QIBA Lung Nodule Assessment in CT Screening Writing Group

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Call Summary

In attendance:

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Discussion Topics

- Dr. Siegelman's edited version of the profile is posted to the WIKI: http://qibawiki.rsna.org/index.php?title=CT Volumetry tech ctte
 - This version is to be used when updating the sections.
- Three aspects should be distinguished when looking over the profile draft:
 - o Small nodules less than 8mm
 - Lower threshold for larger lesions
 - o Nodules greater than 8mm
- Discussions continued regarding variations in screening practice, bias, accuracy and pitch.
- Greater focus needed to define Profile scope and Claim(s) language.
- Profile section development will proceed with three section group t-cons scheduled concurrently on Friday, March 22nd at 10am (CDT).

Next steps

- Group members are encouraged to review the Profile and use Dr. Siegelman's version for editing
 - Groups are divided into sections relative to their interests. Please review the Profile with emphasis on your particular area of interest.
 - o Feedback/comments regarding the entire document are also encouraged.
- Group section t-cons will be scheduled for Friday, March 22nd at 10 AM (CDT)
- The next full group t-con will be Friday, April 5th at 10 AM (CDT)