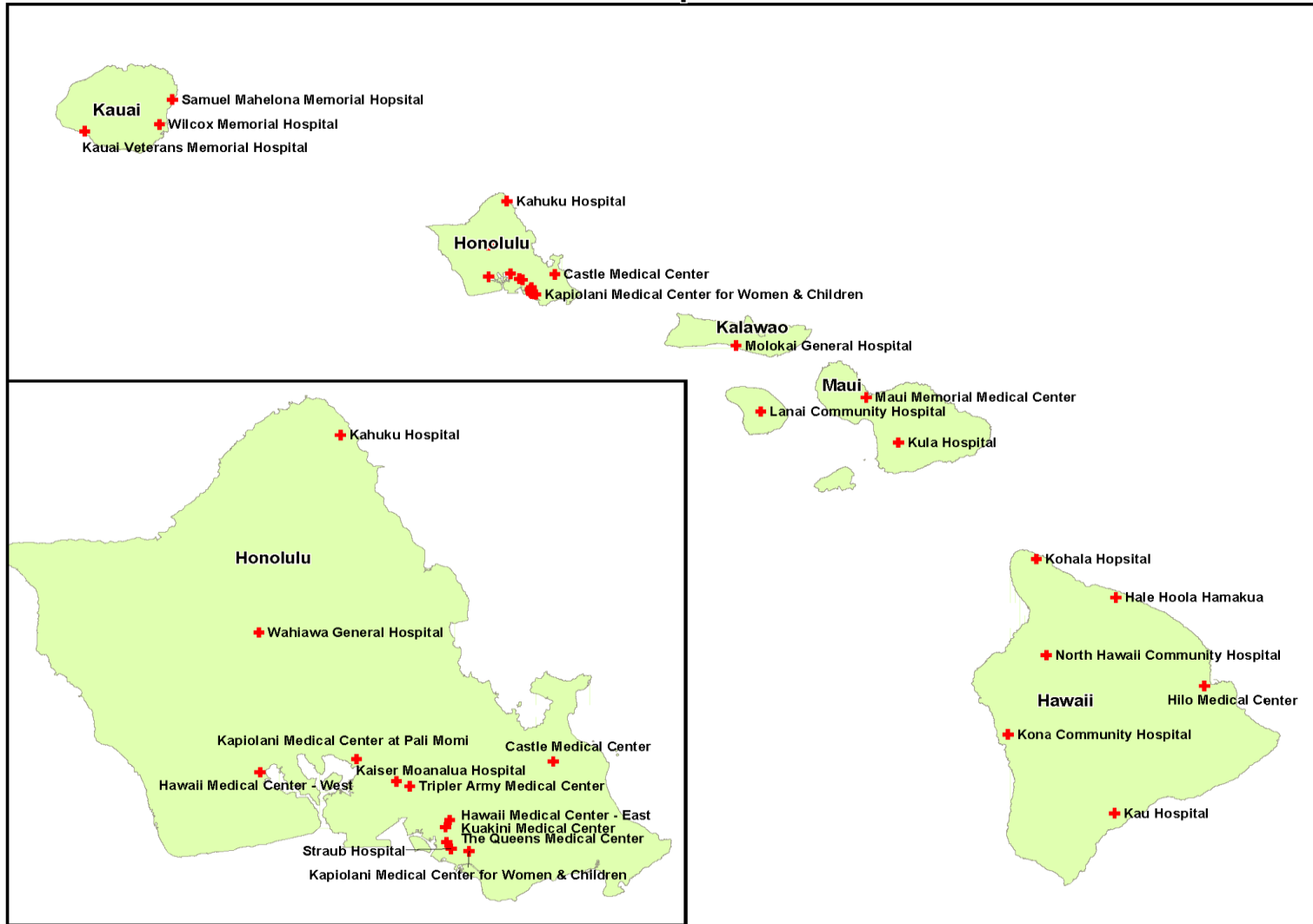
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Large Administrative Databases

