

Centralized Interactive Phenomics Resource (CIPHER): A Platform for Electronic Health Data-Based Phenomics Science

Systems Demonstration - Clinical Research Informatics

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Learning Objectives

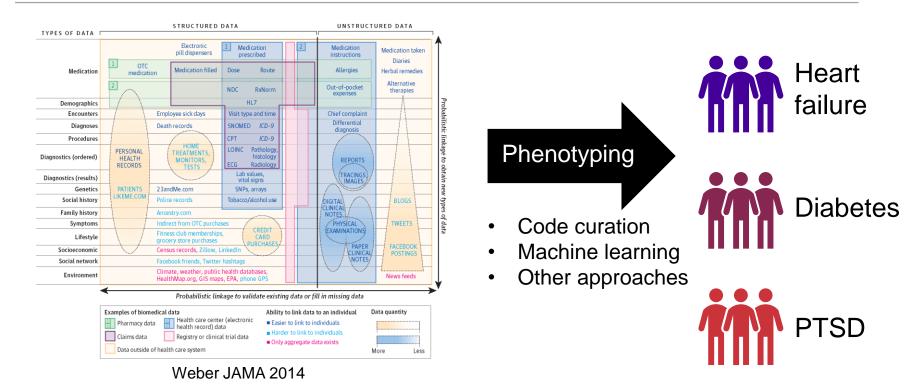


After participating in this session, the learner should be better able to leverage the Centralized Interactive Phenomics Resource (CIPHER) platform for electronic health records (EHR) based phenotyping by

- searching the library for phenotype definitions,
- contributing phenotypes, and
- browsing connected data visualization tools.

EHRs are a rich resource for clinical research and healthcare operations





Phenotype development has its challenges



Institutional knowledge



Computing resources

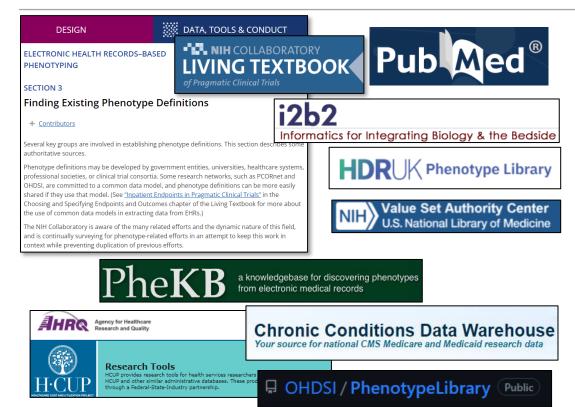




System specific data variability

Phenotype libraries allow reuse of existing definitions



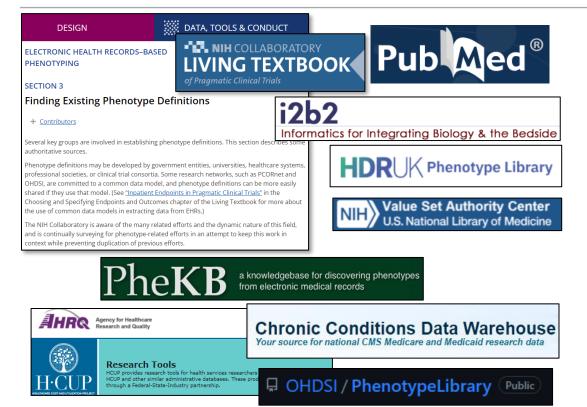


Benefits

- Reuse existing definitions
- Evaluate portability
- Save time and expedite reusability

There are opportunities for improvement and enhancement





Challenges

- Targeted user community
- Focused scope
- Metadata captured
- User features and capabilities

CIPHER: A public phenotype library developed in the VA by phenomics experts





Development Aims

- CIPHER metadata standard
- Scale content
 management
- Navigation and search
- Integrated visualization tools
- Health system agnostic

CIPHER's phenotype metadata standard



Phenotype Name

Phenotype Description Phenotype purpose and aims (E.g., to maximize sensitivity)

> Publication / Acknowledgment

Algorithm Description Logic applied to components to generate algorithm

Code Samples Programming code or code repository link

Population Population used to develop algorithm

Authors / Contacts

Data Sources Data source used to generate the phenotype

Data Classifications Disease, demographics, laboratory test, etc.

