



## Functional & Cognitive Status Combined Subgroup Meeting

**Time:** Wednesday, November 6, 2019, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm EST

**Location:** WebEx Meeting

**Dial-in:** 1-877-267-1577

**Meeting ID:** 998 544 485

**PACIO Project Website:** [www.PACIOproject.org](http://www.PACIOproject.org)

**PACIO Project GitHub:** <https://github.com/paciowg/PACIO-Project>

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### Notes

**1) Functional Status and Cognitive Status: Data Query Discussion** (Matt E., MaxMD and Rob S., ESAC ) (80 mins)

- Refer to the “20191106\_FHIR\_Diagram\_BIMS.pdf”
- The group discussed the importance of understanding the clinical workflow to further determine what information is needed for the clinician to query.
  - Basic information may be one query; although if there is detailed information, such as the patient history, it may be a data dump.
- The group discussed potentially capturing data from CMS to allow easier exchange of information.
  - It will be challenging to leverage the necessary data, as there is a large bucket of information that CMS does not capture.
    - Will need to determine if it is even possible to exchange the data.
  - Will need to continue to determine additional data items besides GG questions
- The group discussed two goals (long term and short term).
- The short-term goal is to choose a piece of the larger goal to test at the connectathon.
  - Showcasing the work done at the connectathon will hopefully allow us to proceed to the ballot in May 2020.
  - The connectathon would incorporate the workflow and test the use case in January.
- Simultaneously while the technical team is developing the implementation



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guide, the group will return to the clinical discussion—reviewing the clinical data necessary to be exchanged. The Technical team will finish the data model and begin developing an implementation guide for the connectathon, which also continuing work for the larger use case

- The group discussed several potential use cases:
  - PAC to Hospital data sharing
  - Past patient hospital data
  - Hospital to Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF)
    - Will need coordination among the group fleshing out the story for the use cases.
    - Clinical team will need to determine the valuable data elements required.
  - The group suggested adjusting the use case to be PAC setting to another PAC setting, given that some settings may not use BIMS or something similar, and will be unable to do a translation.
  - For the connectathon the Cognitive Status Group will switch to CAMS instead of BIMS and the Functional Status Group will pursue mobility within Section GG.
  - Use case perspective—will look at what the assessments were conducted from admission and discharge from a previous care setting, at a given time.
- The group recommended this should not be an effort of just checking the box. Will need will need to solve the problems the clinicians experience.
  - Members from acute care platforms should begin looking at the assessments to determine the information necessary for the next level of care.
  - Querying the number of assessments that have been performed and when they were performed—first layer of what is needed (data and the timing).
  - Will need to have a subgroup to investigate the acute care side, while continuing to work on the broader data model, as we work on specifics for the connection.
- Members interested in participating in the acute care subgroup will email MITRE or Raj Mahajan. Will plan to begin acute care subgroup as soon as possible.

## 2) Leadership Updates (Siama R., MITRE)

(10 mins)

- PACIO Project Pulse Survey
  - Will review the results of the survey next week
- DEL Demonstration to be rescheduled in December

## 3) Upcoming Convening Opportunities:

- January 7- 8: CMS Connectathon (PAC track), Baltimore



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**4) Next Meeting:**

- Wednesday, November 13, 2019, 1.30 pm – 3 pm EST

**5) Adjourn**