Carina Health Network Achieves HITRUST i1 (1-Year Validated Assessment) Certification, Reinforcing Commitment to Data Protection and Cybersecurity for Third Consecutive Year

HITRUST Implemented, 1-year (i1) Certification validates Carina Health Network is operating leading security practices to support the protection of sensitive information

DENVER, COLORADO (December 12, 2025) — Carina Health Network has earned the HITRUST i1 (1-year Validated Assessment) Certification for its community applications, including Snowflake, Innovaccer, and the Community Analytics Platform. This achievement highlights Carina's commitment to safeguarding sensitive health data while proactively addressing evolving cybersecurity threats, and enables its statewide network to leverage data, technology, and strategic resources to drive better health outcomes.

The HITRUST i1 (1-year Validated Assessment) demonstrates that Carina Health Network's Community apps employ a set of curated controls to deliver a comprehensive security program that protects against current and emerging threats. For Carina, this certification ensures that patient information, provider data, and operational systems are protected according to industry-leading standards, advancing the organization's mission: "*Supporting community health organizations, payers, and partners to turn innovative solutions into action, and action into impact.*"

At Carina, we leverage comprehensive patient data to identify opportunities to improve care delivery across our network. We drive innovation by connecting member community health organizations to resources that help them govern their own data and share information seamlessly across their patient populations. By unifying siloed information, we strengthen our network's ability to improve patients' lives while maintaining the highest standards of cybersecurity.

"HITRUST i1 Certification gives our internal and external stakeholders confidence that we are following leading security practices," said Terry Seidel, IT & Security Director at Carina Health Network. "Strong cybersecurity is critical to protecting our organization, partners, and the communities they serve. This certification recognizes our ongoing commitment to high standards for cybersecurity and data protection."

Jeremy Huval, Chief Innovation Officer at HITRUST, added, "HITRUST is continually innovating to find new and creative approaches to address information security challenges, and Carina's certification is evidence that they are at the forefront of industry best practices for information risk management and cybersecurity."

By earning this certification, Carina not only strengthens its own cyber resilience but also reinforces trust with community health providers, payers, and patients, an essential component of delivering high-quality, data-informed care.

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About Carina Health Network

Carina Health Network was created from the strategic merger of Community Health Provider Alliance (CHPA) and Colorado Community Managed Care Network (CCMCN). As a unified statewide network, Carina delivers innovative solutions that improve healthcare quality, affordability, and access. Carina empowers community health organizations with data, technology, and strategic support to advance value-based care and improve population health for underserved populations. Working across Colorado's diverse healthcare landscape, Carina connects providers, payers, and patients through collaborative programs that drive better outcomes. Learn more at www.carinahealthnetwork.org.