IHE Technical Framework Change Proposal

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Several issues with URL and encoding in RID	
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Rationale for Change:

Might the IHE TF need to point out a potential user interaction issue that will arrise when a system starts seamlessly operating in multiple domains? We noticed at connectathon that it was not always obvious that a system had properly found the right patient. One application was showing the patient using it's domain identifiers, while a RID interface showed the proper patient's data showing a different domain identifier. The user could perceieve that these were different patients. A spin on this issue is that a user might wrongly assume a different interaction had found the proper patient cross reference when it had not.

I wonder if we can find good wording in the CCOW standard as they have had to deal with this issue.

Add text to paragraph in section 5; (please work up better words than this...)

When a system uses PIX it should (?) provide proper user feedback to indicate that it has or has not found a proper cross reference.