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Hudson Valley Direct Project Supporting Care Coordination

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MedAllies, a Health Information Service Provider (HISP), has fully engaged clinicians throughout the Hudson Valley and their disparate EHR vendor partners to create a Direct project that pushes critical clinical information across EHR systems to support care coordination and transitions of care, in a manner that is completely consistent with the clinicians' established EHR workflows. The project has focused on the common care transition episodes of patient discharge from hospital back to their primary care physician (PCP); and a consultation request from a PCP to a specialist, then the clinical consultation from the specialist back to the PCP.