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ABSTRACT

On the increasing demand for the better quality of healthcare services, there are topics that involve healthcare information technology in terms of operational efficiency. Healthcare information sharing and interoperability between healthcare organizations are one of the major solutions to improve healthcare service quality. But there still many challenges that inhibit solutions to become reality. There found the Integrating Healthcare Enterprise (IHE) initiative to standardize healthcare information sharing methods to address health document sharing issues between different enterprises, Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing (XDS.b) Profile which allows the adopted organizations to share health documents with each other simultaneously.

Like other industries, cyber-security threats have threatened the healthcare information domain. These threats increase the difficulty in the development of health information sharing networks and causing damage to healthcare enterprises. These cyber-threats can cause damage to the industry in many aspects, especially those cyber-attack that targeting integrity and availability of data. These kinds of cyber-attacks can severely hinder the continuity of medical operations, potentially resulting in the cost of a patient's life. There are many solutions technology proposed to deal with these kinds of cyber-attacks. One of the technologies that are the trend to deal with cyber-threats threatening integrity and availability of data is Blockchain technology.

Several research and concepts are proposed about Blockchain technology to solve health information sharing issues. But there still many limitations that prevented Blockchain technology from effectively integrated with data like health information. In this work, we propose another approach for integrating Blockchain technology with health information. IHE XDS.b profile could be used with Blockchain technology to allow health document sharing through the decentralized networks while address cyber-security issues through unique characteristics of Blockchain technology.

KEY WORDS: HEALTH INFORMATION / INTEROPERABILITY / INFORMATION SHARING / INFORMATION SECURITY / BLOCKCHAIN / SMART CONTRACT / IHE / XDS

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CHAPTER I INTRODUCTION

With the transition from the age of paperwork to digital records, the healthcare industry is now undergoing digital transformation. Efficiency and continuity are the main factors that driven the healthcare industry to change. Paperwork starts falling behind when a huge amount of data is produced by healthcare service operations from day to day. Health information undeniably has become an important component in developing efficient healthcare services [1–6]. On the increasing demand for the better quality of healthcare service, there is the topic that involves healthcare information technology in terms of operational efficiency. Healthcare information sharing and interoperability between healthcare organizations are one of the major solutions to improve healthcare service quality. Patient's health document data are scattered across different healthcare organizations, due to the foundation of healthcare informatics are separately developed by different organizations. Each healthcare organization has its own method to process and handle healthcare information. This makes it hard for one healthcare piece of information to interoperate with other. Lack of interoperability prevents many opportunities for healthcare service quality improvement. The patient may need to take extra repetitive care procedures when visiting a new hospital. Mistakes in communication between different physicians can cause misdiagnosis. So, there are many demands from the patient side that want their health journey to be connected and improve healthcare service quality.

To enable health information sharing from just one organization with another can cost much more than the benefit they can gain. Sharing health information with not fully-trusted party exposing vulnerabilities to the business model. The risks and benefits to the organization from sharing their patient information with others may not be worth it as compared to the risk. For example, health information sharing allows the physician to access a patient's health history in other hospitals give decent improvement to service quality, in turn, exposing the information access to cyber-criminal and provide a chance for business competitors to gain an advantage. This creates high friction for one

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organization to share their information with others. It was even more difficult for an individual patient to integrate their healthcare with different providers. This makes the interoperability issue to be extremely difficult for every single organization to solve on its own. It revealed that these interoperation problems cause a huge decrease in inefficiency in healthcare operations and result in lower quality of healthcare service [7–14]. But there is still no efficient way to be best solve the problem yet. That means there still have an open issue on how to solve interoperability in the field of healthcare. [7,9–11]

That way many initiatives start to standardize healthcare information technology to allow healthcare organizations to be able to interoperate with each other. Integrating Healthcare Enterprise (IHE) is one of the well-known initiatives that provide specifications for using healthcare informatics standardization. IHE provides an implementation framework and guideline for developing a health informatics system. For health document sharing between different organizations, IHE provides a Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing (XDS.b) profile. The profile act as a guideline for the system developer to implement their system to meet the requirement where the system can share health document with other organizations. This profile will be the main focus of this work, to deal with the health information sharing problem.

In the current age of information digitalization, cybersecurity has become an important issue for many organizations and individuals. Anyone can become a target of cyber-attacks. The healthcare industry is one of the major targets that become a victim of cyber-attacks each year [15]. Followed by the digitalization of hospital operations and information systems, the amount of cyber-attack and variations rise as the technology developed. These incidents variant from breaches in personal health information to the larger size of attacks which can potentially halt hospital operations that cause damage in various kinds. It may cost the hospital more than a million, or even cost individuals' life because of the incident for the worst.

There are many kinds of incidents targeting the healthcare industry. In recent years, one of the major incidents found throughout the industry is a hospital data breach. Data breaches often appeared in the form that hospital data got compromised by hackers. The compromised data can be valuable in the criminal world as it can be used for various kinds of criminal activities like identity theft, blackmailing, or social engineering

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because the data may include patients' personal information and their health condition. This kind of incident can potentially cost hospitals 'a trust' issues from their patients, as individuals' medical conditions and privacy are being exploited. Also, there is the case that not just gain unauthorized access to patient's private data but, take over the data or even wipe all important data out of existence. 'Ransomware' and 'Wipeware' are the main cause of these threats. Ransomware takes over ownership over data away from the hospital system and encrypts all the data which often takes an important role in hospital operation. At the same time, Wipeware will delete all the data from the victim machine. This mostly causes great disruption in hospital operation as consequence. Incidents that showed up in recent years seem to target healthcare organization more frequently, as the industry still have poor cybersecurity practices [16]. Many incidents [16–18] showed that social engineering launched on healthcare employees is on rising. The threat has the potential to seamlessly blend into hospital workflow and made it hard to be noticed. However, follow these incidents, many stakeholders in the healthcare domain start to implement cyber-security to their organization infrastructure.

At the foundation, each organization must start with educating their employees on cyber-security awareness to reduce the risk of cyber-incident that may cause by human error or human vulnerabilities. Next, define organization policy and management plan that help prepare against cyber-incident. When employees and management level of organization have prepared cyber-security, the organization will focus on cybersecurity of the technology layer. There is various kind of tools and technology that was invented to mitigate cyber-incidents. Some may have been made to prevent exploitation of existing technology while some may have been made to directly deal with known and upcoming threats.

One of many concepts invented to mitigate these threats is the decentralization of data. The concept of decentralization was made to mitigate most incidents and threats that involve single-point of failure vulnerability. In the case of the healthcare industry where the loss of patient data can cause many major damages to the affected organization and their patient, decentralization of data can help reduce damage caused by the case. There is more than one benefit that healthcare document data can gain from decentralization. Decentralization allows patient data that scattered across healthcare domains in different organizations to link to each other. As healthcare document data

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can be scattered across the different organizations within the healthcare industry, it also increases the chance that its copies can survive cyber-incidents. Even in case, that document in one organization got compromised, there is a chance that copies of compromised data also exist in other organizations. The survived copies can make a substitute for the original that got compromised. However, this only possible if there is a point that lets every organization in the network known which document exists in which organization. This is where the concept of the IHE Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Profile fits in. Combined with Blockchain technology that makes the Document Registry entry persist and immutable, this ensures that every organization in the network will always know the whereabouts of document they need within the network while the entry itself cannot be tempered or deleted by any actor with ill intention.

This work will introduce another way to allow health document sharing between healthcare organizations with increased protection against cyber-threats, by using a combination of Blockchain and IHE Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing (XDS.b) Profile.

1.2 Problem statement

There is no reliable software platform that supports securely and confidentially sharing healthcare documents between healthcare systems and organizations. The platform must allow sharing of healthcare documents between different healthcare organizations while still maintaining the confidentiality of data and also help mitigate emerging cyber-threats in the healthcare domain that tend to tamper with integrity and availability of data. The platform must act as the health document exchange medium that has distributed, decentralized, persistent, confidential, and immutable availability characteristics.

1.3 Objective

- 1.3.1 Design and implement Document Registry Blockchain shall follow the requirement for document registry defined in the XDS.b integration profile from IHE.
- 1.3.2 Design and implement Blockchain smart contract shall provide the main function to Document Registry Blockchain as healthcare document registry which comprises of health document registering function and health document search

function.

- 1.3.3 Design and implement Blockchain smart contract shall have additional function to record healthcare document exchange between participate node.
- 1.3.4 Deploy and evaluate the functionality of Document Registry on Blockchain.

1.4 Scope of project

- 1.4.1 Design and implementation of Document Registry Blockchain shall follow requirements defined in XDS.b integration profile from IHE.
- 1.4.2 Design and implementation of Blockchain smart contract within Document Registry Blockchain that gives the main function as healthcare document registry and additional function as healthcare document exchange history record.

CHAPTER II LITERATURE REVIEWS

2.1 Integrating the Healthcare Enterprise (IHE)

Integrating Healthcare Enterprise initiative (IHE) is an initiative founded by RSNA and HIMSS working closely with healthcare industry with the objective to improve the way computer systems in healthcare integrate and share their information. IHE promotes the coordinated use of established standards such as DICOM and HL7 to address specific clinical needs in support of optimal patient care. Systems developed in accordance with IHE communicate with one another better, are easier to implement and enable care providers to use information more effectively. This helps enables accessibility to health information that is usable whenever and wherever needed. The initiative is responsible for providing specifications, tools, and services for interoperability. They also engage clinicians, health authorities, industry, and users to develop, test, and implement standards-based solutions to vital health information needs [19]. The initiative provides a convenient and reliable way of specifying a level of compliance to standards sufficient to achieve truly efficient interoperability.

2.1.1 IHE Process

Figure 2-1 show the IHE Process where the initiative brings together users and developers of healthcare information technology in an annually recurring four-step process. The process started with clinical and technical experts define critical use cases for information sharing then followed by technical experts create detailed specifications for communication among systems to address these use cases. IHE participants also select and optimize established standards during this step. After that, the industry implements these specifications which would be called "IHE Profile" into their healthcare information technology system. The initiative then tests these implemented systems at carefully planned and supervised events called "Connectathons" to ensure that the resulting implementation of IHE Profiles will provide benefit for the implementer and make their works compatible with others in the healthcare industry.

The initiative committees follow the four-step annual process as shown in Figure 2-1 to address interoperability in a variety of clinical domains. They have worked in various areas including Cardiology, Dental, Devices, Endoscopy, Eye Care, Information Technology Infrastructure, Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Patient Care Coordination, Pharmacy, Quality, Research, and Public Health, Radiation Oncology, Radiology, Surgery.

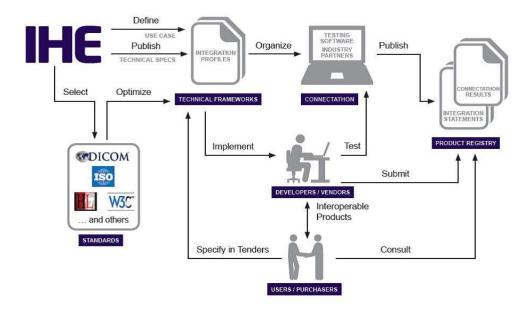


Figure 2-1 IHE Process to create guideline for implementation of health information technology [20]

2.1.2 IHE Integration Profiles

IHE Integration Profiles or IHE Profile are products of the IHE Process which provide a standards-based framework for sharing information within care sites and across networks. They address critical interoperability issues related to information access for the care given to providers to patients in an area of clinical workflow, security, administration, and information infrastructure, etc. IHE Profile was purposely designed to offer a clear implementation path for IT developers to develop and implement IT systems for a healthcare organization that meets the needs and compatible with the environment of the healthcare industry while also aiding them in dealing with various kinds of communication standards existing within the healthcare IT domain. These profiles organize and leverage the integration capabilities that can be achieved by the

coordinated implementation of communication standards, such as DICOM, HL7 W3C, and security standards. They provide precise definitions of how standards can be implemented to meet specific clinical needs. [21] Each profile specifically defines the actors, transactions, and information content required to address the clinical use case by referencing appropriate standards. IHE Profiles that have undergone IHE Process, sufficient testing, and deployment in real-world care settings and have reached final text (approved) status, will be published in specification documents called "IHE Technical Frameworks" (IHE TF). There is one Technical Framework per IHE clinical domain, with each framework comprised of multiple volumes. The Technical Frameworks provide detailed explanations for each IHE Profile specified by their interoperability issues and dependencies among the Integration Profile.

2.1.3 IHE Information Technology Infrastructure Technical Framework

IHE IT Infrastructure Technical Framework (ITI TF) defines specific implementations of established standards to achieve integration goals that promote appropriate sharing of medical information to support optimal patient care. It is expanded annually, after a period of public review, and maintained regularly through the identification and correction of errata. The framework identifies a subset of the functional components of the healthcare enterprise, called IHE actors, and specifies their interactions in terms of a set of coordinated, standards-based transactions. It describes this body of transactions in progressively greater depth. The framework is divided into four volumes. The first volume describes concept detail of IHE ITI Integration Profiles. The second volume divided into four sub-volumes; a, b, c, and x which describe concept detail of all transactions present in the framework. The third volume provides further explanation into the specifications of cross-transaction and content used in Document Sharing Profiles. The fourth volume provides additional national extensions related to the framework.

2.1.4 Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Set-b (XDS.b) Profile

The Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Set-b (XDS.b) IHE Integration Profile facilitates the registration, distribution and access across health enterprises of patient electronic health records. [22] The profile is focused on providing a standards-based specification for managing the sharing of documents between any healthcare enterprises, ranging from a private physician office to a clinic to an acute care in-patient

facility. XDS is generic term to reference all XDS profiles which are Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Profiles. XDS.a and XDS.b are implementation profiles that describe technically how the implementation will be done. XDS-I is an XDS implementation specifically for medical imaging [23]. In IHE IT Infrastructure Technical Framework Vol.1 latest published in 2018 declared that term XDS within the ITI Technical Framework refers generically to any flavor of XDS, currently only XDS.b [22]. The main goal of XDS.b profile is to allow XDS Affinity Domain members to share health document via XDS Document Registry. That mean, its process mainly about make metadata of document within XDS Document Repository available on XDS Document Registry entry. This allow any XDS Document Consumer to visit XDS Document Registry and seek for the document they need, before retrieve it from the XDS Document Repository that the document belong to.

The process overview of Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing (XDS.b) profile is described in Figure 2-2. The figure also showed sequence of process along with involving XDS actors and XDS transaction format. At the beginning, each health document will be created from its sources along with its metadata attributes. These sources will be called 'XDS Document Source actor' which can be any machine involved in healthcare service, for example; CT scanner, laptop in each physician office, or central computer in medical lab. Next, these created documents along with its metadata will be sent to data storage which act as document repository. These repositories will be called 'XDS Document Repository actor' which usually be some kind of computer or server that was assigned to keep medical document available for use. According to XDS.b profile, XDS Document Source will send document metadata in the format of Provide and Register Document Set-b (ITI-41) format. In some case, XDS Document Source and XDS Document Repository may integrated together. This is called 'XDS Integrated Document Source Repository actor'. The XDS Integrated Document Source Repository functions the same way as XDS Document Source and XDS Document Repository will do but, combined together.

After the document and its metadata was sent to XDS Document Repository, the repository will index and make the document available for usage. At the same time, XDS Document Repository registers metadata along with identifier and locator of the repository itself to local document registry. The message transaction in this process will

follow format of Register Document Set-b (ITI-42). The document registry will be called 'XDS Document Registry actor'. XDS Document Registry is software or machine that keep all document metadata and its corresponding repository from all connected repositories available for discovery. Commonly, XDS Document Registry should be database that keep document metadata from all connected repositories available for discovery through database query. However, there are no restriction from XDS.b profile for method to keep these data and how to discover each document metadata using specified document metadata attributes. There are just requirement that require XDS Document Registry to be able to accept value of specified document attributes from XDS Document Consumer and return the matched document to the consumer.

In XDS.b profile, 'XDS Document Consumer actor' can be any kind of software or machine that allow user like healthcare employees to access health document or medical document they need. There are no restriction in XDS.b profile that specified XDS Document Consumer actor to be different software or machine from other actors. XDS Document Consumer actor will just require user to specify value of known document metadata attributes which will allow XDS Document Repository to search for matching document metadata in its database. After received document attributes value from its user, XDS Document Consumer actor will send the specified attributes to XDS Document Registry. This message transaction will follow format of Registry Stored Query (ITI-18). Then, XDS Document Registry process received attributes by search for matching document metadata and return full document metadata which it found to XDS Document Consumer. XDS Document Consumer actor show founded result to its user. The user pick the right document they need and issue to XDS Document Repository corresponding to the document for document retrieval via XDS Document Consumer actor. XDS Document Consumer will send document retrieval request transaction in the format of Retrieve Document Set-b (ITI-43). After XDS Document Repository received document retrieval request from XDS Document Consumer, the repository will seek for the specified document and return the document to XDS Document Consumer. XDS Document Consumer actor will make the retrieved document available for user to use.

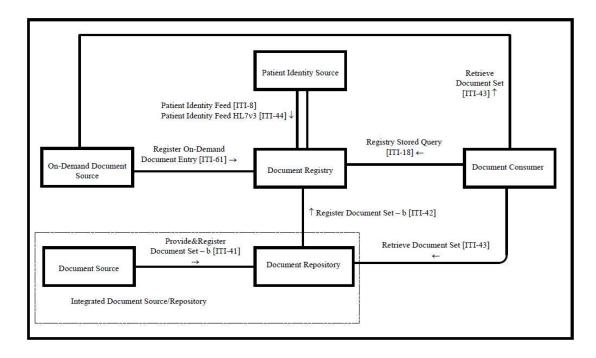


Figure 2-2 Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing - b Diagram [22]

2.1.5 XDS Transaction Format Types

In XDS.b profile, all messaging transaction will be in the form of XML format with schema depend on each types of transaction. Types of XDS transaction format vary upon involving actors and its purpose.

2.1.5.1 Provide and Register Document Set – b (ITI-41)

Provide and Register Doccument Set – b (ITI-41) transaction format defines XML schema for message that sends metadata of document from XDS Document Source actor to XDS Document Repository actor for store into document repository. This type of transaction mainly requires XDS Document Source to include all available metadata attributes of created document for other XDS actor. XDS Document Repository actor would need to acknowledge to XDS Document Source if it successfully received document and its metadata.

2.1.5.2 Register Document Set – b (ITI-42)

Register Document Set – b (ITI-42) defines XML schema for message that sends metadata of available document in repository from XDS Document Repository actor to XDS Document Registry actor to register the document into document registry entry. Main purpose of this type of transaction is to pass document metadata stored in

repository to XDS Document Registry actor addition with attributes about the repository. XDS Document Registry actor will need to respond back to XDS Document Repository actor when received the transaction and register it to document registry entry.

2.1.5.3 Registry Stored Query (ITI-18)

Register Stored Query (ITI-18) is general XML schema format that used by one actor to query for data from other actor in entire IHE IT Infrastructure Framework. In this work, the transaction will be used by XDS Document Consumer actor to request for document metadata it seek from XDS Document Registry actor. Any document metadata attributes known by XDS Document Consumer will be included in the transaction. XDS Document Registry will use specified metadata attributes to search for matching document metadata inside document registry entry. XDS Document Registry will need to respond to XDS Document Consumer actor that it received the request. XDS Document Registry also needs to return search result to XDS Document Consumer.

2.1.5.4 Retrieve Document Set (ITI-43)

Retrieve Document Set (ITI-43) define XML schema for XDS Document Consumer to request document retrieval from XDS Document Repository. Different to other transactions involved in XDS.b profile, Retrieve Document Set transaction only contain few essential attributes to allow retrieval of document from document repository. XDS Document Repository will need to acknowledge to XDS Document Consumer when received the transaction before return the requested document.

2.1.6 Transaction Object Type and Metadata Attributes

In each transaction, there are set of metadata attributes that represent the document. These metadata attributes are categorized to three sections. SubmissionSet (Table 2-1) represent information associated with submission of document since it was created by the source. Folder (Table 2-2) represent group that the document belongs to. DocumentEntry (Table 2-3) represent the document itself.

2.1.6.1 SubmissionSet

Table 2-1 SubmissionSet Metadata Attributes

| SubmissionSet | Description |
|---------------------|--|
| Metadata Attributes | |
| author | The humans and/or machines that authored the SubmissionSet. This |
| | attribute contains the sub-attributes: authorInstitution, authorPerson, |
| | authorRole, authorSpecialty, authorTelecommunication. |
| availabilityStatus | The lifecycle status of the SubmissionSet. |
| comments | Comments associated with the SubmissionSet. |
| contentTypeCode | The code specifying the type of clinical activity that resulted in placing the |
| | associated content in the SubmissionSet. |
| entryUUID | A globally unique identifier used to manage the entry. |
| homeCommunityId | A globally unique identifier for a community. |
| intendedRecipient | The organizations or persons for whom the SubmissionSet is intended. |
| limitedMetadata | A flag that the associated SubmissionSet was created using the less |
| | rigorous metadata requirements as defined for the Metadata-Limited |
| | Document Source. |
| patientId | The patientId represents the primary subject of care of the |
| | SubmissionSet. |
| sourceld | Identifier of the entity that contributed the SubmissionSet. |
| submissionTime | Point in time at the creating entity when the SubmissionSet was created |
| title | The title of the SubmissionSet. |
| uniqueld | Globally unique identifier for the SubmissionSet assigned by the creating |
| | entity. |

2.2.6.2 Folder

Table 2-2 Folder Metadata Attributes

| Folder Metadata | Description |
|--------------------|--|
| Attributes | |
| availabilityStatus | The lifecycle status of the Folder. |
| codeList | The set of codes specifying the type of clinical activities that resulted in |
| | placing DocumentEntry objects in the Folder. |
| comments | Comments associated with the Folder. |
| entryUUID | A globally unique identifier used to manage the entry. |
| homeCommunityId | A globally unique identifier for a community. |
| lastUpdateTime | Most recent point in time that the Folder has been modified. |
| limitedMetadata | A flag that the associated Folder was created using the less rigorous |
| | metadata requirements as defined for the Metadata-Limited Document |
| | Source. |
| patientId | The patientId represents the primary subject of care of the Folder. |
| title | The title of the Folder |
| uniqueld | Globally unique identifier for the Folder. |
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2.2.6.3 DocumentEntry

Table 2-3 DocumentEntry Metadata Attributes

| DocumentEntry | Description |
|---------------------|--|
| Metadata Attributes | |
| author | The humans and/or machines that authored the document. This attribute |
| | contains the sub-attributes: authorInstitution, authorPerson, authorRole, |
| | authorSpecialty and authorTelecommunication. |
| availabilityStatus | The lifecycle status of the DocumentEntry |
| classCode | The code specifying the high-level use classification of the document type |
| | (e.g., Report, Summary, Images, Treatment Plan, Patient Preferences, |
| | Workflow). |
| comment | Comments associated with the document. |
| confidentialityCode | The code specifying the level of confidentiality of the documented. |
| creationTime | The time the author created the document. |
| entryUUID | A globally unique identifier used to manage the entry. |
| eventCodeList | This list of codes represents the main clinical acts, such as a colonoscopy |
| | or an appendectomy, being documented. |
| formatCode | The code specifying the detailed technical format of the document. |
| hash | The hash of the contents of the document. |
| healthcareFacility | This code represents the type of organizational setting of the clinical |
| TypeCode | encounter during which the documented act occurred. |
| homeCommunityId | A globally unique identifier for a community. |
| languageCode | Specifies the human language of character data in a document. |
| legalAuthenticator | Represents a participant within an authorInstitution who has legally authenticated or attested the document. |
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2.2 Blockchain Technology

2.2.1 Definition of Blockchain

Blockchain is a list of records, or "blocks", that are linked to one another and cryptographically secured [24]. Blockchain is a technology that allows data to be stored and exchanged on a peer-to-peer basis. Structurally, Blockchain data can be consulted, shared and secured thanks to consensus-based algorithms [25]. Blockchain is a sequence of blocks, which holds a complete list of transaction records like conventional public ledger [26]. Participants in a Blockchain network have records of every transaction and these records are stored locally on the computers of all participants in that Blockchain network. Any kind of regime or protocol change to a Blockchain network requires consensus between the users of the network. In 2008, the Blockchain idea was combined with several other technologies and computing concepts to create modern cryptocurrencies which is electronic cash protected through cryptographic mechanisms instead of a central repository or authority.

