

QIBA COPD/Asthma Technical Committee Update

April 20, 2011 at 2 PM CDT

Call Summary

In attendance

Philip Judy, PhD (Co-chair)

David Lynch, MB (Co-chair)

Andrew Buckler, MS

Harvey Coxson, PhD

Sean Fain, PhD

Frank Ranallo

Jered Sieren

Berend Stoel, PhD

RSNA

Joe Koudelik

Agenda:

- Query if any interest in proposals for second round of funding
- Discussion of Profile/UPICT
 - Dr Judy to develop section 7; additional authors needed for different sections
 - Profile section development needed as well
 - Focus on densitometry work first, then airway measurement next
- Effect of table height variation on median CT number of lung

Next steps:

- Dr Judy to continue with protocol development (section 7 primarily)
 - Additional sections also need authoring
 - Mr Sieren graciously offered to help with section authoring
- Profile development to continue next
- Drs Judy and Lynch to follow up off-line to discuss next steps
- In-person Tech Cttee meeting at the QIBA Annual Meeting in May scheduled: 12PM -5PM on Day 2, May 25, 2011 (extended breakout session)
 - Agenda needed for the extended breakout session
- Next call:
 - April 27th (Lung Density Reference and Consistency Standards Work Group)
 - May 4th COPD/Asthma "general business" Update Call