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Standards and Technology Updates

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Agenda



- Initial Task Forces
- Certification Program Open Test Method Pilot
 - Goal & Process
 - Findings

Interdisciplinary Questions Task Forces



- 1. S&I Framework In what ways can ONC evolve the S&I Framework to support current industry needs and those anticipated by the 3, 6, and 10-year milestones included in the interoperability roadmap?
- 2. Data Provenance Given the community-developed S&I Data Provenance use case, what first step in the area of data provenance standardization would be the most broadly applicable and immediately useful to the industry?
 - Final Recommendations: January 27 HITSC Meeting

Certification Program Open Test Method Pilot Goal & Process



Goal: To create new test methods through an open community-led, development process

Certification Criteria Selection

Criteria Announced Test Procedure Structure Development Test Procedure Content Development

Evaluation / Next Steps

Stakeholders selected two certification criteria from the 2014 Edition to focus on during the pilot 1) E-Prescribing
2) Clinical
Decision
Support
A workgroup for each was
established,
~100 initial
participants

Stakeholders suggested test method templates for the criteria Stakeholders drafted test method content for each of the two criteria Final stakeholderdriven test procedures were released and pilot evaluation conducted

July 2014

November 2014

Certification Program Open Test Method Pilot Findings



- Conclusion: new test procedures did not significantly differ from current / original
- Participant feedback indicated:
 - Prefer to react to test procedures rather than create completely "from scratch"
 - Participants appreciated the transparency and requested that such a transparent approach continues with longer public comment periods
 - Participants expressed a desire for eRx to be scenario based