This technology became widely known in 2009 with the launch of the Bitcoin network as the first widely known Blockchain network with its purpose as cryptocurrency, followed by multi-purpose Blockchains like Ethereum and many other platforms with their own applications. For cryptocurrency Blockchain like Bitcoin, the transfer of digital information that represents electronic cash takes place in a distributed system. Bitcoin users can digitally sign and transfer their rights to that information to another user and the Bitcoin Blockchain records this transaction into Blockchain's distributed ledger, make it available for public verification. Blockchain was designed to defy the concept of having a single centralized system as the host of the network which subsequently allow the concept of decentralization to take the place by having many members of the network to equally maintain the replicated distributed ledger. Combined with the cryptographically hashed "Block" and "Chain" concept, makes the Blockchain resilient to any attempts to alter information recorded in the distributed ledger. With the contribution of the Blockchain developer community, the technology now available for a variety of applications and being researched for a variety of further usage in many industries. [27]

According to the document "Blockchain Technology Overview" [27] which published by National Institute of Standards and Technology from U.S. Department of

Commerce, Blockchain can be informally define as: A distributed digital ledgers of cryptographically signed transactions that are grouped into blocks. Each block is cryptographically linked to the previous one (making it tamper evident) after validation and undergoing a consensus decision. As new blocks are added, older blocks become more difficult to modify (creating tamper resistance). New blocks are replicated across copies of the ledger within the network, and any conflicts are resolved automatically using established rules.

2.2.2 Benefit of Blockchain

Blockchain tampers evident and tamper-resistant digital ledgers implemented in a distributed fashion and usually without a central authority. At their basic level, they enable a community of users to record transactions in a shared ledger within that community, such that under normal operation of the Blockchain network no transactions can be changed once published [27].

2.2.3 Blockchain Characteristics

Key characteristics of the Blockchain can be vary depend on its setup and environment of usage. According to many sources, key characteristics of the Blockchain may be summarized as followed:

2.2.3.1 Decentralization

Decentralization is the foundation of Blockchain technology as response to problem of centralized system. In centralized system, especially centralized database, there is a chance that the database got compromised by hacker. Other than rely on backup data, there are very few options to deal with the incident. This makes the compromised database become single point of failure which prevent follower system to operate. Decentralization of data was proposed to scatter the chance of single database from getting compromise. This makes decentralized database network have more resistant against incident threatening centralized data. Even hit by incident that aims to compromise the data. If at least half of decentralized network survived the incident, the data survives the attack.

2.2.3.2 Immutable

With utilization of cryptographically hashed chain combined with decentralized network, the Blockchain technology ensures that any data published on Blockchain cannot be deleted or modified. If there are any modification made to content of published data, it will cause change on the hash chain and detected the network. Any action that causes change to hash chain will be negate by majority of the network. This mean if anyone want to temper with published data on Blockchain, they will need to compromise the entire network at once. Any survived node has chance to notify the abnormal to the entire network.

2.2.3.3 Transparency

As the foundation of Blockchain is to have all participant nodes have the exact same copy of Blockchain ledger, it passively gives transparency to published data. It is impossible for anyone to secretly hide something inside Blockchain without let other participants in the Blockchain network know.

2.2.3.4 Distributed

Blockchain has distributed characteristic by design. All nodes will have the same Blockchain ledger. Any contents published to Blockchain ledger are passively distributed to all Blockchain node. With consensus algorithm, it requires that the publishing content either sent to all nodes before accepting to publish or being accepted then send to all node, to complete consensus. So, Blockchain ensures that any data published to the chain are distributed to all connected nodes.

2.2.3.5 Trusted

In public network where anyone can participate or in permissioned network where participants are not completely trust each other, trust is the main factor that define usability of decentralized network. Along with Blockchain technology, consensus solve the issue about trust by eliminate the chance of any single node participate in Blockchain to have absolute control over publishing data when certain condition is met. It can rely either on randomness or specially designed algorithm depend on each consensus method. When none of any single node can have absolute control over publishing data on the Blockchain, made it extremely difficult for someone to temper with target data. Many consensus methods ensure that it will much more expensive for anyone to attempt on tempering with publishing data when compared to benefit they can get. This passively establishes trust between all participant nodes.

2.2.4 Blockchain Types

When considering the scope of participants who can participate in a specific Blockchain network, Blockchain can be categorized into three types of Blockchain networks.

2.2.4.1 Public Chain

Public Blockchain is the type that allows anyone to participate in the network either participating as client/user node or miner/validator node. This type of Blockchain mostly has no specific rule, policy, or agreement for participants to enter the network. The type is suited best with the network environment where its data is not required to be kept confidential from the public.

2.2.4.2 Private Chain

Private Blockchain is the type that allows only a limited number of members to participate. This type was invented to be more compatible with the environment that participant nodes are members of a specific organization or community where the Blockchain ledger may record confidential information limited only to participants.

2.2.4.3 Permissioned Chain

Permissioned Blockchain is the type that allows only selected members of a specific community or affinity domain to participate, and it is also known as consortium Blockchain. Permissioned Chain is different from Private Chain in terms of scalability. As the private chain was limited for pre-selected members, the permission chain may further extend its member to a larger group of members via policy or agreement accepted by original participants. At the same time, the permission chain will not allow anyone to participate in the network as the Blockchain ledger may contain confidential information limited to the accepted group of participants.

2.2.5 Blockchain Components

2.2.5.1 Transaction and 'Block'

Each of individual information represent change or cause of actions in information system are stored within Blockchain as "Transaction". Several transactions being publish to Blockchain within the same time interval are put in the same "Block". To form each single block, miner or validator needs to hash transaction together. The resulting hash value represents integrity of each block. If there are any change apply to

transaction in the block, it will cause hash value of the block to change. Format of block vary depends on each Blockchain platform and its use case. Some platforms may publish in a form of plaintext just to act as the source of truth for every participating node to look without constraint. Some platforms may bound transaction or block to unique address to extend variation in accessibility. Some platforms may encrypt block to maintain confidentiality of data. Transaction and Block are the key component which determine purpose and application of Blockchain.

2.2.5.2 Cryptographically hashed 'Chain'

Other than the concept of "Block", The Blockchain concept also introduced the concept of "Chain. As integrity of each Block represent by its hash value, integrity of entire Blockchain represent by all hash value of all Block within "Chain". The foundation of "Chain" concept is by chaining hash value of all blocks together. This can be done by include hash value of block formed in previous time interval into the current block to generate its hash value. Any changes made to any one single block will alter hash value of the entire chain that come after. This makes it harder to alter data that published within Blockchain. It requires anyone who want to alter the data to apply change to all blocks that come after the target block until the current one to make the change valid. Combined with decentralization characteristic of Blockchain network, this makes data exist in Blockchain nearly impossible to alter.

2.2.5.3 Distributed network of participate 'Node'

Any machine that participates in the Blockchain network is called "Node". Nodes represent the population of each Blockchain network. Each node keeps the same copy of data in Blockchain which is the Blockchain ledger and always tends to in sync with each other via Blockchain-specific protocol depend on each platform. In the case of Ethereum, the platform utilize devp2p protocol which allows each Ethereum node to connect with others at a peer-to-peer level [29]. If there are any differences in data between nodes, the version of data is being held by a minority of participating nodes. They will be clarified as false before rejected by the entire network and replaced by the right version accepted by the network. In each Blockchain network, some nodes may participate as "miners" or be elected as "validators" of the network at each different time interval. Miner/Validator nodes have a duty to perform the task which maintaining the consensus of the network. The Blockchain can be alive only if they are at least one

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participating node to maintain the Blockchain, while the strength of its characteristics depends on the number of participating nodes. In most cases, more participating nodes mean stronger Blockchain.

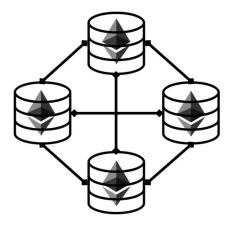


Figure 2-3 Blockchain network formed from the participation of Blockchain nodes

2.2.5.4 Consensus

Each Blockchain network must have its own consensus within the network. Specifically, it is not just the consensus between the member but the built-in consensus mechanism within the communication protocol connects each member in the network. The consensus mechanism acts a vital role to ensure the integrity of the Blockchain ledger by ensuring that everyone in the network is holding the same copy of the Blockchain ledger and no one has full control over data adding to the Blockchain ledger or have the right to select which version of the Blockchain ledger for the network to maintain. There are many variations of consensus invented since the beginning of Blockchain technology. Each has its own method of investing resources to achieve complete consensus. The existing consensus concept at the time can be divided into three major types based on the participation of Blockchain members who declared to act as maintainers of the Blockchain ledger.

2.2.5.4.1 Competition-based consensus

The type was the first to introduced along with the beginning of Bitcoin Blockchain which called "Proof of Work" (PoW). The competition-based consensus like PoW requires Blockchain maintainer node (which was called "miner") to invest

computational resources on competing with other miners to solve the specific mathematical puzzle which only computational power can effectively solve. The first miner who can solve the puzzle will have the right to add the adding Block to the Blockchain ledger and receive a reward declared by the network which would compensate the investment. In the case of PoW, a miner must randomly generate a correct "nonce" number that when hashing together with the hash value of the adding Block will result in a hash value with a digit of '0' beginning specified by the network (such as 0x0000000abcd). This kind of puzzle ensures that the chance where malicious actors want to attempt malicious activity on the specific transactions on certain Blocks is at least possible. Combined with the increase in the number of miners entering the competition given that chance becomes nearly impossible to achieve. This consecutively ensures the integrity of the Blockchain ledger and gives transparency to Blockchain. The scenario of competition-based consensus suited best to Public Blockchain where anyone can participate in Blockchain. The more miner entering the competition means the more reliability and transparency for the Blockchain. Additionally, the reward-based nature of the concept can even further synergize the Blockchain to have more miners participate in the network. However, due to the competition will have major of computational power invested in achieving consensus, that means the environment where computational power is limited and precious to its member will not be compatible with this type of consensus.

2.2.5.4.2 Randomness-based consensus

The type was originally introduced as an alternative to a competition-based consensus like PoW and to address the problem where major computational power will be wasted in achieving consensus. The concept proposes utilizing randomness to aid in the selection of the Blockchain maintainer at a certain time. Widely known consensus mechanisms that can be categorized to this type are "Proof of Stake" (PoS) and "Proof of Authority" (PoA) which using pseudo-random algorithm combined with additional factor to determine for the node that has the right to add Block to the Blockchain ledger at a certain time (which would be called "validator). Both PoS and PoA require validator candidate to place "the bet" on "the stake" which would mostly be cryptocurrency circulating in the network. The one with a higher bet put on a stake will have a higher chance to be selected as the validator of the time. However, there is still a chance that

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the one with a lower bet can be selected as the validator instead. The one that has been selected as the validator will gain all the bet placed on the stake. That means each candidate needs to take an equal risk to gain and loss their available bet. This consecutively results as distributed right amongst the network similar sense to what achieved in competition-based consensus.

As this type of consensus act as an alternative to competition-based consensus, that means the environment best suited with this type of consensus is where its member cannot effort to lose computational power in competition-based consensus altogether.

2.2.5.4.3 Majority-based consensus

This type of consensus was also introduced as another alternative to a competition-based consensus like PoW. The original concept of this consensus type was originated from the "Practical-Byzantine False Tolerance" (PBFT) method. The method was invented for the traditional logic systems to determine for decision the system would take in the assumption that the majority of its members are on the "good side" and will take responsibility to help the system achieve the best decision. Implement to Blockchain, the consensus mechanism requires all participate node to act in a similar fashion to the validator. The network will only accept the adding Block to the Blockchain ledger when the adding version is the similar version in a majority of the network. This means it requires the adding Block to be the version that 2/3 of all member nodes propose to add to the Blockchain ledger. This eliminates the chance where malicious actor which assumed to be the minority of the network to attempt malicious activity on the adding Block. However, due to the majority-based nature of the type, it is only compatible with Blockchain types with only known members including Private and Permissioned Blockchain.

2.3 Ethereum and Smart-Contract

Ethereum is one of the well-known open-source Blockchain platforms. The platform initially invented by the developer named Vitalik Buterin and further develop and maintain by the Ethereum community [28]. The main approach of Ethereum Blockchain is about the use of Blockchain technology for applications other than cryptocurrency. The platform was the first to propose the concept of a 'smart contract' that enables programming over Blockchain technology.

2.3.1 Smart Contract

The concept of smart contract was initially proposed by Ethereum [28, 30]. Now the word 'smart contract' become common word to describe feature that allows developer to design the content that publishes to Blockchain and its computational behavior. In Ethereum, smart contract code is written with Solidity programming language. Smart contracts define what behavior the contract will do when open/view by user. Smart contracts rely on Ethereum Virtual-Machine (EVM) which allow host machine of Ethereum client to be able to execute smart contract Solidity code. EVM was designed to allow portability of Ethereum platform and always packed with Ethereum client. Now there are many interface tools developed by Ethereum community that allow Ethereum client to work with major programming languages. This further extend usage of smart contract to infinite possibilities.

Solidity is Javascript-like programming language that is specifically designed to use with Ethereum smart contract [30]. The main purpose of the programming language is to act as the middle between human-understandable language and computer language. It reduces difficulty for developer to design behavior of their smart contract on Ethereum Blockchain. The language is update and maintain by Ethereum community.

2.3.2 Quorum [31, 32]

Quorum (or later renamed as GoQuorum) is an Ethereum-based distributed ledger protocol forked of go-ethereum enabled for transaction/contract privacy and a wider range of majority-based consensus mechanisms compatibility. The platform was initially developed by "JPMorgan" and further developed and maintained by the Quorum community. Quorum enables the usage of PBFT by inventing a PBFT-inspired consensus algorithm called Istanbul BFT which was adapted to be compatible with the Ethereum Blockchain environment. The platform also offers the "7-Nodes Example" [33] for developers to invent and test their Blockchain concept which is useful for the development with the limited computational resources available.

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2.4 Related Work

There are many research proposing about decentralize healthcare information with Blockchain technology. The goal of decentralization and implementation of each work have many variants. These are several works that proposed interesting idea and concept about implement healthcare informatics system based on Blockchain technology.

2.4.1 A Blockchain-Based Approach to Health Information Exchange Networks [34]

The work proposed about using Blockchain like central hub for health information exchange. The main goal of this Blockchain concept is to connect all bread and crumb of patient health information together by allow participate node to discover health information data they seek and its location within Blockchain ledger, increase interoperability in health information exchange. Their main contribution is the concept that suggests the use of FHIR health information exchange standard combine with Blockchain technology. Each transaction on Blockchain will contain FHIR locator of actual data along with its index which make each transaction available for search. Due to the limit of health information that it requires certain amount of confidentiality, this makes it not really compatible with platform open to public like Blockchain. Store actual data somewhere else outside Blockchain and put its locator into Blockchain for use. With known secure index, this Blockchain helps connect patient information that is scattered across healthcare industry together. The work also gave suggestion about how health information Blockchain should look like and what it should have by common. There also other major contributions that use secure index for searching on encrypted data and 'Proof of Interoperability'. This work suggests that if health information is kept within Blockchain in encrypted form, it should also contain secure index which will allow data search even the data is encrypted. This should reduce the difficulty of implementing health information with Blockchain. And other major concept proposed in this work is 'Proof of Interoperability'. Based on Proof of Work consensus, the work suggest that computational resource should not be wasted unnecessarily. Instead of putting computational resource to competition for consensus, it should be used to verify interoperability of participate health data instead. However, they didn't propose about how the consensus should work in detail. This work gave a good example of how

Blockchain can have potential to solve issue that common in healthcare industry like interoperability. Additionally, they also proposed many concepts that can be a good foundation for using Blockchain technology with health information.

2.4.2 A Case Study for Blockchain in Healthcare: "MedRec" prototype for electronic health records and medical research data [35]

Main goal of MedRec is to provide Blockchain that acts as a middle for health information exchange while allow Blockchain participants to gain benefit from participation. They chose Ethereum as Blockchain platform for the system. Ethereum provide smart contract and address based access for the work. This work assumes that miner/validator nodes are health institution that have demand for large amount of health information data to use in their research. Miner/validator node will be rewarded with anonymized health data which can be used in research involve health data analysis. Additionally, MedRec proposed about allowing patient to have consent about usage on their data. Give more control over individual health data. The work also adopted cryptographic key scheme proposed by Zyskin et al. [36], to ensure that only authorized party can access patient health information published on Blockchain. Additional to these main contributions, they also gave suggestions about factor that should keep continuity of Blockchain and how Blockchain element provided by platform like Ethereum can be useful. One of interesting concept is about using Ethereum address as patient identifier. Due to all identities exist on Ethereum Blockchain are assigned with unique address, these unique addresses can reduce complexity in patient identifier management if designed properly. MedRec gave a good example of concept that needed to maintain continuity of Blockchain network by allowing participant to gain benefit from participation in some way. At the same time, MedRec is another good example that using Blockchain technology to aid health information exchange issue. And the last, MedRec have shown flexibility of smart contract and how it can be useful when implement with healthcare information.

2.4.3 Blockchain-Based Data Preservation System for Medical Data [37]

This work used Blockchain to keep data that need to have confidentiality preserved. Regardless of what kind of data, this Blockchain allows user to design what data they want to keep in Blockchain. The chosen data will be encrypted before publishing into Blockchain. The goal of this Blockchain concept is to preserve medical

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data inside Blockchain away from any tempering attempt while keep it secret and always available for its owner. Instead of let data available to public, this work has demonstrated how Blockchain technology can be used in different approach like keeping medical data available to only authorized entity.

2.4.4 Blockchain-based electronic healthcare record system for healthcare 4.0 applications [38]

The work has gathered research proposing the Blockchain concept from 2016 to 2019 that would benefit the healthcare industry by enhancing the capabilities of electronic health records. The work has well explained the overall concept of implementing Blockchain technology to electronic health records developed over the years. They also proposed another approach of implementing Blockchain technology for electronic health records by using IBM Hyperledger fabric as a medium for health information exchange in a similar fashion with MedRec which prioritize efficiency in handling huge number of transactions in the meantime. The contribution in the work inspires and encourages the idea of enhancing the existing EHR system with Blockchain technology as it provides the characteristics of distribution and decentralization.

CHAPTER III PROPOSED METHOD

This chapter explains the proposed method. The first section introduces the use case scenario of the proposing concept. The second section explains the main concept design of this work. The third section explains the design of Blockchain infrastructure that would be compatible with implementation on the IHE XDS.b Profile. The fourth section explains the integration of Blockchain technology into the IHE XDS.b Profile. The fifth section further explain the detail regarding the main function of our implementation. The last section shows the process flow of the XDS Document Registry Actor as an interface between the XDS system and the Blockchain ledger.

3.1 Use case scenario

Assume that the case started with Mr.Bob once got an illness and visited Hospital A. At the time, a physician at Hospital A diagnoses that Mr.Bob has influenza and allergy to some medication. Sometimes has passed, Mr.Bob got an illness again but design to visit Hospital B. A physician at hospital B then wants to know the history of his health conditions and history of drug allergy of Mr.Bob. Not known to a physician at Hospital B, the information needed is available at Hospital A. With the electronic health record system of both hospitals fully complied with the XDS Profile, the physician at Hospital B will just need known information of Mr.Bob to discover and gain access to the latest health document of Mr.Bob available at Hospital A using XDS Document Registry. However, if the organization or the machine maintaining the XDS Document Registry went down due to an unexpected incident, this will prevent the physician at hospital B to access Mr. Bob's health document at Hospital A. Additionally in the worst case, if the data of Mr.Bob's health document becomes permanently inaccessible, the health document sharing network would lose the opportunity to use the document for their operation forever even the XDS Document Registry become available. This is where the Blockchain integrated XDS Document Registry take the place. With Blockchain characteristics mentioned in Section 2.3.1, the XDS Document Petnathean J. Method / 30

Registry will always available and not depend on just a single organization or a machine to maintain its availability while providing the possibility for the data to survive the situation where it may be permanently lost.

3.2 Concept Design

As introduced in Chapter I, the unique nature of the healthcare environment that emphasizes confidentiality of data gave limits to implementing Blockchain technology into the industry. Patient data cannot be put directly into Blockchain as it will become persistent following Blockchain characteristics while increasing difficulty in ensuring data confidentiality when its replica is distributed all over the network [26, 27, 39]. So instead of risk confidentiality of healthcare data by publishing it directly into the Blockchain network, we propose using IHE XDS.b Document Registry Actor to act as a health document exchange medium for the Blockchain network. The profile is best compatible with Blockchain technology as decentralization will secure the availability of the health information exchange by eliminating the need for the organization that will act as the central hub for the exchange avoiding a single point of failure problem. At the same time, there is no longer a need to publish health documents directly into the distributed network, reduce the risk against the confidentiality of the data. Additionally, in this work, we further extend the usability of the profile by allowing the organization that has shared health documents from its source to also act as an additional data backup for the original by providing additional access points (URLs) for the document. That mean, even the source of health document become unavailable due to unpredictable circumstance like a cyber-incident (i.e., Ransomware threat), the network will still have a chance to access the compromised document via an alternative source available from a shared peer. This extends the benefit of the health document sharing network and encourages the growth of the health document sharing community even further indefinitely.

