

# Interoperability Standards Workgroup Update

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## **Agenda**

- IS WG Membership
- IS WG Charge
- IS WG Work to Date and Timeline

## Interoperability Standards Workgroup Roster

Name	Organization	Name	Organization
Sarah DeSilvey* (Co-Chair)	Gravity Project Larner College of Medicine at the University of Vermont	Naresh Sundar Rajan* (Co-Chair)	CyncHealth
Pooja Babbrah	Point-of-Care Partners	Hung Luu*	Children's Health
Shila Blend*	North Dakota Health Information Network	Margaret Marshall**	Department of Veterans Affairs
Ricky Bloomfield	Apple	Anna McCollister*	Individual
Hans Buitendijk*	Oracle Health	Clem McDonald*	National Library of Medicine
Christina Caraballo	HIMSS	Deven McGraw*	Invitae Corporation
Grace Cordovano	Enlightening Results	Aaron Miri*	Baptist Health
Raj Dash	College of American Pathologists	Aaron Neinstein*	UCSF Health
Steven Eichner*	Texas Department of State Health Services	Kikelomo Oshunkentan*	Pegasystems
Nedra Garrett**	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Mark Savage	Savage & Savage LLC
Rajesh Godavarthi*	MCG Health, part of the Hearst Health network	Michelle Schreiber**	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
Bryant Thomas Karras*	Washington State Department of Health	Shelly Spiro	Pharmacy HIT Collaborative
Steven Lane*	Health Gorilla	Ram Sriram**	National Institute of Standards and Technology

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## Interoperability Standards Workgroup Charge

Overarching charge: Review and provide recommendations on the Draft USCDI Version 4

#### **Specific charge:**

**Evaluate Draft USCDI v4 and provide HITAC with recommendations for:** 

- a. New data classes and elements from Draft USCDI v4
- b. Level 2 data classes and elements not included in Draft USCDI v4

#### **Due**

**April 12, 2023** 

## **Workgroup Meetings and Areas of Focus**

Since our update on February 8:

#### **Meeting Date**

- February 15, 2023
- February 22, 2023
- March 1, 2023
- March 8, 2023

#### **Area of Focus**

New Draft USCDI v4 Data Elements

New Draft USCDI v4 Data Elements (Medications and Laboratory)

Physical Activity, Medication Instructions/Adherence

Treatment Intervention/Care Experience Preferences

## Charge (a) – New Data Classes and Elements from Draft USCDI v4: Tentative Schedule of Review

#### Rationale:

- Address straightforward elements early to develop familiarity with the process
- Identify elements of community concern, such as advanced care planning, and schedule them with enough time to notify public and ensure representation

#### Allergies and Intolerances

Substance (Non-Medication)

#### **Encounter Information**

Encounter Identifier

#### **Health Status Assessments**

- Alcohol Use
- Substance Use
- Physical Activity

#### **Facility Information**

- Facility Identifier
- Facility Type
- Facility Name

#### Vital Signs

Average Blood Pressure

(Completed in prior ISWG meetings)
(Discussed but not finalized)

#### Laboratory

- Result Unit of Measure
- Result Reference Range
- Result Interpretation
- Specimen Source Site
- Specimen Identifier
- Specimen Condition and Disposition

#### Procedures

Time of Procedure

#### Medications

- Medication Instructions
- Medication Adherence

Goals (related to the advance care planning process)

- Treatment Intervention Preference
- Care Experience Preference

## **SME Presentations**

<b>Meeting Date</b>	Area of Focus	SME
March 1, 2023	Physical Activity	Laurie Whitsel, American Heart Association
		Paul Chase, American Heart Association
		Lloyd McKenzie, Dogwood Health Consulting
	Medication Instructions/Adherence	Scott Robertson, Kaiser Permanente
March 8, 2023	Treatment Intervention Preference	Holly Miller, MedAllies
	Care Experience Preference	Terry O'Malley

## **Upcoming Meetings and Areas of Focus**

#### **Meeting Date**

- March 15, 2023
- March 22, 2023
- March 29, 2023
- April 5, 2023

#### **Area of Focus**

Facility Information (CMS, CDC)

To allow for final recommendation review at the April meeting, the workgroup is aiming to complete draft comments by the middle of March.

