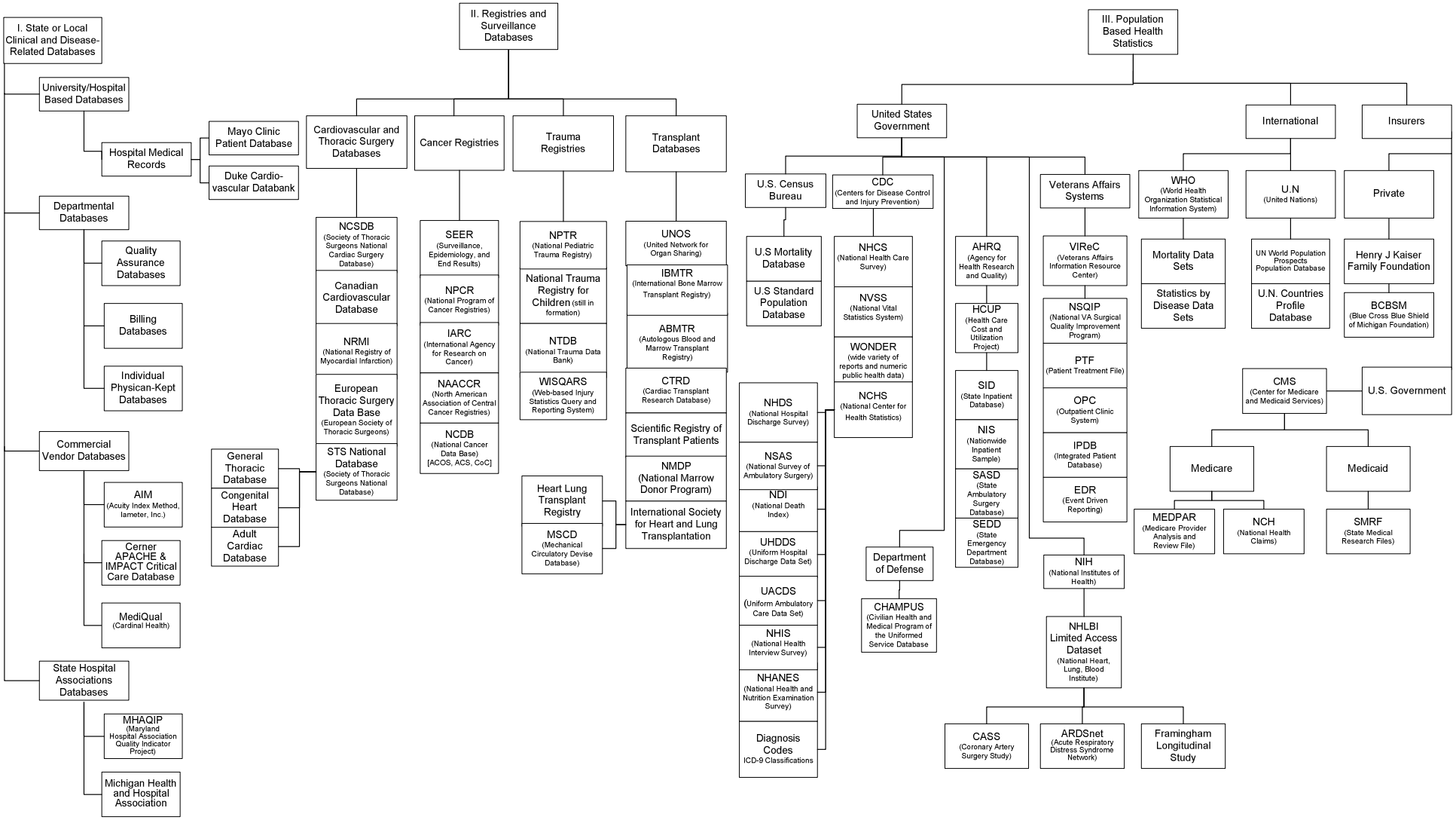
I. State or Local Clinical and Disease-Related Databases
University/Hospital Based Databases
Hospital Medical Records
Mayo Clinic Patient Database
Duke Cardio-vascular Databank
Departmental Databases
Quality Assurance Databases
Billing Databases
Individual Physician-Kept Databases
Commercial Vendor Databases
AIM (Acuity Index Method, Iameter, Inc.)