Following Figure 2-2, the XDS Document Registry actor who acts as a hub for health document exchange would normally host a database that allows XDS Document Consumer Actor to query for information of health Document they seek. The existing solution for the database is the utilization of SQL or non-SQL centralized database depend on each XDS Affinity network. In adaptation for this work, we propose

replacing these centralized databases with a Blockchain ledger which innately distribute the registry amongst the network while also benefit from Blockchain characteristics. This consecutively transforms the XDS Document Registry Actor host by each XDS Affinity domain member into a Blockchain node. Each node will now serve as a decentralized XDS Document Registry Actor who will joint cooperatively keep, operate, and maintain the Blockchain ledger which now contains the entire health document registry entry for the network.

3.3 Blockchain Design

Considering the environment of the XDS Affinity domain network, the network is comprised of members who are hospital or health institution that entered the network intending to share their health document and access health document shared from other. Each member entering the network are expected to have been selected by the network and have an agreement with the network to voluntarily share health document from their XDS Document Repository Actor to the network while not exposing information shared within the network to the outside. Following Blockchain Types mentioned in 2.3.2, the network is not suitable with the Public Chain as they are not accepting anyone into the network without pre-selection and a proper agreement. At the same time, they are also not suitable with the Private Chain as the XDS Affinity domain network was designed for scalability and not fixed to any specific organization. That means the XDS Affinity domain network is best suitable with the Permissioned Chain type as it was designed for scalability welcoming more members to join the network over time under the condition that joining members are accepted by the network and have a proper data sharing agreement.

Meanwhile, following the Blockchain consensus mentioned in 2.3.3.4, the XDS Affinity domain members were not pre-determined to invest a high amount of computational resources for entering the network and were not expected to gain direct profit from participation in maintaining the network. That means the consensus mechanism with computational resources inefficiencies like competition-based and profit-dependence mechanism like randomness-based are not the choice of consensus for the network. Then the remaining majority-based consensus will be the most suitable choice available. The start point of majority-based consensus will be PBFT as the basis

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of the type. With the nature of the XDS Affinity domain network which pre-determined the joining member, this should prevent the chance for the bad actor to control the majority and secure Blockchain characteristics for the network consecutively.

3.4 Integrating Blockchain with XDS.b Profile

For the implementation, following Figure 2-2, we assume that the ITI-61 transaction is unessential for the current usage of the work. The patient identification was assumed to be already standardized amongst all members of the network, eliminates the need for the ITI-44 transaction from consideration. This left the XDS Document Registry Actor Blockchain to only interact with the remaining XDS Document Repository Actor via ITI-42 transaction and XDS Document Consumer Actor via ITI-18 transaction (as shown in Figure 3-1).

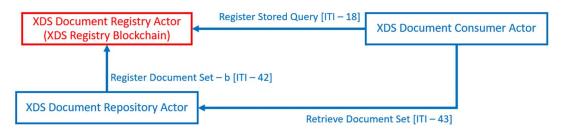


Figure 3-1 XDS Profile within the scope of interest for this work

Following Section 2.1.4, all Blockchain nodes will receive ITI-42 transactions from their local XDS Document Repository Actor as normal XDS Document Registry Actor would do, before transitioning the transaction into Blockchain Smartcontract and publish into the Blockchain ledger. Likewise, the health document query via ITI-18 transactions from local XDS Document Consumer will be interpreted and interact with Smartcontract consecutively. Note that the XDS Document Consumer Actor will still be required to directly issue ITI-43 transaction to the XDS Document Repository Actor hosting the health document to retrieve it. The Smartcontract will act as a medium for each node to perform the task to add data, read data, and search for data within the Blockchain ledger (as shown in Figure 3-2) allow the Blockchain technology to effectively integrated into the XDS system.

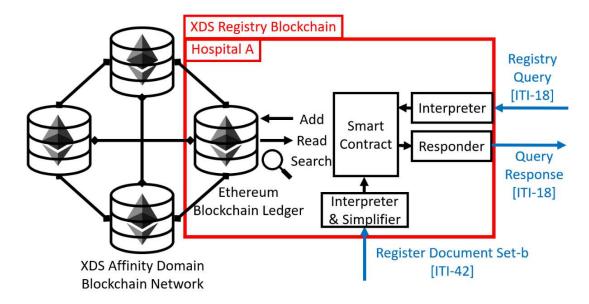


Figure 3-2 Integrating Blockchain into XDS.b Profile

3.5 Design Functions

3.5.1 Document Register

This is where XDS Document Registry Actor registers health document metadata set within ITI-42 transaction received from XDS Document Repository into the Blockchain ledger. This function enables sharing of health documents to the XDS Affinity Domain Blockchain network as well as allowing the shared document to be registered as an alternative source. There are 2 Smartcontract functions related.

The first function is the document registering function, the function act as part of the XDS Document Registry Actor to store the value of health document metadata interprets from ITI-42 transaction into the Blockchain ledger. This function act in a fashion similar to a programming variable where certain values were assigned to a specific variable for usage within the program, a whole set of metadata value is assigned into single Smartcontract function transaction. The function also automatically assigns each set of metadata with an identification number to be used for common understanding amongst the Smartcontract to differentiate each set of metadata belong to each health document. The identification number also essential for search operation which would be further explained later.

The second function is the checker function which will check for the last identification number assigned to the published set of metadata. This function allows

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Smartcontract to keep track of the identification number previously used and prevent duplication. Each time a new set of metadata entering the Blockchain ledger, the identification number which would be assigned to the metadata set will be additively increased by 1 from the previous.

3.5.2 Document Search

The search operation allows members of XDS Affinity Domain Blockchain to discover health documents existing in the network by searching for registered metadata set belong to the document within the Blockchain ledger and gain access to actual documents using access information provided in the metadata. There are 2 Smartcontract functions related.

The first function is the read function where Smartcontract allows the XDS Document Registry Actor to read the value of metadata stored within the Blockchain ledger. This function only needs identification number input to return metadata value to the XDS Document Registry Actor program.

During the search operation, the XDS Document Registry Actor will be the one to handle the search keyword. The Actor performs sequential searches on each set of registered metadata using the assigned identification number for iteration until the matching result was found or reached the end of the iteration. The Actor then triggers the return query result function.

The second Smartcontract function is the return query result function where the Smartcontract returns the whole set of metadata specified as the search result to the XDS Document Registry Actor. The version of the return value omitted by this function is different from the read function in terms of compatibility with the ITI-18 transaction format. The XDS Document Registry Actor then sorts the result into an ITI-18 transaction and return it to the XDS Document Consumer Actor.

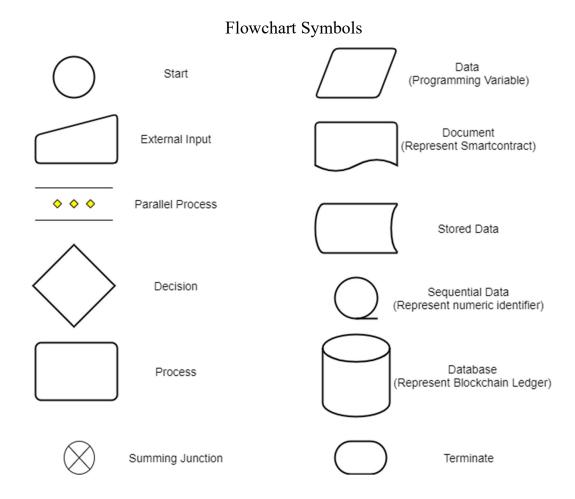
Following the normal process of IHE XDS.b Profile in Section 2.1.4, the XDS Document Consumer will then use health document access information provided within the search result metadata to gain access to the XDS Document Repository hosting the document. Then negotiate for document exchange using the ITI-43 transactions outside the Blockchain network.

As mentioned in Section 3.2, after receiving the document shared from its original source, the shared peer will also want to register the document into the XDS

Document Registry to let the network know that now they can act as an alternative source of the document for the network.

3.6 Process Flow

Figure 3-3 showing the process flow of the XDS Document Registry Actor which acts as a medium between the Blockchain ledger and XDS System.



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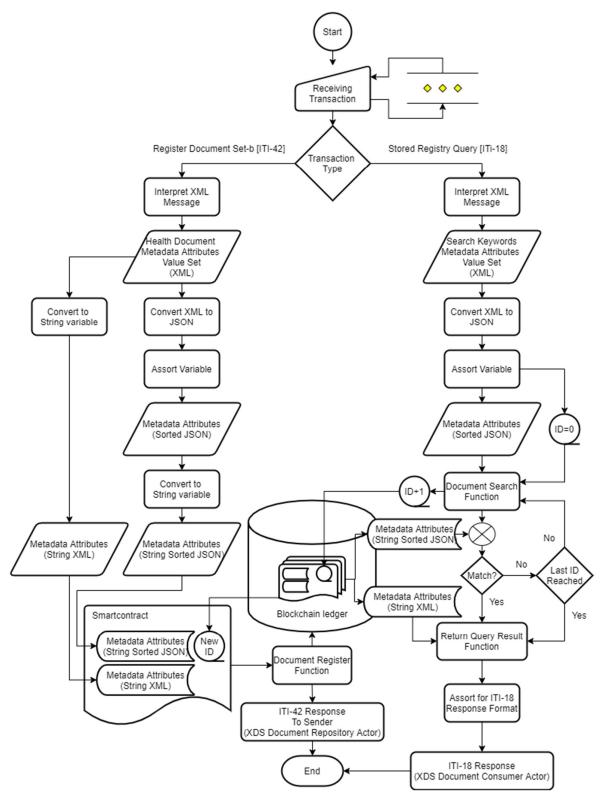


Figure 3-3 The process Flow of XDS Document Registry Actor

CHAPTER IV IMPLEMENTATION

This chapter emphasizes the implementation step for this work. Begin with the setup method to establish a small Blockchain network for development which will describe the installation method and system specification. The second section then explains the implementation of each XDS Actor including its native programming code and corresponding Smartcontract detail. After that, the third section will explain the setup for the performance evaluation experiment and following with the experiment result in the last section.

4.1 Blockchain setup

4.1.1 Machine specifications

For the implementation, the main machine was the best machine available for the implementation and compatible workflow which will be used for the coding process, which is a laptop Alienware 17 R5, Intel(R) Core (TM) i9-8950HK CPU@2.90GHz, 32 GB installed RAM, running on Windows 10 operating system version Home Single Language (20H2) 64-bit, x64-based processor. The code then deploys on the test machine. As most Ethereum-related software is initially designed for Linux OS, so Ubuntu was selected OS for the test machine. The test machine is where all Blockchain-related environment was deployed. A test machine is a virtual machine established within the main machine using Oracle VM VirtualBox. The virtual machine running on Linux Ubuntu (64-bit) version 18.10 with 8 GB RAM and 100 GB storage dynamically shared from the host main machine.

4.1.2 Go-Ethereum

Go-Ethereum or "Geth" client is the open sources software engine requiring to operate Ethereum Blockchain within each node. The client allows the user to issue commands to the node like initiate the Blockchain, start-stop mining/validating process for the Blockchain, and activate devp2p protocol to sync Blockchain data with other nodes. The client is available at [40]. Geth can be installed as standalone or included in

the installation package of the Ethereum platform variant or other kinds of service interacting with Ethereum Blockchain (i.e., Ethereum Wallet Client). Geth's interface was initially designed to operate on Linux OS and later extend compatibility to other OS via Linux console simulated platform or work under graphic user interface of another client. The Geth client has no specific system requirement as it only is a set of Golang scripts that has no restriction to any system but, as it is mostly integrated within another client, so it requires the machine to compatible with the main client for installation. In the implementation, the test machine has Geth globally installed by installing Quorum, so the client can be launched from anywhere regardless of environment path.

Geth can be installed as standalone for ready the machine for working with Ethereum Blockchain using Linux installation from source repository command i.e., "apt-get install ethereum" in Ubuntu. The installation instruction can be located at [41]. Figure 4-1 showing installation method for Ubuntu. All available command lines for Geth can be located at [42]. The most used command is "geth attach <IPC path or Link>" which required for accessing Geth console of each active node, as shown in Figure 4-2. The console is where the user can input the command line to directly control the behavior of each Ethereum Node.

```
sudo add-apt-repository -y ppa:ethereum/ethereum
#Enable launchpad repository for Ethereum

sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install ethereum
#Install Ethereum using apt-get
```

Figure 4-1 Installation command-line for Go-Ethereum on Ubuntu [41]

```
/dd1$ geth attach ipc:geth.ipc
Welcome to the Geth JavaScript console!
instance: Geth/v1.8.18-stable-a603e745(quorum-v2.4.0)/linux-amd64/go1.10.4
coinbase: 0xd8dba507e85f116b1f7e231ca8525fc9008a6966
at block: 34875 (Thu, 10 Jun 2021 13:14:32 +07)
datadir: /home/pcep/Documents/7NodesTry/quorum-examples/examples/7nodes/qdata/dd1
modules: admin:1.0 debug:1.0 eth:1.0 istanbul:1.0 miner:1.0 net:1.0 personal:1.0
rpc:1.0 txpool:1.0 web3:1.0
```

Figure 4-2 Geth console accessed using "geth attach" command

4.1.3 Quorum Installation

As mentioned in Section 2.3.4.2, Quorum is an Ethereum-forked that allows the Blockchain to adopt a consensus mechanism other than PoW and PoS which default to Ethereum Blockchain. Quorum's source code and installation package can be accessed at [31]. The installation method for the latest stable release is located at [43]. The platform was designed to specifically operate with a Linux-based interface and can be compatible with non-Linux OS with the aid of 3rd party software as a medium. Other than that, the platform has no specific system requirement for installation. However, from the test during the implementation, it is recommended that the machine running Quorum should have more than 6 GB of available RAM. Otherwise, there will be a performance issue that occurred during the run. In this implementation, as the test machine running on Ubuntu 18.10, there is no other 3rd party software required to operate Quorum. The Geth client was included in the Quorum installation package, which means a developer can immediately start their Quorum Blockchain development right after the installation.

Figure 4-3 showing the installation method for Quorum from its source which was used to install the latest stable Quorum released available at the time for the implementation. Some parts or functions used in the implementation may differ from the current released due to the version difference.

```
git clone https://github.com/Consensys/quorum.git
#Clone Quorum from its source repository

cd quorum
make all
#Make the cloned file as an installation

make test
#Check if the installation was successful
```

Figure 4-3 Installing Quorum directly from its source

Other than the Blockchain platform, Quorum also offers the "7-Nodes Example" for developers to locally deploy in their machine to test the functionality and performance of Smartcontract during the development. The source code can be cloned directly from its repository available in Github [33] as shown in Figure 4-4. The "7-Nodes" will simulate seven Blockchain nodes in the host machine in a similar fashion to a virtual machine using the required library called "Tessera" [44] and "Constellation" [45] included in the package as a running engine. The source code can be initiated, activated, and simultaneously controlled using the control script provided within the example. Each node can be accessed using the Geth client. For the implementation, the control script provided within the example was further modified to be compatible with our usage. The Blockchain initiation script was modified to be able to re-initiate the entire Blockchain by deleting the existing chain and replace with the empty one. This allows reset of published Blockchain during the development. The transaction publishing script was modified to run other specific code developed for XDS Document Registry Actor and its Smartcontract, allow testing and running of XDS Document registry-related code on the 7-Nodes. It must be noted that transaction-related scripts only operate on specified single nodes amongst the seven, not the entire set of the seven nodes. That means the activity of each node is independent.

```
git clone https://github.com/jpmorganchase/quorum-examples.git
#Clone the 7-Nodes Example from its source repository
```

Figure 4-4 Cloning "7-Nodes" Quorum example from its repository available on Github

All initial configuration instructions are available at [46]. Primarily, it is required to configure the genesis Block for the Blockchain ledger and issue the initiation command using the script provided in the example as shown in Figure 4-5. Each script is specific for each consensus mechanism.

```
cd path/to/7nodes
#Navigate to the folder path where the cloned repository locate

./istanbul-init.sh
#Initiate the genesis block with IBFT as its consensus

./istanbul-start.sh
#Activate all seven nodes to start the Blockchain based on the genesis block
```

Figure 4-5 Initial configuration method for 7-Nodes example

In this implementation, we only use the script "istanbul-init.sh" (execute using Linux Bash syntax as shown in Figure 4-6) to initiate the genesis Block for the Blockchain ledger as we going to use IBFT as its consensus mechanism. The script will generate "istanbul-genesis.json" file as a configuration script for the genesis block which its content should be configured as shown in Figure 4-7. Then the activation of the IBFT Blockchain can be done using "istanbul-start.sh" script as shown in Figure 4-8 which will start the activation of all seven nodes and bring the 7-Nodes Blockchain network to become alive as shown in Figure 4-9 and Figure 4-10. It must be noted that this activation process may take several minutes.

./istanbul-init.sh

Figure 4-6 Executing "istanbul-init.sh" with Linux Bash syntax

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Figure 4-7 Content of "istanbul - genesis.json" file

```
./istanbul-start.sh tessera --tesseraOptions "--tesseraJar /home/
Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-dist/tessera-app/target/tessera-
app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar"
```

Figure 4-8 IBFT 7-Nodes Blockchain activation script

```
"Quorum Version: 2.4.0
   *] Starting Tessera nodes
 Tessera version (extracted from manifest file): 0.11-SNAPSHOT
 Config type -09-
  *] Starting 7 Tessera node(s)
java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-di
st/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata
/c1/tessera-config-09-1.json >> qdata/logs/tessera1.log 2-&1 &
java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-di
st/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata
/c2/tessera-config-09-2.json >> qdata/logs/tessera2.log 2-&1 &
java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-di
 st/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata
/c3/tessera-config-09-3.json >> qdata/logs/tessera3.log 2>&1 &
 java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-di
 st/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata
st/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata /c4/tessera-config-09-4.json >> qdata/logs/tessera4.log 2>&1 & java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/TNodesTry/tessera/tessera-dist/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata /c5/tessera-config-09-5.json >> qdata/logs/tessera5.log 2>&1 & java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/TNodesTry/tessera/tessera-dist/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata /c6/tessera-config-09-6.json >> qdata/logs/tessera6.log 2>&1 & java -Xms128M -Xmx128M -jar /home/pcep/Documents/TNodesTry/tessera/tessera-dist/tessera-app/target/tessera-app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11_app.jar -configfile qdata /c7/tessera-config-09-7.json >> qdata/logs/tessera7.log 2>&1 &
/c7/tessera-config-09-7.json >> qdata/logs/tessera7.log 2>&1 &
Waiting until all Tessera nodes are running...
Node 1 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
Node 1 is not yet listening on http
Node 2 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 2 is not yet listening on http
 Node 3 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 3 is not yet listening on http
 Node 4 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 4 is not yet listening on http
Node 5 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 5 is not yet listening on http
 Node 6 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 6 is not yet listening on http
 Node 7 is not yet listening on tm.ipc
 Node 7 is not yet listening on http
Waiting until all Tessera nodes are running...
```

Figure 4-9 The activation script activating all seven Blockchain nodes

```
Tessera nodes started
[*] Starting 7 Ethereum nodes with ChainID and NetworkId of 10
ARGS="--nodiscover --istanbul.blockperiod 5 --networkid $NETWORK ID --syncmode
full --mine --minerthreads 1 --rpc --rpccorsdomain=* --rpcvhosts=* --rpcaddr 0
0.0.0 --rpcapi admin,db,eth,debug,miner,net,shh,txpool,personal,web3,quorum,ist
anbul,quorumPermission --unlock 0 --password passwords.txt $QUORUM_GETH_ARGS"
basePort=21000
baseRpcPort=22000
for i in `seq 1 ${numNodes}`
    port=$(($basePort + ${i} - 1))
    rpcPort=$(($baseRpcPort + ${i} - 1))
    permissioned=
    if ! [[ -z "${STARTPERMISSION+x}" ]] ; then
         permissioned=" - - permissioned
    PRIVATE_CONFIG=qdata/c${i}/tm.ipc nohup geth --datadir qdata/dd${i} ${ARGS}
${permissioned} --rpcport ${rpcPort} --port ${port} 2>>qdata/logs/${i}.log &
done
set +v
All nodes configured. See 'qdata/logs' for logs, and run e.g. 'geth attach qdat
a/dd1/geth.ipc' to attach to the first Geth node.
```

Figure 4-10 All seven Blockchain nodes successfully activated

For this implementation, we further created a script to reduce the complexity of the initiation and activation process of 7-Nodes Blockchain. The script "rebirth.sh" will delete all data of an existing set of 7-Nodes Blockchain and initiate a new genesis file to simplify the reset of the Blockchain during the development of the implementation as shown in Figure 4-11. The script "runmy7nodes.sh" will issue the whole command line required for activating the 7-Nodes Blockchain, simplify the Blockchain activation process as shown in Figure 4-12. These scripts will help reduce the complexity of command-line manipulation during the implementation.

```
#!/bin/bash
rm -R qdata/
mkdir qdata
./istanbul-init.sh
```

Figure 4-11 The content of "rebirth.sh" script

#!/bin/bash

```
./istanbul-start.sh tessera --tesseraOptions "--tesseraJar /home/pcep/
Documents/7NodesTry/tessera/tessera-dist/tessera-app/target/tessera-
app-0.11-SNAPSHOT-jdk11 app.jar"
```

Figure 4-12 The content of "runmy7nodes.sh" script

4.1.4 Compile and deploy Smartcontract Solidity code

For Smartcontract programming, Ethereum provides a web-based IDE for Solidity language that can compile, test, and deploy smart-contract to specific Ethereum node called "Remix" [47]. In the implementation, Remix was accessed using Google Chrome from the main machine and the session was saved locally using Remix client to avoid unexpected issues on the Solidity code. Each Smartcontract is validated, and test deployed within the IDE before actual implementation on the test machine. The Smartcontract ready for implementation will be compiled using the Solidity compiler provided by Remix community-based plugin. Each compiled solidity code gives ABI code and Binary code which will be used on Web3js code to interact with the Blockchain Smartcontract.

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After successfully compiled the Solidity Smartcontract code, the ABI code and Byte code will be automatically generated by the IDE as shown in Figure 4-13. These codes can be copied and passed into Web3js code by assigning a variable to store the code as its value like the example shown in Figure 4-14 and Figure 4-15. Noted that Byte code defines the behavior of the Smartcontract and only required on the first deployment of the Smartcontract which required only once in this implementation, while ABI code define interface for communicating with the Smartcontract and always required every time the native program communicate with Smartcontract.

