## **QIBA CT Volumetry Technical Committee Update Call**

16 December 2013 at 11 AM CT (GMT-6) Call Summary

In attendance: RSNA:

Samuel G. Armato III, PhD (Co-Chair)
Gregory V. Goldmacher, MD, PhD (Co-Chair)
Hubert Beaumont, PhD
Andrew Buckler, MS
Heang-Ping Chan, PhD

David Gustafson, PhD Lubomir Hadjiiski, PhD Hyun Grace Kim, PhD Kevin O'Donnell, MASc Eric Perlman, MD Nicholas Petrick, PhD Daniel Sullivan, MD Uri Shreter, PhD Ying Tang, PhD Pierre Terve, MS Joe Koudelik Julie Lisiecki

## **General Discussion**

Charles Fenimore, PhD

## **Next steps for Profile compliance**

Per discussions at the RSNA annual meeting, small groups are to be formed as follows to finalize compliance parameters:

- o Patient preparation and "handling"
  - Jenifer Siegelman, Greg Goldmacher
- Image acquisition hardware and reconstruction software
  - Matthew Fuld, Mike McNitt-Gray, Kevin O'Donnell, Chuck Fenimore, Uri Shreter
- Image analysis (both software and human analysts/readers)
  - Sam Armato, Kevin O'Donnell, Rick Avila, Matthew Fuld, Chuck Fenimore

Anyone else with an interest in these topics is invited and urged to participate. Please contact RSNA staff or one of the small group members if interested.

The group continued discussion of compliance parameters and requirements Under consideration:

- How to determine compliance approach for 'actors' (e.g., human, device, site, etc.)
- o Consideration of self-reporting: practicality and feasibility
- Performance details/ specifications
- Use of checklists and phantoms to evaluate compliance/ maintain excellence
- o How restrictive should the requirements be?
- o At what stages in the implementation of the profile is compliance assessment performed

## **Next calls:**

- 1) **Monday, January 13, 2013 at 11 am CT**: Image acquisition hardware and reconstruction software {Matthew Fuld, Mike McNitt-Gray, Kevin O'Donnell, Chuck Fenimore, Uri Shreter}
- 2) **Monday, January 20, 2013 at 11 am CT**: Image analysis (both software and human analysts/readers) {Sam Armato, Kevin O'Donnell, Rick Avila, Matthew Fuld, Chuck Fenimore}
- 3) Monday, January 27, 2013 at 11 am CT: full Technical Committee call