Role in Analysis Primary outcome/exposure, inclusion requirement, etc.

Related Disease Domain Cardiovascular, dermatology, genitourinary, etc.

Unique Identifier

Keywords

MESH Terms

Methods Used Rules based, machine learning, etc.

Context of Development Research, healthcare operations, etc.

Algorithm Components Medical Vocabularies (ICD, LOINC, etc.)

Algorithm Creation Date

Lab Units / Values

Algorithm Validation / Performance Metrics Sensitivity, specificity, etc.

Attachments Tables, figures, slides, etc.

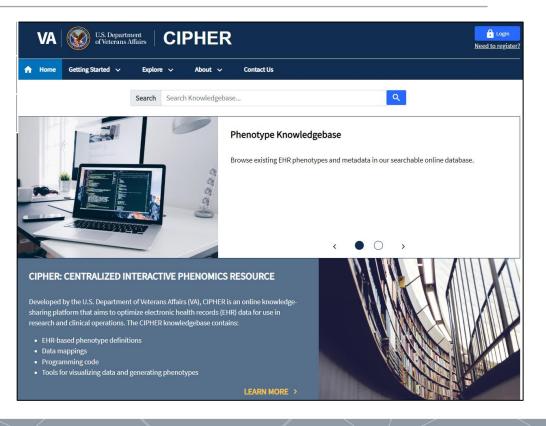
Legend

- Free Text
- Semi-controlled Authority
- Standard Vocabulary
- Empirical Value
-) Other

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CIPHER website components

- 1. Phenotype knowledgebase
- 2. Phenotype collection workflow
- 3. Data visualization tools





Searchable database of phenotype articles

1. Phenotype knowledgebase

- 2. Phenotype collection workflow
- 3. Data visualization tools

 ✓ CIPHER standard
 ✓ Unique phenotype article identifier
 ✓ Complex searching
 ✓ Change control

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Standardized collection of phenotype metadata



- 1. Phenotype knowledgebase
- 2. Phenotype collection workflow
- 3. Data visualization tools

 ✓ Validation against standard vocabularies
 ✓ CIPHER review
 ✓ Populate into knowledgebase

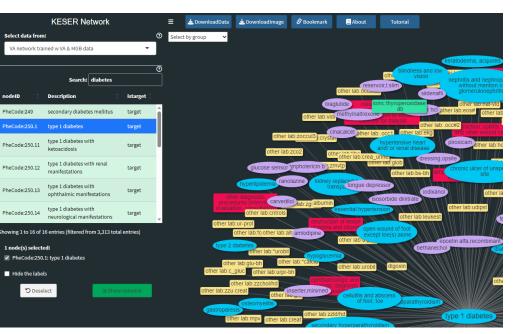
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Tools connected to phenotype definition knowledgebase

- 1. Phenotype knowledgebase
- 2. Phenotype collection workflow
- 3. Data visualization tools

- ✓ ICD Hierarchy: View code mappings
 ✓ KESER: Aid phenotype development
- ✓ Link to knowledgebase

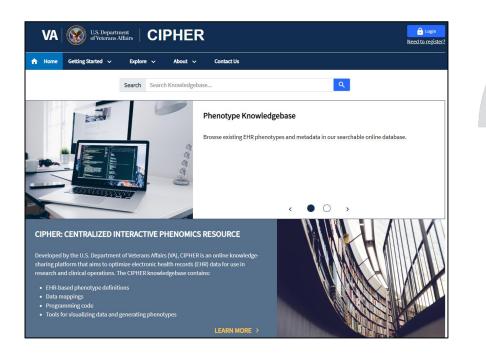


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CENTRALIZED INTERACTIVE PHENOMICS RESOURCE



https://phenomics.va.ornl.gov/

CIPHER's user base continues to grow



Current Users





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Total Phenotypes 4,200+ Published 3,900+

Future Collaborations





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Strengths and limitations of CIPHER



Strengths

- Standard metadata collection
- Healthcare system agnostic
- Validation of standard vocabularies
- Integrated data visualization tools
- Structure is designed for expansion

Limitations

- Licensed data elements may have restrictions (UMLS)
- No linkage to patient level data

