QIBA CT Volumetry Biomarker Committee (BC) Update Call

27 April 2015 at 11 AM CT Draft Call Summary

In attendance: RSNA:

Gregory Goldmacher, MD, PhD (Co-Chair)Rudresh Jarecha, MBBSKevin O'Donnell, MASCJoe KoudelikSamuel G. Armato III, PhD (Co-Chair)Philip F. Judy, PhDEric S. Perlman, MDSusan WeinmannHubert Beaumont, PhDJayashree Kalpathy-Cramer, PhDNicholas Petrick, PhDAndrew Buckler, MSHyun Grace Kim, PhDJenifer Siegelman, MD, MPH

Charles Fenimore, PhDMichael McNitt-Gray, PhDDaniel Sullivan, MDDavid Gustafson, PhDJames Mulshine, MDYing Tang, PhDLubomir Hadjiiski, PhDNancy Obuchowski, PhDPierre Tervé, MS

Continued Discussion: Field Test and Logistics

- Issues to discuss:
 - O What infrastructure is available to support case reads?
 - What financial support is already available, and what is needed"
- Plan: discuss design for field test
- Patients: criteria and procedure
- Two year project
- Case collection in first year: estimate need of \$135,000
 - Write budget into draft proposal
- Readers for second year: recruit radiologists from QIBA membership
- Statistical analysis

General Discussion

- Dr. Goldmacher asked for items for discussion or to start conversation on existing items on the agenda
- IRB Approval
 - AAPM Statement
 - Precedent is that radiation safety officer will validate statement
 - Should not impact this project
- Dr. Obuchowski proposed a randomization process for readers
- Dr. Sullivan proposed that the committee consider a pocket phantom approach, which will help obtain ground truth with each patient scan

Action items

- Dr. Goldmacher to invite / remind presenters about upcoming presentations to the BC
- Leadership to discuss a spring / summer call schedule

Next Call: May 18: Continuation of Field Test Planning Discussion