

This Week in Health Tech

HISstalk's 5 Top Stories in 60 Seconds

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#1 HIT Vendors Will “Make Health Tech Great Again”

What Happened:

Health tech vendors pledge to support federal health data projects.

Why It Matters:

Several dozen health tech companies will collaborate on interoperability and develop consumer-facing health tools in what the federal government hopes will eventually be a patient-centric ecosystem.

#2 EQT Finds a Buyer for AGS Health

What Happened:

Blackstone will acquire AGS Health for \$1.1 billion.

Why It Matters:

Rumors of a sale have been circulating since last September, when parent company EQT began considering strategic alternatives for the RCM vendor.

#3 Epic to Host Product Integration Conference

What Happened:

Epic will host its first product integration conference September 25.

Why It Matters:

Epic hopes to attract vendor and provider developers – especially those providers with in-house app development teams – to gain a better understanding of how to interoperate with its solutions.

#4 Hackers Post Stolen CRMC Data

What Happened:

The Rhysida ransomware group posts data stolen in a July attack on CRMC.

Why It Matters:

The hackers have given Cookeville Regional Medical Center (TN) until August 6 to pay a ransom, after which it will attempt to sell the data on the dark web.

#5 C8 Health Raises Series A

What Happened:

C8 Health announces \$12 million in Series A funding.

Why It Matters:

The company will use the investment to further scale its solutions for delivering care standards and protocols at the point of care.

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