



## Quotes from Supporting Organizations

“Family physicians who use Amazing Charts EHR now have an innovative and new way to connect electronically with their colleagues, which removes a long-standing barrier to continuity of care. Since the majority of Amazing Charts EHR users offer primary care services, AAFP Physicians Direct will allow them to communicate more effectively with specialists and other health care providers to whom they refer patients.”

~ *Jonathan Bertman, MD, FAAFP, Founder and CEO, Amazing Charts*

“e-MDs strongly supports the AAFP Physicians Direct initiative. It will be an affordable and easy-to-use method of sharing key clinical data between providers.”

~ *Michael Stearns, MD, President and CEO, e-MDs, Inc.*

“Medical record information exchange in the United States has not been able to expand beyond the fax machine for more than 90 percent of medical practices and their patients. This initiative by AAFP and Surescripts could prove transformational by finally overcoming most of the pervasive obstacles that have prevented progress up until now. Finally, here is an initiative that promises practical transfers of patient information at a fraction of the cost and hassle of most current efforts. AAFP Physicians Direct also can deliver working solutions in an almost immediate time frame, rather than having to wait for years. We simply do not have years to wait for positive change in our health care system.”

~ *Randall Oates, MD, FAAFP, President, SOAPware, Inc.*