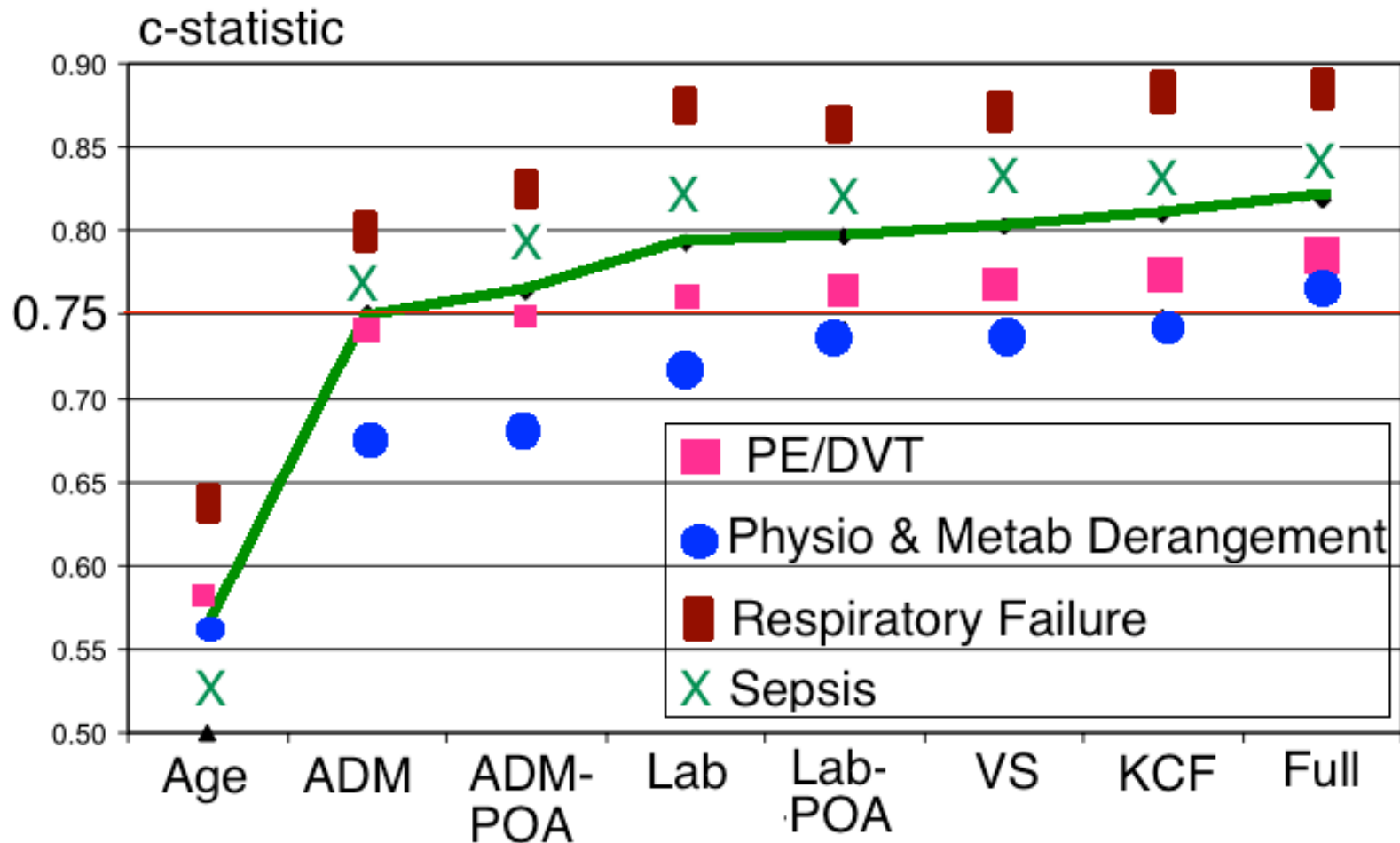
Administrative, or Billing Data

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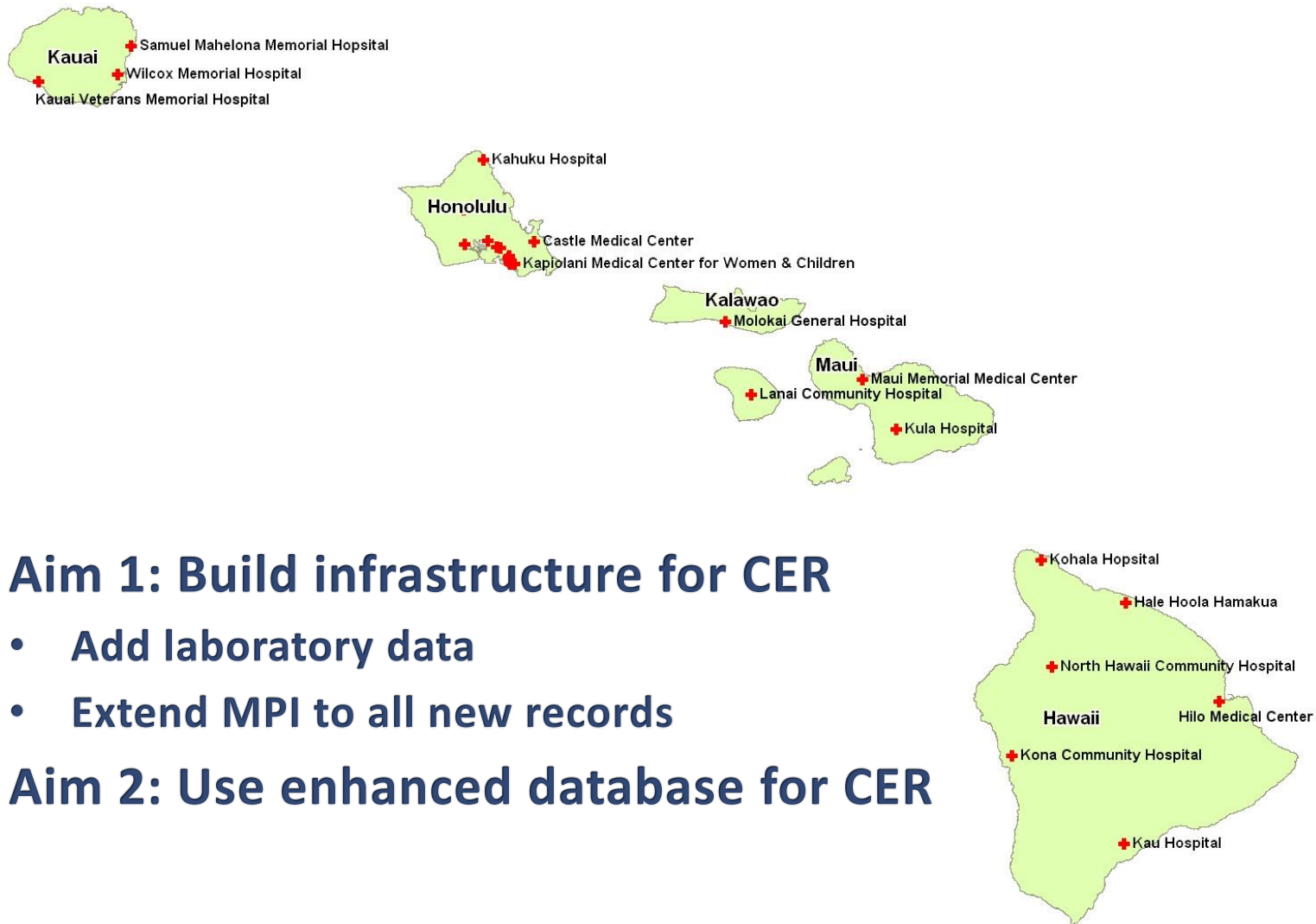
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Predictive Accuracy

