QIBA fMRI Reproducibility Work Group Update

Tuesday, June 7, 2011 at 11 AM CDT

Call Summary

In attendance

James Voyvodic, PhD (Chair) Ted DeYoe, PhD Feroze Mohamed, PhD

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Joe Koudelik

General Discussion Items

- Workflow topics and progress discussed
- SPM, FSL, AFNI analysis algorithms discussed; many sites utilizing fMRI, but clinicians remain skeptical of FDA approved software
- Dr Voyvodic submitting results of quantitative reproducibility study for publication (independent of QIBA activities)
- Laterality Index requires more clarity at a later date
- Cross-normalization methods discussed
- Dr DeYoe to begin signal analysis on his datasets utilizing AMPLE thresholding
- If possible, Dr Voyvodic to send c-code to Dr DeYoe so analysis can be done in a identical manner

Next Steps

- Continuation of fMRI reproducibility issues to discuss on the next group call
- Dr DeYoe to implement Dr Voyvodic's published algorithm in his dataset analysis
 - o Dr Voyvodic to send c-code to Dr DeYoe if possible
- Next call scheduled for Tuesday, June 21st, at 11 am CDT