Future directions and next steps



Future directions

- Expand database content
- Integrate additional tools
- Expand partners and contributors
- Collect user feedback

How you can use CIPHER

- Browse phenotypes and tools
- Contribute phenotypes and tools
- Share user feedback and ideas

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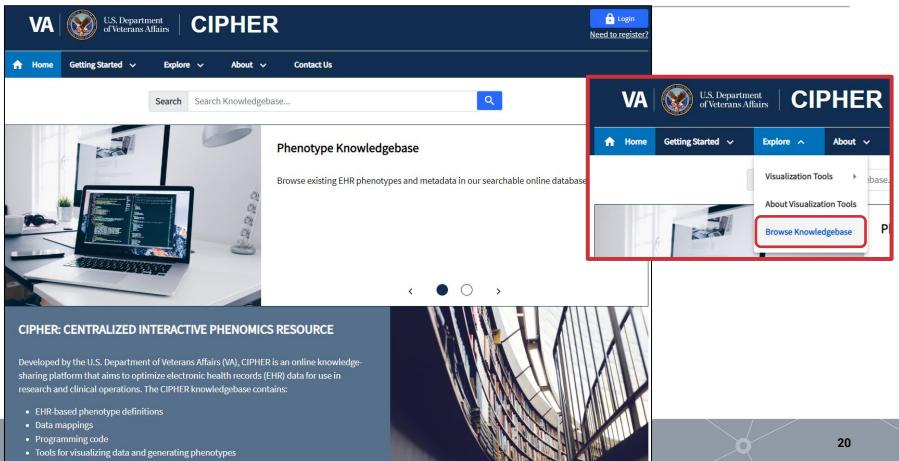
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Thank you!

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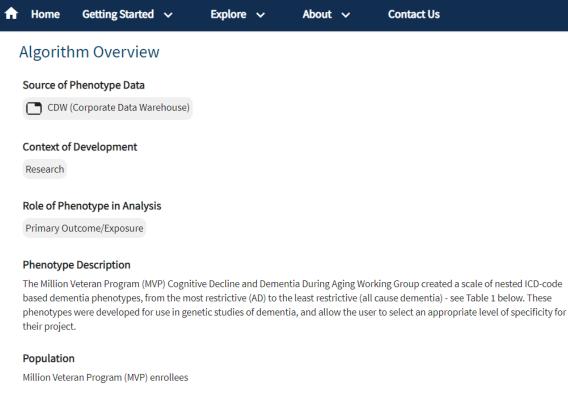
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Review definition: Basic information



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Abbreviations and Keywords	Related Disease
AD+	Mental/ Behavioral Health Neurology
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Review definition: Algorithm overview





Date Algorithm Created

01/01/2020

Review definition: Algorithm components



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Review definition: Validation & additional information

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Contributing Phenotypes

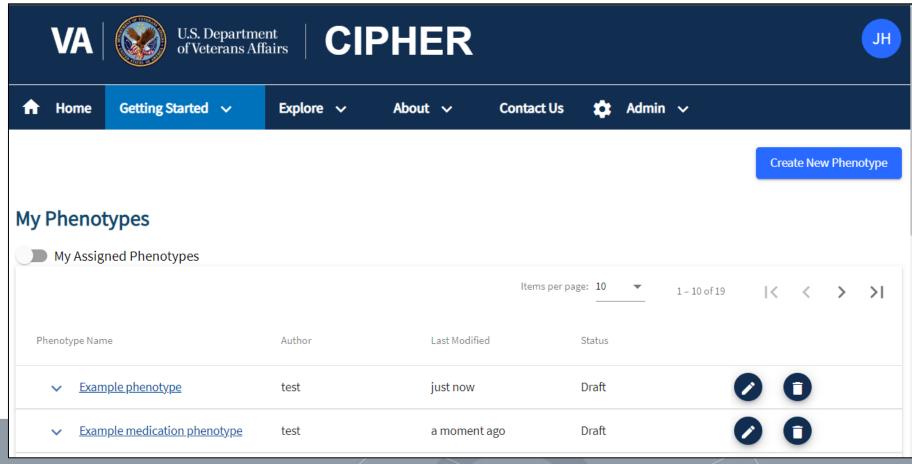
We have an easy-to-use process and resources for contributing your phenotype to CIPHER.