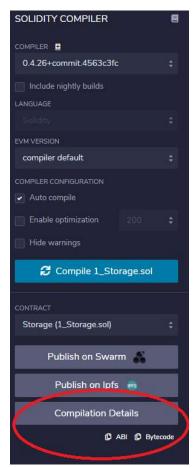


Figure 4-13 ABI Code and Byte code generated can be copied and passed directly (From red circle) into Web3js code

```
var abi =
                                                                    "stateMutability": "view",
           "inputs": [],
                                                                    "type": "function"
           "name": "checkLastID",
           "outputs": [
                                                                    "inputs": [
             "internalType": "uint256",
             "name": "",
                                                                      "internalType": "uint256",
             "type": "uint256"
                                                                      "name": "Docid",
                                                                      "type": "uint256"
           "stateMutability": "view",
           "type": "function"
                                                                      "internalType": "string",
                                                                      "name": "searchJSON",
                                                                      "type": "string"
           "inputs": [
             "internalType": "uint256",
                                                                      "internalType": "string",
             "name": "Docid",
                                                                      "name": "fullJSON",
             "type": "uint256"
                                                                      "type": "string"
                                                                    ],
           "name": "retreiveFull",
                                                                    "name": "store",
                                                                    "outputs": [],
           "outputs": [
                                                                    "stateMutability": "nonpayable",
                                                                    "type": "function"
             "internalType": "string",
             "name": "",
             "type": "string"
                                                                 ];
           "stateMutability": "view",
           "type": "function"
           "inputs": [
             "internalType": "uint256",
             "name": "Docid",
             "type": "uint256"
           "name": "retreiveSearch",
           "outputs": [
             "internalType": "string",
             "name": "",
             "type": "string"
```

Figure 4-14 ABI code (brown color) assigned into variable "abi"

var bytecode =

'0x608060405234801561001057600080fd5b50612fbd806100206000396000f3fe608060405234801561 001057600080fd5b50600436106100625760003560e01c80636ca1115d14610067578063862723df1461 067c578063902a9f0814610eed5780639896e0c8146116c7578063d07d9f9b14611778578063f092186d1 4611b30575b600080fd5b61067a600480360361016081101561007e57600080fd5b81019080803590602 00190929190803590602001906401000000008111156100a557600080fd5b8201836020820111156100b 757600080fd5b80359060200191846001830284011164010000000831117156100d957600080fd5b919 08080601f016020809104026020016040519081016040528093929190818152602001838380828437600 081840152601f19601f82011690508083019250505050505050919291929080359060200190640100000 00081111561013c57600080fd5b82018360208201111561014e57600080fd5b803590602001918460018 302840111640100000008311171561017057600080fd5b91908080601f0160208091040260200160405 19081016040528093929190818152602001838380828437600081840152601f19601f820116905080830 19250505050505050919291929080359060200190640100000008111156101d357600080fd5b8201836 020820111156101e557600080fd5b8035906020019184600183028401116401000000008311171561020 757600080fd5b91908080601f01602080910402602001604051908101604052809392919081815260200 1838380828437600081840152601f19601f8201169050808301925050505050505091929192908035906 020019064010000000081111561026a57600080fd5b82018360208201111561027c57600080fd5b80359 06020019184600183028401116401000000008311171561029e57600080fd5b91908080601f016020809 104026020016040519081016040528093929190818152602001838380828437600081840152601f19601 f82011690508083019250505050505050919291929080359060200190640100000000811115610301576 00080fd5b82018360208201111561031357600080fd5b803590602001918460018302840111640100000 0008311171561033557600080fd5b91908080601f0160208091040260200160405190810160405280939 29190818152602001838380828437600081840152601f19601f82011690508083019250505050505050 1929192908035906020019064010000000081111561039857600080fd5b8201836020820111156103aa5 7600080fd5b80359060200191846001830284011164010000000831117156103cc57600080fd5b91908 080601f01602080910402602001604051908101604052809392919081815260200183838082843760008 1840152601f19601f82011690508083019250505050505091929192908035906020019064010000000 081111561042f57600080fd5b82018360208201111561044157600080fd5b80359060200191846001830 28401116401000000008311171561046357600080fd5b91908080601f016020809104026020016040519 081016040528093929190818152602001838380828437600081840152601f19601f82011690508083019 250505050505050509192919290803590602001906401000000008111156104c657600080fd5b820183602 0820111156104d857600080fd5b803590602001918460018302840111640100000000831117156104fa5 7600080fd5b91908080601f0160208091040260200160405190810160405280939291908181526020018 38380828437600081840152601f19601f820116905080830192505050505050509192919290803590602 0019064010000000081111561055d57600080fd5b82018360208201111561056f57600080fd5b8035906 02001918460018302840111640100000008311171561059157600080fd5b91908080601f01602080910 4026020016040519081016040528093929190818152602001838380828437600081840152601f19601f8 20116905080830192505050505050509192919290803590602001906401000000008111156105f457600 080fd5b82018360208201111561060657600080fd5b80359060200191846001830284011164010000000 .08311171561062857600080fd5b91908080601f01602080910402602001604051908101604052809392

Figure 4-15 Byte code (brown color) assigned into variable "bytecode"

4.1.5 Deploy Smartcontract into Blockchain

Before begin registering health documents metadata into Blockchain Smartcontract, the Smartcontract must be first deployed to act as a contract format for the entire Blockchain ledger for the implementation. Figure 4-16 show the Web3js script that simply deploys the Smartcontract into the Blockchain ledger. It required both the Byte code and ABI code received from the Solidity compiler to be completed. Once the Smartcontract is deployed, any later communication with Smartcontract will only need ABI code to act as an interface for the communication. This Smartcontract deployment process only required once at the initiation of the Blockchain ledger and no longer needs to be performed ever again for the rest of the Blockchain ledger life cycle.

```
a = eth.accounts[0]
web3.eth.defaultAccount = a;
// abi and bytecode generated from simplestorage.sol:
// > solcjs --bin --abi simplestorage.sol
/*var abi =
[{"constant":true,"inputs":[],"name":"storedData","outputs":[{"name":"","type":"uint256"}],"payable":f
alse, "type": "function"}, ("constant": false, "inputs": [{"name": "x", "type": "uint 256"}], "name": "set", "outputs
::[],"payable":false,"type":"function"},{"constant":true,"inputs":[],"name":"get","outputs":[{"name":"ret
Val","type":"uint256"}],"payable":false,"type":"function"},{"inputs":[{"name":"initVal","type":"uint256"}
],"payable":false,"type":"constructor"}];*/
var abi = [...];
var bytecode = [...];
var simpleContract = web3.eth.contract(abi);
var simple = simpleContract.new(42, {from:web3.eth.accounts[0], data: bytecode, gas: 0x47b760},
function(e, contract) {
        if (e) {
                 console.log("err creating contract", e);
        } else {
                if (!contract.address) {
                        console.log("Contract transaction send: TransactionHash: " +
contract.transactionHash + " waiting to be mined...");
                } else {
                        console.log("Contract mined! Address: " + contract.address);
                        console.log(contract);
                }
        }
```

Figure 4-16 The Web3 is script for Smartcontract deploy

4.1.6 Prepare NodeJS Coding environment

For the coding process of all non-Blockchain native Javascript programs, the coding environment must be provided essential coding components. In this implementation, we use NodeJS as a compiler and coding environment for all Javascript programs. NodeJS is available at [48]. The essential coding components node module can be installed using Node Package Manager (NPM) which comes together with NodeJS [49]. The coding of program for native side of XDS Actor require node module name "Web3" (Web3js) [50], "xml2js" [51], "fs" [52], "net" [53], "util" [54], "moment" [55], and "cryptr" [56] which can be installed using the command-line as shown in .

```
npm install (with no args, in package dir)
npm install [<@scope>/]<name>
npm install [<@scope>/]<name>@<tag>
npm install [<@scope>/]<name>@<version>
npm install [<@scope>/]<name>@<version>
npm install [<@scope>/]<name>@<version range>
npm install <alias>@npm:<name>
npm install <git-host>:<git-user>/<repo-name>
npm install <git repo url>
npm install <tarball file>
npm install <tarball url>
npm install <tarball url>
npm install <folder>

aliases: npm i, npm add
common options: [-P|--save-prod|-D|--save-dev|-O|--save-optional|--save-peer] [-E|--save-exact] [-B|--save-bundle] [--no-save] [--dry-run]
```

Figure 4-17 "npm install" command-line

4.2 XDS Actors

As we have seen from HL7 and FHIR, current healthcare information exchanged related standards are mostly web-based protocol. Additionally, development of IT infrastructure to support healthcare operation require the capability to handle a huge amount of transaction in a limited amount of time so, it requires our system implementation to be able to handle multitask properly. With asynchronous nature and compatibility with website integration, Javascript is one of the best choices for our implementation of this work. In this implementation, we adopt the "Node.js" variant of Javascript as it was made to build scalable network applications that handle many connections concurrently. Furthermore, Node.js also providing simple access to community-made node modules which offer a wide variety of useful APIs for software development which may reduce difficulty in our implementation further.

All actors within IHE XDS Profile communicate with each other using XML message transaction. As we utilize Javascript as main programming language for the implementation, these XML messages need to be interpreted into programming object to allow simpler handling method within the program. Javascript Object Notation (JSON) is a lightweight data-interchange format of programming object which was invented to serve the purpose. It is easy for humans to read and write and easy for machines to parse or generate. That mean, all XML message transactions sent to XDS Document Registry actor program will be converted into JSON. For this implementation, we utilize NodeJS "xml2js" module for the task.

To connect our program to Ethereum smart contract, we can use Ethereum API tools which is Web3 [57] as a middle. Web3 allows smart contract control through preferred programming language and transitions logic and variables from the language to Solidity. Web3 provides a programming API for Javascript called "Web3JS" which allows the Javascript program to interact with Ethereum based smart-contract. The API can be accessed using the node module provided via Node.js.

4.2.1 XDS Document Repository Actor

4.2.1.1 Interpret IHE ITI-42 transaction

Figure 4-18, showing XML language code snippet of Registry Document Set-b [ITI-42] transaction sample. The code composing of two main sections. The first section

labeled with "lcm:SubmitObjectRequest" is where XML schematic information are located and the label also act as marker which tell interpreter program to recognize it as ITI-42 transaction. The second section starts from label "rim:RegistryObjectList" following with "rim:ExtrinsicObject" contain all information regarding corresponding health document. This section is where all Metadata attributes of the document are located. If the Document Registry Actor successfully received the transaction, they must return response as shown in Figure 4-18. The response transaction included only XML schematic information, message UUID number, and status type "successful" as shown in Figure 4-19. This response will let the Repository finish its process and end messaging attempt. Figure 4-20 show the actual code snippet using for the implementation.

```
<lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest xmlns:xsi="..XML schematic information..">
       <rim:RegistryObjectList>
                <rim:ExtrinsicObject id="..DocumentEntry identifier name or label.."</pre>
                       mimeType="text/xml"
                       objectType="urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-a032-9b2a5b5186c1">
                       ..DocumentEntry META-data attributes object list..
                </rim:ExtrinsicObject>
                <rim:RegistryPackage id="..SubmissionSet identifier name or label..">
                       ..SubmissionSet or Folder META-data attributes object list..
                </rim:RegistryPackage>
                <rim:Classification id="...Classification identifier name or label.."</pre>
                        classifiedObject="..SubmissionSet ID which it belonged to.."
                       classificationNode="urn:uuid:a54d6aa5-d40d-43f9-88c5-b4633d873bdd"/>
                <rim:Association id="...Association identifier name or label.."
                        associationType="...Association Type..."
                        sourceObject="...SubmissionSet ID which it belonged to.."
                       targetObject="..Target Document Entry ID..">
                       .. Association META-data attributes objext list..
                </rim:Association>
        </rim:RegistryObjectList>
/lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest>
```

Figure 4-18 Pseudocode represents general format of Register Document Set-b [ITI - 42]

Figure 4-19 XML Code snippet of Registry Document Set-b Response transaction sample

```
<lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"</p>
xsi:schemaLocation="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:lcm:3.0 ../../schema/ebRS/lcm.xsd"
xmlns:lcm="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:lcm:3.0" xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-
regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" xmlns:rs="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rs:3.0">
       <rim:RegistryObjectList>
               <rim:ExtrinsicObject id="Document01" mimeType="text/xml"</pre>
objectType="urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-a032-9b2a5b5186c1">
                      <rim:Slot name="creationTime">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>20051224</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Slot name="languageCode">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>en-us</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Slot name="serviceStartTime">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>200412230800</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Slot name="serviceStopTime">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>200412230801</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Slot name="sourcePatientId">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>ST-
1000^^^&1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2003.3.9&ISO</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Slot name="sourcePatientInfo">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                     <rim:Value>PID-3|ST-
1000^^^&1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2003.3.9&ISO</rim:Value>
                                     <rim:Value>PID-5 | Doe^John^^^</rim:Value>
                                     <rim:Value>PID-7|19560527</rim:Value>
                                     <rim:Value>PID-8 | M</rim:Value>
                                     <rim:Value>PID-11|100 Main
St^^Metropolis^II^44130^USA</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
```

```
<rim:Name>
                              <rim:LocalizedString value="Physical"/>
                      </rim:Name>
                      <rim:Description/>
                       <rim:Classification id="cl01" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:93606bcf-9494-</pre>
43ec-9b4e-a7748d1a838d" classifiedObject="Document01">
                              <rim:Slot name="authorPerson">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Gerald Smitty</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorInstitution">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Cleveland Clinic</rim:Value>
                                              <rim:Value>Parma Community</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorRole">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Attending</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorSpecialty">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Orthopedic</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                      </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification id="cl02" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:41a5887f-8865-
4c09-adf7-e362475b143a" classifiedObject="Document01" nodeRepresentation="History and Physical">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon classCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="History and Physical"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:Classification id="cl03" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f4f85eac-e6cb-
4883-b524-f2705394840f" classifiedObject="Document01"
nodeRepresentation="1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2006.7.101">
```

```
<rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                     <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
confidentialityCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="Clinical-Staff"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:Classification id="cl04" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:a09d5840-386c-
46f2-b5ad-9c3699a4309d" classifiedObject="Document01" nodeRepresentation="CDAR2/IHE 1.0">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon formatCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="CDAR2/IHE 1.0"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:Classification id="cl05" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f33fb8ac-18af-
42cc-ae0e-ed0b0bdb91e1" classifiedObject="Document01" nodeRepresentation="Outpatient">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                     <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
healthcareFacilityTypeCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="Outpatient"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:Classification id="cl06" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:cccf5598-8b07-
4b77-a05e-ae952c785ead" classifiedObject="Document01" nodeRepresentation="General Medicine">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                     <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
practiceSettingCodes</rim:Value>
                                     </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                     <rim:LocalizedString value="General Medicine"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
```

```
<rim:Classification id="cl07" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f0306f51-975f-
434e-a61c-c59651d33983" classifiedObject="Document01" nodeRepresentation="34108-1">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>LOINC</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="Outpatient Evaluation And</pre>
Management"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="ei01" registryObject="Document01"</pre>
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:58a6f841-87b3-4a3e-92fd-a8ffeff98427" value="SELF-
5^^^&1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.7&ISO">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="XDSDocumentEntry.patientId"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
                      <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="ei02" registryObject="Document01"</pre>
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:2e82c1f6-a085-4c72-9da3-8640a32e42ab"
value="1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.9999.32">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="XDSDocumentEntry.uniqueId"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
               </rim:ExtrinsicObject>
               <rim:RegistryPackage id="SubmissionSet01">
                      <rim:Slot name="submissionTime">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                      <rim:Value>20041225235050</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                      </rim:Slot>
                      <rim:Name>
                              <rim:LocalizedString value="Physical"/>
                      </rim:Name>
                      <rim:Description>
                              <rim:LocalizedString value="Annual physical"/>
                      <rim:Classification id="cl08" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:a7058bb9-b4e4-
4307-ba5b-e3f0ab85e12d" classifiedObject="SubmissionSet01">
                              <rim:Slot name="authorPerson">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                             <rim:Value>Sherry Dopplemeyer</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
```

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</rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorInstitution">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Cleveland Clinic</rim:Value>
                                              <rim:Value>Berea Community</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorRole">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Primary Surgon</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Slot name="authorSpecialty">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Orthopedic</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                      </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification id="cl09" classificationScheme="urn:uuid:aa543740-bdda-
424e-8c96-df4873be8500" classifiedObject="SubmissionSet01" nodeRepresentation="History and
Physical">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
contentTypeCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="History and Physical"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:Classification>
                      <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="ei03" registryObject="SubmissionSet01"</pre>
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:96fdda7c-d067-4183-912e-bf5ee74998a8"
value="1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.9999.33">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="XDSSubmissionSet.uniqueId"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
                      <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="ei04" registryObject="SubmissionSet01"</pre>
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:554ac39e-e3fe-47fe-b233-965d2a147832" value="3670984664">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="XDSSubmissionSet.sourceId"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                      </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
```

```
<rim:ExternalIdentifier id="ei05" registryObject="SubmissionSet01"</pre>
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:6b5aea1a-874d-4603-a4bc-96a0a7b38446" value="SELF-
5^^^&1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.7&ISO">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString value="XDSSubmissionSet.patientId"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                       </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
               </rim:RegistryPackage>
               <rim:Classification id="cl10" classifiedObject="SubmissionSet01"</pre>
classificationNode="urn:uuid:a54d6aa5-d40d-43f9-88c5-b4633d873bdd"/>
               <rim:Association id="as01" associationType="HasMember"</pre>
sourceObject="SubmissionSet01" targetObject="Document01">
                      <rim:Slot name="SubmissionSetStatus">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                      <rim:Value>Original</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                       </rim:Slot>
               </rim:Association>
       </rim:RegistryObjectList>
</lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest>
```

Figure 4-20 XML Code snippet of Registry Document Set-b [ITI-42] transaction sample

4.2.1.2 XDS Document Repository Actor simulating program

For document registering, XDS Document Repository Actor register document Metadata attributes into XDS Document Registry Actor using IHE ITI-42 transaction. XDS Document Registry Actor then interprets the transaction into a programmable object before check if the transaction is ITI-42. Then, the actor proceeds to pass the retrieved object into Blockchain smart-contract and publish it into a Blockchain ledger. Figure 4-21 showing the Javascript code snippet for the native side of XDS Document Repository Actor.

```
var hrstart = null;
var net = require('net');
var fs = require("fs");
var util = require("util");
var xml2js = require('xml2js');
var parseString = xml2js.parseString;
var builder = new xml2js.Builder;
const readline = require("readline");
const rl = readline.createInterface({
  input: process.stdin,
  output: process.stdout
var HOST = '127.0.0.1';
var PORT = 65519;
var client = new net.Socket();
client.connect(PORT, HOST, function() {
  rl.question("Choose documents: ", function(docNum) {
    console.log('CONNECTED TO: ' + HOST + ':' + PORT);
    var docChosen = 'SingleDocumentEntry' + docNum + '.xml';
    fs.readFile(docChosen, function(err, buf) {
      if (err) console.log(err);
      var text = buf.toString();
      client.write(text);
      hrstart = process.hrtime();
      console.log('Sent: \n' + text + '\n');
    rl.close();
  });
});
client.on('data', function(data) {
  var hrend = process.hrtime(hrstart);
  console.log('=======;');
  console.log('Respond received: ' + data);
  console.info('Execution time (hr): %ds %dms', hrend[0], hrend[1] / 1000000);
  console.log('=======;');
  client.destroy();
client.on('close', function() {
  console.log('Connection closed');
```

Figure 4-21 Javascript Code Snippet of XDS Document Repository Actor

4.2.2 XDS Document Consumer Actor

4.2.2.1 Interpret IHE ITI-18 transaction

of **Figure** 4-22, showing XML language code snippet RegistryStoredQueryRequest [ITI-18] transaction sample. The code composing of 3 main sections. The first section labeled "query: AdhocQueryRequest" is where XML schematic information are located and the label also act as marker which tell interpreter program to recognize it as ITI-18 transaction. The second section labeled "query:ResponseOption" mark the expected format of query result that will return to Document Consumer. The third section start from label "rim:AdhocQuery" contain all search keywords issued by Document Consumer. These search keywords are selected Metadata attributes and its value. When Document Registry Actor received the transaction, they will use search keyword provided to search for registry with matched Metadata attributes value then return the result to Document Consumer Actor as response transaction following Figure 4-23 and Figure 4-24. With header labeled "query:AdhocQueryResponse", the transaction contain search result depend on query type specified in ITI-18 transaction. If the query expected for "LeafClass" as result, the response would return Metadata attributes of all matched result in detailed as shown in Figure 4-23. Otherwise, if the query expected for "ObjectList", the response would return object reference number of all matched result as shown in Figure 4-24. These two types of response specifically selected depend on search behavior of Document Consumer Actor's user. The query which specified "LeafClass" as its search result must provide keyword which unique to its corresponding document, such as document unique ID or object reference UUID. At the same time, "ObjectList" are used to search for wide range of document with generic search keyword and value where discovery of document existent is the main goal. Figure 4-25 showing the actual ITI-18 transaction using in the implementation while Figure 4-26 showing its actual response transaction.

Figure 4-22 Pseudocode represents general format of Registry Stored Query Request [ITI - 18]

Figure 4-23 Pseudocode represents general format of Query Response included "Object Reference" of search results

```
<query:AdhocQueryResponse xmlns:xsi="..XML information schematic..">
       <rim:RegistryObjectList>
               <rim:ExtrinsicObject xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre>
                       xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0"
                       id="..Identification UUID.."
                       isOpaque="false"
                       mimeType="text/xml"
                       objectType="..Object Type UUID.."
                       status="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:StatusType:Approved">
                       //Document generic information META-data attributes
                       <rim:Slot name="..META-data attributes type name..">
                               <rim:ValueList>
                                       <rim:Value>..META-data attributes value..</rim:Value>
                               </rim:ValueList>
                       </rim:Slot>
                       //META-data attributes "title"
                       <rim:Name>
                               <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8"</pre>
                                       value="..META-data attributes value.." xml:lang="en-us"/>
                       </rim:Name>
                       //META-data attributes "comment"
                       <rim:Description/>
                       //Communication protocol-based META-data attributes
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="..META-data attributes type UUID.."</p>
                               classifiedObject="...Classified Object UUID.."
                               id="..Identification UUID.."
                               nodeRepresentation="..Representing Node.."
                               objectType="..Object Type UUID..">
                               <rim:Slot name="..META-data attributes type name..">
                                       <rim:ValueList>
                                               <rim:Value>..META-data attributes value..</rim:Value>
                                       </rim:ValueList>
                               </rim:Slot>
                               <rim:Name>
                                       <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8"</pre>
                                               value="..Representing Node Detail.."
                                               xml:lang="en-us"/>
                               </rim:Name>
                               <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
```

