



## PACIO Weekly Meeting

**Time:** Wednesday, March 3, 2021, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm EST

**Location:** ZoomGov Meeting

**Meeting ID:** 160 985 6747

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

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## Summary

### 1) Leadership Update (Dave Hill and Siama Rizvi)

- The FHIR Basics Orientation presented during the February 24, 2021 PACIO weekly meeting is now available:
  - Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cBpLzLs-T1Y>
  - Presentation Slides:  
<https://confluence.hl7.org/download/attachments/86977192/2021-02-24%20PACIO%20FHIR%20Basics%20%28508%29.pdf?version=1&modificationDate=1614698816167&api=v2>
- PACIO leadership submitted Block Vote 2, consisting of 8 proposed ballot comment dispositions for the Cognitive Status IG, to the HL7 Patient Care Work Group. The Patient Care Work Group will review the dispositions on Monday, March 8, 2021.
- The HL7 Patient Care Work Group voted to co-sponsor the Reassessment Timepoint project and recommended the PACIO Project meet with the HL7 Patient Administration Work Group and request they co-sponsor this work as well.
- The Speech Language Pathology use case lead continues to draft a Project Proposal and Project Scope Statement and will begin socializing this project for HL7 Work Group sponsorship over the upcoming month.
- Lorraine Wickiser (CMS) presented Digital Strategies for Post-Acute Care during the CMS Quality Conference today. About 160 people joined the session, which referenced PACIO work. PACIO leadership is hopeful that interested Quality Conference participants will join the PACIO Project.

### 2) Advance Directive Information Use Case Update (Tina Wilkins)



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- The ADI subgroup met today and discussed recent presentations to socialize the work within the ADI community.
- Please contact Maria Moen ([mmoen@advault.com](mailto:mmoen@advault.com)) or Tina Wilkins ([twilkins@mitre.org](mailto:twilkins@mitre.org)) if you are interested in volunteering for the following activities:
  - Identifying ADI forms and documents to include in the environmental scan,
  - Connecting the PACIO ADI subgroup with other ADI-related activities or groups, or
  - Identifying which states have enacted ADI form reciprocity.

### 3) Reassessment Timepoint Use Case Update (Chris Pugliese)

- The PACIO work group further discussed and defined the five remaining Encounter Resource reference fields associated with the Reassessment Timepoint profile:
  - Account Field
    1. This field may have financial implications as an assessment submission also may generate coded values with associated revenue models.
    2. The group decided this field should be a *Must* and not *Optional*, however, the work group will continue to monitor to determine if the field should ultimately be *Required* in the future.
  - Hospitalization Field
    1. This field is defined as holding information about a hospitalization or re-hospitalization encounter. Originally defined as a *Must* field, the group discussed and agreed this field will be *Optional*.
    2. The group discussed concerns about how the concept of Hospitalization may have various interpretations for use, and they may not all align with how the FHIR resource was intended to be used.
      - PACIO leadership will raise this concern with the HL7 Patient Care Work Group and assign the Hospitalization field as *Optional*.
    3. The group agreed to retain the Discharge Disposition field as a *Must* to align with USCore for now, however, the group needs to understand what Hospital means in the PAC setting as the Discharge Disposition may rely on the definition of Hospital.
      - PACIO leadership will raise this question with the HL7 Patient Administration Work Group.
  - Location Field
    1. This field documents where a patient has received care. Care location may change, such as with Home Health



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scenarios where a patient's care may not be provided at their home address during the entire span of care.

2. The group agreed with the presented FHIR Field Definition and that the field should be *Required*.
- Service Provider & Part Of Fields
    1. Both fields are *Required* and reference the encounter to which a reassessment timepoint is tied.
    2. The group agreed to the current definition for both of these fields, but requested to revisit this discussion in the future, specifically:
      - Should this field allow for more than one reference to account for all organizations that provide care to a patient during the same span of time?
      - If allowing documentation of multiple organizations, how would they be identified and connected in the reference fields?
  - Chris marked several items for further discussion in the spreadsheet (e.g., Type, Service Type, Based On, and Appointments). The PACIO work group will focus on these questions during the next PACIO weekly meeting.

#### 4) Walk-on Topics

#### 5) Documentation of Decisions and Action Items

- No notable decisions or action items were addressed today.

#### 6) Adjourn