QIBA COPD/Asthma Technical Committee
November 20, 2013 at 2 PM CT
Call Summary

In attendance
Philip F. Judy, PhD (Chair) Harvey Coxson, PhD Frank Ranollo, PhD, DABR
Ben Arnold, PhD Sean Fain, PhD Matthew Ful, PhD
Andrew Buckler, MS Greg Kinney, MPH, PhD Zachary Levine, PhD
Heather Chen-Mayer, PhD Zachary Levine, PhD

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Joe Koudelik
Julie Lisiecki

Agenda -11/20/2013:
1. Report on COPDGene Investigators Meeting
2. TC Progress and Plans
3. Agenda for RSNA Breakout Session
4. Discuss Profile revision
   a. Open issues for discussion
      i. Need a protocol to calibrate the CT number scale in range of lung CT values
      ii. Need a protocol to determine utility of current modulation techniques as compared to constant current technique.
      iii. Describe clinical context beyond COPD
      iv. Terms for Glossary
   b. Citations need to added

Update on COPDGene Young Investigators Symposium
The symposium covered translating COPDGene Guidelines for Diagnosis and Treatment

Discussion topics included:
Additional focus on accuracy for dimensions of phantom tube measurements
Shift focus to consistency of airway phantoms in preparation for commercialization of phantoms
Review of PowerPoint presentation for RSNA 2013 showing progress of the committee
Committee resolved to finalize open Profile issues
   o Volume correction and the issue with reference standard will be important to consider
   o Recommendations for foams to be added with regard to aging; accelerated aging tests recommended
   o Comparison of variances with current modulation across scanners under consideration

Action items:
All are asked to volunteer for the Meet-the-Expert poster session during the lunch-time hour, if attending RSNA 2013 by responding to the COPD/Asthma Tech Committee Doodle Poll: http://www.doodle.com/7gu7rvkqap3eixmb
Everyone is welcome to submit abstracts for the QCT Imaging of the Lung Symposium; deadline for abstracts is November 30th. (on wiki)

Next call date(s): QIBA COPD/Asthma Tech Committee Update Call, Wednesday, December 18, 2013, 2 pm CT

RSNA 2013 Annual Meeting - QIBA Technical Committees Working Meeting:
Wednesday, December 4th | 2:30pm – 5:00pm | Chicago, McCormick Place | Room: N136
Please RSVP to the following poll if you have not yet done so: http://www.doodle.com/fwf76ceggb78r75b.
We appreciate your continued support and look forward to your participation - Thank You!