```
//External identifier-based META-data attributes
                       <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="..META-data attributes type UUID.."</pre>
                               registryObject="..Registry Object UUID.."
                               identificationScheme="..Identification scheme UUID.."
                               objectType="ExternalIdentifier"
                               value="..META-data attributes value..">
                               <rim:Name>
                                       <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8"</pre>
                                               value="..META-data attributes type name.."
                                               xml:lang="en-us"/>
                               </rim:Name>
                               <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
                       ..List of Document Entry META-data attributes of matched result..
               </rim:ExtrinsicObject>
       </rim:RegistryObjectList>
</query:AdhocQueryResponse>
```

Figure 4-24 Pseudocode represents general format of Query Response included "Leaf Class" of search result

```
| cquery:AdhocQueryRequest xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
xsi:schemaLocation="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0 ../../schema/ebRS/query.xsd"
|xmlns:query="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0" xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml
regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" xmlns:rs="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rs:3.0">
       <query:ResponseOption returnComposedObjects="true" returnType="LeafClass"/>
       <rim:AdhocQuery id="urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d">
              <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId">
                      <rim:ValueList>
       <rim:Value>st3498702^^^&amp;1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.7&amp;ISO</rim:Value>
                      </rim:ValueList>
              </rim:Slot>
              <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryStatus">
                      <rim:ValueList>
                             <rim:Value>('urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-
regrep:ResponseStatusType:Approved')</rim:Value>
                      </rim:ValueList>
              </rim:Slot>
              <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeFrom">
                      <rim:ValueList>
                             <rim:Value>200412252300</rim:Value>
                      </rim:ValueList>
              </rim:Slot>
              <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeTo">
                      <rim:ValueList>
                             <rim:Value>200501010800</rim:Value>
                      </rim:ValueList>
              </rim:Slot>
              <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryHealthcareFacilityTypeCode">
                      <rim:ValueList>
                             <rim:Value>('Emergency Department')</rim:Value>
                      </rim:ValueList>
              </rim:Slot>
       </rim:AdhocQuery>
</guery:AdhocQueryRequest>
```

Figure 4-25 XML Code Snippet of RegistryStoredQueryRequest [ITI-18] Transaction Sample

```
<query:AdhocQueryResponse xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"</pre>
xmlns:query="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0" xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-
regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" status="Success">
       <rim:RegistryObjectList>
              <rim:ExtrinsicObject xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre>
.xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95
89474f83abdf" isOpaque="false" mimeType="text/xml" objectType="urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-
a032-9b2a5b5186c1" status="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:StatusType:Approved">
                     <rim:Slot name="URI">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>http://localhost:8080/XDS/Repository/08a15a6f-
5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf.xml</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="authorInstitution">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>Fairview Hospital</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="creationTime">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>200412261119</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="hash">
                            <rim:ValueList>
       <rim:Value>4cf4f82d78b5e2aac35c31bca8cb79fe6bd6a41e</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="languageCode">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>en-us</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="serviceStartTime">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>200412230800</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
                     <rim:Slot name="serviceStopTime">
                            <rim:ValueList>
                                   <rim:Value>200412230801</rim:Value>
                            </rim:ValueList>
                     </rim:Slot>
```

```
</rim:Slot>
                       <rim:Slot name="size">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                      <rim:Value>54449</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                       </rim:Slot>
                       <rim:Slot name="sourcePatientId">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                      <rim:Value>id12323^^wsh</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                       </rim:Slot>
                       <rim:Slot name="sourcePatientInfo">
                              <rim:ValueList>
                                      <rim:Value>PID-3|pid1^^^domain
                                      <rim:Value>PID-5 | Doe^John^^</rim:Value>
                                      <rim:Value>PID-7 | 19560527</rim:Value>
                                      <rim:Value>PID-8 | M</rim:Value>
                                      <rim:Value>PID-11 | 100 Main
St^^Metropolis^II^44130^USA</rim:Value>
                              </rim:ValueList>
                       </rim:Slot>
                       <rim:Name>
                              <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Sample document 1"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                       </rim:Name>
                       <rim:Description/>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:41a5887f-8865-4c09-adf7-</p>
e362475b143a" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
id="urn:uuid:ac872fc0-1c6e-439f-84d1-f76770a0ccdf" nodeRepresentation="Education"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon classCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Education"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                              <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f4f85eac-e6cb-4883-b524-</p>
f2705394840f" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
id="urn:uuid:f1a8c8e4-3593-4777-b7e0-8b0773378705" nodeRepresentation="C"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
```

```
<rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
confidentialityCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                               <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Celebrity"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                               </rim:Name>
                               <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:a09d5840-386c-46f2-b5ad-
9c3699a4309d" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
d="urn:uuid:b6e49c73-96c8-4058-8c95-914d83bd262a" nodeRepresentation="CDAR2/IHE 1.0"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
                               <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon formatCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                               </rim:Slot>
                               <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="CDAR2/IHE 1.0"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                               </rim:Name>
                               <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f33fb8ac-18af-42cc-ae0e-</p>
ed0b0bdb91e1" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
id="urn:uuid:61e2b376-d74a-4984-ac21-dcd0b8890f9d" nodeRepresentation="Emergency Department"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
healthcareFacilityTypeCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                               </rim:Slot>
                               <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Assisted Living"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                               </rim:Name>
                               <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:cccf5598-8b07-4b77-a05e-</pre>
ae952c785ead" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
```

```
id="urn:uuid:fb7677c5-c42f-485d-9010-dce0f3cd4ad5" nodeRepresentation="Cardiology"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>Connect-a-thon
practiceSettingCodes</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Cardiology"</pre>
xml:lang="en-us"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                              <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:Classification classificationScheme="urn:uuid:f0306f51-975f-434e-a61c-
c59651d33983" classifiedObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
d="urn:uuid:0a8a8ed9-8be5-4a63-9b68-a511adee8ed5" nodeRepresentation="34098-4"
objectType="Urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:ObjectType:RegistryObject:Classification">
                              <rim:Slot name="codingScheme">
                                      <rim:ValueList>
                                              <rim:Value>LOINC</rim:Value>
                                      </rim:ValueList>
                              </rim:Slot>
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8" value="Conference</pre>
Evaluation Note" xml:lang="en-us"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                              <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:Classification>
                       <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="urn:uuid:db9f4438-ffff-435f-9d34-d76190728637"</pre>
registryObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:58a6f841-87b3-4a3e-92fd-a8ffeff98427"
objectType="ExternalIdentifier" value="st3498702^^^&1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.7&ISO">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8"</pre>
value="XDSDocumentEntry.patientId" xml:lang="en-us"/>
                              </rim:Name>
                              <rim:Description/>
                       </rim:ExternalIdentifier>
                       <rim:ExternalIdentifier id="urn:uuid:c3fcbf0e-9765-4f5b-abaa-b37ac8ff05a5"</p>
registryObject="urn:uuid:08a15a6f-5b4a-42de-8f95-89474f83abdf"
identificationScheme="urn:uuid:2e82c1f6-a085-4c72-9da3-8640a32e42ab"
objectType="ExternalIdentifier" value="1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.2005.3.99.1.1010">
                              <rim:Name>
                                      <rim:LocalizedString charset="UTF-8"</pre>
value="XDSDocumentEntry.uniqueId" xml:lang="en-us"/>
```

</rim:Name> <rim:Description/> </rim:ExternalIdentifier> </rim:ExtrinsicObject> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> .xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:41a5887f-8865-4c09-adf7 e362475b143a"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</p> .xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:f4f85eac-e6cb-4883-b524 f2705394840f"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:a09d5840-386c-46f2-b5ad-9c3699a4309d"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:g="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:guery:3.0"</pre> .xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:f33fb8ac-18af-42cc-ae0e ed0b0bdb91e1"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> .xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:cccf5598-8b07-4b77-a05e ae952c785ead"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> ,xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:f0306f51-975f-434e-a61c c59651d33983"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:58a6f841-87b3-4a3e-92fda8ffeff98427"/> <rim:ObjectRef xmlns:q="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0"</pre> ,xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" id="urn:uuid:2e82c1f6-a085-4c72-9da3 8640a32e42ab"/> </rim:RegistryObjectList> </query:AdhocQueryResponse>

Figure 4-26 XML Code Snippet of RegistryStoredQueryResponse Transaction Sample

4.2.2.2 XDS Document Consumer Actor simulating program

For document query, XDS Document Consumer query for document Metadata attributes stored within XDS Document Registry Blockchain providing search operation type and some Metadata attributes value as search keyword via ITI-18 transaction. XDS Document Registry will check if the transaction is ITI-18 before performing search operation matching specified search type using provided keyword Metadata attributes value. The search operation will be performed by consequently call for each registered smart-contracts until all contracts with matched attributes value were found. XDS Document Registry Actor then returns all query result in XML format following specification for ITI-18 responding. Upon receiving the query response, XDS Document Consumer then interprets the transaction and displays the result to the user in a human-understandable format.

Following IHE XDS Profile, XDS Document Consumer actor is where the user specifies search keyword values of Metadata attributes for the system to query for matching document exist within XDS Affinity Domain. For this implementation, we design that the user interface will take the form of a command-line program that can be run via Windows command prompt or Linux terminal. The program will prompt the user to specify search type, including META-attributes value, and specify the value. The actor then accepts these values to create an XML message following ITI-18 format before sending it to a local or accessible XDS Document Registry actor to query for matching document and start search operation. Figure 4-31 showing the Javascript code snippet for the native-side of the XDS Document Consumer Actor program.

The command-line interface of XDS Document Consumer begins with prompt the user to input registry query types (FindDocuments, FindSubmissionSets, FindFolders. GetAll. GetDocuments. GetFolders. GetAssociations. GetDocumentsAndAssociations, GetSubmissionSets, GetSubmissionSetAndContents, GetFolderAndContents. GetFoldersForDocument. GetRelatedDocuments. FindDocumentsByReferenceId, or choose to quit the program) as shown in Figure 4-27. The user will need to specify digit numbers corresponding to the choice. Then, the user will be prompt to input essential metadata attributes required for the query type (i.e., FindDocuments will require attributes included DocumentEntryPatientId and DocumentEntryStatus as shown in Figure 4-28) before prompt to input other metadata

attributes as optional depending on the information the user known as shown in Figure 4-29. When there are no more metadata attribute values to add, the user can choose to start a query for the document as shown in Figure 4-30. The XDS Document Consumer Actor program will then accept the input and assort it into the ITI-18 transaction before sending it to XDS Document Registry Actor.

Figure 4-27 The program prompt user to input query type

```
Keywords require: XDSDocumentEntryPatientId
Value: 1234
Keywords require: XDSDocumentEntryStatus
Value: Approved
```

Figure 4-28 The program prompt user to input essential metadata attribute values

(In case of FindDocuments query type)

```
Query type: FindDocuments
Query keywords:
$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId = 1234
$XDSDocumentEntryStatus = Approved
Available optional keywords:

    No more optional keywords
    XDSDocumentEntryClassCode

XDSDocumentEntryTypeCode
3) XDSDocumentEntryPracticeSettingCode4) XDSDocumentEntryCreationTime
5) XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTime
6) XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTime
7) XDSDocumentEntryHealthcareFacilityTypeCode
8) XDSDocumentEntryEventCodeList

    XDSDocumentEntryConfidentialityCode

10) XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson
11) XDSDocumentEntryFormatCode
12) XDSDocumentEntryType
#) Quit
Select keywords (specify number): 10
Keyword: XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson
Value: Jennifer
```

Figure 4-29 The program prompt user to input optional metadata attributes

```
Query type: FindDocuments
Query keywords:
$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId = 1234
$XDSDocumentEntryStatus = Approved
$XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson = Jennifer
Available optional keywords:
0) No more optional keywords1) XDSDocumentEntryClassCode

2) XDSDocumentEntryTypeCode
3) XDSDocumentEntryPracticeSettingCode
4) XDSDocumentEntryCreationTime
5) XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTime
6) XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTime7) XDSDocumentEntryHealthcareFacilityTypeCode
8) XDSDocumentEntryEventCodeList
9) XDSDocumentEntryConfidentialityCode
10) XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson

    XDSDocumentEntryFormatCode

12) XDSDocumentEntryType
#) Quit
Select keywords (specify number): 0
 ----------------------
All keywords set...
Query type: FindDocuments
Query keywords:
$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId = 1234
$XDSDocumentEntryStatus = Approved
$XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson = Jennifer
```

Figure 4-30 The user chooses to start the query after input all known attributes

After the query has been sent, the XDS Document Consumer will wait for the response from XDS Document Registry Actor. When the response is received, the XDS Document Consumer then shows the metadata attributes the value of the query result in the terminal or just terminates the program if there is no matched result registered.

```
var hrstart = null;
var hrend = null;
var net = require('net');
var fs = require("fs");
var util = require("util");
var xml2js = require('xml2js');
var parseString = xml2js.parseString;
var builder = new xml2js.Builder;
const readline = require("readline");
const rl = readline.createInterface({
 input: process.stdin,
  output: process.stdout
});
var HOST = '127.0.0.1';
var PORT = 65519;
var client = new net.Socket();
var prepXDSAtt = {
   DocumentEntry: {
    author: [{
     authorPerson: 'N/A',
     authorInstitution: [],
     authorRole: 'N/A',
     authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
    }],
    availabilityStatus: 'N/A',
    classCode: {
     codingScheme: 'N/A',
     displayName: 'N/A'
    },
    comment: 'N/A',
    confidentiality Code: \{
     codingScheme: 'N/A',
     displayName: 'N/A'
    },
    creationTime: 'N/A',
    entryUUID: 'N/A',
    eventCodeList: [],
    formatCode: {
     codingScheme: 'N/A',
     displayName: 'N/A'
    },
```

```
hash: 'N/A',
    healthcareFacilityTypeCode: {
     codingScheme: 'N/A',
     displayName: 'N/A'
    },
    homeCommunityId: 'N/A',
    languageCode: 'N/A',
    legalAuthenticator: 'N/A',
    limitedMetadata: 'N/A',
    mimeType: 'N/A',
    objectType: 'N/A',
    patientId: 'N/A',
    practiceSettingCode: {
    codingScheme: 'N/A',
     displayName: 'N/A'
    referenceIdList: 'N/A',
    repositoryUniqueId: 'N/A',
    serviceStartTime: 'N/A',
    serviceStopTime: 'N/A',
    size: 'N/A',
    sourcePatientId: 'N/A',
    sourcePatientInfo: [],
    title: 'N/A',
    typeCode: {
      codingScheme: 'N/A',
      displayName: 'N/A'
    },
    uniqueld: 'N/A',
    URI: 'N/A'
  }
 }
var documentEntryUUID = {
 //----Document Entry-----
 DocumentEntry: 'urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-a032-9b2a5b5186c1',
 author: 'urn:uuid:93606bcf-9494-43ec-9b4e-a7748d1a838d',
 classCode: 'urn:uuid:41a5887f-8865-4c09-adf7-e362475b143a',
 confidentialityCode: 'urn:uuid:f4f85eac-e6cb-4883-b524-f2705394840f',
 formatCode: 'urn:uuid:a09d5840-386c-46f2-b5ad-9c3699a4309d',
 health care Facility Type Code: 'urn: uuid: f33fb8 ac-18 af-42 cc-ae0 e-ed0 b0 bdb 91 e1', \\
 practiceSettingCode: 'urn:uuid:cccf5598-8b07-4b77-a05e-ae952c785ead',
 typeCode: 'urn:uuid:f0306f51-975f-434e-a61c-c59651d33983',
 patientId: 'urn:uuid:58a6f841-87b3-4a3e-92fd-a8ffeff98427',
 uniqueld: 'urn:uuid:2e82c1f6-a085-4c72-9da3-8640a32e42ab',
 eventCodeList: 'urn:uuid:2c6b8cb7-8b2a-4051-b291-b1ae6a575ef4'
```

```
var submissionSetUUID = {
   //-----SubmissionSet Attributes-----
   author: 'urn:uuid:a7058bb9-b4e4-4307-ba5b-e3f0ab85e12d',
   contentTypeCodes: 'urn:uuid:aa543740-bdda-424e-8c96-df4873be8500',
   uniqueld: 'urn:uuid:96fdda7c-d067-4183-912e-bf5ee74998a8',
   sourceld: 'urn:uuid:554ac39e-e3fe-47fe-b233-965d2a147832',
   patientId: 'urn:uuid:6b5aea1a-874d-4603-a4bc-96a0a7b38446',
   limited Metadata: 'urn: uuid: a 54d6aa 5-d40d-43f9-88c5-b4633d873bdd'
var queryType = null;
var requiredKeywords = [];
var optionalKeywords = [];
var inputKeywords = [];
var keywordCount = 0;
var queryTypeList = ['', 'FindDocuments', 'FindSubmissionSets', 'FindFolders',
                                                                                                'GetAll', 'GetDocuments', 'GetFolders', 'GetAssociations',
                                                                                                'GetDocumentsAndAssociations', 'GetSubmissionSets',
                                                                                                'GetSubmissionSetAndContents', 'GetFolderAndContents',
                                                                                                'GetFoldersForDocument', 'GetRelatedDocuments',
'FindDocumentsByReferenceId'];
var queryTypeUUID = {
                  FindDocuments: 'urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d',
                  FindSubmissionSets: 'urn:uuid:f26abbcb-ac74-4422-8a30-edb644bbc1a9'
var timeKeyList = ['$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeFrom', '$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeTo',
                                                                                                '$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTimeFrom',
$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTimeTo',
                                                                                                \verb|'$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTimeFrom'|,
'$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTimeTo'];
var availableKeywords = {
                  FindDocuments: {
                                     required: ['XDSDocumentEntryPatientId', 'XDSDocumentEntryStatus'],
                                      optional: ['XDSDocumentEntryClassCode', 'XDSDocumentEntryTypeCode', \\
                                                                                                'XDSDocumentEntryPracticeSettingCode', 'XDSDocumentEntryCreationTime',
                                                                                                \verb|'XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTime', |'XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTime', |'XDSDocumentEntryServiceS
                                                                                                'XDSDocumentEntryHealthcareFacilityTypeCode',
'XDSDocumentEntryEventCodeList',
                                                                                                \verb|'XDSD| ocumentEntryConfidentialityCode', \verb|'XDSD| ocumentEntryAuthorPerson'|,
                                                                                                'XDSDocumentEntryFormatCode', 'XDSDocumentEntryType']
                  },
```

```
var queryXML = {
        "query:AdhocQueryRequest": {
         "$": {
          "xmlns:query": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0",
          "xmlns:rim": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0",
          "xmlns:rs": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rs:3.0",
          "xmlns:xsi": "http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance",
          "xsi:schema Location": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query: 3.0\\
../../schema/ebRS/query.xsd"
          "query:ResponseOption": [
           "$": {
            "returnComposedObjects": "true",
            "returnType": "LeafClass" //This should be determined by number of results
          }
         "rim:AdhocQuery": [
           "$": {
            "id": " urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d " //This is UUIDd of each query
type
           "rim:Slot": [] //Query keyword
function Main () {
       console.log('\n========');
       console.log('|| XDS Consumer Actor Interface ||');
       console.log('========');
       getQueryType();
function getQueryType () {
       console.log('Please select query type');
       console.log('1) FindDocuments');
       console.log('2) FindSubmissionSets');
       console.log('3) FindFolders');
       console.log('4) GetAll');
       console.log('5) GetDocuments');
       console.log('6) GetFolders');
       console.log('7) GetAssociations');
       console.log('8) GetDocumentsAndAssociations');
```

