PACIO Weekly Meeting

Time: Wednesday, December 9, 2020, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm EST
Location: ZoomGov Meeting
Meeting ID: 160 985 6747

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Summary

1) Leadership Update (Dave Hill and Siama Rizvi)
   - The December 23rd meeting will be cancelled due to the upcoming holiday.
   - The PACIO Confluence page HL7 conference call calendar, and Outlook now reflect the updated meeting series for the weekly and monthly PACIO meetings. Email Leah Allen (lallen@mitre.org) If you have not received the new meeting series in Outlook and would like to be included on the invite.
   - Balloting Updates:
     - The voting period closed on November 20th and PACIO leadership continues to group and prioritize the comments received on the Functional Status and Cognitive Status IGs.
     - The PACIO workgroup will discuss substantive comments and vote on proposed action plans. Once approved by the PACIO workgroup, PACIO leadership will present comments and proposed resolutions to the sponsoring workgroup, the HL7 Patient Care Workgroup.
     - The HL7 Patient Care Workgroup will make the final decision on whether to implement proposed changes to the IGs. PACIO leadership will share the sponsoring workgroup’s decision with the PACIO workgroup.
     - PACIO will update the continuous integration build of the IGs after approval by the sponsoring workgroup.
   - Connectathon Updates:
     - PACIO leadership will host the PACIO-eLTSS Post-Acute Care Transition Summary Track webinar during the December 16th PACIO Weekly Meeting.
Registration for the January 2021 HL7 Connectathon is open, and early bird registration with a discounted rate ends on December 30, 2020. If you are interested in participating, or know EHR vendors who would be interested, additional information is available on Confluence (https://confluence.hl7.org/display/FHIR/2021-01+Connectathon+26).

2) MiHIN’s Role in Connectathon (Donnielle Williams)
- The Michigan Health Information Network (MiHIN) confirmed the sample data developed by the PACIO workgroup for the January 2021 HL7 Connectathon has been loaded into Interoperability Land™ (IOL), which is MiHIN’s “sandbox” server.
- MiHIN and PACIO leadership reviewed a few topics that will be discussed internally and followed up on during the upcoming Connectathon Planning Meetings on Fridays:
  - MiHIN and PACIO leadership anticipate that one instance of IOL will be sufficient for all track participants to access and use the sample data during the January 2021 Connectathon, but MiHIN will confirm the size of the server will allow multiple participants to access the single instance.
  - PACIO leadership inquired about whether the HIE workflow should begin with the sample patient’s hospital stay. MiHIN will discuss internally and share their recommendation on whether MiHIN’s HIE will write data to the hub (also referred to as the health data manager by Patient Centric Solutions), or if the hub will pull data from MiHIN’s HIE.
  - Three MiHIN employees are scheduled to attend the January 2021 Connectathon, but they plan to participate in additional tracks outside of the PACIO-eLTSS Post-Acute Care Transition Summary Track as well. PACIO leadership will develop a schedule for the PACIO-eLTSS track and share with MiHIN so they can coordinate with their other tracks. PACIO leadership also plans to use the Slack Channel to communicate with MiHIN participants as needed during the Connectathon.

3) Advance Directive Use Case Update (Maria Moen)
- Maria provided an update on the progress of the Advance Directive (AD) use cases in development:
  - Maria shared the feedback and questions she has collected on two use cases: Use Case 1a (Create and Share/Make Available Advance Directive Information), and Use Case 1b (Create and Share/Make Available Episodic Patient Instruction).
  - Use Case 1c (Create and Share/Make Available Portable Medical Order for Life-Sustaining Treatment) tells the story of sample patient Frank, a 78-year-old male with end stage renal disease who is receiving dialysis. Frank enters a skilled nursing facility due to a
decline in his health and creates a portable medical order for life-sustaining treatment in the form of a POLST document that is integrated into a repository and available for review during future medical events with other providers.

- PACIO workgroup members provided feedback to consider when revising Use Case 1c:
  1. Identify which states have specific requirements for advance directives. Create a universal profile from the national POLST document and create extensions to allow states to add in state specific requirements.
  2. Add a scenario where Frank completes the POLST at home with a care provider (e.g., visiting nurse or family care).
  3. Determine how to transfer and communicate Frank’s medical updates back to Medicaid home and community-based services.
  4. Incorporate EMS into the use case to show how a portable medical order would be queried and utilized during emergency care. Current care standards encourage EMS to follow practitioner-authored information (e.g., POLST) over patient-authored information (e.g., advance directives).
  5. Add creation of advance directives in scene 1, decision on full or partial do not resuscitate orders in scene 2, and completion of a POLST with skilled nursing facility (SNF) provider during scene 3 when Frank is admitted to the SNF.

- Maria will incorporate the PACIO workgroup’s feedback into the next version of Use Case 1c and will share with the workgroup during an upcoming meeting.

4) Documentation of Decisions and Action Items
   - No notable decisions or action items addressed today.

5) Adjourn