Cerner APACHE & IMPACT Critical Care Database
MediQual (Cardinal Health)
State Hospital Associations Databases
MHAQIP (Maryland Hospital Association Quality Indicator Project)
Michigan Health and Hospital Association
II. Registries and Surveillance Databases
Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery Databases
NCSDB (Society of Thoracic Surgeons National Cardiac Surgery Database)
Canadian Cardiovascular Database
NRMI (National Registry of Myocardial Infarction)
European Thoracic Surgery Data Base (European Society of Thoracic Surgeons)
STS National Database (Society of Thoracic Surgeons National Database)
General Thoracic Database
Congenital Heart Database
Adult Cardiac Database
Cancer Registries
SEER (Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results)
NPCR (National Program of Cancer Registries)
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
NAACCR (North American Association of Central Cancer Registries)
NCDB (National Cancer Data Base) [ACOS, ACS, CoC]
Trauma Registries
NPTR (National Pediatric Trauma Registry)
National Trauma Registry for Children (still in formation)
NTDB (National Trauma Data Bank)
WISQARS (Web-based Injury Statistics Query and Reporting System)
Heart Lung Transplant Registry
MSCD (Mechanical Circulatory Devise Database)
Transplant Databases
UNOS (United Network for Organ Sharing)
IBMTR (International Bone Marrow Transplant Registry)
ABMTR (Autologous Blood and Marrow Transplant Registry)
CTRD (Cardiac Transplant Research Database)
Scientific Registry of Transplant Patients
NMDP (National Marrow Donor Program)
International Society for Heart and Lung Transplantation
III. Population Based Health Statistics
United States Government
U.S. Census Bureau
U.S Mortality Database
U.S Standard Population Database
CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Injury Prevention)
NHCS (National Health Care Survey)
NVSS (National Vital Statistics System)
WONDER (wide variety of reports and numeric public health data)
NCHS (National Center for Health Statistics)
NHDS (National Hospital Discharge Survey)
NSAS (National Survey of Ambulatory Surgery)
NDI (National Death Index)
UHDDS (Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Set)
UACDS (Uniform Ambulatory Care Data Set)
NHIS (National Health Interview Survey)
NHANES (National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey)
Diagnosis Codes ICD-9 Classifications
Department of Defense
CHAMPUS (Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Service Database
AHRQ (Agency for Health Research and Quality)
HCUP (Health Care Cost and Utilization Project)
SID (State Inpatient Database)
NIS (Nationwide Inpatient Sample)
SASD (State Ambulatory Surgery Database)
SEDD (State Emergency Department Database)
Veterans Affairs Systems
VIReC (Veterans Affairs Information Resource Center)
NSQIP (National VA Surgical Quality Improvement Program)
PTF (Patient Treatment File)
OPC (Outpatient Clinic System)
IPDB (Integrated Patient Database)
EDR (Event Driven Reporting)
NIH (National Institutes of Health)
NHLBI Limited Access Dataset (National Heart, Lung, Blood Institute)
CASS (Coronary Artery Surgery Study)
ARDSnet (Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome Network)
Framingham Longitudinal Study
International
WHO (World Health Organization Statistical Information System)
Mortality Data Sets
Statistics by Disease Data Sets
U.N (United Nations)
UN World Population Prospects Population Database
U.N. Countries Profile Database
Insurers
Private
Henry J Kaiser Family Foundation
BCBSM (Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation)
CMS (Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services)
U.S. Government
Medicare
MEDPAR (Medicare Provider Analysis and Review File)
NCH (National Health Claims)
Medicaid
SMRF (State Medical Research Files)