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Member Organizations by Sector

8% Ambulatory Practices
8% Public Health Agencies
30% Health IT Companies
20% Health IT Companies
44% Hospitals & Health Systems
6% Nonprofits
7% Educational Organizations
8% Health IT
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8% Nonprofits
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- **12% Health IT Consultants**
- **7% Educational Organizations**
- **6% Government Agencies**
- **5% Nonprofits**
- **5% Health IT Services**
- **8% Ambulatory Practices**
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Industry Resources
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- RIS/DICOM Security Policy framework
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Membership can participate in any of the following Workgroups:
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- Clinical & Population Health
- Education & Workforce Development
- Finance & Operations
- Information Security
- Legal
- Research & Quality Improvement
- Strategic Planning

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