```
console.log('9) GetSubmissionSets');
       console.log('10) GetSubmissionSetAndContents');
       console.log('11) GetFolderAndContents');
       console.log('12) GetFoldersForDocument');
       console.log('13) GetRelatedDocuments');
       console.log('14) FindDocumentsByReferenceId');
       console.log('#) Quit');
       rl.question("(Specify number): ", function(queryTypeInput) {
               var queryTypeInteger = parseInt(queryTypeInput, 10);
               if (queryTypeInput && queryTypeInteger){
                       queryType = queryTypeList[queryTypeInteger];
                       console.log('Query Type: ' + queryType + '\n');
                       requiredKeywords = availableKeywords[queryType]['required'];
                       optionalKeywords = availableKeywords[queryType]['optional'];
               else if (queryTypeInput == '#' || queryTypeInput == 'quit' || queryTypeInput == 'Quit'){
                       console.log('Quit...');
                       process.exit();
               }
               else {
                       console.log('Error');
                       process.exit();
               inputKeywords.push(queryType);
               keywordCount = 0;
               getRequiredKeywords();
       });
function getRequiredKeywords () {
       console.log('Keywords require: ' + requiredKeywords[keywordCount]);
       var addedHeader = '$' + requiredKeywords[keywordCount];
       rl.question('Value: ', function(requireKeyInput) {
               inputKeywords.push([addedHeader, requireKeyInput]);
               keywordCount++;
               if (keywordCount >= requiredKeywords.length){
                       showAllKeywords();
                       getOptionalKeywords();
               }
               else {
                       getRequiredKeywords();
               }
       });
```

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```
function getOptionalKeywords () {
       console.log('Available optional keywords: ');
       console.log('0) No more optional keywords');
       for (i = 0; i < optionalKeywords.length; i++){ //Show all available optional keywords
               var count = i+1;
               console.log(count + ') ' + optionalKeywords[i]);
       console.log('#) Quit')
       rl.question('Select keywords (specify number): ', function(selectedOpt) { //Promt user for
optional keyword by specifying number
               if (selectedOpt == '#'){ //'#' Mark as program terminate
                       process.exit();
               else if (selectedOpt == '0') { //'0' Mark as user approve that all known keywords included
                       console.log('========;');
                       console.log('All keywords set...');
                       showAllKeywords();
                       createXML();
                       return rl.close();
               else { //Otherwise
                       var selectedOpt = parseInt(selectedOpt, 10);
                       var optionMarker = selectedOpt - 1;
                       console.log('Keyword: ' + optionalKeywords[optionMarker]);
                       if (selectedOpt && optionMarker >= 0 && optionMarker <
optionalKeywords.length){ //Check if user input is a number and the number is in available range
                               var selectedOptKeywords = '$' + optionalKeywords[optionMarker];
                               var replicateCheck = null;
                               var timeKeyCheck = null;
                               for (j = 1; j < inputKeywords.length; j++){ //Check for any replicated
keyword specified
                                       if (inputKeywords[j][0] == selectedOptKeywords | |
inputKeywords[j][0] == selectedOptKeywords + 'From'){
                                               replicateCheck = 1;
                                               var replicatedKeywordPos = j;
                                       if (timeKeyList.includes(selectedOptKeywords + 'From')){
                                               timeKeyCheck = 1;
                                       }
                               if (replicateCheck && !timeKeyCheck){ //If found any relicated keyword
then ask if user want to replace the value && the keyword is not a time keyword
                                       console.log('Query keywords set already contain ' +
selectedOptKeywords);
                                       rl.question('Overwrite the keyword? (y/n): ',
function(overwriteConfirm) {
                                               if (overwriteConfirm == 'y' || overwriteConfirm == 'Y' ||
overwriteConfirm == 'yes' || overwriteConfirm == 'Yes'){ //Ask for user to specify yes or else
```

```
rl.question('Replace with value: ',
function(optionalKeyInput) {
(inputKeywords[replicatedKeywordPos][0] == selectedOptKeywords){ //Second check if the keyword
really replicated
       inputKeywords[replicatedKeywordPos][1] = optionalKeyInput;
                                                                      showAllKeywords();
                                                                      getOptionalKeywords();
                                                              }
                                                      });
                                               else { //If user not confirm on overwrite the keyword,
just skip overwriting
                                                       console.log('Overwrite cancelled...');
                                                       showAllKeywords();
                                                       getOptionalKeywords();
                                               }
                                       });
                               else if (replicateCheck && timeKeyCheck){ //If found any relicated
keyword then ask if user want to replace the value && the keyword is a time keyword
                                       console.log('Query keywords set already contain ' +
selectedOptKeywords);
                                       rl.question('Overwrite the keyword? (y/n): ',
function(overwriteConfirm) {
                                               if (overwriteConfirm == 'y' || overwriteConfirm == 'Y' ||
overwriteConfirm == 'yes' || overwriteConfirm == 'Yes'){ //Ask for user to specify yes or else
                                                       rl.question('Replace time value from
(YYYYMMDDhhmmss): ', function(optionalKeyInputFrom) {
                                                               rl.question('Replace time value to
(YYYYMMDDhhmmss): ', function(optionalKeyInputTo) {
       inputKeywords[replicatedKeywordPos][1] = optionalKeyInputFrom;
       inputKeywords[replicatedKeywordPos + 1][1] = optionalKeyInputTo;
                                                                      showAllKeywords();
                                                                      getOptionalKeywords();
                                                              });
                                                       });
                                               else { //If user not confirm on overwrite the keyword,
just skip overwriting
                                                       console.log('Overwrite cancelled...');
                                                       showAllKeywords();
                                                       getOptionalKeywords();
                                               }
                                       });
```

```
else if (!replicateCheck && timeKeyCheck){ //If non of any replicated
were found, then add more keyword into query set && the keyword is a time keyword
                                      rl.question('Time value from (YYYYMMDDhhmmss): ',
function(optionalKeyInputFrom) {
                                              rl.question('Time value to (YYYYMMDDhhmmss): ',
function(optionalKeyInputTo) {
                                                     inputKeywords.push([selectedOptKeywords +
'From', optionalKeyInputFrom]);
                                                     inputKeywords.push([selectedOptKeywords+
'To', optionalKeyInputTo]);
                                                     showAllKeywords();
                                                     getOptionalKeywords();
                                              });
                                      });
                              }
                              else { //If non of any replicated were found, then add more keyword
into query set
                                      rl.question('Value: ', function(optionalKeyInput) {
                                              inputKeywords.push([selectedOptKeywords,
optionalKeyInput]);
                                              showAllKeywords();
                                              getOptionalKeywords();
                                      });
                              }
                      else { //If user try to input anything that not available, force to try again
                              console.log('Error, try again...');
                              getOptionalKeywords();
                      }
               }
       });
function showAllKeywords () {
       console.log('======;');
       console.log('Query type: ' + inputKeywords[0]);
       console.log('Query keywords: ');
       for (i = 1; i < inputKeywords.length; i++){</pre>
               console.log(inputKeywords[i][0] + ' = ' + inputKeywords[i][1]);
       console.log('========');
function createXML () { //Assort keywords into ITI-18 XML format
       queryXML['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['$']['id'] =
queryTypeUUID[inputKeywords[0]];
```

```
var slot = queryXML['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['rim:Slot'];
       for (i = 1; i < inputKeywords.length; i++){</pre>
               var rimSlot = {
            "$": {
                "name": inputKeywords[i][0]
            "rim:ValueList": [
               {
                      "rim:Value": [
                       inputKeywords[i][1]
         slot.push(rimSlot);
       sendQuery();
function sendQuery () {
       client.connect(PORT, HOST, function() {
    console.log('CONNECTED TO: ' + HOST + ':' + PORT);
    // Write a message to the socket as soon as the client is connected, the server will receive it as
message from the client
    var queryXMLrebuilt = builder.buildObject(queryXML);
    hrstart = process.hrtime();
    client.write(queryXMLrebuilt);
    console.log('Query Sent...');
 });
 // Add a 'data' event handler for the client socket
 // data is what the server sent to this socket
 client.on('data', function(data) {
    // Close the client socket completely
    if (data.includes('ACK from ')){
      console.log('Respond received: ' + data);
      hrend = process.hrtime(hrstart);
      console.info('Execution time (hr): %ds %dms', hrend[0], hrend[1] / 1000000);
    else {
      console.log('=========\nQuery response received: ');
      var dataIn = data.toString();
      parseString(dataIn, function (err, result) {
        var eventCodeListCount = 0;
        if (err) throw err;
```

```
var bodyExtrinsicObject =
result['query:AdhocQueryResponse']['rim:RegistryObjectList'][0]['rim:ExtrinsicObject'][0];
         if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType'] == documentEntryUUID.DocumentEntry){
          //Scanning object within DocumentEntry "Classification"
         if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['id']){
           prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.entryUUID = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['id'];
          if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['mimeType']){
           prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.mimeType = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['mimeType'];
          if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType']){
           prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.objectType = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType'];
          if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['status']){
                                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.availabilityStatus =
bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['status'];
          for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'].length; i++){
            //Detect DocumentEntry > author (Set)
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.author){
              if (i != 0) { //If there are more than one author for the Doc, add more author object into
array
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author.push({
                                        authorPerson: 'N/A',
                                        authorInstitution: [],
                                        authorRole: 'N/A',
                                        authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
                                     });
              //Assign each element of the author
              for (var j = 0; j < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'].length; j++){
                 if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['\$']['name'] == \\
'authorPerson'){
                   prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorPerson =
body Extrinsic Object ['rim: Classification'] [i] ['rim: Slot'] [j] ['rim: Value List'] [0] ['rim: Value'] [0];
                 if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorInstitution'){
                   prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorInstitution =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'];
                 if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] == 'authorRole'){
                   prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorRole =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                 if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorSpecialty'){
```

```
prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorSpecialty =
body Extrinsic Object ['rim: Classification'] [i] ['rim: Slot'] [j] ['rim: Value List'] [0] ['rim: Value'] [0];
            //Detect DocumentEntry > classCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.classCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.classCode.displayName = \\
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.classCode.codingScheme =
|bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            //Detect DocumentEntry > confidentialityCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['\$']['classificationScheme'] == \\
documentEntryUUID.confidentialityCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.confidentialityCode.displayName =
| bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.confidentialityCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            //Detect DocumentEntry > formatCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.formatCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.formatCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.formatCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            //Detect DocumentEntry > healthcareFacilityTypeCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.healthcareFacilityTypeCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.healthcareFacilityTypeCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.Document Entry.health care Facility Type Code.coding Scheme = \\
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
```

```
//Detect DocumentEntry > practiceSettingCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.practiceSettingCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.practiceSettingCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.practiceSettingCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
              }
            //Detect DocumentEntry > eventCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.eventCodeList){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList.push({
                                         codingScheme: 'N/A',
                                         displayName: 'N/A'
                                      });
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList[eventCodeListCount].displayName =
| bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList[eventCodeListCount].codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
              eventCodeListCount++;
            //Detect DocumentEntry > TypeCode
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.typeCode){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.typeCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
              if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
codingScheme'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.typeCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
              }
         //Scanning object within DocumentEntry "Descriptor" which usually be "comment"
         for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Description'].length; i++){
            prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.comment = bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Description'][i];
         for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Name'].length; i++){</pre>
            prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.title =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Name'][i]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
```

```
//Scanning object within DocumentEntry "ExternalIdentifier"
          for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'].length; i++){
            //Detect DocumentEntry > patientId
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.patientId){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.patientId =
(bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value']);
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.uniqueId){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.uniqueId =
(bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value']);
          //Scannig object within DocumentEntry "Slot"
         for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'].length; i++){
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'size'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.size =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'repositoryUniqueId'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.repositoryUniqueId =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'hash'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.hash =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'creationTime'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.creationTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['\$']['name'] == 'languageCode') \{\\
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.languageCode =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'serviceStartTime'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.serviceStartTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'serviceStopTime'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.serviceStopTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
            if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'sourcePatientId'){
              prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.sourcePatientId =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
```

```
if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'sourcePatientInfo'){
            prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.sourcePatientInfo =
body Extrinsic Object ['rim: Slot'] [i] ['rim: Value List'] [0] ['rim: Value'];;
       console.log(util.inspect(prepXDSAtt));
       hrend = process.hrtime(hrstart);
       console.log('======;');
       console.info('Execution time (hr): %ds %dms', hrend[0], hrend[1] / 1000000);
       console.log('=======;');
      });
      client.destroy();
      rl.close();
 });
 // Add a 'close' event handler for the client socket
 client.on('close', function() {
   console.log('Connection closed');
 });
Main();
```

Figure 4-31 Javascript Code Snippet of XDS Document Consumer Actor

4.2.3 XDS Document Registry Actor

Following Section 3.5.1, the XDS Document Registry Actor program must be able to communicate with the simulated XDS Document Repository actor and XDS Document Consumer actor. At the same time, the software will need to act as the middle between the local XDS system and the Blockchain ledger. The completed process flow of the XDS Document Registry Actor is shown in pseudocode Figure 4-32. The Actor will wait until receiving the XML message transaction and react differently to ITI-42 and ITI-18 transactions.

```
Main() {
       while (True) {
                var ReceivedMessage = Wait For XMLMessage();
                if (ReceivedMessage == "ITI-42"){
                //Section 4.2.3.1
                        var SmartcontractCompatible = Received_ITI_42(XMLMessage)
                        //Section 4.2.3.1.1
                        var registerStatus = DocumentRegistering_Into_Blockchain(SmartcontractCompatible);
                        Send_Response_To_XDSDocumentRepositoryActor(registerStatus);
                else if (ReceivedMessage == "ITI-18"){
                //Section 4.2.3.2
                        var SearchKeywords = Received_ITI_18(XMLMessage);
                        //Section 4.2.3.2.1
                        var SearchResult = DocumentSearch_Within_Blockchain(SearchKeywords);
                        //Section 4.2.3.2.2
                        var ITI_18_Response = SortResult_Into_ITI18ResponseFormat(SearchResult);
                        Send_Response_To_XDSDocumentConsumerActor(ITI_18_Response);
                }
       }
```

Figure 4-32 Pseudocode showing the process flow of the XDS Document Registry Actor

Unlike the XDS Document Repository Actor and XDS Document Consumer Actor, the XDS Document Registry was made to act as the medium between the native system and the Blockchain Smartcontract. This section will break down the component of the XDS Document Registry Actor in a pattern different from the rest where it separated by its main function interacting with health document metadata which included Document Registering and Document Search. Each section will break down into Javascript native program part and Smartcontract part.

- 4.2.3.1 Implementing Document Register function
- 4.2.3.1.1 Native side Javascript program

For this implementation, the XDS Document Registry Actor will open a TCP connection to receive the transaction on a specified port. Upon receiving the ITI-42 transaction, the Actor then converts the XML message into JSON using xml2js. When ITI-42 was interpreted into JSON, the actor then assorts the object and sorts it into the Smartcontract compatible format. Figure 4-33 is the pseudocode showing the process flow for the Javascript program handling the ITI-42 transaction until converted into the Smartcontract compatible format. Figure 4-34 to Figure 4-39 showing the Javascript code snippet of XDS Document Registry which is the part dealing with ITI-42 transaction and Document Registering Function.

```
var Received_ITI_42(XMLMessage){
    var JSON_attributes = InterpretXMLtoJSON(XMLMessage);
    var Assorted_JSON = AssortMetadataAttributes(JSON_attributes);
    var SmartcontractCompatible = SortInto_SmartcontractCompatibleFormat(Assorted_JSON);
    return SmartcontractCompatible;
}
```

Figure 4-33 The pseudocode showing the process flow of XDS Document Registry Actor for Document Registering Function

```
var hrstart = null;
var hrend = null;
var fs = require("fs");
var net = require('net');
var util = require("util");
var xml2js = require('xml2js');
var parseString = xml2js.parseString;
var builder = new xml2js.Builder;
var moment = require('moment');
const Cryptr = require('cryptr');
const cryptr = new Cryptr('XDSDomainSharedSecretKey');
var Web3 = require('web3');
var web3 = new Web3("qdata/dd1/geth.ipc", net);
var HOST = '127.0.0.1';
var PORT = 65519;
var netServer = null;
var netSocket = null;
//Net socket wait for any messages==============
netServer = net.createServer(function(sock) {
        netSocket = sock;
       // We have a connection - a socket object is assigned to the connection automatically
        console.log('CONNECTED: ' + sock.remoteAddress +':'+ sock.remotePort);
       // Add a 'data' event handler to this instance of socket
        sock.on('data', function(data) {
                console.log('Received data....');
                hrstart = process.hrtime();
                sock.write('ACK from ' + sock.remoteAddress + '\n'); //Write ACK back to sender
                processData(data); //converting XML to JSON based on Module "xml-js"
                //console.log(result); // show the result of xml to js conversion
       });
       // Add a 'close' event handler to this instance of socket
        sock.on('close', function(data) {
                console.log('CLOSED: ' + sock.remoteAddress +' '+ sock.remotePort);
       });
}).listen(PORT, HOST);
console.log('XDS Document Registry Actor listening on ' + HOST +':'+ PORT);
```

Figure 4-34 Javascript Code Snippet of XDS Document Registry Actor Node Module import declaration and TCP Socket message receiver section

```
//ProcessData interprete any xmlMessages came through Netsocket ================
function processData (dataIn) {
console.log('XML:\n' + dataIn);
 parseString(dataIn, function (err, result) {
 if (err) throw err;
 console.log('\nConverted to object: ');
 console.log('-----\n' + util.inspect(result) + '\n-----');
 fs.writeFile("queryReceived.json", stringXDSAttrib, function(err, data) {
  if (err) console.log(err);
   console.log("Successfully Written to File. ");
  });
  */
  if (Object.keys(result)[0] == 'query:AdhocQueryRequest') {
  console.log('Query requested...');
  documentQuery(result);
  }
 else{
       if (Object.keys(result)[0] == 'soapenv:Envelope'){
               if (result['soapenv:Envelope']['soapenv:Header'][0]['wsa:Action'][0]['_'] ==
urn:ihe:iti:2007:RegisterDocumentSet-b'){
                       console.log('RegisterDocumentSet-b...');
                       registerDocumentSetb(result);
               }
       }
 }
});
```

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This section checks if receiving message is ITI-42 or ITI-18 identified by its header

```
//RegisterDocumentSet-b
//Declare main object to store all META-data attributes essential for search operation
function registerDocumentSetb (inputAttributes) {
       var prepXDSAtt = {
         DocumentEntry: {
         author: [{
           authorPerson: 'N/A',
           authorInstitution: [],
           authorRole: 'N/A',
           authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
         }],
          availabilityStatus: 'N/A',
         classCode: {
           codingScheme: 'N/A',
           displayName: 'N/A'
         },
         comment: 'N/A',
         confidentialityCode: {
           codingScheme: 'N/A',
           displayName: 'N/A'
         },
         creationTime: 'N/A',
         entryUUID: 'N/A',
          eventCodeList: [],
         formatCode: {
          codingScheme: 'N/A',
           displayName: 'N/A'
         },
         hash: 'N/A',
         healthcareFacilityTypeCode: {
          codingScheme: 'N/A',
           displayName: 'N/A'
         },
         homeCommunityId: 'N/A',
         languageCode: 'N/A',
         legalAuthenticator: 'N/A',
         limitedMetadata: 'N/A',
         mimeType: 'N/A',
         objectType: 'N/A',
         patientId: 'N/A',
         practiceSettingCode: {
          codingScheme: 'N/A',
           displayName: 'N/A'
         },
```

```
referenceIdList: 'N/A',
 repositoryUniqueId: 'N/A',
 serviceStartTime: 'N/A',
 serviceStopTime: 'N/A',
 size: 'N/A',
 sourcePatientId: 'N/A',
 sourcePatientInfo: [],
 title: 'N/A',
 typeCode: {
   codingScheme: 'N/A',
   displayName: 'N/A'
 uniqueld: 'N/A',
 URI: 'N/A'
SubmissionSet: {
 author: [{
   authorPerson: 'N/A',
   authorInstitution: [],
   authorRole: 'N/A',
   authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
  }],
 availabilityStatus: 'N/A',
 comments: 'N/A',
 content Type Codes: \{
  codingScheme: 'N/A',
  displayName: 'N/A'
 entryUUID: 'N/A',
 homeCommunityId: 'N/A',
 intendedRecipient: 'N/A',
 limitedMetadata: 0,
 patientId: 'N/A',
 sourceld: 'N/A',
 submissionTime: 'N/A',
 title: 'N/A',
 uniqueld: 'N/A'
Folder: {
 availabilityStatus: 'N/A',
 codeList: 'N/A',
 comments: 'N/A',
 entryUUID: 'N/A',
 homeCommunityId: 'N/A',
 lastUpdateTime: 'N/A',
 limitedMetadata: 'N/A',
 patientId: 'N/A',
 title: 'N/A',
 uniqueld: 'N/A'
Association: {
 associationType: 'N/A',
 sourceObject: 'N/A',
 targetObject: 'N/A',
 SubmissionSetStatus: 'N/A'
```

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Declaration of JSON variable to store all Metadata attributes by its position in the format

```
//Define UUID number of each META-data attributes
var documentEntryUUID = {
  //----Document Entry-----
  DocumentEntry: 'urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-a032-9b2a5b5186c1',
  author: 'urn:uuid:93606bcf-9494-43ec-9b4e-a7748d1a838d',
  classCode: 'urn:uuid:41a5887f-8865-4c09-adf7-e362475b143a',
  confidentialityCode: 'urn:uuid:f4f85eac-e6cb-4883-b524-f2705394840f',
  formatCode: 'urn:uuid:a09d5840-386c-46f2-b5ad-9c3699a4309d',
  healthcareFacilityTypeCode: 'urn:uuid:f33fb8ac-18af-42cc-ae0e-ed0b0bdb91e1',
  practiceSettingCode: 'urn:uuid:cccf5598-8b07-4b77-a05e-ae952c785ead',
  typeCode: 'urn:uuid:f0306f51-975f-434e-a61c-c59651d33983',
  patientId: 'urn:uuid:58a6f841-87b3-4a3e-92fd-a8ffeff98427',
  uniqueld: 'urn:uuid:2e82c1f6-a085-4c72-9da3-8640a32e42ab',
  eventCodeList: 'urn:uuid:2c6b8cb7-8b2a-4051-b291-b1ae6a575ef4'
var submissionSetUUID = {
  //----SubmissionSet Attributes-----
  author: 'urn:uuid:a7058bb9-b4e4-4307-ba5b-e3f0ab85e12d',
  contentTypeCodes: 'urn:uuid:aa543740-bdda-424e-8c96-df4873be8500',
  uniqueld: 'urn:uuid:96fdda7c-d067-4183-912e-bf5ee74998a8',
  sourceld: 'urn:uuid:554ac39e-e3fe-47fe-b233-965d2a147832',
  patientId: 'urn:uuid:6b5aea1a-874d-4603-a4bc-96a0a7b38446',
  limitedMetadata: 'urn:uuid:a54d6aa5-d40d-43f9-88c5-b4633d873bdd'
```

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Define variable of each Metadata attribute UUID label following IHE ITI Framework

```
function assignAll (rXDSAttribute, myCallback) {
        //Define variable for shorter object accessing
        var sEnvelope = rXDSAttribute['soapenv:Envelope'];
        //inside Enveope
        var s$ = sEnvelope['$'];
        var sBody = sEnvelope['soapenv:Body'][0];
        var sHeader = sEnvelope['soapenv:Header'][0];
        //inside Envelope>Header
        var wsaTo = sHeader['wsa:To'];
        var wsaMessageID = sHeader['wsaMessageID'];
        var wsaAction = sHeader['wsaAction'];
        //inside Envelope>Body
        var lcmSubmitObjectsRequest = sBody['lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest'][0];
        //inside Envelope>Body>lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest
        var bodyRegistryObjectList = lcmSubmitObjectsRequest['rim:RegistryObjectList'][0];
        //inside Envelope>Body>lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest>rim:RegistryObjectList
        var bodyExtrinsicObject = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:ExtrinsicObject'][0];
         var bodyRegistryPackage = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:RegistryPackage'][0];
         var bodyClassification = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:Classification'][0];
         var bodyAssociation = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:Association'][0];
         var eventCodeListCount = 0; //Document may have more than one eventCodeList, so it need
counter
        //Detect DocumentEntry
         if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType'] == documentEntryUUID.DocumentEntry){
           //Scanning object within DocumentEntry "Classification"
           if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['id']){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.entryUUID = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['id'];
           if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['mimeType']){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.mimeType = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['mimeType'];
           if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType']){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.objectType = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['objectType'];
           if (bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['status']){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.availabilityStatus = bodyExtrinsicObject['$']['status'];
```

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```
for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'].length; i++){
             //Detect DocumentEntry > author (Set)
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.author){
                if (i!=0) {//If there are more than one author for the Doc, add more author object into
array
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author.push({
                                         authorPerson: 'N/A',
                                         authorInstitution: [],
                                         authorRole: 'N/A',
                                         authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
                //Assign each element of the author
                for (var j = 0; j < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'].length; j++){
                  if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorPerson'){
                     prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorPerson =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                  if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorInstitution'){
                     prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorInstitution =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'];
                  if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] == 'authorRole'){
                    prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorRole =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                  if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorSpecialty'){
                    prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.author[i].authorSpecialty =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                  }
             //Detect DocumentEntry > classCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.classCode){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.classCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
                if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.classCode.codingScheme =
|bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]
```

