

Quinn Names ISDS Member to Health Board

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Governor Pat Quinn has appointed ISDS Member dentist, Dr. Nicholas Panomitros to the governing board of the Illinois Health Information Exchange Authority. The board will oversee the operation of a secure framework for sharing electronic health information. Creation of the framework is funded through \$19 million in federal stimulus monies. The objective of the Health Information Exchange is to expand the use of health information technology to improve the delivery of healthcare in Illinois through the use of electronic medical records and e-prescribing to assist medical providers in understanding a patient's full medical history.