Adding Laboratory



Hawaii Hospitals



Aim 1: Build infrastructure for CER

- Add laboratory data
- Extend MPI to all new records

Aim 2: Use enhanced database for CER

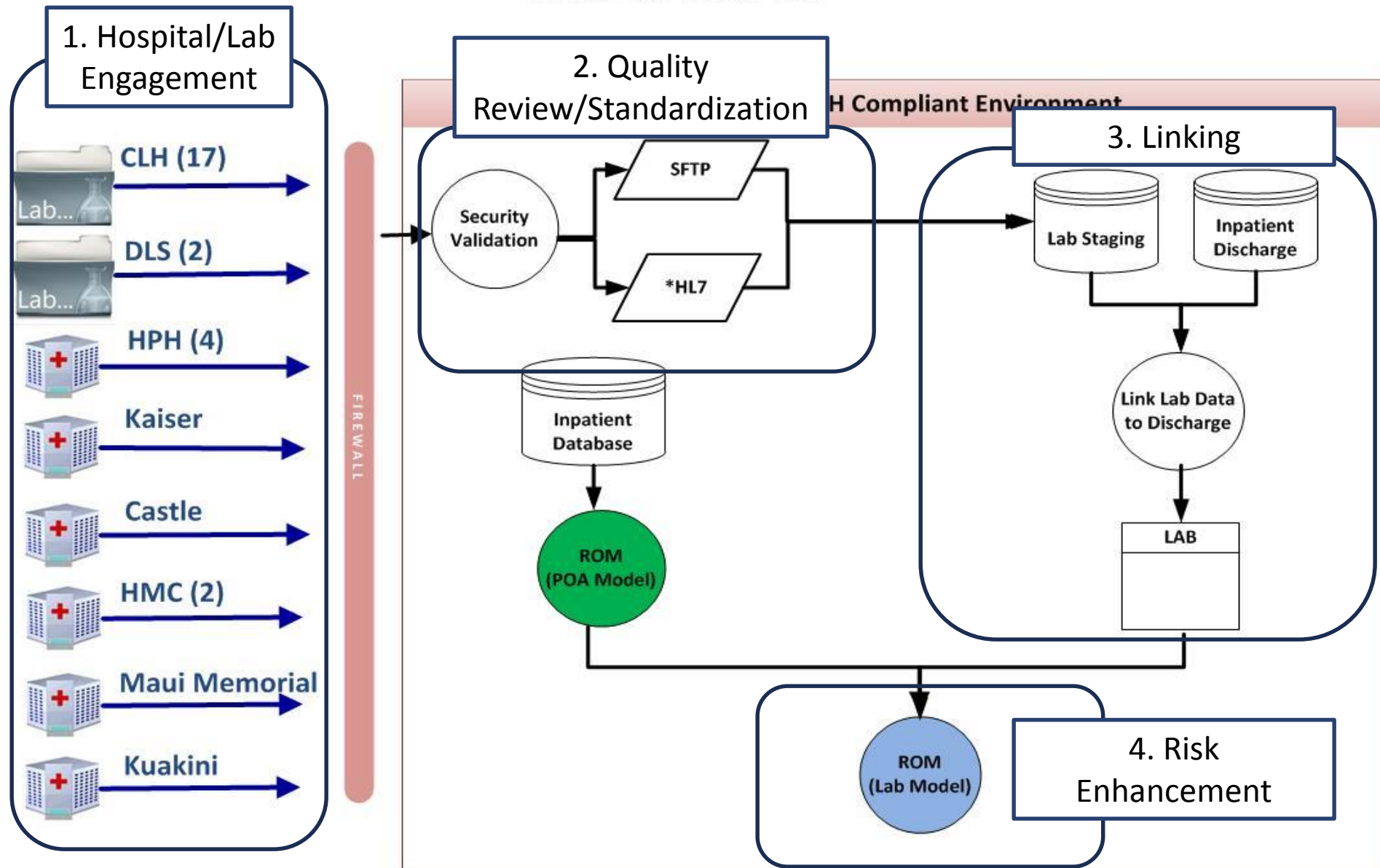
ADMISSION LABS

| Category | Lab Tests | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Chemistry | Albumin | Creatinine | Sodium |
| | Alkaline phosphatase | Glucose | Troponin I |
| | Blood urea nitrogen (BUN) | Gamma glutamyl transferase | SGOT |
| | Calcium | Potassium | SGPT |
| | Chloride | Phosphate | |
| | Creatine kinase-MB | BNP | |
| | | | |
| Blood Gas | pO ₂ | pH | Bicarbonate |
| | pCO ₂ | Base Excess | |
| Hematology | Hemoglobin | Partial thromboplastin time (PTT) | Platelet Count |
| | Hematocrit | INR | White blood count (WBC) |
| Microbiology | Blood Culture | Urine Culture | Sputum Culture |

