Information Modeling Project/FHIM Meeting

Summary of Call

Date/time of call: Friday, December 20, 2013 2:30 - 4:30 PM

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| **Attendees - Agency** | **Attendees-Agency (cont’d)** | **Invited, but Unable to Attend** |
| Krystol Shaw- DHA | Galen Mulrooney – FHA | Holly Miller - VA |
| Peter Rush- VA | Jay Lyle – FHA | Catherine Hoang - VA |
| Rob McClure –FHA | Caitlin Ryan-FHA | Kevin Coonan- IHS |
| Gregory Zektser- VHA |  | Bill Hess- FDA |
| Sean Kopka – VHA |  | Iona Thraen - Utah Dept of Health |
| Benton Bovee- DHA |  | Lynn Sanders-VA |
| David Bass- VHA |  | Robert Crawford – VA |
| Steve Hufnagel- DOD |  | Susan Matney - 3M |
| Larry Shaughnesy- DHA |  | Jay Sykes - VA |
| Sean Muir - FHA |  | Steve Wagner – FHA |

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

* Galen updated that the FHIM team is getting ready to publish the 2 domains for review; there are some last minute questions to address before doing so.
* There was not much to report from the S&I. At the simplification WG, Galen explained the FHIM modeling process to them as they are attempting to provide a set of tooling to the S&I Framework initiative and explained the differences between the tooling they are talking about and the FHIM.
* Ben pointed out that often he and his colleagues look at the FHIM and by the time they have feedback to submit for a value set its definition has been changed. Galen welcomed suggestions on how to manage the change log; perhaps allowing others to integrate through excel on the website.

**Terminology modeling update-** Jay Lyle

* Jay updated that there was no meeting this week; he has mostly been working on the publication for lab and immunizations domains.

**Other business-**

No other business was shared other than be working with them a bit closer

**Review of next two domains for federal government distribution-** Galen Mulrooney

* Galen addressed several questions related to the publication; he made all changes that did not need further investigation. Sean will look into the items that are not linking and correct them.

**Information modeling of the Provider information domain**

* Galen noted a discrepancy in the FHIM regarding the point of contact for an organization. Currently this POC is modeled two different ways in two different packages;

1. “Person” models this as a contact class, “OrganizationalRepresentative”, that hangs off of “Patient”.
2. “Provider” has a “PointofContact” class hanging off of “Organization”.

Galen asked if this should be changed so that in the “OrganizationalRepresentative” in “Person” points to “Organization” and then have the POC class in “Provider” get you to “Person”. This was not decided on during the call and will be further examined at a later time.

* Galen noted that the vocabulary for “LicensedProvider” needs to be “figured out”.
* Galen explained that the whole domain has been looked into except for affiliations.
  + He walked through the various types of affiliations and explained how to get to payment information via “NetworkAffiliations” and “HealthPlan”.
  + The “PrivelegeOrResponsibility” class is in the model but is currently blank. So far Galen has not come across any interoperability use cases for this item.
    - Larry Shaughnesy shared that the DoD IT system, used for credentialing, had an upgrade that consolidated and standardized the Privileges and Responsibilities for its three services. This led to a discussion of how the vocabulary for roles had been standardized among VA and DoD and that it should be suggested to the FHA Managing Board that the same be done for Privileges and Responsibilities. This would be a terminology effort, not an information modeling effort, to produce a “Privilege list”. Larry will try to get Galen some more information regarding their upgrade and the Privilege list.

**Wrap Up:** Next week’s call will be canceled due to the holiday.Galen thanked the group for their participation and ended the call.

**Next Meeting:** Friday, January 3, 2013 at 2:30 EDT

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| Make changes/corrections to “Immunizations and Labs” publication | Sean | 12/20 |
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**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**

**Web Meeting URL:** <https://global.gotomeeting.com/meeting/join/585151437>

**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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