## QIBA fMRI Biomarker Committee (BC) Meeting

Wednesday, July 20, 2022, at 11 a.m. (CT) *Meeting Summary* 

In attendance RSNA staff

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## **Review of Previous Meeting Summary**

The 7.06.2022 meeting summary was approved as presented

## **Topics Discussed:**

Section 3.8 fMRI Specialist Checklist

## **Next Steps / Action Items:**

- The following parameters in the Section 3.8 fMRI Specialist Checklist were discussed and updated:
  - Region of Interest (ROI) identification
    - Expanded ROIs to be added to Section 4 Assessment Procedure
    - Note added that this is a QC step
  - Activation map thresholding
    - Details of the AMPLE thresholding process to be added to Appendix
  - Activation QC
    - Peak t-statistic value should be greater than 8 (in line with Dr. Voyvodic's work, which will be cited
      once the manuscript is completed)
  - Computing Weighted Center of Mass of Activation (wCMA) or Peaks
    - The option to identify activation cluster peaks was added
    - Exact values need to be added to this specification as well as to the Claim once confirmed
  - o Specify Language Regions of Interest was renamed to Draw Regions of Interest for Language
  - Computing Weighted Laterality Index (wLI)
- Dr. Pillai has completed edits to Section 4.3 Assessment Procedure: Neurovascular Uncoupling
- Dr. Voyvodic to make minor revisions to his QA / QC manuscript and resubmit for publication; Profile work can continue in parallel
- Discussion will continue on Aug. 3 with calculating Laterality Index
- September 1 was set as the target date for completing a draft of the Profile (v2) for BC internal review

Next meeting: Wednesday, August 3, 2022, at 11 a.m. CT (1st & 3rd weeks of each month)

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