You may start by visiting our <u>How to Use CIPHER</u> page, which gives an overview of phenotyping, how phenotypes are used, benefits of contributing your phenotype to CIPHER, and general tips for using the CIPHER website.

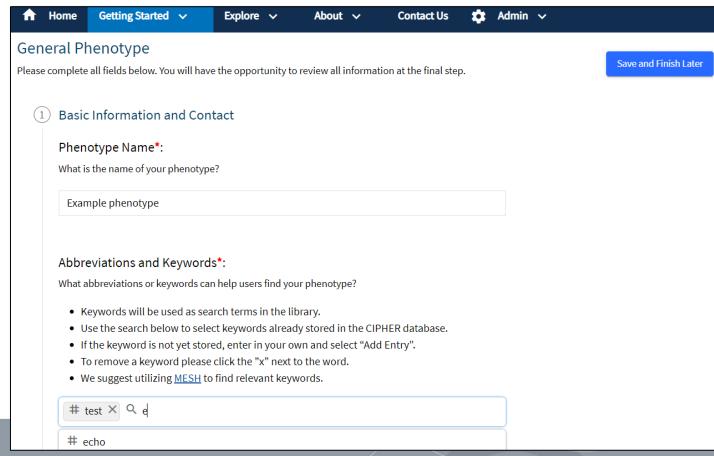
Next steps to contribute a phenotype:

- 1. Create a user account. Navigate to the top right-hand corner of the screen and choose to register a new account. Please enter a valid email that you have access to. You will need this to verify your account.
- 2. Complete the Phenotype Entry Form. Open the phenotype entry form by clicking <u>here</u>. You can also navigate to the form directly via the navigation bar at the top of the screen, under the Getting Started tab. You may save your work in progress and return to finish entering your phenotype at any time. To resume editing, please click on "My Phenotypes" under the "Getting Started" tab on the navigation bar.
 - a. Choose the type of phenotype you would like to submit (general, lab, or medication).
 - b. Follow the instructions in the online wizard to complete the form.
- 3. Submit your phenotype. Once you have entered in all your phenotype details, you can review your entry and submit for review.
 - a. Once your phenotype is submitted it will be reviewed by the CIPHER team. If our team has any questions regarding the submission, we will reach out to the contact listed on the entry form. Once the phenotype entry is finalized by CIPHER it will be searchable within our <u>Phenotype Knowledgebase</u>.
 - b. You can check the status of your submission by navigating to "My Phenotypes" on the navigation bar under the Getting Started tab.
 - c. Should you have any questions about your submission in the meantime, please contact <u>CIPHER@va.gov</u>.









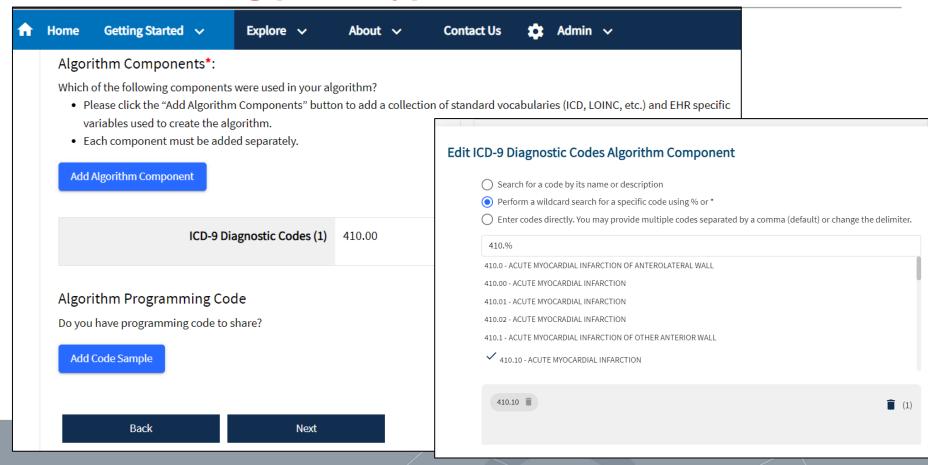


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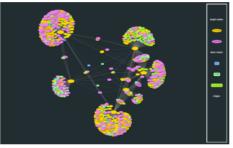




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Knowledge Extraction via Sparse Embedding Regression Network