```
//Detect DocumentEntry > confidentialityCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.confidentialityCode){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.confidentialityCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.confidentialityCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             //Detect DocumentEntry > formatCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.formatCode){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.formatCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value']:
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.formatCode.codingScheme =
|bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]
             //Detect DocumentEntry > healthcareFacilityTypeCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.healthcareFacilityTypeCode){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.healthcareFacilityTypeCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.healthcareFacilityTypeCode.codingScheme =
| bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]
             //Detect DocumentEntry > practiceSettingCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.practiceSettingCode){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.practiceSettingCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.practiceSettingCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
```

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```
//Detect DocumentEntry > eventCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.eventCodeList){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList.push({
                                          codingScheme: 'N/A',
                                          displayName: 'N/A'
                                        });
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList[eventCodeListCount].displayName = \\
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.eventCodeList[eventCodeListCount].codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
               eventCodeListCount++;
             //Detect DocumentEntry > TypeCode
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.typeCode){
               prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.typeCode.displayName =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                 prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.typeCode.codingScheme =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             }
           }
           //Scanning object within DocumentEntry "Descriptor" which usually be "comment"
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Description'].length; i++){
             prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.comment = bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Description'][i];
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Name'].length; i++){
             prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.title =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Name'][i]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
```

```
//Scanning object within DocumentEntry "ExternalIdentifier"
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'].length; i++){
             //Detect DocumentEntry > patientId
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.patientId){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.patientId =
(bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value']);
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
documentEntryUUID.uniqueId){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.uniqueId =
(bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value']);
           //Scannig object within DocumentEntry "Slot"
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'].length; i++){</pre>
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'size'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.size =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'repositoryUniqueId'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.repositoryUniqueId =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'hash'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.hash =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'creationTime'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.creationTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'languageCode'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.languageCode =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'serviceStartTime'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.serviceStartTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'serviceStopTime'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.serviceStopTime =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
```

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```
if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'sourcePatientId'){
                prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.sourcePatientId =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'sourcePatientInfo'){
                var plaintext = bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'];
                var encryptedString = cryptr.encrypt(plaintext);
        prepXDSAtt.DocumentEntry.sourcePatientInfo = 'Anonymized';
        //Also replace the attributes within full XDSAttributes object with encrypted attribute
        rXDSAttribute['soapenv:Envelope']['soapenv:Body'][0]['lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest'][0]['rim:Regi
stryObjectList'][0]['rim:ExtrinsicObject'][0]['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'] = encryptedString;
             }
           }
         }
         if (bodyRegistryPackage){
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'].length; i++){
             if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
submissionSetUUID.author){
                if (i!=0) {//If there are more than one author for the Doc, add more author object into
array
                  prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.author.push({
                                         authorPerson: 'N/A',
                                         authorInstitution: [],
                                         authorRole: 'N/A',
                                         authorSpecialty: 'N/A'
                                       });
                //Assign each element of the author
                for (var j = 0; j < bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'].length; j++){
                  if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorPerson'){
                    prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.author[i].authorPerson =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                  if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['$']['name'] ==
'authorInstitution'){
                    prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.author[i].authorInstitution =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'];
```

```
if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] ==
'authorRole'){
                    prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.author[i].authorRole =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
                  if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] ==
'authorSpecialty'){
                    prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.author[i].authorSpecialty =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][j]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
             if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['$']['classificationScheme'] ==
submissionSetUUID.contentTypeCodes){
               prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.contentTypeCodes.displayName =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Name'][0]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
               if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['$']['name'] ==
'codingScheme'){
                  prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.contentTypeCodes.codingScheme =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Classification'][i]['rim:Slot'][0]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0];
           }
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Description'].length; i++){
             prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.comment =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Description'][i]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Name'].length; i++){
             prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.title =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:Name'][i]['rim:LocalizedString'][0]['$']['value'];
           for (var i = 0; i < bodyRegistryPackage['rim:ExternalIdentifier'].length; i++){
             if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
submissionSetUUID.uniqueId){
               prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.uniqueId =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value'];
             if (bodyRegistryPackage['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['identificationScheme'] ==
submissionSetUUID.sourceId){
               prepXDSAtt.SubmissionSet.sourceId =
bodyRegistryPackage['rim:ExternalIdentifier'][i]['$']['value'];
```

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This section interprets and assort Metadata attribute value from ITI-42 to JSON

```
//-----Smartcontract interact function
async function invokeContract(XDSMETADataAttributes, rawXDSAttr){
//web3.eth.defaultAccount = web3.eth.personal.getAccounts().then(console.log);
let acc = await web3.eth.personal.getAccounts();
 if (acc.err) {console.log(acc.err);}
 else {console.log('Accounts available on this node:\n' + acc);}
console.log('-----');
var deployerAccount = acc[0];
console.log('Deploying with account:' + deployerAccount);
var abi =
[
   "inputs": [],
   "name": "checkLastID",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "",
     "type": "uint256"
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
 },
   "inputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "Docid",
     "type": "uint256"
   }
   ],
   "name": "retreiveFull",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "string",
     "name": "",
     "type": "string"
   ],
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
 },
```

```
"inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
  ],
  "name": "retreiveSearch",
  "outputs": [
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "",
    "type": "string"
  ],
  "stateMutability": "view",
  "type": "function"
 },
  "inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
   },
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "searchJSON",
    "type": "string"
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "fullJSON",
    "type": "string"
  ],
  "name": "store",
  "outputs": [],
  "stateMutability": "nonpayable",
  "type": "function"
];
var contractAddress = require('./contractAddress.js');
console.log('Contract Address: ' + contractAddress);
```

```
var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddress, {
from: deployerAccount,
  gas: 30000000
});
var Docid = 0;
var inputSearch = JSON.stringify(XDSMETADataAttributes);
var inputFull = JSON.stringify(rawXDSAttr);
myContract.methods.store(Docid, inputSearch, inputFull).send({
from: deployerAccount
}).then(function(receipt){
 console.log(receipt);
 console.log('========\nTransaction success...');
 hrend = process.hrtime(hrstart);
      console.info('Execution time (hr): %ds %dms', hrend[0], hrend[1] / 1000000);
      console.log('======;');
});
```

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This section passes JSON into Smart Contract as single string variable

4.2.3.1.2 Smartcontract

In the implementation, Smartcontract was designed to store string values and will return the stored value when called by the corresponding Smartcontract function. The prepared JSON must be converted into a string variable before entering Smartcontract. This is due to the limit of the Ethereum Smartcontract which can cover a limited number of programming variables so, we simplify our program to avoid that limit by storing the whole JSON in string form as a single variable. As the Ethereum Blockchain requires a certain amount of gas to execute the Smartcontract, the length of the variable may cause an error in the process if there was not enough gas supplied. That means, we need to increase the limit amount of gas for executing Smartcontract from the default value as shown in Figure 4-40. Although this change may not affect the implementation, it may affect the network where its member prefers to use actual cryptocurrency like Ether to maintain Blockchain where an increase in required gas may accelerate the depletion of currency circulating in the network and severely reduce the maintainability of the Blockchain. Figure 4-41 showing the process flow of Smartcontract function related to Document Registering.

```
var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddress, {
   from: deployerAccount,
       gas: 30000000
});
```

Figure 4-40 Specified gas value spplying Ethereum Smartcontract execution

```
var DocumentRegistering_Into_Blockchain() {
    var lastID = Invoke_CheckLastID_SmartcontractFunction();
    var NewID = lastID + 1;
    Invoke_DocumentRegister_SmartcontractFunction(NewID);
    var registerStatus
    if (not Error) {
            registerStatus = "Success";
        }
        return registerStatus;
}
```

Figure 4-41 The pseudocode showing the process flow of Document Register Smartcontract

By these Smartcontract design, XDS Document Registry actors can keep Metadata attributes of each document by storing them as JSON string variable inside Blockchain using one Smartcontract per document. At the same time, the actor can perform search operation by sequentially call upon each published Smartcontract one-by-one until the result was found or until the last in the case which no matching result. It must be noted that publishing of Smartcontract always requires gas to execute the task while calling for the variable value stored in the Smartcontract is not consuming any Blockchain resource. Figure 4-42 showing the Solidity code snippet highlighting (green color) the part relating to Document Registering Function.

```
pragma solidity >=0.4.22 <0.7.0; //SPDX-License-Identifier: UNLICENSED
contract Storage {
  struct Document_Registry {
       string searchAttributes; //Storing META-Data Attributes for search operation
        string fullAttributes; //Storing META-Data Attributes for return result
  uint DocID = 0; //This variable is for selecting Document ID, always reset to 0
  uint lastDoc; //This variable keep track for the latest Document ID being used
  mapping (uint => Document_Registry) docreg;
  //Assign variable "documentregist" to map value of struct Document_Registry
 //Constructor Document_Registry store JSON string for search and for return as full response
  //Store string JSON
  function store(uint Docid, string memory searchJSON, string memory fullJSON) public {
    if (Docid > 0){
      DocID = Docid; //If Docid was specified (not 0) replacing string JSON of existing Docid
              //This probably require some kind of authentication
    else{
      lastDoc++; //If Docid was not specified, create new ID
      DocID = lastDoc;
    docreg[DocID].searchAttributes = searchJSON;
    docreg[DocID].fullAttributes = fullJSON;
  //Check the lastest ID being used
  function checkLastID() public view returns (uint) {
    return lastDoc;
  //Call for string JSON for Search Program
  function retreiveSearch(uint Docid) public view returns (string memory) {
    return docreg[Docid].searchAttributes;
  //Call for string JSON for Result Return Program
  function retreiveFull(uint Docid) public view returns (string memory) {
    return docreg[Docid].fullAttributes;
```

Figure 4-42 Solidity Code Snippet of Smart Contract (Highlight - green color) related to Document Registering Function

4.2.3.2 Implementing Document Search function

4.2.3.2.1 Native side Javascript program

Like IHE ITI-42 transaction handling, the XDS Document Registry actors also wait for ITI-18 on the TCP channel. The received transaction will be converted into JSON while matching UUID with its corresponding metadata attributes as declared in Figure 4-43. The transaction is specified with the header "QueryResponse" and compose of Metadata attributes value input by Document Consumer. These values will be used in search operation which will seek for the Smartcontract with matching metadata attribute values. After the result was found, the actor then proceeds to create a response XML message following the ITI-18 format. Figure 4-44 showing the pseudocode describing the process flow for the native-side Javascript program related to Document Search. Figure 4-45 to Figure 4-49 show the Javascript code snippet for native-side of XDS Document Registry handling ITI-18 transaction and Document Search function.

```
//DocumentQuery======
function documentQuery (inputAttributes) {
       var requestUUID = {
        FindDocuments: 'urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d',
        FindSubmissionSets: 'urn:uuid:f26abbcb-ac74-4422-8a30-edb644bbc1a9',
        FindFolders: 'urn:uuid:958f3006-baad-4929-a4de-ff1114824431',
        GetAll: 'urn:uuid:10b545ea-725c-446d-9b95-8aeb444eddf3',
        GetDocuments: 'urn:uuid:5c4f972b-d56b-40ac-a5fc-c8ca9b40b9d4',
        GetFolders: 'urn:uuid:5737b14c-8a1a-4539-b659-e03a34a5e1e4',
        GetAssociations: 'urn:uuid:a7ae438b-4bc2-4642-93e9-be891f7bb155',
        GetDocumentsAndAssociations: 'urn:uuid:bab9529a-4a10-40b3-a01f-f68a615d247a',
        GetSubmissionSets: 'urn:uuid:51224314-5390-4169-9b91-b1980040715a',
        GetSubmissionSetAndContents: 'urn:uuid:e8e3cb2c-e39c-46b9-99e4-c12f57260b83',
        GetFolderAndContents: 'urn:uuid:b909a503-523d-4517-8acf-8e5834dfc4c7',
        GetFoldersForDocument: 'urn:uuid:10cae35a-c7f9-4cf5-b61e-fc3278ffb578',
        GetRelatedDocuments: 'urn:uuid:d90e5407-b356-4d91-a89f-873917b4b0e6',
        FindDocumentsByReferenceId: 'urn:uuid:12941a89-e02e-4be5-967c-ce4bfc8fe492'
```

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Define variable of query request type UUID label following IHE ITI Framework

```
var Received_ITI_18(XMLMessage){
    var JSON_attributes = InterpretXMLtoJSON(XMLMessage);
    var Assorte_JSON = AssortMetadataAttributes(JSON_attributes);
    var SearchKeywords = SortInto_SearchKeywordsFormat(Assorted_JSON);
    return SearchKeywords;
}
```

Figure 4-44 The process flow for the native-side Javasceipt program related Document Search Function

```
function specifyRequestType (requestedJSON, myCallback) {
        //Specify responseOption
         console.log('Specify responseOption');
         var responseOption = ";
requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['query:ResponseOption'][0]['$']['returnComposedObjects']
== 'true'){
          console.log('returnComposedObjects = true');
          if (requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['query:ResponseOption'][0]['$']['returnType']
== 'LeafClass') {
           responseOption = 'LeafClass';
           console.log('Request response as ' + responseOption + '...');
(requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['query:ResponseOption'][0]['$']['returnType'] ==
'ObjectRef'){
           responseOption = 'ObjectRef';
           console.log('Request response as ObjectRef...');
          }
         }
         //Specify queryType -> revert UUID to human understandable word
         console.log(requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['$']['id']);
         for (i = 0; i < Object.entries(requestUUID).length; i++){ //Cycle through requestUUID object to
check request types
          if (requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['$']['id'] ==
Object.entries(requestUUID)[i][1]){
           var requestType = Object.keys(requestUUID)[i];
           console.log('Query Type: ' + requestType);
         } }
         //Define search keyword array to meet specification of each request type
         var searchKeyword = [];
         if (requestType == 'FindDocuments'){
          var rimSlot = requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['rim:Slot'];
          console.log(util.inspect(rimSlot)):
          for (i = 0; i < rimSlot.length; i++){ //Assign attributes in rim:Slot to search keyword array
           if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryClassCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['classCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryTypeCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['typeCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           }
```

```
else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryPracticeSettingCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['practiceSettingCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeFrom'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['creationTime', 'From'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryCreationTimeTo'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['creationTime', 'To'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTimeFrom'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['serviceStartTime', 'From'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStartTimeTo'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['serviceStartTime', 'To'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTimeFrom'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['serviceStopTime', 'From'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryServiceStopTimeTo'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['serviceStopTime', 'To'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryHealthcareFacilityTypeCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['healthcareFacilityTypeCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryEventCodeList'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', 'eventCodeList',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryConfidentialityCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['confidentialityCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryAuthorPerson'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['author', 'authorPerson'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryFormatCode'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', ['formatCode', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]); }
```

```
else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryStatus'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', 'availabilityStatus',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
           else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSDocumentEntryType'){
            searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', 'objectType',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
         else if (requestType == 'FindSubmissionSets'){ //Need to add case in DocSearch***
                var rimSlot =
requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['rim:Slot'];
          console.log(util.inspect(rimSlot));
          for (i = 0; i < rimSlot.length; i++){
                if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetPatientId'){
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetSourceId'){
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', 'sourceId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetSubmissionTimeFrom'){ //***}
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', ['submissionTime', 'From'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetSubmissionTimeTo'){ //***
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', ['submissionTime', 'To'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetAuthorPerson'){ //***
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', ['author', 'authorPerson'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetContentType'){
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', ['contentTypeCodes', 'displayName'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSSubmissionSetStatus'){
                        searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', 'availabilityStatus',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
         else if (requestType == 'FindFolders'){
                var rimSlot =
requestedJSON['query:AdhocQueryRequest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['rim:Slot'];
                console.log(util.inspect(rimSlot));
```

```
for (i = 0; i < rimSlot.length; i++){
                         if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSFolderPatientId'){
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                         else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSFolderLastUpdateTimeFrom'){ //***
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', ['lastUpdateTime', 'From'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                         else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSFolderLastUpdateTimeTo'){ //***
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', ['lastUpdateTime', 'To'],
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                        else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSFolderCodeList'){ //***
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', 'codeList',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                        else if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$XDSFolderStatus'){
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', 'availabilityStatus',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
         else if (requestType == 'GetAll'){
                var rimSlot =
reguestedJSON['guery:AdhocQueryReguest']['rim:AdhocQuery'][0]['rim:Slot'];
                console.log(util.inspect(rimSlot));
                for (i = 0; i < rimSlot.length; i++){
                         if (rimSlot[i]['$']['name'] == '$patientId'){
                                 searchKeyword.push(['DocumentEntry', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                                 searchKeyword.push(['SubmissionSet', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                                 searchKeyword.push(['Folder', 'patientId',
rimSlot[i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'][0]]);
                } }
         searchKeyword.push([requestType, responseOption]);
         console.log(searchKeyword);
         myCallback(searchKeyword, invokeContract);
        specifyRequestType(inputAttributes, checkLastID);
```

Figure 4-45 XDS Document Registry Actor

Identify query request type following received ITI-18 header and assort search keyword

```
async function checkLastID (sK, myCallback) {
//web3.eth.defaultAccount = web3.eth.personal.getAccounts().then(console.log);
 console.log('Checking for latest ID...');
 let acc = await web3.eth.personal.getAccounts();
  if (acc.err) {console.log(acc.err);}
  else {console.log('Accounts available on this node:\n' + acc);}
 var deployerAccount = acc[0];
 console.log('Originally deployed with account:' + deployerAccount);
 var abi =
   "inputs": [],
   "name": "checkLastID",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "",
     "type": "uint256"
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
  },
   "inputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "Docid",
     "type": "uint256"
   ],
   "name": "retreiveFull",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "string",
     "name": "",
     "type": "string"
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
```

```
"inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
  ],
  "name": "retreiveSearch",
  "outputs": [
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "",
    "type": "string"
  "stateMutability": "view",
  "type": "function"
  "inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
   },
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "searchJSON",
    "type": "string"
   },
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "fullJSON",
    "type": "string"
   }
  ],
  "name": "store",
  "outputs": [],
  "stateMutability": "nonpayable",
  "type": "function"
];
var contractAddress = require('./contractAddress.js');
console.log('Contract Address: ' + contractAddress);
```

```
var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddress, {
    from: deployerAccount,
    gas: 30000000
});

console.log('Calling contract...');
myContract.methods.checkLastID().call({
    from: deployerAccount
}, (err,res) => {
    if (err) {
        console.log(err);
    }else{
        console.log('Found, the lastest document ID is ' + res);
        console.log('-------');
        myCallback(sK, res, matchMaker);
    }
});
}
```

Figure 4-46 XDS Document Registry Actor

Check for the latest document ID published in Blockchain before beginning search operation

```
//Invoke each contract for keyword search
async function invokeContract(sK, maxDoc, myCallback){
//web3.eth.defaultAccount = web3.eth.personal.getAccounts().then(console.log);
 console.log('Search keywords received...\nMoving on to search function...');
 let acc = await web3.eth.personal.getAccounts();
 if (acc.err) {console.log(acc.err);}
  else {console.log('Accounts available on this node:\n' + acc);}
 var deployerAccount = acc[0];
 console.log('Originally deployed with account:' + deployerAccount);
 var abi =
   "inputs": [],
   "name": "checkLastID",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "",
     "type": "uint256"
   ],
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
  },
   "inputs": [
     "internalType": "uint256",
     "name": "Docid",
     "type": "uint256"
   ],
   "name": "retreiveFull",
   "outputs": [
     "internalType": "string",
     "name": "",
     "type": "string"
   "stateMutability": "view",
   "type": "function"
```

```
"inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
  ],
  "name": "retreiveSearch",
  "outputs": [
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "",
    "type": "string"
  ],
  "stateMutability": "view",
  "type": "function"
 },
  "inputs": [
    "internalType": "uint256",
    "name": "Docid",
    "type": "uint256"
   },
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "searchJSON",
    "type": "string"
   },
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "fullJSON",
    "type": "string"
   }
  ],
  "name": "store",
  "outputs": [],
  "stateMutability": "nonpayable",
  "type": "function"
];
var contractAddress = require('./contractAddress.js');
console.log('Contract Address: ' + contractAddress);
```

```
var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddress, {
from: deployerAccount,
 gas: 30000000
});
console.log('The latest document ID is no.:' + maxDoc);
//callRegSearch while run along Docid from 1 to latest (known using checkID)
console.log('Begin contract search...');
var traceDocid = 0;
for (Docid = 1; Docid <= maxDoc; Docid++){</pre>
traceDocid++;
 myContract.methods.retreiveSearch(Docid).call({
 from: deployerAccount
 }, (err,res) => {
  if (err) {
   console.log(err);
  }else{
   var XDSattributes = JSON.parse(res);
   myCallback(XDSattributes, sK, traceDocid, fullContract);
  }
});
}
```

Figure 4-47 XDS Document Registry Actor

Begin search operation by sequentially check each published contract one-by-one

```
//Compare keyword with JSON called from smartcontract
       function matchMaker (searchXDSAtt, sK, Docid, myCallback){
        //searchXDSAtt = XDS Object called from smartcontract
        //sK = search keyword received from ITI-18
        console.log('-----\nSmartcontract called...');
        var matchedCount = 0;
        var timeAttributes = {
         creationTime: {
          From: null,
          To: null
         },
         serviceStartTime: {
          From: null,
          To: null
         },
         serviceStopTime: {
          From: null,
          To: null
         }
        for (i = 0; i < sK.length - 1; i++){
         var keyCount = i+1;
         if (Array.isArray(sK[i][1])){ //check if attributes have sub-attributes i.e. author, classCode, etc.
          if (sK[i][1][0] == 'author') { //author specific case
           if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1][0]][0][sK[i][1][1]] == sK[i][2]){
            matchedCount++;
            console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + ' matched...');
           else {
            console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + ' unmatched...');
            break;
           }
          }
          else if (sK[i][1][0] == 'creationTime') {
           timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]][sK[i][1][1]] = sK[i][2];
           if (timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['From'] && timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['To']){
            var dateTimeFrom = moment.utc(timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['From'],
YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
            var dateTimeTo = moment.utc(timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['To'], 'YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
            var dateTimeTarget = moment.utc(searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1][0]],
YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
```

