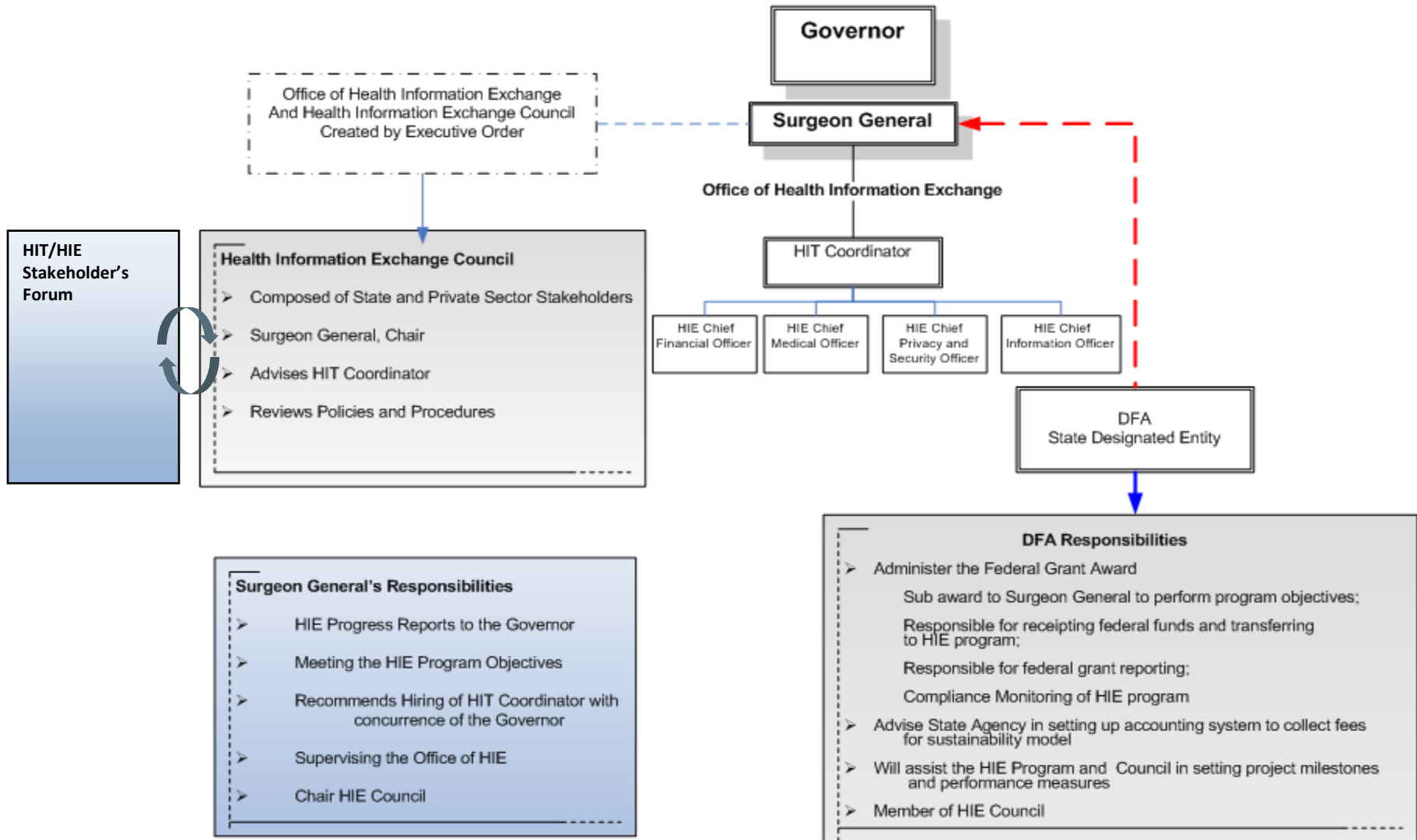


Arkansas Health Information Technology Overview



HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE (HIE)

Governance Model



HIE Timeline

Concept Phase

Planning Phase

Implementation Phase

9/11/09 10/16/09 12/09 12/15/09 1/15/10 4/1/10 10/1/10 1/1/11 6/30/11 10/1/11 10/1/12 1/1/15



LOI submitted (9/11/09)

Grant app. submitted including initial strategic and operations plans (10/16/09)

HIE Grant (10/16/09 - 1/1/15)

Final strategic and operations plans approved by ONC; (4/1/10)

Notice of award; State HIT Coordinator must be hired (12/15/09)

HIE Funding (12/15/09 - 1/1/15)

Grant funding available (12/15/09)

State Match \$1:\$10; (10/1/10)

State Match \$1:\$7 (10/1/11)

State Match \$1:\$3 (10/1/12)

Meaningful use defined (12/09)

Medicare EHR hospital incentive payments begin (end in 2016) (10/1/10)

Medicaid EHR physician and hospital incentive payments begin (end in 2021) (1/1/11)

Medicare EHR physician incentive payments begin (end in 2016) (1/1/11)

New MMIS (6/30/11)

Medicare payment penalties begin for hospitals and physicians failing to meet meaningful use (10/1/12)

Health Information Exchange



Issues/Concerns

- Data/information security for vulnerable or “special” populations
- Patient/consumer data falling into unwanted hands
- Lack of training and resources to providers for instituting HIE

Response/Reconciliation

- Privacy and Security section dedicated to ensuring data security protocols
- Consent to data sharing agreements and informed consent included in the Privacy and Security
- HIE activity will work in tandem with REC to ensure resources are made available to providers as needed