Top Golf Event

The 2nd annual HIMSS MN Top Golf event was another success! A huge thanks to all the sponsors and golfers who participated!
Upcoming Events

June 16, 3:00 P.M. Central | Minimizing the Impact of Staffing Shortages

The healthcare staffing crisis persists, and so is the related burnout. No one knows this better than hospital IT departments. IT processes take a back seat as healthcare organizations struggle to keep up with demand while staffing pools shrink. Laura O’Toole and Nickie Fuhrhop will address the challenges of staff shortages amid the digital health revolution, and how health tech innovations can support employee growth.

Presented by:

Laura O’Toole, CEO of SureTest
She brings over 30 years of healthcare industry experience to SureTest, and leads teams to strategically design, develop, and implement transformational projects in the healthcare provider space.

Nickie Fuhrhop, IT Access & Revenue Cycle Manager of Southern Illinois Healthcare (SIH)
A leader in Information Services responsible for managing infrastructure operations and the Revenue Cycle suite of applications at Southern Illinois Healthcare, a nonprofit health system centered in Carbondale, Illinois, with hospitals Carbondale, Herrin, and Murphysboro.

June 23, 1:00 P.M. Central | Clinical Informatics Webinar

Information Blocking – 101

In this session I will review the high level regulatory requirements from the 21st Century Cure Act related to requirement to share electronic information. We will discuss the current state and transitioning to the Oct 6th, 2022 changes to the regulation for sharing all electronic health information. I will provide a sample plan, things to think about and frequently asked questions that might be used to get your organization into compliance.

Presented by: Kathie Crane, Senior Consulting Director for Health Systems Informatics
As an accomplished clinical Informaticist, Kathie Crane is a Senior Consulting Director for Health Systems Informatics, specializing in Clinical Informatics and Applications. With 29 years of experience in healthcare, 18 in Healthcare IT, Kathie has an extensive wealth of knowledge in strategic planning, project management, leadership, and electronic health record management. Passionate about improving process, practice, and technology Ms. Crane enjoys talking and working with organization to enhance the day-to-day of all caregivers, regardless of setting.
July 28, 1:00 P.M. Central | Reimagine Cybersecurity Webinar

The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA): A trustworthy partner in cyberspace

Tom Millar from CISA will present on the no-cost resources, services and tools that CISA and its partner agencies provide to help healthcare delivery organizations improve their cybersecurity posture and safeguard against ransomware and other cyber threats. Learn about cyber hygiene vulnerability scanning, the three CISA “Bad Practices” to avoid, where to find timely updates on the latest threats, and more.

Presented By: Tom Millar, Senior Advisor
Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)

Mr. Millar has served in CISA for 15 years, working to strengthen the agency’s information sharing capabilities, increasing the level of public, private and international partner engagement, and supporting initiatives to improve information exchange by both humans and machines, such as the standardization of the Traffic Light Protocol and the development of the Structured Threat Information eXpression. Prior to his cybersecurity career, he served as a linguist with the 22nd Intelligence Squadron of the United States Air Force. Mr. Millar holds a Master’s of Science from the George Washington University and is a Distinguished Graduate of the National Defense University’s College of Information and Cyberspace.