HL7 Working Group Updates from the TSC for the week of January 21st, 2013 - News from the WGM

Approved Publications

HL7 EHR-System Public Health Functional Profile, Release 1.1 - US Realm (Public Health Functional Profile Based on EHR System Functional Model and Standard, Release 1.1; U.S. Realm; (Release 1; Informational Level 2)) for EHR WG at project insight # 704 for publication as Informative document and registration with ANSI as a Technical Report. Public health stakeholders can benefit from defined functional requirements and criteria to support public health-clinical information collection, management and exchanges for specific public health programs (domains). The profile may serve as the reference for certification of EHR systems that include functionality to support Public Health domains. The profile may also lay the foundation for developing a Public Health Information Systems (PHIS) Functional Model.

Other Approvals

Announcement: Arden Syntax WG has submitted the normative publication request for Arden Syntax 2.9 (No TSC approval required).

The TSC moved to form the "TSC Risk Assessment Committee" (TRAC) - which is charged with continuing risk assessment and governance point development, to be chaired by Pat Van Dyke.

The TSC resolved that requests to print errata to a standard will utilize the request to publish form, and then be sent to CTO John Quinn for approval.

The TSC accepted the T3F Retrospective Review report for the "TSC Retrospective Self-Assessment Based on T3F Recommendations" at Project Insight #749 which is to be closed, and refers the report content to the TRAC for further consideration.

The TSC updated their Mission and Charter Statement, most notably to include references to the use of the SAIF CD and development of the HL7 SAIF IG. The TSC also reviewed their Decision Making Practices (DMP) and affirmed the current version with no updates.

How to find TSC information

The TSC wiki site houses its minutes, process documents, templates, links to the ArB wiki and the TSC Issue Tracker, a list of current projects, and more. You can access the TSC wiki at: http://www.hl7.org/permalink/?TSCWiki. See the links below for instructions on how to view the list of projects and access the TSC Issue Tracker.

- TSC Tracker: link to http://gforge.hl7.org/gf/project/tsc/tracker/?action=TrackerItemBrowse&tracker_id=313
- Project Insight Searchable Database: link to http://www.hl7.org/permalink/?searchableProjectIndex
- Project List on GForge: link to http://gforge.hl7.org/gf/project/tsc/frs/?action=FrsReleaseBrowse&frs_package_id=98
- Project Insight: link to [http://www.hl7.org/permalink/?ProjectInsight](http://www.hl7.org/permalink/?ProjectInsight), (requires PMO-assigned log in credentials)
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