

### **216.263 Definitions.**

As used in KRS 216.261 to 216.269:

- (1) "Board" means the Kentucky e-Health Network Board;
- (2) "Electronic health network" means a network that allows for secure exchange of needed information among authorized health care providers, third-party payors, and patients, with information being exchanged in real time when feasible;
- (3) "Health care provider" has the same meaning as provided in KRS 311.621 and includes optometrists licensed under KRS Chapter 320;
- (4) "HIPAA" means the Federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996;
- (5) "Insurer" has the same meaning as provided in KRS 304.17A-005; and
- (6) "Ke-HN" means the Kentucky e-Health Network.

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