



**California Health & Human Services Agency Data Exchange Framework Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) Meeting
Q&A Log (12:00 PM – 1:00 PM PT, August 7, 2025)**

The following table shows comments that were entered into the Zoom Q&A by public attendees during the August 7, 2025, meeting:

Count	Name	Comment	Response(s) ¹
1	John Helvey	What is in scope for events? Inpatient, ED, SNF admit and discharge only?	Thank you for your question, John. For this series we define events as a significant change in an individual's status which in our P&Ps are Admissions or Discharges from a Hospital, Emergency Department, or Skilled Nursing Facility. In the future, the definition of Event might be broader and include other events that impact whole-person care
2	Lucy Johns	Is notification about sending notice for every event or is notification always attached to a patient name for whom notification is desired?	live answered.
3	John Helvey	There is a huge migrant population throughout the state and a huge rural population that extend across counties for care, would those not fall through the cracks, the model should be inclusive of all Californians.	@John, this is an excellent point. In my experience consumer in rural counties receive care across the state. So rural counties would have an increased burden in "casting a wide net" to cover their consumers--while at the same time not having adequate technical and administrative resources to manage this burden.
4	Mary-Sara Jones	Regarding the response to not knowing a person on the roster, is it possible to consider defining the action dependent on the sending / receiving organization. For example, could there be times when not knowing the person equates to needing to do outreach? While other times it	

¹ Responses may have been provided by various Data Exchange Framework Technical Advisory Committee Members, Guest Presenters, or Data Exchange Framework staff.

		may be ignoring the contact information?	
5	Rita Torkzadeh	Curious why there is a dependency on rosters which are prone to errors vs real-time electronic notifications triggered by actual events. Were there any considerations in other approaches not reliant on orgs sharing rosters?	
6	Mary-Sara Jones	'@Rita are you suggesting event driven architecture / design?	
7	Dan Chavez	Would you please drill down on the status of person-care giver attribution in the state of CA please? Is there an opportunity to automate and assist in event notifications?	
8	Mary-Sara Jones	The model on the slide is very similar to the approach used by Belgium Cross Roads Bank - https://arthurmarin.com/crossroads-bank-for-enterprises/ (In case it is helpful to have an operational example)	
9	Rita Torkzadeh	'@Mary-Sara not sure. Does "event driven architecture" depend on rosters?	
10	Dan Chavez	how do event notifications contribute to including behavioral and social health providers to mainstream health provision and interoperability?	
11	John Helvey	What does decentralized look like from this group's perspective? What is the structure for a	

		decentralized and who are the key stakeholders that support this decentralized structure? Does decentralized build more silos?	
12	Dan Chavez	What do whole person care SMEs suggest as event notification best practices at the community level?	
13	Susan Park	I know we already passed public comment, however quick question is the best way to ask further questions or clarifications outside of these meetings, the DXFchhs.ca.gov email? It took about 14 days for a response, so it would be great if there was another contact route.	

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