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Dear HL7 Member,

The HL7 Electronic Health Records Work Group has asked me to forward onto you a set of recommended corrections and modifications to the currently published “HL7 EHR-System Public Health Functional Profile, Release 2.” The referenced current balloted informative document dated March 2015 can be found on the HL7 Web site under the Standards Tab > EHR Profiles > HL7 EHR-System Public Health Functional Profile, Release 2.

This is an update to the Public Health Functional Profile. Changes include:

- An “ALL” spreadsheet that places all nine Public Health Functional Profiles into a single worksheet (which makes side-by-side comparison of Functional Profiles much easier).
- “Track-changes” columns in the “ALL” spreadsheet (that are initially hidden) are included to make it easier for our stakeholders to quickly determine which words (if any) were modified from the original EHR System Functional Model language.
- An “N/A” column is included to help our stakeholders know which of the EHR System Functional Model items were considered as “Non-Applicable”. This column also makes it easy for our stakeholders to very quickly filter out (that is, hide) the items that do not apply in a given Functional Profile.
- A few spelling corrections and a Function ID Number typo were fixed.

Please be sure to also review the “Instruction” tab which contains background information on each of these improvements to the publication package.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'John J. Quinn'.