# 2005 Publishing Schedule

## WGM
- Defined by HL7.
- Used as key for all other dates on this schedule.

## Harmonization & Interim Mtgs
- The V3 Interim Meetings for Harmonization and other topics are scheduled by Methodology & Modeling, usually two-three weeks before ballot open.

## Announcement Deadline
- 35 days prior to ballot open
  - This deadline is to notify Karen Van Hentenryck of the Ballot Name and Voting Level details using the web-based submission form

## Ballot Preview/Testing (14d)
- At start of this period [http://www.hl7.org/v3ballot/html/index.htm](http://www.hl7.org/v3ballot/html/index.htm) will be updated with next ballot cycle content and previous cycle will be moved to archive URL. Content will be refreshed constantly as received from developers, testing of content and publication ongoing.

## Ballot Content Deadline
- Any content to be included in cycle must be submitted by this date.

## Ballot Cycle (Voting Open)
- Ballot Name is based on the month of the next WGM when the ballot responses will be formally reviewed.
  - Format is CCYYmmm (e.g. 2005Sep) and will be published with the word “Ballot” preceding it (e.g. Ballot 2005Sep)

## Examples Deadline
- Any examples to be included in the cycle must be submitted by this date. Examples will be added to the ballot after the ballot opens.
  - This gives opportunity for example creation using current ballot infrastructure content (e.g. schemas/wrappers etc).

## Edition Content Deadline
- Any content to be included in the edition must be submitted by this date. The Implementation Edition should only include changes from balloted content to correct errors. Normative Editions may include any necessary reconciliation corrections.

## Edition Release
- Implementation Edition name is based on month of the previous WGM when content was formally reconciled.
  - Format: CCYYmmm (e.g. Implementation Edition 2005Sep)
  - Normative Edition name is based on year the Edition will be put in service (e.g. Normative Edition 2005)