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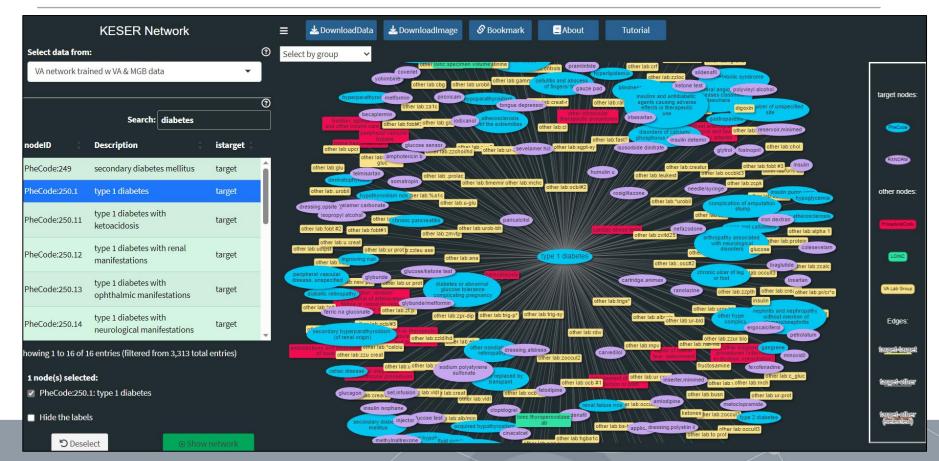
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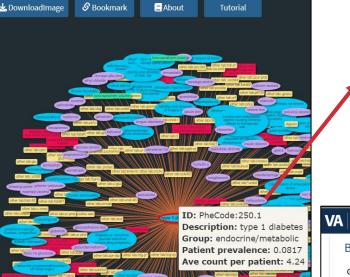
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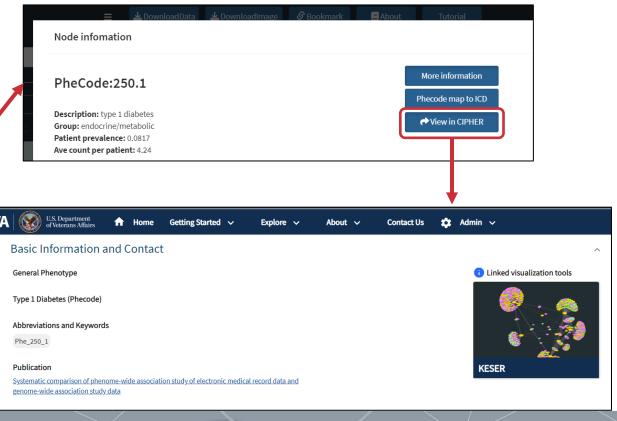




Visualization tools: KESER







Visualization tools: ICD Hierarchy



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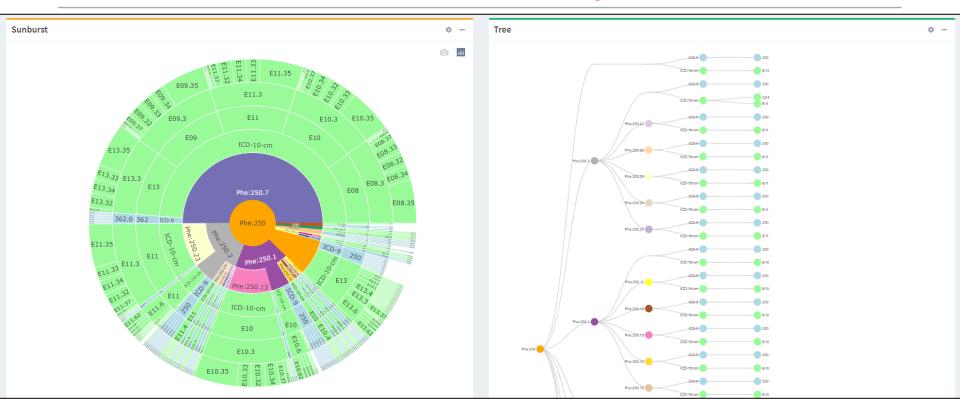
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Visualization tools: ICD Hierarchy





Guidelines for using CIPHER