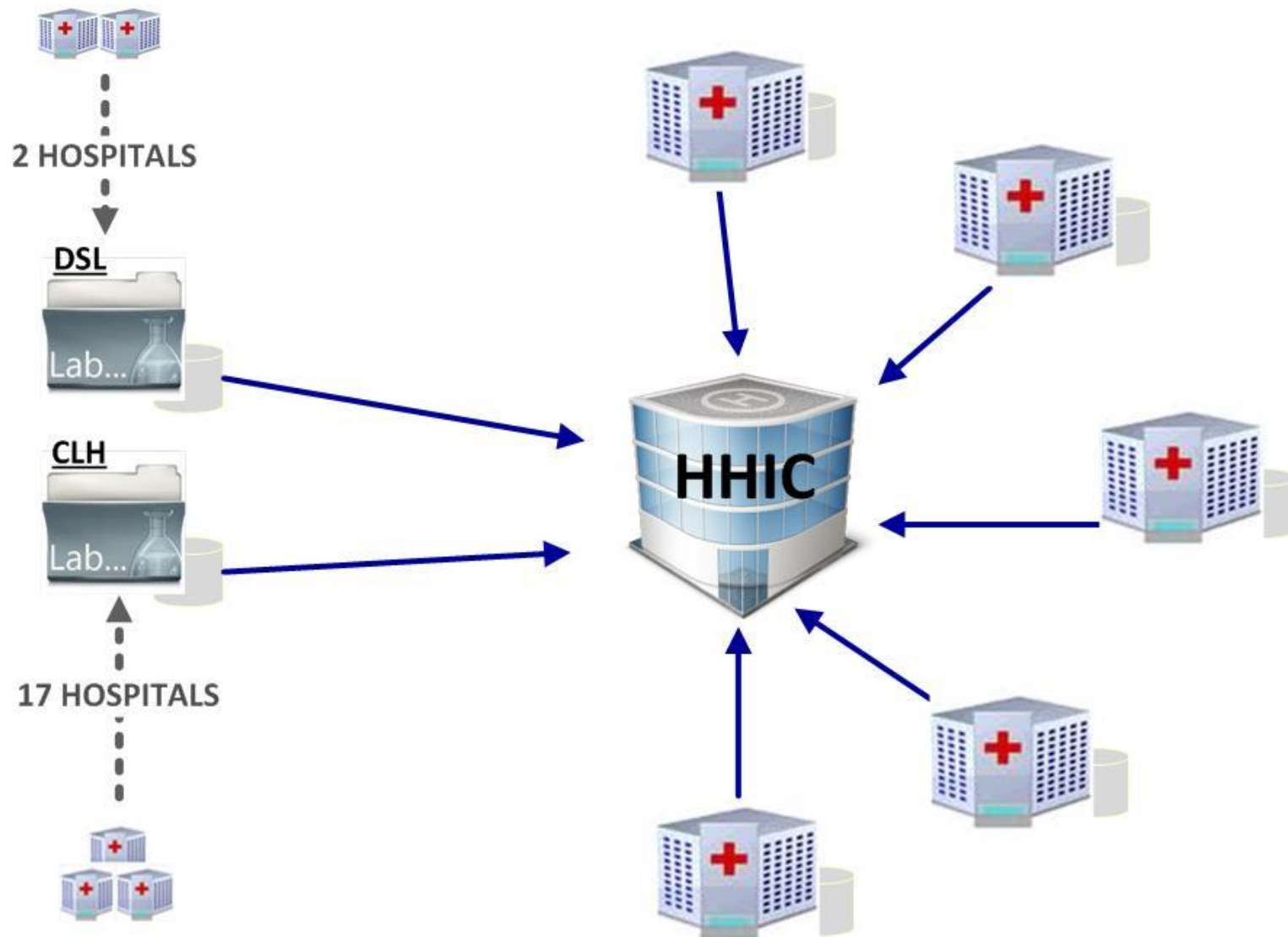


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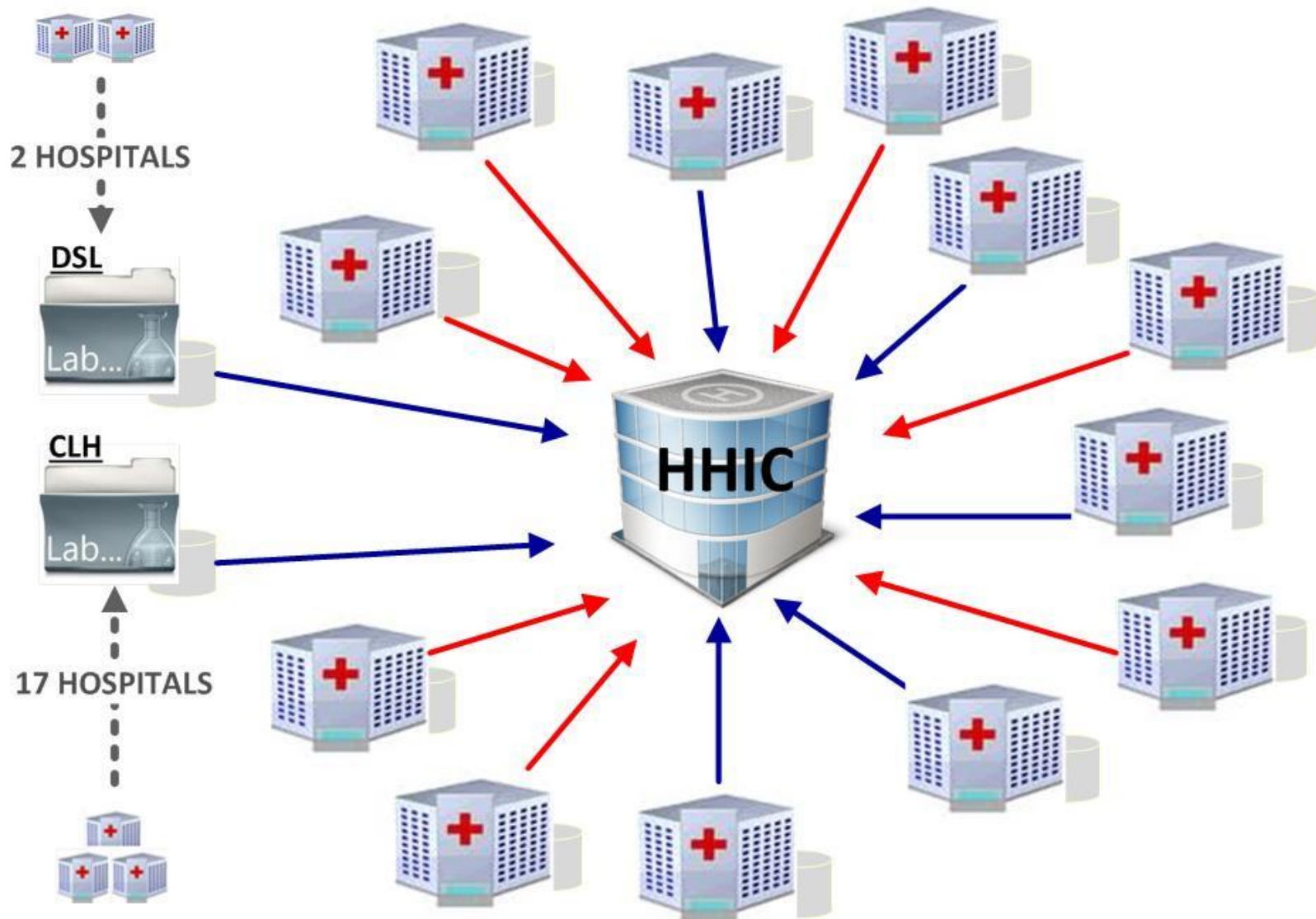
HHIC Lab Data Flow



