Information Modeling Project/FHIM Meeting

Summary of Call

Date/time of call: Friday, September 27, 2013 2:30 - 4:30 PM

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| **Attendees - Agency** | **Invited, but Unable to Attend** | **Invited, but Unable to Attend** |
| Steve Hufnagel – DoD | Sean Muir - FHA |  |
| Ioana Singureanu- HHS | Holly Miller - VHA |  |
| Robert Crawford – VHA | Catherine Hoang - VHA |  |
| David Bass – VHA | Charles Gabrial - DoD |  |
| Peter Rush-VA | John Kilbourne - NLM |  |
| Gregory Rehwoldt- VA/DoD/IPO | Coco Tsai - FDA |  |
| Rob Mcclure - FHA | Susan Matney - 3M |  |
| Iona Thraen - Utah Dept of Health | Bill Hess – FDA |  |
| JP Kelly- Lapierre | Lynn Sanders-VHA |  |
| Benton K Bovee - DoD | Kevin Coonan- IHS |  |
| Galen Mulrooney – FHA |  |  |
| Jay Lyle – FHA |  |  |
| Steven Wagner – FHA |  |  |
| Caitlin Ryan - FHA |  |  |

**Updates on S&I Framework integration/initiative and FHA work**

Meetings have been canceled for the week due to the government shutdown. FHA contract folks are still working.

**Terminology Modeling update**

Galen stated that Wednesday’s Terminology meeting looked at the provider domain and discussed Status. The classification of Providers was also discussed. Benton asked “has this group considered using part or all of an ontology in order to support multiple taxonomies--in general.” Galen and Rob M. responded and provided some clarification. It was decided that this conversation will be taken offline and that Benton should join the Terminology discussion to better understand the work being done in the FHIM.

**Other business**

There was a discussion on HL7 FHIR after Steve H. commented that it received many acclamations at HL7. Rob and Galen addressed some confusion over FHIR terminology and explained extensions. The group also discussed CDA and C-CDA as related to FHIR.

**Review and discussion of feedback on FHIM validation artifacts**

Galen told the group that he made many changes to the “Patient” model after last week’s call. Some of these changes were lost due to an issue with his software so they may not be shown on his screen. Galen then walked the group through the changes he tried to make. One change raised the question:

1. **Should Contact Party and Related Person be two separate classes?**

The group debated the logistics of keeping these classes separate. Questions concerning the context, relevance of Related Person to patient, and data field overlap were raised. The group also looked at vocabulary definitions and referenced other models outside of the FHIM to see how they modeled similar classes. It was determined that Contact Party and Related Person should remain modeled as two classes. They will be bi-directional so that they can see each other in the instance that the Contact Person is also a Related Person. Galen will add a note that certain restrictions will apply depending on the Use Case.

*Note:* Rob asked about applying Guard Restrictions. Galen deferred the question to Ioana who no longer was on the call; a note was added and will be discussed with Ioana offline.

**Wrap Up:** The next FHIM IM Project Call will take place as scheduled pending Stop Work Orders related to the Government Shutdown are addressed.

**Next Meeting:** Friday, October 11, 2013 at 2:30 EDT

| **Action Item Description** | **Responsible Individual** | **Due Date** |
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| Model and express the entity that is responsible for the patient ID and scope that particular provider role. | Galen | No date was set.  \*This A.I. was added from the 9/27 meeting |
| Invite Peter Rush and Benton Bovee to the Terminology meeting. | Galen |  |
| Ask Iona about Guard Restrictions | Galen | By next meeting |

**Information for future FHIM information and terminology modeling calls:**

**1) Information Modeling (IM) project call**

**Recurring Weekly Call Every Friday**

**Time of Call: 2:30 to 4:30 PM Eastern Time**

**Dial-in Information: 1 (773) 897-3018, Access Code: 585-151-437**

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**2) Terminology Modeling calls**

**Recurring Weekly Call Every Wednesday**

**Time of Call: 2:00 to 3:30 PM Eastern Time**

**Dial-in Information: 1 1 (773) 945-1031 Access Code: 849-124-653**

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