The Solution

For care teams, Gateway enables efficient access to a patient's prescription information and more within the workflow of the EHR, whereas physicians previously needed to log into separate websites to retrieve a patient's controlled substance dispensations from the state database and then cross-reference that data with a patient's health information in disparate systems. Gateway has proven to show a significant time savings to providers, thus making them more efficient in their daily activities. And, it provides information, advanced insights and patient support tools directly within the EHR workflow, to help providers effectively improve patient care.

For health systems and physician practices, Gateway simplifies integration of controlled substance prescription information into health IT systems. It saves healthcare providers the effort of building and sustaining individual integrations with each state PDMP by providing a single access point with existing integration into most EHRs. With Gateway, systems gain the benefit of a rules-driven data-integration service and platform that supports multiple protocols and multiple states with just one interface. The service is fully supported 24/7/365 by Appriss Health, and any future changes required by the health system are managed and supported by Appriss Health for all connected states.

Appriss Health's Gateway solution enables access to data, analytics, tools and resources from PDMPs within care team workflows in real-time, at the point-of-care, to improve patient safety and outcomes. It is a managed service and comprehensive connectivity and clinical decision support solution that interoperates seamlessly via native integrations with all leading EHR and pharmacy management platforms; PMP InterConnect, which facilitates access to multi-state data; as well as NarxCare, the premier platform for addressing substance use disorder (SUD). Additional features and functions include:

- Detailed audit trail
- Verification of user registration with PMP
- Self-service configuration for custom PMP rules/regulations
- Single point of access for systems management
- 24/7 technical support
- Standards-based platform approach

By the Numbers:
- Provides a single point of access to 44 state PDMPs
- Live implementations in 28 states
- More than 20 million transactions processed per month
- AZ, IN, KS, MA, MI, OH, PA, and VA have all deployed enterprise licenses to ALL prescribers and dispensers in their states
The most advanced Gateway implementations feature the integration of Appriss Health’s NarxCare, the industry-leading substance use disorder solution, which provides information, insights, tools and resources well beyond a standard PDMP report.

NarxCare includes the Narx Report, Resources and Care Team Communications modules.

A patient’s Narx Report includes: use scores, predictive risk scores, red flags, data visualizations and PDMP data, as well as access to Resources and Care Team Communications all in a single, easy-to-use interface. See Image 1.0.

The NarxCare Resources module equips clinicians and care teams with the tools needed to increase access to treatment and improve patient education and engagement. All content is fully configurable, allowing health systems to include custom treatment options or information sources. See Image 2.0.

Care Team Communications provide a critical means to help prevent and treat SUD through collaboration and coordination of care. This NarxCare module enables messaging, care notes, clinical alerts, the transmission of documents and more, among clinicians and care team members across the continuum of care.

* Image 1.0: The Narx Report

* Image 2.0: Resources

What They Are Saying About Gateway:

“Leveraging this technology is a true testament to Connecticut Children’s commitment to excellent healthcare as the prevention of prescription drug misuse is a matter of enormous personal and public health significance that demands collaboration across all settings,” said Dr. Richelle DeMayo, Chief Medical Information Officer at Connecticut Children’s. “Connecticut Children’s and our providers are excited to lead the way for others across the state to make use of available information to protect patients and families from overdose and drug diversion. The benefits of EHR integration into state PDMPs have been widely-recognized as beneficial to improving patient safety, mitigating drug diversion and ensuring compliance.”

About Appriss Health

Appriss Health provides the nation’s most comprehensive platform for early identification, prevention and management of substance use disorder (SUD) within clinical workflow. We provide a repository of controlled substance dispensing information combined with advanced analytics, and deliver real-time clinical decisioning support, critical insights and interventions to physicians, pharmacists and care team members through millions of patient encounters each year. Our solutions enable the assessment and management of clinical risk in order to positively impact patient safety and health outcomes. For more information, please visit www.apprisshealth.com.

1 Currently in development.