

Clinical Quality Workgroup Update

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Quality Measure Essential Components Tiger Team

- Presenting recommendations today

Characteristics of Optimal Clinical Quality Measures for Health IT Tiger Team

- Providing an update today

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Essential Components Tiger Team compiled recommendations for federal action to make usable and useful value sets available for Meaningful Use Stage 2.

In scope: Critical Value Set infrastructure to support Meaningful Use Stage 2 value set delivery and consumption

Out of scope: Longer term infrastructure to support authorship, semantic validity, value set governance and re-use.

Value Set Repository Concept

SPEAKER'S NOTES:

Authorship:

Concept & value set search

Validation at the point of authorship

Visibility of existing value sets for reuse

Automated update notifications

Curation/Delivery:

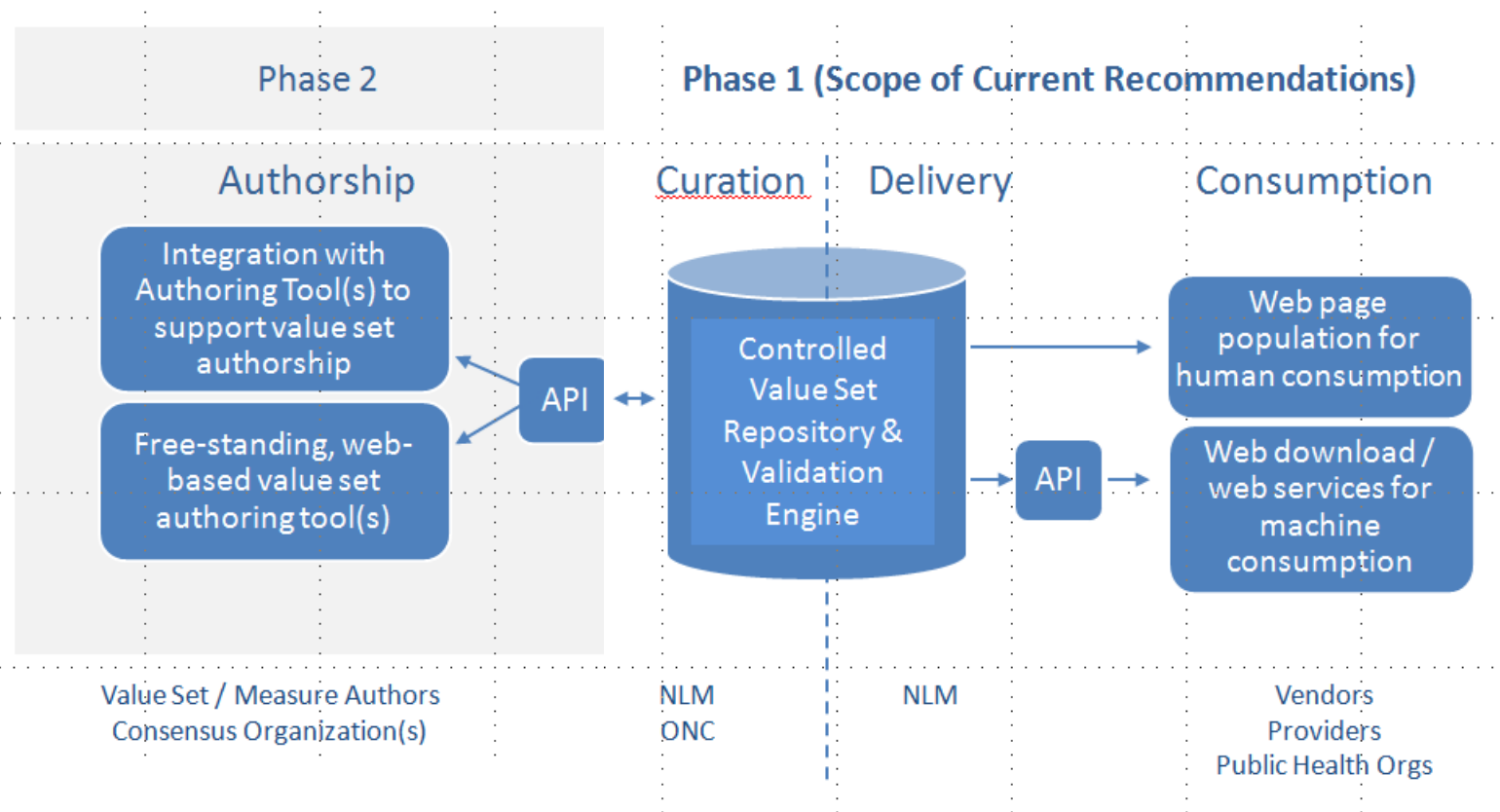
NLM infrastructure authorship, delivery & notification of value set updates

Coordination with Value Set authors

Consumption:

Elimination of manual entry of value sets by EHR vendors

Mechanism for subscription to update notifications



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Summary of April – May, 2012 work:

- Discussed characteristics of optimal clinical quality measures for Health IT
- Recommendations are currently in development

Discussion