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Daniel Chaput has dual training background and experience in public health and information technology. Having worked at state and local health departments for several years, he brings in a unique perspective to multiple projects and initiatives at the ONC.

Mr. Chaput co-leads the Public Health Tiger Team (PHTT) focused on Structured Data Capture (SDC) and works collaboratively with CDC Electronic Health Record (EHR) Meaningful Use (MU) Team to help state/local health departments, healthcare providers, vendors and health IT developers resolve the technical implementation challenges related to submission of MU related data to public health. On multiple occasions, he has shared his knowledge with the attendees from across the nation on: Joint Public Health Forum & CDC nationwide calls, PH-EHR Vendor Collaboration Initiative Call, Community of Practice for Leveraging Federal Funding Participation, and many more.

Mr. Chaput provides technical support for public health agencies related to the CMS Meaningful Use public health objectives, project support for CDC funded pilot projects to enable inter-jurisdiction exchange of immunization data and a patient portal for immunization data, and represents public health in policy and technical offices in ONC.

Mr. Chaput's background includes IT management and architecture in financial institutions, manufacturing, software, and consulting companies. As a public health informatician, he has addressed public health business problems utilizing an IT toolkit including statistics, system and software design, and database management, in addition to his management experience. His public health assignments and projects have been at and across jurisdictional levels, including local, state, national, and international levels.