

QIBA fMRI Technical Committee Update
Wednesday, November 16, 2011; 11 AM CST
Call Summary

In attendance

<i>Cathy Elsinger, PhD (co-chair)</i>	Feroze Mohamed, PhD	Daniel C. Sullivan, MD
<i>Jeffrey Petrella, MD (co-chair)</i>	Jay J. Pillai, MD	James T. Voyvodic, PhD
Paul L. Carson, PhD	James L. Reuss, PhD	Domenico Zaca, PhD
Ted DeYoe, PhD	Laura Rigolo, MS	

RSNA

Joe Koudelik
Julie Lisecki

QIBA fMRI Technical Committee Call Agenda

General Items:

- Progress on current funded projects, all on target (JV, TD, JP)
- Scheduling of future meetings until year end

QIBA fMRI/DICOM WG 16 (Jim R)

- Summary of results from meeting with DC WG 16
- Draft was very well received – Dr. Reuss is waiting to hear back from Bob Haworth, WG16
- Feedback on what's possible and timeline to be discussed in December

RSNA Meeting Schedule and Agenda

- Volunteers for 'meet the experts' poster session – all spots filled
- Agenda items for face to face meeting Nov 30, Wednesday 3-5
 - Profile work
 - Strategic Planning

Profile Draft Progress (Feroze and Cathy)

- Draft of TOC outline circulated for discussion
 - This draft version has been edited from the workflow document to match the template as much as possible but address specific needs of fMRI
 - Sections have been color-coded to aid in identifying their relevance to the overall Profile
 - I.e., sections in red are important but Dr. Mohamed is not sure where to place them in relation to other topics.
- Preliminary draft of first sections distributed
- Group to offer suggested edits to Dr. Mohamed
- Dr. Elsinger has begun work on the Executive Summary
- Group to assist with filling in gaps on the next call, specifically in *Section III D: sub-headings*
 - Possibility of two separate Profiles suggested:
 - Profusion/ BOLD technique and
 - Diffusion-Weighted MR
 - To avoid confusion, the group does not want DTI details in the current working Profile
- Dr. Voyvodic reminded the group to focus on the Claims
- Dr. Elsinger noted that the Profile is laying out the appropriate procedures, and accuracy is important

Next Steps

- Group to continue working filling in gaps in the Profile on next call, specifically in *Section III D: sub-headings*
- Dr. Mohamed to update the draft version of the Profile with group comments
- RSNA Staff to update WIKI with working documents for group editing (complete)

Next Meetings:

QIBA fMRI f2f meeting at RSNA: *November 30th, plenary 3-4 pm, breakout 4-6 pm, Room N127*

QIBA fMRI Reproducibility WG, *TBD*

QIBA fMRI Technical Committee, *Wednesday, December 21st, at 11 am CST*