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RCE Monthly Informational Call

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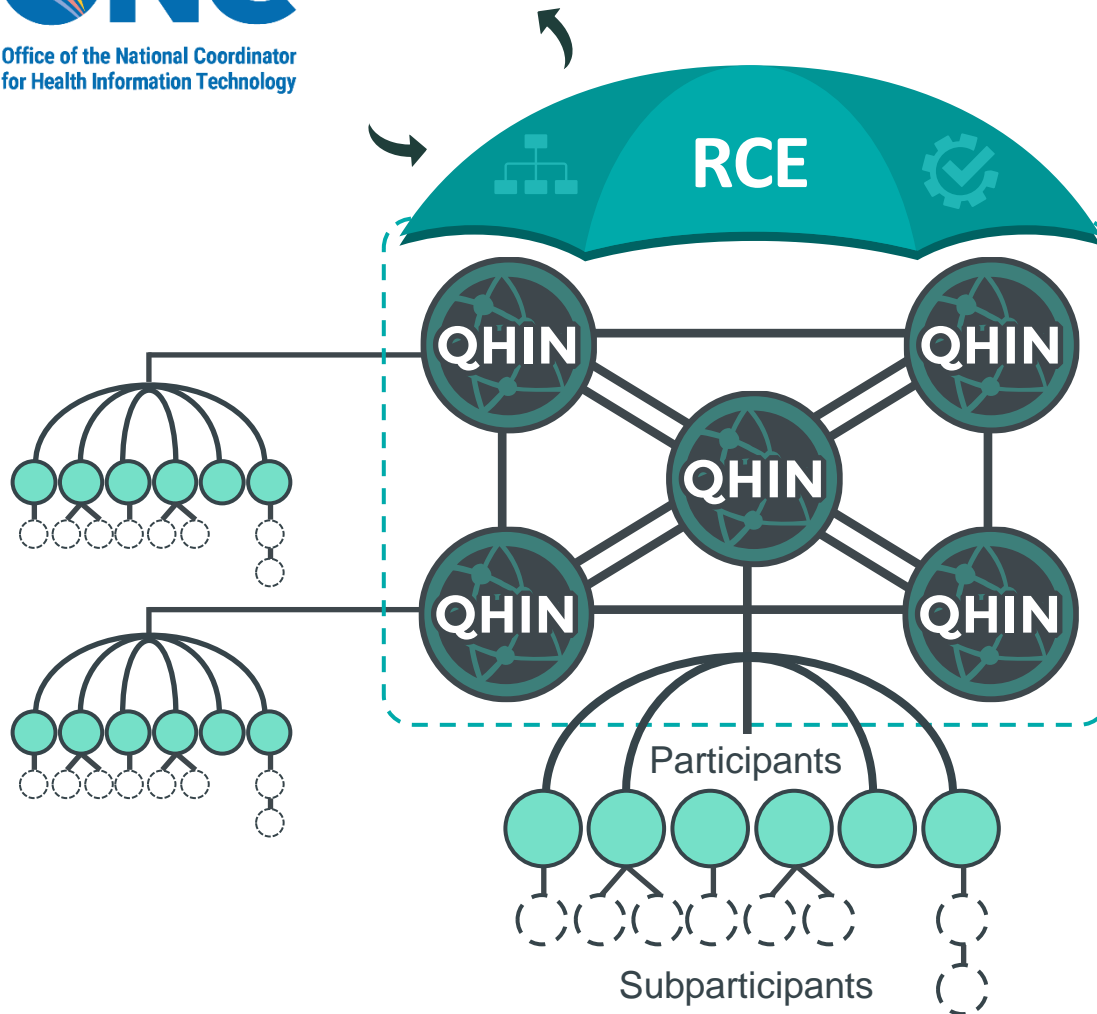
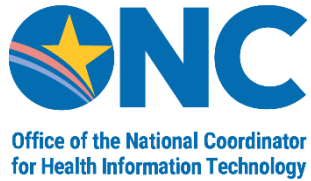
- How will Exchange Work under TEFCA?
- What are the Components of TEFCA?
- Status Updates
 - » Onboarding & Designation
 - » Common Agreement v2
 - » QTF v2
 - » Exchange Purpose Implementation SOP Updates
- Questions & Answers



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TEFCA Exchange

How will exchange work under TEFCA?