Hospital Participation – As Conceived



REALITY!!



STRATEGIES THAT WORKED

Not Necessarily in Order of Importance

- Expect “surprises”; have back-up plan(s)
- Invest in technology
- Others important to our success
 - CEO buy-in (signed Agreements)
 - Clear description of roles
 - Communicate often; be adaptable; be nice
 - Reimburse for time
 - Have a great Project Manager!
 - Remove obstacles
 - Centralized labs
 - HL7 interface (Rhapsody)



2. DATA STANDARDS

Established Data Specifications

| Lab Data Transmission – Data Elements | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| *Sending Facility | Receiving Application |
| *Account Number | Create Date/Time |
| *Medical Record Number | Patient Class |
| *DOB | Hospital Test (Order) |
| Gender | Hospital Test Result (LOINC) |
| *SSN | Observation Date/Time |
| *Patient First Name | Results Report/Status Change |
| *Patient Last Name | Results Status |
| *Patient Middle Initial | Observation Value |
| *Admission Date/Time | Unit of Measure |
| *Discharge Date/Time | Reference Range |
| Order Physician First Name | Abnormal Flag |
| Order Physician Last Name | Observation Result Status |
| Order Physician Middle Initial | Comments |
| Physician Identifier | |

* Variables used for linking Lab data to HHIC Inpatient discharge data

2. Data Quality/Standardization

Too much, too little, what is this???

– Too Much

- ALL lab data received vs. 32 requested labs

– Too Little

- Limited or Missing Key Demographic Linking Variables
- Missing Laboratory Data

– What is this?

