About Summit '14

The VITL Summit is one of New England's top conferences for the health information technology industry. VITL hosts this annual educational conference—now in its eighth year—for physicians, nurses, other clinicians, practice managers, quality improvement professionals, hospital CIOs and IT staff, and anyone interested in electronic health record systems and health information technology. It is organized by Vermont Information Technology Leaders, Inc. (VITL), a nonprofit organization that assists providers with selecting and implementing electronic health records, and responsible for developing and implementing the statewide health information exchange network.

Summit Theme: *Informing Health Care Decisions*. The Summit will provide opportunities for health care providers to understand the latest developments in health IT at both the state and national level. Dr. Karen DeSalvo, National Coordinator for Health IT, will deliver the keynote and provide a national perspective.

Objective: Health care providers will learn how to better integrate health IT into their practice workflow. Attendees will be engaged in timely topics ranging from health information exchange, provider portals, state and national health care reform efforts, and keeping pace in an ever changing world of reporting requirements.

Health care and industry professionals are invited to register for this opportunity to connect with experts and colleagues alike. Learn or stay informed about how information technology is helping us make better health care decisions.

Key Facts

⮞ **Logistics:**
- September 8 & 9, 2014
- Sheraton Hotel and Conference Center, Burlington, VT
- Expected attendance: 400

⮞ **Keynote Speaker:**
- National Coordinator for Health Information Technology Dr. Karen DeSalvo.
- Bringing a national perspective on health information technology.

⮞ **Luncheon Speaker:**
- Dave deBronkart, better known as ePatient Dave.
- One of the world's leading advocates for patient engagement.
- Author of: *Let Patients Help: A Patient Engagement Handbook.*

⮞ **Four Tracks:**
- Access to Clinical Data
- Meeting Evolving Requirements
- Health Care Reform
- Patient and Provider Engagement

⮞ **Anticipated Audience:**
- Physicians, nurses, other clinicians
- Practice managers, and quality improvement professionals
- Hospital CIOs and IT staff
- Anyone interested in electronic health record systems and health information technology.

Register

⮞ Find out more and register here: vitlsummit.net

Summit '14 Keynote
Dr. Karen DeSalvo

Dr. DeSalvo has focused her 20-year career toward improving access to high-quality, affordable care for all people. Before joining the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, she was health commissioner for the City of New Orleans, and senior health policy advisor to New Orleans Mayor Mitchell Landrieu.

Summit '14 Luncheon Speaker
ePatient Dave

Dave deBronkart—also known as ePatient Dave—is the author of highly rated *Let Patients Help: A Patient Engagement Handbook*, and one of the world's leading advocates for patient engagement. Read more about Dr. DeSalvo and ePatient Dave at vitlsummit.net.

VITL Summit '14 Agenda

Monday, September 8	
Registration	2:00 - 3:00 PM
Panel - The HIE Experience: Informing Health Care Decisions Across the U.S.	3:00 - 5:00 PM
Networking Reception & Exhibitors	5:30 - 7:30 PM

Tuesday, September 9	
Registration	7:30 - 8:30 AM
Welcome Remarks *VITL President and CEO John Evans*	8:30 - 9:00 AM
Health Information Vignettes *Three transition of care vignettes for a patient who consented to shared access of their health information.*	9:00 - 9:30 AM
Keynote Address *Keynote - Dr. Karen DeSalvo, National Coordinator for Health Information Technology*	9:30 - 10:30 AM
Break, Networking and Exhibits	10:30 - 11:15 AM

Session 1			11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

Track 1: Access to Clinical Data - VITLAccess: A Portal to Patient Data	Track 2: Meeting Evolving Requirements - Navigating the Meaningful Use Jungle	Track 3: Healthcare Reform - ACO Impact on VT Health Care Delivery	Track 4: Patient and Provider Engagement - Mobile Health Showcase

Lunch and Exhibits **Speaker:** *People Perform Better When They're Better Informed* – Dave deBronkart, e-Patient Dave	12:15 - 1:45 PM

Session 2			1:45 - 2:45 PM

Track 1: Access to Clinical Data – VITL Transformation: From Data to Clinical Services	Track 2: Meeting Evolving Requirements - Quality Reporting: Managing Requirements, Realizing the Benefits to Patient Care	Track 3: Healthcare Reform - Provider Engagement	Track 4: Patient and Provider Engagement - Electronic Data Beyond Primary Care: Challenges and Innovations

Break, Networking and Exhibits	2:45 - 3:00 PM

Session 3			3:00 - 4:00 PM

Track 1: Access to Clinical Data - Leveraging Clinical Data in the VHIE to Build a Clinical Data Warehouse	Track 2: Meeting Evolving Requirements - ICD-10: Strategies to Keep Business Flowing	Track 3: Healthcare Reform - Legal Issues in a Rapidly Changing Health Care Environment	Track 4: Patient and Provider Engagement - Patient Engagement on the Hoof: What it Looks Like, Where to Start

Summit Concludes	4:00 PM