

Washington State All Payer Claims Database Vendor Discussion

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Agenda and Purpose

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State Introductions

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Background: WA-APCD Legislation

Chapter 246, Laws of 2015

<http://lawfilesexternal.leg.wa.gov/biennium/2015-16/Pdf/Bills/Session%20Laws/Senate/5084-S.SL.pdf>

- Requires OFM to establish the state's health care All Payer Claims Database (WA-APCD)
- Mandates submission of
 - Public claims data:
 - Medicaid
 - Public Employee Benefit
 - Labor and Industry
 - Private claims data:
 - Commercial
- Allows for voluntary submission of claims data by self-insured

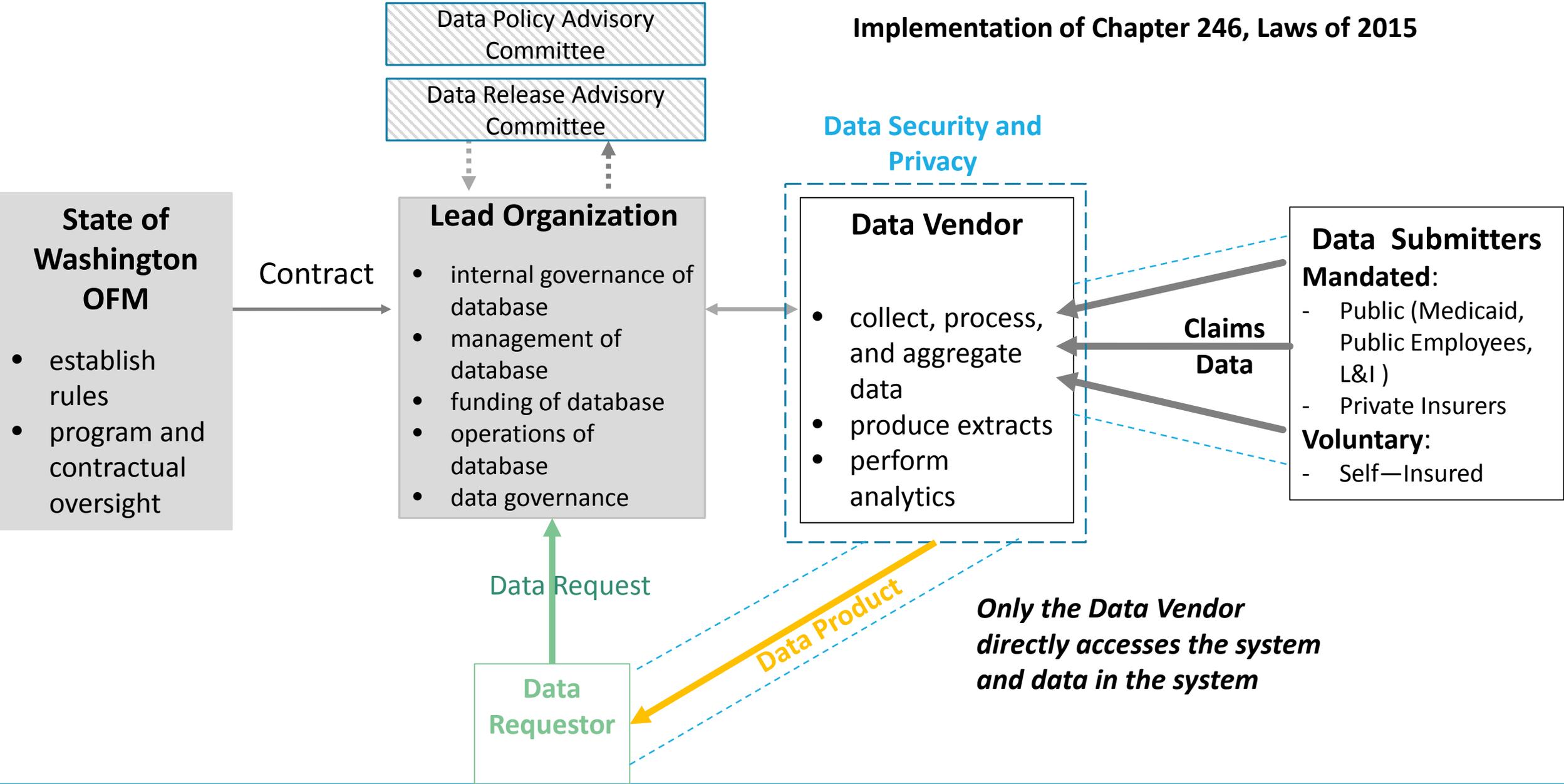
Background: WA-APCD Legislation (cont.)

Chapter 246, Laws of 2015 (cont.)

- Requires OFM to openly procure for a Lead Organization who contracts with a Data Vendor



Implementation of Chapter 246, Laws of 2015



Background: WA-APCD Legislation (cont.)

Chapter 246, Laws of 2015 (cont.)

- Specifies who can receive what data (*handout*)
- Provides for the establishment of fees
- Funding Stream
 - CMS Grant Funding for WA-APCD system implementation and other specific grant deliverables – including data sets/products
 - SIM grant funding available for specific deliverables, reports
 - Ongoing funding – law requires Lead Organization be responsible for sustainability of the system

Background: WA-APCD Rule Making

- Effective date of the law—July 24, 2015
- Filed CR 101 August 5, 2015
- Three Phases
 - **Phase 1: July – Dec. 2015**
 - Rules required for WA-APCD data submission, security, privacy and penalties
 - **Phase 2: Jan. 2015 – Sept. 2016**
 - Rules required to release data from the WA-APCD
 - Rules required for fees
 - **Phase 3- Timeline TBD**
 - Optional rule to expand the scope of claims data submission
 - Any Amendments to rules

Vendor Discussion

Goal: to identify what information vendors need that will make the RFP content and structure clear and useful so that your proposal is accurate

- *What questions do you have about the law and rules?*
- *What information do you want to see in the RFP?*

We will document these questions, responses and information and post to the Health Care Price Transparency website.

Note that:

- *this discussion is not a part of the RFP process*
- *the RFP may or may not include input from this discussion*
- *putting this discussion in writing does not bind OFM to anything in the discussion*

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OFM's Health Care Price Transparency website:

<http://www.ofm.wa.gov/healthcare/pricetransparency/>

OFM's Health Care Price Transparency Listserv:

<http://listserv.wa.gov/cgi-bin/wa?SUBED1=APCD&A=1>