QIBA FDG-PET/CT Tech Ctte Update Call

12 April 2013 at 9 AM CT (GMT-6) Call Summary

In attendance:

Paul E. Kinahan, PhD (co-chair) Richard L. Wahl, MD (co-chair) Andrew Buckler, MS Paul E. Christian Barbara Croft, PhD Michael D. Devous, PhD Edward Eikman, MD John Hoffman, MD
Jeff Kolthammer, PhD
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Eric Perlman, MD
Annette Schmid, PhD
Anne Smith, PhD
Daniel Sullivan, MD

Timothy Turkington, PhD

Scott Wollenweber, PhD John Wolodzko, PhD Brian Zimmerman, PhD

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Joe Koudelik Julie Lisiecki

Proposed Agenda, 4/12

- 1. Roll call
- 2. Presentation/ discussion on amyloid topics: Dr. Devous
- 3. Updates on FDG-PET/CT Profile comments (if any): Joe Koudelik / Dr. Perlman (if available)
- 4. Discussion of his paper if time allows: Dr. Eikman (if available)
- 5. Continued discussion of future direction for the committee

Profile – Extended Public Comment Phase underway

- Tech committee members are encouraged to add their comments and suggestions using the form on the QIBA wiki: http://qibawiki.rsna.org/index.php?title=Work Product for Review
- The Public Comment period has been extended until May 24th.
- Names of all technical committee members have been added in Appendix A; there is a May 17th deadline to opt out
- RSNA staff will collate any additional public comments for Dr. Perlman's review
- The document was sent to over 200 people; all FDG-PET Tech Committee members and various association/ society contacts
- The dissemination list (without email addresses) was posted to the wiki for reference

Under consideration:

- A future Profile with multiple tracers for amyloid
- Consideration of SPECT and PET tracers for a future Profile

Action Items:

- 1. Tech Ctte co-chairs to provide guidance regarding future direction of the group
- 2. Committee feedback needed regarding implications of test-retest results on future Profiles
- 3. Primary agenda item for 4/26 t-con: committee to address remaining public comments; small expert groups may be needed, particularly for DICOM-related topics and technical clinical topics
- 4. Dr. Nelson to provide feedback regarding his experience with the Quantitative Imaging Data Warehouse (QIDW)
- 5. Dr. Cole to follow up with Mike Schmidt regarding a future talk on amyloid topics for the group
- 6. Dr. Kinahan to provide additional topics for future direction of the QIBA FDG-PET Technical Committee basic poll
- 7. For reference: PubMed link to article on SUV Max test-re-test report on the importance of properly calibrated studies

Next call: April 26, 2013 at 9 am CT. {There will be NO call on Friday, April 19th.}