

QIBA Lung Nodule Assessment in CT Screening Writing Group

25 July 2013 at 3 PM CST

Call Summary

In attendance:

David S. Gierada, MD (Co-Chair)
James L. Mulshine, MD (Co-Chair)
Andrew J. Buckler, MS

Philip F. Judy, PhD
Michael McNitt-Gray, PhD
Daniel C. Sullivan, MD
David F. Yankelevitz, MD

RSNA:

Joseph Koudelik
Madeleine McCoy

Profile Discussion

- Most recent version incorporating all edits is posted to the WIKI.
- Topics discussed:
 - Patient Handling
 - Patients may have chronic medical conditions which should be addressed.
 - Guidelines for screening eligibility.
 - Technical Parameters
 - Timing of Scan Relative to Other Procedures
 - Subject Preparation
 - Use of breast shields
- Dr. Gierada will make additional revisions, as discussed.
- Dr. Mulshine notified the group that on Monday, July 29, 2013 [US Preventative Task Force](#) will release a [draft document for public comment on lung screening](#).
 - Suggested that the QIBA Lung Nodule Assessment in CT Screening Writing Group Draft Profile be submitted as a public comment.
 - Dr. Yankelevitz pointed out that the document to be released does not focus on the quality of the scan, and is not related to CT VOL but on lung cancer deaths.
 - The panel reviewing the public comments will be primary care/family practice medical practitioners.
 - The group would like to have their work coincide with the release of the US Preventative Task Force document
- The next t-con will be **Thursday, August 8th at 3 PM (CDT)**