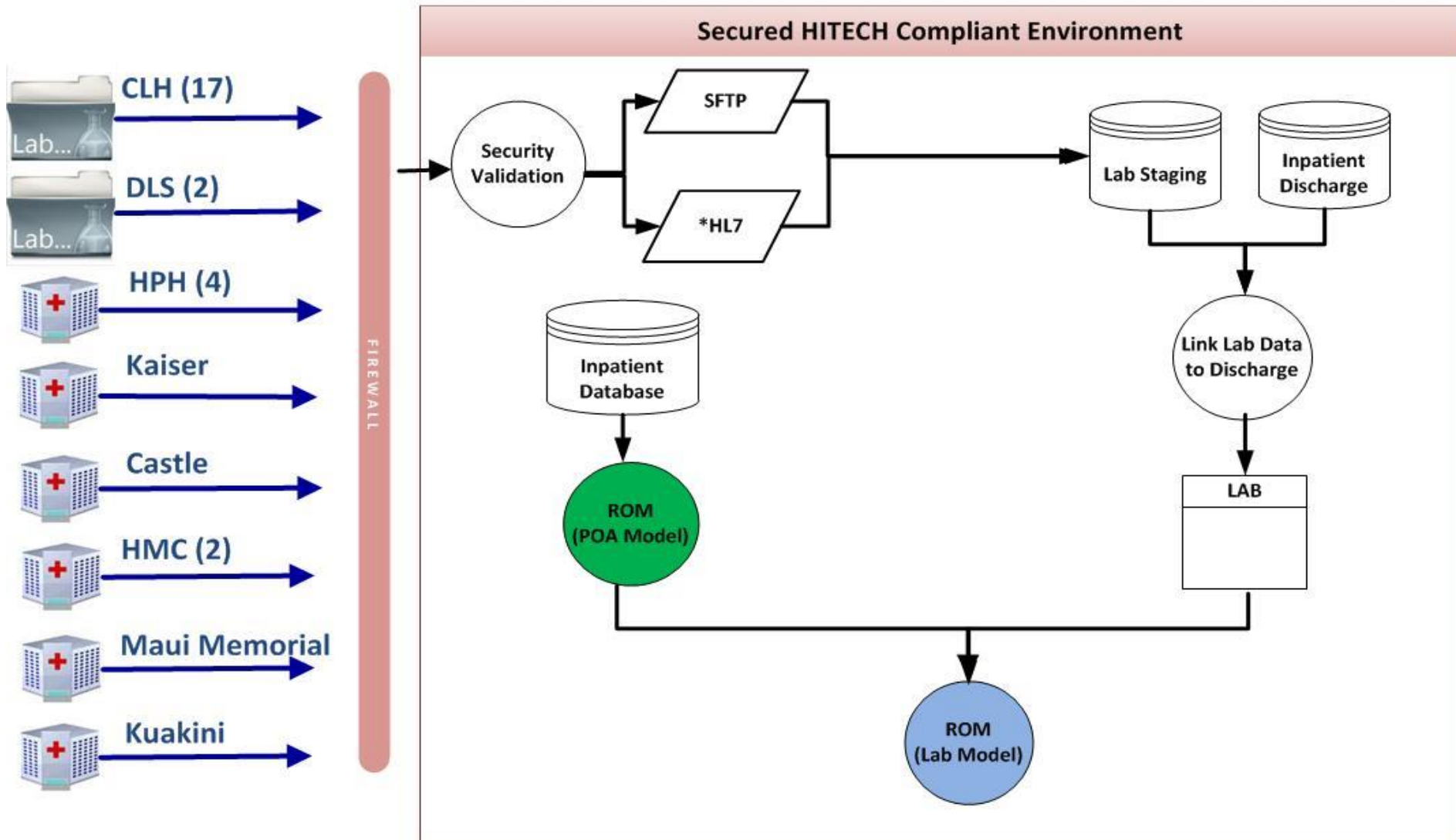
- Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes(LOINC)
- Facility ID Standardization

3. Data Linking

| Data Variable |
|--|
| Sending Facility |
| Account Number |
| Medical Record Number |
| Date of Birth |
| Gender |
| Patient First Name (up to first space if multiple names were present) |
| Patient Last Name |
