

QIBA CT Volumetry Technical Committee (TC) Update Call

08 September 2014 at 11 AM CT

Call Summary

In attendance:

Samuel G. Armato, III, PhD (Co-Chair)

Gregory V. Goldmacher, MD, PhD (Co-Chair)

Maria Athellogou, PhD

Hubert Beaumont, PhD

Andrew Buckler, MS

Charles Fenimore, PhD

Matthew Fuld, PhD

David Gustafson, PhD

Rudresh Jarecha, MBBS

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Nancy Obuchowski, PhD

Kevin O'Donnell, MASC

Eric S. Perlman, MD

Adele Peskin, PhD

Nicholas Petrick, PhD

Jenifer Siegelman, MD

Daniel Sullivan, MD

Ying Tang, PhD

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RSNA:

Joe Koudelik

Julie Lisiecki

Agenda: Bring claim to full TC. Initiate Image QA activity.

Discussion:

- Dr. Goldmacher reviewed the proposed t-con schedule for QIBA CT Volumetry up to **RSNA 2014**.
- Recent updates to the claim language were discussed
 - Some additional statistical refinement is in the works
 - Inclusion of the work of QIBA Group 3A with different software / algorithms is under consideration
 - The most recent Profile claim language will be made available to any TC member interested in reviewing it between now and October 20th.
 - Interested tech committee members should contact RSNA staff: jlisiecki@rsna.org
 - Mr. O'Donnell to send the finalized document with explanatory text to RSNA staff for distribution upon request.
 - A finalized version is expected to be complete by the October 27th TC call.
 - General consensus was that a simple Claim formulation update would allow earlier release of a document for public use; discussion to continue off-line.
- Discussions on image QA will be continued via e-mail and are open to interested members; the goal of this separate activity is to assess Profile compliance.
- Mr. O'Donnell is converging documents for assessment of compliance
 - Additional input from clinical and analysis experts would be helpful, particularly for Section 3.

Next steps for CT Volumetry:

- Interested claim language volunteer reviewers to email RSNA staff: jlisiecki@rsna.org.
- Group to contemplate how CT Volumetry can implement procedures for a technical confirmation phase

September Call Schedule:

1. September 15th – Full TC: [Analysis subgroup discussion / 3A report – Dr. Athellogou to present to Tech Cttee](#)
2. September 22nd – Full TC: [Doug Steinfeld \(AGMednet\) – example of Profile use in the field](#)
3. September 29th – Scan and recon subgroup presentation