```
if (moment(dateTimeTarget).isBetween(dateTimeFrom, dateTimeTo, undefined, '[]')){
              matchedCount++; //match count 2 times due to the attributes require 2 search keywords
              matchedCount++;
              console.log(sK[i][1][0] + 'at Keyword ' + keyCount + 'matched...');
             }
            }
           else if (sK[i][1][0] == 'serviceStartTime' | | sK[i][1][0] == 'serviceStopTime') {
            if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1][0]] != 'N/A'){//check} if current Document have
serviceTime attributes present
             timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]][sK[i][1][1]] = sK[i][2];
             if (timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['From'] && timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['To']){
              var dateTimeFrom = moment.utc(timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['From'],
'YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
              var dateTimeTo = moment.utc(timeAttributes[sK[i][1][0]]['To'], 'YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
              var dateTimeTarget = moment.utc(searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1][0]],
YYYYMMDDHHmmss');
              if (moment(dateTimeTarget).isBetween(dateTimeFrom, dateTimeTo, undefined, '[]')){
               matchedCount++; //match count 2 times due to the attributes require 2 search
keywords
               matchedCount++;
               console.log(sK[i][1][0] + ' at Keyword ' + keyCount + ' matched...');
             }
            }
           else {
            if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1][0]][sK[i][1][1]] == sK[i][2]){
             matchedCount++;
             console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + ' matched...');
            else {
             console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + 'unmatched...');
             break;
            }
           }
          else {
           if (Array.isArray(sK[i][2])){
            if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1]][0] == sK[i][2][0]){
             matchedCount++;
             console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + ' matched...');
            else if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1]][0] != sK[i][2][0]) {
             console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + 'unmatched...');
             break;
            }}
```

```
else {
           if (searchXDSAtt[sK[i][0]][sK[i][1]] == sK[i][2]){
            matchedCount++;
            console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + ' matched...');
           else {
            console.log('Keyword' + keyCount + 'unmatched...');
            break;
          }
        if (matchedCount == sK.length - 1){
         console.log('All matched, successfully... \nReturn document as search
result:\n==========;);
         console.log(searchXDSAtt.DocumentEntry);
         console.log('=========');
         myCallback(Docid, sK, responseToUser);
        }
        else {
         console.log('Unmatched...');
        }
       }
       async function fullContract (Docid, sK, myCallback){
        //web3.eth.defaultAccount = web3.eth.personal.getAccounts().then(console.log);
        console.log('Calling for full document...');
        let acc = await web3.eth.personal.getAccounts();
         if (acc.err) {console.log(acc.err);}
         else {console.log('Accounts available on this node:\n' + acc);}
        var deployerAccount = acc[0];
        console.log('Originally deployed with account:' + deployerAccount);
        var abi =
          "inputs": [],
          "name": "checkLastID",
          "outputs": [
            "internalType": "uint256",
            "name": "",
            "type": "uint256"
```

```
"stateMutability": "view",
 "type": "function"
},
 "inputs": [
   "internalType": "uint256",
   "name": "Docid",
   "type": "uint256"
  }
 ],
 "name": "retreiveFull",
 "outputs": [
   "internalType": "string",
   "name": "",
   "type": "string"
 ],
 "stateMutability": "view",
 "type": "function"
},
 "inputs": [
   "internalType": "uint256",
   "name": "Docid",
   "type": "uint256"
  }
 ],
 "name": "retreiveSearch",
 "outputs": [
  {
   "internalType": "string",
   "name": "",
   "type": "string"
 "stateMutability": "view",
 "type": "function"
 "inputs": [
   "internalType": "uint256",
   "name": "Docid",
   "type": "uint256"
```

```
"internalType": "string",
    "name": "searchJSON",
    "type": "string"
    "internalType": "string",
    "name": "fullJSON",
    "type": "string"
  "name": "store",
  "outputs": [],
  "stateMutability": "nonpayable",
  "type": "function"
];
var contractAddress = require('./contractAddress.js');
console.log('Contract Address: ' + contractAddress);
var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddress, {
 from: deployerAccount,
  gas: 30000000
});
console.log('Returning document: ' + Docid);
       my Contract. methods. retreive Full (Docid). call (\{
       from: deployerAccount
       }, (err,res) => {
               if (err) {
                       console.log(err);
               } else {
                       var XDSattributes = JSON.parse(res);
                       myCallback(XDSattributes, sK);
               }
       });
```

Figure 4-48 XDS Document Registry Actor

Check if value of Metadata attributes in each publish contract matched with search keyword before summarize search result.

```
function responseToUser (rXDSattribute, sK) {
               //Define variable for shorter object accessing
               var sEnvelope = rXDSattribute['soapenv:Envelope'];
               //inside Enveope
               var s$ = sEnvelope['$'];
               var sBody = sEnvelope['soapenv:Body'][0];
               var sHeader = sEnvelope['soapenv:Header'][0];
               //inside Envelope>Header
               var wsaTo = sHeader['wsa:To'];
               var wsaMessageID = sHeader['wsaMessageID'];
               var wsaAction = sHeader['wsaAction'];
               //inside Envelope>Body
               var lcmSubmitObjectsRequest = sBody['lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest'][0];
               //inside Envelope>Body>lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest
               var bodyRegistryObjectList = lcmSubmitObjectsRequest['rim:RegistryObjectList'][0];
               //inside Envelope>Body>lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest>rim:RegistryObjectList
               var bodyExtrinsicObject = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:ExtrinsicObject'][0];
               var bodyRegistryPackage = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:RegistryPackage'][0];
               var bodyClassification = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:Classification'][0];
               var bodyAssociation = bodyRegistryObjectList['rim:Association'][0];
               //Decrypt sourcePatientInfo -> So encryption just prevent those who look directly into
contract to read the attribute
               //Alternatively, this can be left encrypted while require Document Consumer to decrypt
by themselves
               for (var i = 0; i < bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'].length; i++) {
                      if (bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['$']['name'] == 'sourcePatientInfo') {
                              var encryptedString =
bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'];
               var plaintext = cryptr.decrypt(encryptedString);
       //Also replace the attributes within full XDSAttributes object with encrypted attribute
       bodyExtrinsicObject['rim:Slot'][i]['rim:ValueList'][0]['rim:Value'] = plaintext.split(',');
               }
               sK[sK.length-1] + '\n===========');
               var responseJSON = {
                       "query:AdhocQueryResponse": {
                              "$": {
                                      "status": "Success",
                                      "xmlns:query": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-
regrep:xsd:query:3.0",
                                      "xmlns:rim": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0",
                                      "xmlns:xsi": "http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance",
                                      "xsi:schemaLocation": "urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-
regrep:xsd:query:3.0 ../../schema/ebRS/query.xsd"
                              },
```

```
"rim:ExtrinsicObject": [bodyExtrinsicObject]
                           }
                    ]
             }
      console.log(util.inspect(responseJSON));
      if (netServer && netSocket) {
             console.log('Responsing query result: ');
             var responseXML = builder.buildObject(responseJSON);
   //var regex = /r?\n|\r/g;
   //var responseXML = responseXML.replace(regex,'');
   netSocket.write(responseXML);
   console.log('----');
   console.log(responseXML);
      console.log('=======\nDone!');
      hrend = process.hrtime(hrstart);
      console.info('Execution time (hr): %ds %dms', hrend[0], hrend[1] / 1000000);
      console.log('=======');
}
```

Figure 4-49 XDS Document Registry

Gather search result and response back to Document Consumer Actor

4.2.3.2.2 Smartcontract

Like the Document Register function, the XDS Document Registry Actor must be able to respond to the Document Search query from the Document Consumer by returning the metadata attributes of the registered document matched with the query to the consumer. In a traditional database, this can be done by utilizing a query of a relational (SQL) database. However, for Blockchain, the structure of stored data is different from relational databases but similar to NoSQL. That means search operation will need to rely on a sequential search algorithm. The program will need to take a look at all published transactions one-by-one from the first until the result was found. Each transaction will require the program to call on smart-contract for reviewing the stored value before comparing it with the specified value used for search. When all of the values called from the Smartcontract are matched with the value specified for search, the value called will be marked as a search result which will be returned to XDS Document Consumer Actor via ITI-18 format. Figure 4-50 showing the pseudocode describing the process flow for the Smartcontract function related to Document Search. Figure 4-51 showing the Solidity code snippet highlighting (green color) the part relating to Document Search Function.

Figure 4-50 The pseudocode showing the process flow of Smartcontract function related to

Document Search

```
pragma solidity >=0.4.22 <0.7.0; //SPDX-License-Identifier: UNLICENSED
contract Storage {
  struct Document Registry {
       string searchAttributes; //Storing META-Data Attributes for search operation
       string fullAttributes; //Storing META-Data Attributes for return result
  uint DocID = 0; //This variable is for selecting Document ID, always reset to 0
  uint lastDoc; //This variable keep track for the latest Document ID being used
  mapping (uint => Document Registry) docreg;
  //Assign variable "documentregist" to map value of struct Document Registry
  //Constructor Document Registry store JSON string for search and for return as full response
  //Store string JSON
  function store(uint Docid, string memory searchJSON, string memory fullJSON) public {
    if (Docid > 0){
      DocID = Docid; //If Docid was specified (not 0) replacing string JSON of existing Docid
               //This probably require some kind of authentication
    else{
      lastDoc++; //If Docid was not specified, create new ID
      DocID = lastDoc;
    docreg[DocID].searchAttributes = searchJSON;
    docreg[DocID].fullAttributes = fullJSON;
  //Check the lastest ID being used
  function checkLastID() public view returns (uint) {
    return lastDoc;
  }
  //Call for string JSON for Search Program
  function retreiveSearch(uint Docid) public view returns (string memory) {
    return docreg[Docid].searchAttributes;
  //Call for string JSON for Result Return Program
  function retreiveFull(uint Docid) public view returns (string memory) {
    return docreg[Docid].fullAttributes;
  }
```

Figure 4-51 Solidity Code Snippet of Smartcontract (Highlight - green color) related to Document Search Function

4.3 Experimental setup

The goal of the experiment is to test the performance of each major process resulting from the implementation (include Document Register and Document Search) and compatibility of the resulting system to an actual healthcare operation environment where a huge amount of data continuously flows through the system without failure or reduced efficiency. So, the system will be tested with mockup transactions on each process and measure the time required for the system to complete the process.

At the same time, the experiment will also test that if the implementation result can operate with XDS Actors in a common XDS system, so we use transaction samples provided by the IHE ITI framework with modified attributes value varied in each transaction for the test. Transaction samples provided by the framework are including ITI-42 Register Document Set-b transaction, ITI-18 Registry Stored Query transaction, and its corresponding response transaction. However, these transaction samples have limited capabilities as an example due to much more specification provided in the framework so, there is some transaction need to be defined manually from requirements provided in the framework.

As mentioned in Section 4.1.1, the environment of the test machine is running on Linux Ubuntu (64-bit) version 18.10 with 8 GB RAM and 100 GB storage dynamically shared from the host machine.

As mentioned in Section 4.1.3, the Blockchain network environment for the experiment will be demonstrated using the 7-Nodes Example Blockchain. That means there will be seven IBFT Blockchain nodes simulated within the environment of the test machine. The test sample will be monitored from node number one.

In this experiment, there will be one set of ten transactions to test the performance of the Document Registering process. Each transaction will be used to test the performance of the query and Document Search two times include one with minimum search keywords and another one with maximum search keywords. The test result will then show the amount of time each process needed to complete its task on each transaction compared between minimum search keywords and maximum search keywords. Figure 4-52 and Figure 4-53 showing an example of the mockup transaction created for the experiment.

Figure 4-52 Content of mockup transaction example



Figure 4-53 Ten of mockup transactions generated for the experiment

4.4 Result

4.4.1 Result of each step

Figure 4-54 to Figure 4-63 are screenshots captured from the resulting implementation.

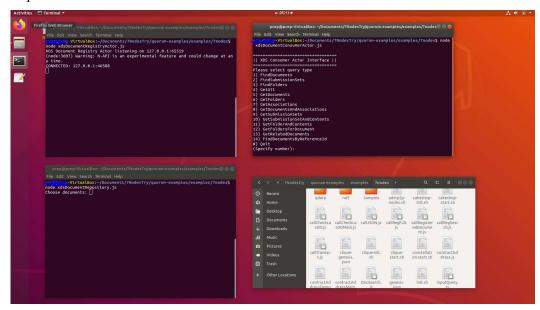


Figure 4-54 All XDS Actors activated via its terminal

(Top Left) XDS Document Registry Actor (Top Right) XDS Document Consumer Actor (Bottom Left) XDS Document Repository Actor (Bottom Right) The folder containing all files related to the XDS Blockchain

```
node xdsDocumentRegistryActor.js
XDS Document Registry Actor listening on 127.0.0.1:65519
(node:3553) Warning: N-API is an experimental feature and could change at an
y time.
```

Figure 4-55 XDS Document Registry Actor standby and wait for incoming XML Messages.

```
node xdsDocumentRepository.js
Choose documents: 1
```

Figure 4-56 XDS Document Repository prompt for health document number to register

```
CONNECTED TO: 127.0.0.1:65519
?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8'?>
soapenv:Envelope xmlns:soapenv="http://www.w3.org/2003/05/soap-envelope">
  <p
891554413514373</wsa:MessageID>
     <wsa:Action soapenv:mustUnderstand="true">urn:ihe:iti:2007:RegisterDoc
mentSet-b</wsa:Action>
  </soapenv:Header>
  <soapenv:Body>
     <lcm:SubmitObjectsRequest xmlns:lcm="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:x</pre>
        <rim:RegistryObjectList xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:</pre>
sd:rim:3.0">
<rim:ExtrinsicObject id="Document01" mimeType="text/plain" objec</pre>Type="urn:uuid:7edca82f-054d-47f2-a032-9b2a5b5186c1" status="urn:oasis:name
:tc:ebxml-regrep:StatusType:Approved">
              <rim:Slot name="size">
                 <rim:ValueList>
```

Figure 4-57 XDS Document Repository sent ITI-42 transaction to XDS Document Registry

```
Deploying with account:0xed9d02e382b34818e88B88a309c7fe71E65f419d
Contract Address: 0xF380286a425Fe5107ad8D755E407317c6e965Ad2
CLOSED: 127.0.0.1 46588
blockHash: '0x9c13b1870a68e0734fa426b543761fad7cfae59452145affba000a9106a7
956e',
blockNumber: 44880.
contractAddress: null,
cumulativeGasUsed: 9420604,
from: '0xed9d02e382b34818e88b88a309c7fe71e65f419d',
gasUsed: 9420604,
status: true,
to: '0xf380286a425fe5107ad8d755e407317c6e965ad2',
transactionHash: '0xe07312f8cbdf5d18a2f35aeabd281c802698f09e01ae1099d1dacf
3bbf327b3',
transactionIndex: 0,
events: {} }
---------------
Transaction success..
```

Figure 4-58 XDS Document Registry received ITI-42 transaction and

successfully registered the metadata set into the Blockchain while wait for other XML Messages

Figure 4-59 XDS Document Repository received response from XDS Document Registry

then terminate

```
------
|| XDS Consumer Actor Interface ||
Please select query type

    FindDocuments

FindSubmissionSets
FindFolders
4) GetAll
GetDocuments
6) GetFolders
GetAssociations
8) GetDocumentsAndAssociations
GetSubmissionSets
10) GetSubmissionSetAndContents
GetFolderAndContents
12) GetFoldersForDocument
13) GetRelatedDocuments
14) FindDocumentsByReferenceId
#) Ouit
(Specify number):
```

Figure 4-60 XDS Document consumer Actor prompt the user for input

Figure 4-61 XDS Document Consumer Actor sent ITI-18 transaction

to XDS Document Registry and wait for response

```
Received data....
XML:
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<query:AdhocQueryRequest xmlns:query="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:qu</pre>
ery:3.0" xmlns:rim="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0" xmlns:rs="u
 n:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rs:3.0" xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001
 XMLSchema-instance" xsi:schemaLocation="urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd/
 query:3.0 ../../schema/ebRS/query.xsd">
  <query:ResponseOption returnComposedObjects="true" returnType="LeafClass"/
  <rim:AdhocQuery id="urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d">
    <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryPatientId">
      <rim:ValueList>
         <rim:Value>IHEBLUE-2736^^^&amp;amp;1.3.6.1.4.1.21367.13.20.3000&amp;
amp;ISO</rim:Value>
       </rim:ValueList>
    </rim:Slot>
    <rim:Slot name="$XDSDocumentEntryStatus">
      <rim:ValueList>
         <rim:Value>urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:StatusType:Approved</rim:</pre>
Value>
       </rim:ValueList>
     </rim:Slot>
  </rim:AdhocQuery>
 /query:AdhocQueryRequest>
 Converted to object:
  'query:AdhocQueryRequest':
     '$':
{ ':
        'xmlns:query': 'urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0',
'xmlns:rim': 'urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rim:3.0',
'xmlns:rs': 'urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:rs:3.0',
         'xmlns:xsi': 'http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance',
  'xsi:schemaLocation': 'urn:oasis:names:tc:ebxml-regrep:xsd:query:3.0
./../schema/ebRS/query.xsd' },
    'query:ResponseOption': [[Object]],
      'rim:AdhocQuery': [ [Object] ] } }
Query requested...
Specify responseOption
 eturnComposedObjects = true
Request response as LeafClass..
urn:uuid:14d4debf-8f97-4251-9a74-a90016b0af0d
{ '$': { name: '$XDSDocumentEntryStatus' },
Connection closed
```

Figure 4-62 XDS Document Registry received ITI-18 transaction then interpret the message

```
Checking for latest ID..
Accounts available on this node:
0xed9d02e382b34818e88B88a309c7fe71E65f419d
Originally deployed with account:0xed9d02e382b34818e88B88a309c7fe71E65f419d
Contract Address: 0xF380286a425Fe5107ad8D755E407317c6e965Ad2
Calling contract...
Found, the lastest document ID is 12
Search keywords received...
Moving on to search function...
Accounts available on this node:
0xed9d02e382b34818e88B88a309c7fe71E65f419d
Originally deployed with account:0xed9d02e382b34818e88B88a309c7fe71E65f419d
Contract Address: 0xF380286a425Fe5107ad8D755E407317c6e965Ad2
The latest document ID is no.:12
Begin contract search...
Smartcontract called...
Keyword 1 unmatched...
Unmatched...
______
Connection closed
```

Figure 4-63 XDS Document Registry then begin search operation over Smartcontract

If the matching result were found, it will be response back to XDS Document Consumer.

4.4.2 Performance Evaluation Result

The evaluation measure time the program needs to finish each process, consist of registering document into XDS Document Registry Actor Blockchain and when XDS Document Consumer Actor query for the registered document using specified keywords. It took an average of 4.797 ms for ITI-42 to be sent from XDS Document Repository Actor to XDS Document Registry Actor locally using TCP connection. XDS Document Registry Actor took an average of 5 seconds and 174.691 ms to the published transaction into Blockchain. With a minimum number of keywords, it took an average of 221.884 ms to finish search operation on Blockchain with 10 samples smart-contract published beforehand while it took an average of 260.480 ms for XDS Document Consumer Actor to received query response after the query was sent to XDS Document Registry Actor. With a maximum number of keywords, it took an average of 264.937 ms to finish search operation on Blockchain with 10 samples smart-contract published beforehand while it took an average of 304.457 ms for XDS Document Consumer Actor to received query response after the query was sent to XDS Document Registry Actor. Figure 4-64 showing that the document query and search with maximum keywords took time slightly higher than minimum keywords in a unit of a millisecond (ms).

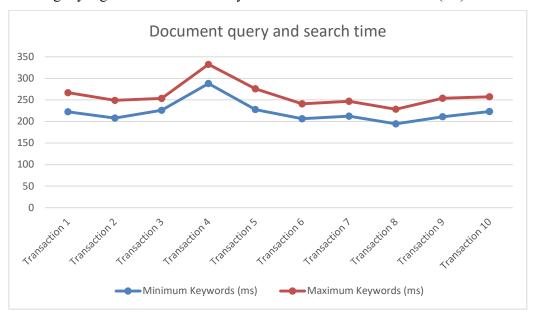


Figure 4-64 Chart comparing document query and search time between minimum keywords and maximum keywords

CHAPTER V CONCLUSION AND DISCUSSION

This chapter comprises two main sections including the conclusion and discussion.

5.1 Conclusion

In this work, we achieve the system prototype for the XDS Blockchain which acts as the medium for health document sharing amongst the XDS Affinity Domain Network. The prototype was designed to be compatible with normal XDS Actors while also act as a medium for a common XDS network to interface with the IBFT Blockchain ledger. This enhances the IHE XDS b Profile with the Blockchain characteristics while appreciating the network to further share their health document to further benefit from the network for both operational interoperability and cyber-security.

However, due to the ever-changing nature of the software platform, further adoption of the implementation will need to be updated as the platform released the newer version of the software to avoid version conflict of the source code.

5.2 Discussion

In the implementation of the proposed concept, we excluded an XDS On-Demand Document Repository Actor and XDS Patient Identity Feed actor to reduce the complexity of the concept demonstration. For future work, those XDS Actors should also be implemented to the XDS Blockchain concept too. The XDS On-Demand Document Repository would enhance the benefit of the XDS Blockchain as it provides On-Demand health document type which gave flexibility and a wider range of usability of shared health document to healthcare operation. At the same time, The Patient Identity Feed Actor would aid the member of the XDS Affinity Domain Blockchain network by establishing the medium identifier for all members to seamlessly share their health documents. The Patient Identity Feed Actor may even further integrate into the Smartcontract and eliminate the need for centralized identity feed in the network. Eliminate the cost which would be spent on maintaining the Patient Identity Feed Actor

for the network. Furthermore, the Smartcontract also has the potential to become the exchange medium for ITI-43 transaction where the XDS Document Consumer negotiates with XDS Document Repository for retrieving actual health document, allow health documents exchanging activities in the network to be recorded in the Blockchain ledger which could be further used in the incident investigation during the cyber-incident. These would maximize the potential of Blockchain technology implemented on the Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Profile.

In this work, we try to focus only on using the Blockchain technology to act as an exchange medium for health document metadata because the idea of putting health documents directly into the persistent Blockchain ledger still has a high risk of exposing the data to the unintentional actor who would cause harm to the industry. The Smartcontract technology may provide a way to prevent further access to some Blockchain content by deleting its access pathway but if someone going to seriously investigate the ledger and spend their effort to excavate the data, it remains possible for them to recover the data because the data is still there, just buried in the Blockchain ledger. Therefore, we proposed the alternative way of using Blockchain technology in sharing health information.

Other than the Cross-Enterprise Document Sharing Profile, the IHE IT Infrastructure is providing much more profiles and various tools for use in achieving healthcare interoperability. There remain a lot more possibilities of using the framework to maximize the potential of Blockchain technology and the future technology to come.

As Blockchain technology still has a long way of development and research path to go through, the concept proposed in this work also could be further developed into a more advanced version for actual adoption in the future.

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