



PACIO Weekly Meeting

Time: Wednesday, March 8, 2023, 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm ET

Location: ZoomGov Meeting

Meeting ID: 160 985 6747

PACIO Project Website: www.PACIOproject.org

PACIO Project HL7 Confluence:

<https://confluence.hl7.org/display/PC/PACIO+Project>

Presentation materials from this weekly meeting:

<https://confluence.hl7.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=86977192#MeetingIndex-MeetingAgendas,Materials,andMinutes>

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Summary

1) PACIO Leadership Update (Dave Hill)

- PACIO Leadership slides available here:
<https://confluence.hl7.org/download/attachments/86977192/2023-03-08%20PACIO%20Leadership%20Update.pptx?version=1&modificationDate=1678846755428&api=v2>
- **Additional Leadership notes and action items:**
- USCDI v4 Draft comments due April 17, 2023. PACIO is collecting comments, and you can submit comments on your own. Links for both ways to submit comments are in leadership slides.
- PALTC23: American Medical Directors Association (AMDA) annual meeting March 9-12, 2023, Tampa Convention Center. Registration link in leadership slides.
- Call for pilot participants. If interested in participating in a pilot for any PACIO use case, please reach out to Karl Naden knaden@mitre.org

2) Advance Directive Interoperability (ADI) STU-1 Block Vote 6 (Brian Meshell)

- ADI Block Vote 6 summary slides available here:
<https://confluence.hl7.org/download/attachments/86977192/PACIO-ADI-Block-Vote-6.pptx?version=1&modificationDate=1678301872810&api=v2>



- **Additional ADI Block Vote 6 notes:**
- Brian Meshell summarized the 7 ADI STU-1 ballot comments included in Block Vote 6.
- Brian made a motion to present Block Vote 6 to the Patient Empowerment work group at their scheduled meeting tomorrow March 9, 2023. Ken Harwood seconded. The motion passed 20-0-0.

3) SPLASCH (Inoka Tennakoon)

- Speech, Language, Swallowing, Cognitive Communication, and Hearing (SPLASCH) slides available here: https://ashanet-my.sharepoint.com/:p/g/person/itennakoon_asha_org/EaT0y9nc-BtGnQICTGklpVQBxajgXuJ7bBEYJOaDXDHjlg?e=waUFn6
- **Additional SPLASCH notes:**
- Ken Harwood asked for clarification on why categorization focuses on ICF codes rather than ICD for diagnoses. Inoka clarified that the ICF Body Functions section is necessary to arrive at correct diagnosis. The discussion on diagnoses and ICD codes will continue at next week's SPLASCH subgroup meeting.

4) Functional Status and Cognitive Status Update (Clarice Grote)

- Functional Status and Cognitive Status slides available here: <https://confluence.hl7.org/download/attachments/86977192/Functional%20and%20Cognitive%20Status%20Subgroup%20Report%20Out%20.pptx?version=9&modificationDate=1678302078382&api=v2>

5) CMS-0057-P Prior Authorization Process Proposed Rule (Dave Hill)

- Provided an overview of proposed rule on Prior Authorization. Fact sheet is available here: <https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/fact-sheets/advancing-interoperability-and-improving-prior-authorization-processes-proposed-rule-cms-0057-p-fact>
- CMS is seeking comments on: Patient Access API, Provider Access API, Payer to Payer Data Exchange, and Prior Authorization Requirements, Documentation, and Decision (PARDD) API.
- Link to the proposed rule and to submit comments <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2022/12/13/2022-26479/medicare-and-medicaid-programs-patient-protection-and-affordable-care-act-advancing-interoperability>
- Deadline for comments is March 13, 2023. PACIO will enable discussion, but not collect comments. Please submit comments using the link above.

6) Walk on Topics from Members



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- Requested feedback on how we can improve PACIO Project meetings. In response, Ken Harwood suggested occasionally reviewing the progress we've made in developing the IGs at a higher level, as opposed to granular detail.

7) Adjourn