

Adopted Standards Review

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21st Century Cures Act Requirement

Review of Adopted Standards

- Beginning 5 years after the date of enactment [December 13, 2016] of the 21st Century Cures Act and every 3 years thereafter, the National Coordinator shall convene stakeholders to review the existing set of adopted standards and implementation specifications and make recommendations with respect to whether to-
 - (A) maintain the use of such standards and implementation specifications; or
 - (B) phase out such standards and implementation specifications.
- Reference: 42 U.S. Code § 300jj–13 Setting priorities for standards adoption

The Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology



Overview – Adopted Standards Task Force 2022

- Charge the HITAC to form a Task Force to review the existing set of adopted standards and implementation specifications and make recommendations to maintain or phase out
- "Adopted" standards and implementation specifications are those covered by ONC regulations
- Other stakeholders are encouraged to share their input during public comment segment of Task Force and HITAC meetings
- This review will be repeated every three years as required by law



Charge – Adopted Standards Task Force 2022

Review the existing set of ONC adopted standards and implementation specifications and make recommendations to maintain or phase out such standards and implementation specifications, as required by 42 U.S. Code § 300jj–13 (Setting priorities for standards adoption). The current set of ONC adopted standards and implementation specifications is maintained on the ONC Standards Hub.

This charge does not seek recommendations for new standards and implementation specifications for ONC to adopt through rulemaking.

Due by: September 14, 2022



Roster – Adopted Standards Task Force 2022

| Name | Organization | Name | Organization |
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| Hans Buitendijk* (Co-Chair) | ORACLE Cerner | Eliel Olivera* | Dell Medical School, University of Texas at Austin |
| Steven Eichner* (Co-Chair) | Texas Dept. of State Health Services | Vassil Peytchev | Epic |
| Rajesh Godavarthi* | MCG Health | Samantha Pitts | Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine |
| Jim Jirjis* | HCA Healthcare | Alexis Snyder* | Individual |
| John Kilbourne** | Veterans Affairs (VA) | Fillipe Southerland* | Yardi Systems, Inc. |
| Hung Luu* | Children's Health | Ram Sriram** | National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) |
| Clem McDonald* | National Library of Medicine | Raymonde Uy | National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) |
| Deven McGraw | Ciitizen | Debi Willis | PatientLink Enterprises, Inc. |
| Lisa Nicolaou | Michigan Health Information Network (MiHin) | | |

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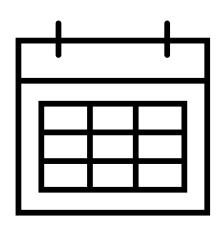
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Timeline – Adopted Standards Task Force 2022

- 6/16/22 Charge HITAC to form Adopted Standards Task Force
- TBD –Task Force kick-off meeting
- 8/17/22 Task Force progress update at HITAC meeting
- 9/14/22 Recommendations presented to the HITAC; HITAC vote
- If any additional HITAC members are interested in joining this Task Force, please contact Mike Berry (Michael.Berry@hhs.gov)





Questions



