

**QIBA PET-Amyloid Biomarker Committee**  
**Friday, December 10, 2021, at 9 AM CT**  
*Call Summary*

**In attendance:**

*Dawn Matthews, MS, MBA (Co-chair)*    Adriaan Lammertsma, PhD  
*Anne M. Smith, PhD (Co-chair)*        Nancy Obuchowski, PhD  
Orest Boyko, MD, PhD                    Dean F. Wong, MD, PhD  
Norman Foster, MD

**RSNA**

Joe Koudelik  
Julie Lisiecki

**Moderator:** Dr. Smith

**The following were discussed:**

Manuscript updates

- The *Alzheimer's & Dementia* journal rejected the manuscript
- Alternate journals for submission were discussed and [The Journal of Nuclear Medicine](#) (JNM) was decided upon as first selection due to scientific impact factor
- Other suggestions included: *The Journal of Cerebral Blood Flow and Metabolism* (JCBFM) and [Radiology](#)
  - Dr. Wong is on the editorial board for *JCBFM*, which may be helpful if needed

Feasibility Questionnaire update

- A third site has agreed to complete the questionnaire; possibly one more site may consider
- Responses from U-Iowa and Washington University have been consolidated for ease of review

**Next steps**

- Drs. Wong and Smith to discuss how to ask the SNMMI brain imaging council to consider providing an endorsement
- Dr. Smith to follow up with manuscript authors to draft a 1-2 paragraph rationale for this SNMMI support
- Consider contacting EANM neuroimaging committee
- BC members to address reviewer comments collectively
- Goal is to have results from the questionnaires for discussion at the January meeting
- BC may need to consider offering authorship to additional collaborators for the manuscript to more clearly emphasize that it is a QIBA product

**Action items (ongoing)**

- Dr. Lammertsma to share citations from Alzheimer's research
- Dr. Smith or Ms. Matthews to add a Profile note indicating that data are simulated
- Ms. Matthews to reformat the Profile checklist from Excel to Word
- Co-chairs to respond to Mr. O'Donnell's suggestions
- Ms. Matthews to list key highlights for the best opportunities for harmonization: recommendations requested
- Ms. Matthews and Dr. Foster to schedule a call with Dr. Koeppe to discuss the ADNI-QIBA gap analysis
  - Dr. Wong to be included
- Ms. Matthews to reach out to Dr. Seibyl regarding introduction to Invicro
- BC discussion on how to handle resistance to Profile requirements
- Produce an online questionnaire with scoring capability, modeled after FDG-PET BC

**Next call – Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> at 9 am CT**