QIBA Process Committee

Wednesday, November 4, 2015 at 3 PM CT Call Summary

Attendees: RSNA Staff:

Kevin O'Donnell, MASc (Chair)Brian Garra, MDNancy Obuchowski, PhDJoseph KoudelikDaniel Sullivan, MD (Co-Chair)Edward Jackson, PhDEric Perlman, MDSusan Weinmann

Cathy Elsinger, PhD

Revised Profile Template (Mr. O'Donnell)

- The current version of the Profile Template incorporates all of the changes informed by the various BCs in the QIBA Profile Template Improvements document
- Mr. O'Donnell has been utilizing a log on the Profile Template to track changes as they are made
- A link to the refined Claim Template will be added to the Profile Template, as the claim development process is separate from the Profile writing process
- The Claim and Profile Templates will share a common format/structure
- Clinical context and claims section will vary among Profiles detailed guidance on constructing claims statements is provided (additional input from the Metrology Work Group is welcome)
- Clinical language vetting is to be done at the BC, CC and SC levels as a quality control procedure

Next Steps

- The goal is to publish the Profile Template early next week and continue to review the Claim Template document
- Mr. O'Donnell will conduct a formatting run within the next two weeks
- Some QIBA groups are uncertain about what to include in their conformance sections: this would be a good topic for a future call
- Best practices regarding sequential test procedures will be compiled
- It was suggested that a QIBA group could volunteer for a "Profile makeover," wherein the Process Committee may shape the existing Profile around the new Template;

Next Call: Wednesday, November 18 at 3 PM CT