DxF Bi-Weekly Update

This bi-weekly communication provides important updates and information on the Data Exchange Framework (DxF).

Highlights In This Update

- *Full Transition to New DxF Website*
- *2026 DxF Summit Registration Available*
- *DxF Listening Tour Summary Available*
- *2025 Quarter 4 Progress Reports are Under Review*

DxF Updates

- The Data Exchange Framework Policies and Procedures have been updated in line with Senate Bill (SB) 660. You can find the updated documents on the new DxF website.
- Please note that the old CDII DxF webpage will not be updated.

Refer to the new DxF website (https://dxf.chhs.ca.gov/) for upcoming meetings, DxF updates, current materials, and more.

2026 DxF SUMMIT

- The 2026 Data Exchange Summit brings together the leaders, implementers, and partners advancing California's long-term vision for secure, connected, whole-person data sharing.
- Last year's Summit convened nearly 250 stakeholders from across California and was anchored by The Road to Whole-Person Care, inspired by the Data Exchange Framework (DxF) Roadmap, exploring how six foundational pillars come together in practice.
- Registration is available now on [Connecting for Better Health's website](#).

DxF LISTENING TOUR:

- HCAI and Freed Associates have completed the state-wide stakeholder listening tour. A summary of key findings is now available on the HCAI DxF website on [the DxF Participant Center](#).
- The DxF Stakeholder Advisory Committee will convene this year, and the feedback gathered will be used to guide discussions on the future direction of the framework. Thank you for your engagement! If you have any additional feedback to share, feel free to contact the DxF team at dxf@hcai.ca.gov or via [the feedback form](#) on the DxF Participant Center webpage.

DSA SIGNATORY GRANTS

- [The DSA Grants Guidance Document](#) has been updated and is available on the DxF website.
- 2025 Quarter 4 Progress Reports are under review. If approved for a Milestone achievement, payment will be disbursed by **January 31, 2026**.
- HCAI and PCG will reach out to Grantees if additional information is needed. Grant questions may be directed to the following contacts:
    - HCAI Grant Support: DxFGrants@hcai.ca.gov
    - PCG Grant Support: dsagrants@pcgus.com or call [(866) 698-6525](tel:8666986525)

STANDARDS ADVANCEMENT:

- As a reminder, the [Data Elements to Be Exchanged P&P v1.2](#) has been amended to update USCDI requirements to version 3 effective January 1, 2026,

as [recommended by the 2024 Standards Committee](#) and to align with federal health IT certification requirements.

- HCAI has published an amendment to [the Technical Requirements for Exchange P&P.](#) This amendment is the result of deliberations of the Standards Committee in 2024, discussions with the Technical Advisory Committee and Implementation Advisory Committee in 2025, and recent public comment from our stakeholders. This amendment:
  - Removes requirements for the standards already specified by Nationwide Networks or Frameworks while clarifying that Nationwide Networks and Frameworks may be used to help meet DxF requirements;
  - Generalizes the language surrounding Event Notification;
  - Specifies the information that must be included in a request for Event Notifications;
  - Specifies the information and technical standards that must be used for Event Notifications; and
  - Clarifies the prohibition for using sex- and gender-related person attributes for Person Matching.

New provisions in the amended P&P become effective August 1, 2026. See the new amendment on the DxF website for more details.

PARTICIPANTS DELAYING EXCHANGE TO 1/31/2026:

- The Time is here! If your organization selected to Delay Exchange to 2026 in the Participant Directory, preparations for exchange should be in their final stages and ready to begin active exchange on or before January 31, 2026.
- DxF resources are available on the DxF website to help implement technologies to support exchange.
  - [DxF Implementation Toolkit](#)
  - [DxF QHIOs-At-A-Glance](#)
  - [DxF Participant Directory User Guide](#)
- Update your Participant Directory choices in the [DSA Signing Portal](#) and select the appropriate technology or Intermediary in the dropdown(s).
  - [DxF Participant Directory How To Guide](#)
- If you have questions or need support, email DxF@hcai.ca.gov

Upcoming Meetings

There are no upcoming events for at least the next 2 weeks.

Recent Meetings & Webinars

IAC MEETINGS

- [Past IAC meetings](#)

TAC MEETINGS

- [Past TAC meetings](#)

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Please direct DxF questions to dxf@hcai.ca.gov