## QIBA FDG-PET/CT Tech Ctte Update Call

27 July 2012 at 9 AM CT (GMT-5) Call Summary

In attendance:

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Keith Allberg Andrew Buckler, MS Patricia E. Cole, PhD, MD Robert K. Doot, PhD Michael M. Graham, MD, PhD

Howard Higley, PhD

Lawrence MacDonald, PhD

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## Discussion

- Group reviewed and revised latest draft version of the claim
  - Caveats were discussed.
- SUVmax to be the definitive measurement.
  - o There is not enough data that can be used to justify the use of SUVpeak.
  - It was suggested that SUVpeak be recorded to avoid bias.
    - Section 4.3 of the Profile clarifies this detail
  - o It was recommended that tests in a clinical trial be run on the same platform and software throughout the trial, for ease of comparison.
  - o If all of the recommendations set forth in the Profile are followed, the claim should be met regardless of what scanner is being used.
    - In addition, one should be able to measure the same patient on different scanners and get the same result.
    - Discussion about whether to place this information in claim or appendix B.
      - Group to vote.
- Dr. Kinahan will combine Dr. Lodge's summary table with Dr. Higley's references in support of claim.
- Dr. Wahl provided additional information regarding the claim for group discussion and consideration.

## **Assignments**

- Dr. Cole to email list of acronyms to Dr. Kinahan
- Dr. Kinahan is reviewing the common data format mechanism relating to DICOM details (Appendix D)
- Dr. Kinahan will combine Dr. Lodge's summary table with Dr. Higley's references
- Dr. Lodge to work on revised Claim language section II
- Dr. Yap is reviewing the Appendix G.2
- Profile completion and FDA briefing document needs to be ready by mid-August 2012

## **Next steps:**

Approach to addressing the Public Comment review phase needs further discussion

Next call: To continue discussion of the Draft Claim at 9 am (CT) August 3<sup>rd</sup>.