| Date of Admission/Lab Observation Date |
| SSN |

Data Transformation

HHIC Lab Data Flow



Impact of Risk-Adjusted In-Hospital Mortality Models*

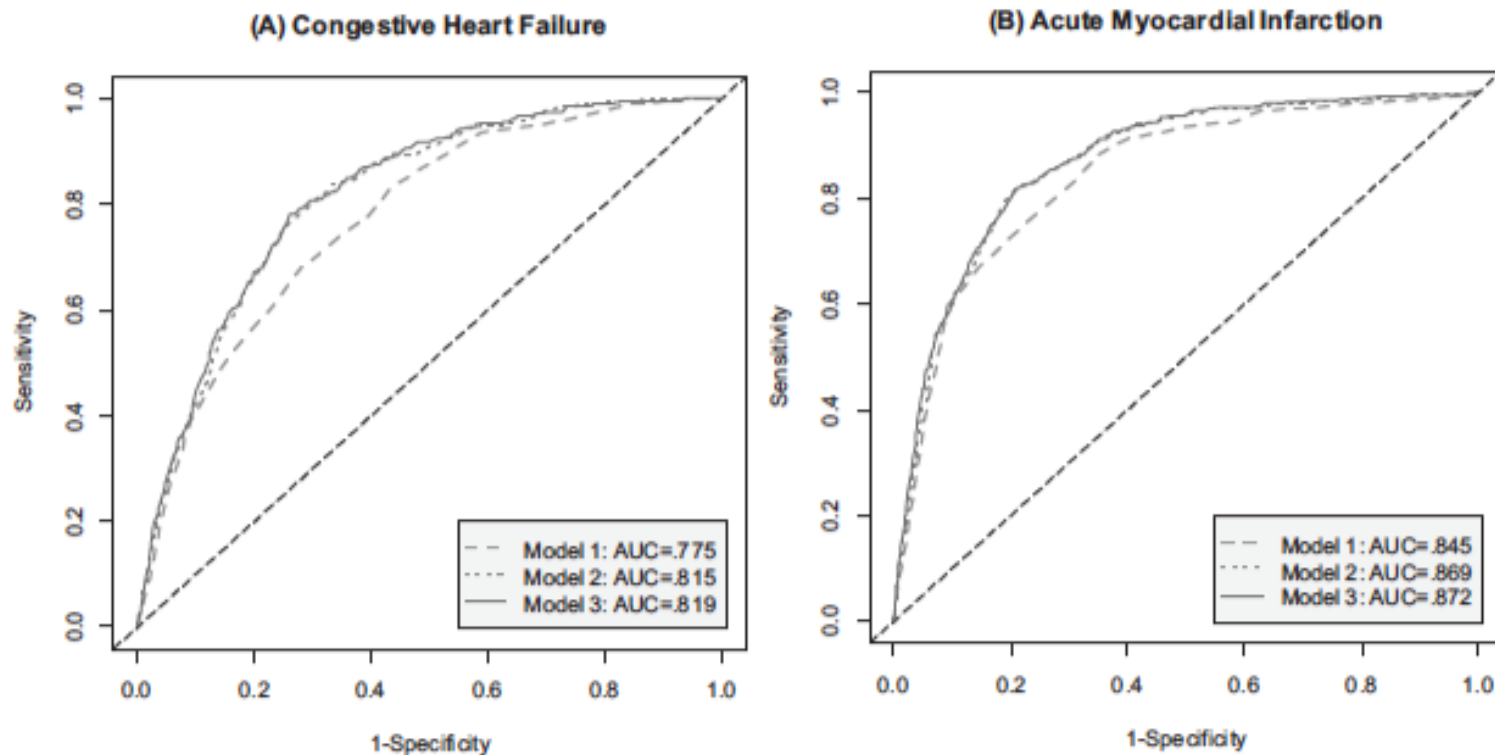
- 3 Models
 - Model 1: 3M ROM (POA) + Age + Gender
 - Model 2 : Model 1 + Lab severity
 - Model 3 : Model 2 + Race/Ethnicity
- Lab severity: based on number of abnormal lab tests