← ONC defines overall policy and certain governance requirements.

← RCE provides oversight and governing approach for QHINs.

← Qualified Health Information Networks (QHINs) connect directly to each other to facilitate nationwide interoperability.

← Each QHIN connects Participants, which connect Subparticipants.



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TEFCA Components

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Trusted
Exchange
Framework



Common
Agreement



Standard
Operating
Procedures



QHIN
Technical
Framework



QHIN
Onboarding



Metrics



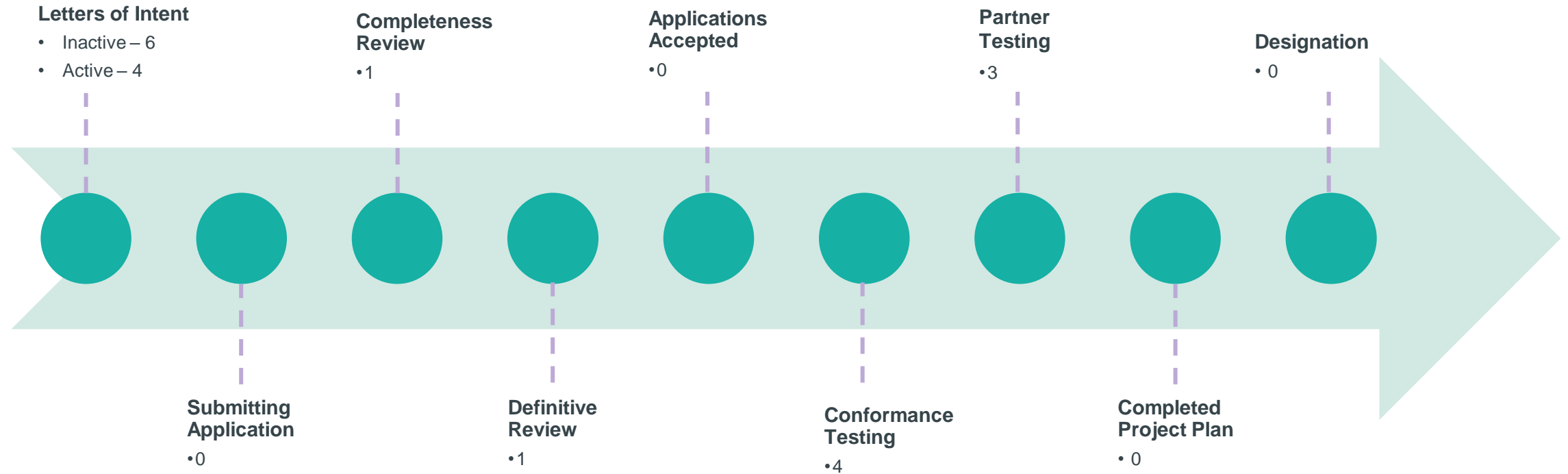
Governing
Approach



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Onboarding & Designation

QHIN Application and Onboarding & Designation





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Common Agreement Version 2



- **CA v2.0 and QTF v2.0 — FHIR and other policy changes identified by the RCE and ONC**

Activity	Targeted timeline
TEFCA Task Group with QTF Subgroup	September - December 2023
Publish final CA v2 and QTF v2	Q1 2024



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Exchange Purpose Implementation SOP Updates

Exchange Purpose SOPs



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- Public Health
 - » Socializing proposals with public health communities
- Payment & Health Care Operations
 - » Reviewing and considering feedback from public input



Resources

- Common Agreement v. 1
- QHIN Technical Framework
- FHIR® Roadmap for TEFCA
- Standard Operating Procedures
- QHIN Application
- Communication Protocols
- User's Guide
- Benefits of TEFCA by Stakeholder Factsheets
- FAQs

<https://rce.sequoiaproject.org/tefca-and-rce-resources/>

Additional Resources:

<https://www.healthit.gov/tefca>

All Events Registration and Recordings: <https://rce.sequoiaproject.org/community-engagement/>

Upcoming Monthly Informational Call:
Tuesday, November 21 | 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. ET



Questions & Answers

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