MENDS Overview

MENDS Can:
- Help track disease and co-morbid conditions
- Allow for more effective policy development
- Enable timely evaluation and CQI
- Help clinical partners manage population health
- Estimate hidden conditions like uncontrolled hypertension
- Expand to other conditions—diabetes, asthma, etc.

The MENDS Story

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<th>MENDS Goal: By 2023, MENDS will be able to produce reliable, local estimates of disease prevalence using EHR records</th>
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MENDS Is...
- Timely
- Accurate
- Secure
- Compatible

Building Partnerships

Public Health + Clinician Groups + Data Partners (Health Information Exchange/Network)

Focus of Pilot: Cardiovascular Health

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