| Reason for Hospitalization | Mild | Moderate | Severe |
|----------------------------|------|----------|--------|
| CHF | 0-5 | 6-8 | 9-20 |
| AMI | 0-3 | 4-6 | 10-24 |

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Impact of Risk-Adjusted In-Hospital Mortality Models*



Notes: Model 1 = 3M Risk of Mortality (ROM) + Gender + Age; Model 2 = 3M ROM + Gender + Age + Lab Severity; Model 3 = 3M ROM + Gender + Age + Lab Severity + Race/Ethnicity.

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AMI MORTALTY RATES*

The Impact of Different Risk Models on Hospital Ranking

| Hospital ID | Unadjusted | Model 1 (3M ROM) |
|-------------|------------|---------------------|
| A | 1 | 2 |
| B | 2 | 6 |
| D | 3 | 1 |
| C | 4 | 5 |
| H | 5 | 4 |
| E | 6 | 3 |
| F | 7 | 8 |
| I | 8 | 7 |
| J | 9 | 9 |
| G | 10 | 10 |

Model 1: 3M Risk of Mortality+ POA +Age + Gender

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AMI MORTALTY RATES*

The Impact of Different Risk Models on Hospital Ranking

| Hospital ID | Unadjusted | Model 1 | Model 2 (w Labs) |
|-------------|------------|---------|---------------------|
| A | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| D | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| C | 4 | 5 | 5 |
| H | 5 | 4 | 4 |
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Model 1: 3M Risk of Mortality + POA + Age + Gender

Model 2: Model 1 + Add Lab

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AMI MORTALTY RATES*

The Impact of Different Risk Models on Hospital Ranking

| Hospital ID | Unadjusted | Model 1 | Model 2 (w Labs) | Model 3 (+Race) |
|-------------|------------|---------|---------------------|--------------------|
| A | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| B | 2 | 6 | 8 | 7 |
| D | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| C | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
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Model 1: 3M Risk of Mortality + POA + Age + Gender

Model 2: Model 1 + Add Lab

Model 3: Model 2 + Add Ethnicity/Race

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Beyond Risk Stratification...

New Opportunities

Using Clinically Enhanced Claims Data

- Public health
 - Injury Prevention (toxicology labs)
 - MRSA
- Research topics
 - Diabetes (HbA1c)
 - Others...



MAHALO!

- AHRQ (Grant # 1R01HS019990-01)
- Hospitals
- Clinical Labs Hawaii
- Diagnostic Lab Services
- HHIC Team
 - Christine Reuschel, Project Manager
 - Mike Murata, Data Warehouse Manager
 - Lana Kadooka, Senior Developer
 - Billy Lin, DBA/Business Analyst
 - Jean Kailiawa, Data Manager
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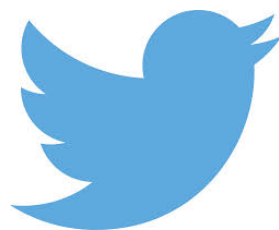
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