Health IT Standards Committee

Preliminary 2013 Work Plan

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• **Meaningful Use of HIT to support health and healthcare**
  – Recommendations to HHS about MU3 objectives, criteria, and clinical quality measures
  – Preparing for MU4 – towards a learning health system
  – Creating a shared health record
    • Patient-generated data
    • Shared decision making
  – Clinical documentation
  – Safety-enhanced design of EHRs
• Measuring clinical quality
  – Facilitating supply of *de novo* quality “measures that matter” to leverage clinical data from EHRs and PHRs
  – Facilitating incorporation of flexible platforms for measuring and reporting QMs in HIT systems
  – Role of data intermediaries and their sustainability
  – “Near real time” clinical quality dashboards for practitioners
  – Connections to clinical decision support – drivers and feedback
• Health Information Exchange hearing
  – State of the field and best practices
  – Role of HIE in new payment models
  – Facilitating greater exchange across organizational and geographic boundaries through policy and certification levers and standards development
  – Governance models and principles to facilitate HIE
2013 Key Topic Areas
EHR Safety

- Safety Plan Review
  - ONC HIT Safety Action and Surveillance Plan
  - Leveraging MU and certification to improve safe use of EHRs
  - Other ONC activities to improve safety
• Privacy areas
  – Patient identities in cyberspace
  – Consent and control of information in automated query/response exchanges
  – Challenges of implementing minors’ rights in cyberspace
  – Personal representatives
  – Cloud computing
  – Right of access in electronic world
  – Patient-generated data
• Managing and using patient data
  – Blue button – ongoing access
  – Combining and sharing data from multiple sources
  – Data overload – for patients and providers
  – Reconciliation of data
• Protecting downloaded patient data
• Shared decision making
Accountable care

- Supporting population management
- Longitudinal data and shared care plans across the continuum, including wellness
- Supporting new payment models
- Medicare Shared Saving Program requirements
2013 Key Topic Areas
Emerging Areas

• API for innovation
• Quality Improvement Plan Review
• Supporting Patient-Centered Outcomes Research and PCORI
• MU support of continuous learning for healthcare professionals (e.g., Maintenance of Certification)
• Leveraging “big data”
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