



Information Governance and SaferCare

What is Information Governance (IG)?

Organization-wide approach to managing information and data throughout its lifecycle with policy, consistent processes, and decision-making to support Northern Health's strategy, operations, and regulatory and legal requirements.

Why is IG important to SaferCare?

Clinical information systems and electronic health records rely on consistent clinical workflows and information flow. Information Governance is part of the foundation it is built upon.

SaferCare Deliverables & IG

- IG is embedded through policy, procedure, and process recommendations
- Application of NH Data Governance Model for decision-making
- Support and adoption of data governance roles and responsibilities
- Utilizing the health information lifecycle for improved information/data management

IG-Supported/Led Initiatives

- Clinical forms development and approval policy and procedure
- Inpatient bed data definitions and standards
- Legal health record policy update
- Location standards management improvement
- Information and data quality management programs
- Health information quality improvement initiatives



For NH Staff



For physicians

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