**Quality Measures Work Group**

QMWG Chair: Helen Burstin, NQF

QMWG Co-Chair: Terry Cullen, VA

Q1: RFC Review

Q1: Guiding Principles of Quality Measurement

**March Meetings:**

* **Housekeeping and Roadmap for the year**
* **RFC: Are there any questions that deserve deeper exploration by the QMWG?**
* **RFC: Should a subgroup meet to review any questions?**
* **Data Intermediary Tiger Team Charge**
* **Materials for meeting:** 
  + **RFC Review Slides and Summary**
  + **DITT Charge**

Q2: Democratized eCQM Development

Q2: The Quality of De Novo Quality Measures

-Crystallize definition/features of de novo measure

        -Under what conditions, if ever, is a retooled measure is appropriate for development?

-Recommend characteristics  (e.g. complexity, DE feasibility) of eCQMs that describe their "quality"?

Q2: Flexible Platform for measure implementation/Clinical Population Management Dashboard

- Should some flexible, near real-time, ad hoc query functionality be part of MU3?

        - pros/cons

        - feasibility

        - Standards necessary?

Q2: Attaching CQMs to CDS for CQI

-What are the current standards (HQMF, VMR, etc)? How do they need to change?

        -How are medical centers solving this challenges currently?

Q3: Measure Recommendations for NPRM

Q3: Recommendations for CDS

Q4: Review NPRM and DITT recommendations

**Vendor Tiger Team**

Vendor TT Chair: Ginny Meadows, McKesson

VTT Co-Chair: Jim Walker, Geisinger

The challenge for QMWG/HITPC is to not to overprescribe how the vendor designs population management products, but to provide the key functions to end-users.

2013 Draft Vendor Charge:

-Constrained Measure Specification Platform (Standards for plug and play measure development);

-Flexible End-user Ad Hoc CQM Platform;

-Actionable Population Management

-Q1:  Recommend to QMWG/HITPC EHR Incentive Program response to RFC

-Q2:  Make recommendations on Population Management IT tools (how can we describe functionality without being overprescriptive?)

-Q2:  Update on vendor development of QRDA1, QRDA3 and CQMs for MU2

-Q4:  Respond to recommendations from DITT

**Data Intermediary Tiger Team**

DITT Chair:     J. Marc Overhage

DITT: Co-chair: Micky Tripathi

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