Author's response to reviews

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Response to Reviewer

1) Aerial photograph--this is accurate--space did not permit a detailed description of where the U.S. system is with IT.
2) Problems in isolation--here, I did try to keep these in mind, but did not discuss this in detail. Agree with the reviewer's point, and have added some more detail in several locations.
3) Public health system--the VA--excellent point, have added a mention of this.
4) Clinical documentation function--I think this will be important, but do not think it is as important as the reviewer does. I agree it is largely unexplored territory. Have added some discussion of this.
5) Failure to involve providers--this is also great point and have added some discussion of this, making it a fifth policy issue.