

# **Cognitive Status Use Case Subgroup Meeting**

Time: Wednesday, July 24, 2019, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Location: WebEx Meeting Dial-in: 1-877-267-1577 Meeting ID: 995 299 766

Attendees: 20

PACIO Project Website: <a href="https://www.PACIOproject.org">www.PACIOproject.org</a>

PACIO Project GitHub: <a href="https://github.com/paciowg/PACIO-Project">https://github.com/paciowg/PACIO-Project</a>

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# **Meeting Notes**

1) Leadership Update (Siama Rizvi, MITRE)- Clinical Lead: Steven Buslovich, MD, MSHCPM

5 minutes

2) Interoperability Showcase Update (Hibah Qudsi, MITRE)

5 minutes

HIMSS20 Demonstration Topics revealed this week



 Anticipate aligning PACIO's work with the "Care Continuity Across the Care Spectrum" use case

#### 3) Cognitive Assessments in the DEL (Rachel Lopez, NIC)

20 minutes

- See "Cognitive Status Data Elements\_Cross-Setting Mapping\_PACIO.xlsx"
  - Tab 1: Intro/key
  - Tab 2: Cognitive Status Assessment Data Elements (Cross-Setting)
  - Tab 3: Data elements assessing for areas that may be impacted by/from a patient's cognitive status (Cross-setting)
  - Tab 4: Functional Assessment Standardized Items (FASI) used in home and community-based settings (HCBS)
    - 1. FASI group interested in aligning with functional elements
- These screening items are used consistently throughout PAC, therefore there is some consistency
- There may be value in developing a "Library of Cognitive Assessments", to include screens and diagnostic assessments
  - Identifying which assessment/tool to start with is always a challenge from a clinical perspective
  - Some tools are more appropriate for certain types of patients
  - Cognitive assessments are not required in acute care settings and are only conducted for neurological conditions/stroke
  - The longer a patient is in PAC settings, the more information can be gathered around cognition
  - Subgroup leadership to share a Google Doc for the group to collaboratively contribute to between calls
    - Next steps will include narrowing down which care paths to focus on, and identifying which assessments are best applicable to those care paths

#### **4) Executive Function** (Steve Buslovich, Patient Pattern)

20 minutes

- Important to assess for executive function in patients that do not have active delirium
  - Oral Trail Making Test no writing required; easy to conduct in any language
- Subgroup leadership to share literature around this need

# 5) Open Discussion

10 minutes

- VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:
  - Technical Developers to develop Functional Status & Cognitive Status IGs
  - EHR Vendors to test reference implementations for the Functional Status & Cognitive Status IGs, as well as the DEL IG that the MITRE team has currently developed



 Clinical SMEs to serve on the Interdisciplinary Clinical Advisory Group

### 6) Next Meeting:

- Wednesday, July 31, 2019, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

## 7) Upcoming Convening Opportunities:

- August 21-22: ONC Interoperability Forum
  - DEL/PACIO Session 8/21 @ 3 PM
- September 14-20: HL7 33rd Annual Plenary & Working Group Meeting
- October 13-15: NASL 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting

## 8) Homework

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# 9) Adjourn