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HL7 Announces Second FHIR Applications Roundtable and Call for Presentations

Event will showcase FHIR-based solutions to improve health information interoperability

ANN ARBOR, MI, USA – January 12, 2017 – Health Level Seven® International (HL7®), the global authority for interoperability in healthcare information technology with members in 55 countries, today announced the second Fast Healthcare Interoperability Resources (FHIR®) applications roundtable, including a call for presentations. The *HL7 FHIR® Applications Roundtable* showcases FHIR-based solutions that are improving interoperability and enabling the seamless exchange of biomedical information. The event will be held at Duke University School of Medicine in Durham, North Carolina on March 7 and 8, 2017.

“The excitement surrounding HL7 FHIR across the industry is unprecedented and its promise to transform interoperability is unparalleled,” said HL7 International CEO Charles Jaffe, MD, PhD. “Although FHIR continues to evolve, it has already been implemented with great success across a broad spectrum of care delivery, public health, and patient engagement.”

HL7 invites providers, vendors, academic institutions, and other developers who are interested in demonstrating their FHIR-based solutions at this event. The deadline for submissions is Tuesday, January 31 at 11:59 PM Eastern Time, and submissions are being accepted online at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2017FHIRapps>. Approximately 38 selected presenters will be notified in mid-February. They will have 10 – 15 minutes to share

and discuss their FHIR applications as well as a reserved time during the event to answer attendees' questions.

Everyone interested in understanding, implementing or developing FHIR applications is encouraged to register for the *HL7 FHIR® Applications Roundtable* at:

<http://www.hl7.org/events/fhir/roundtable/2017/03/>.

About Health Level Seven International (HL7)

Founded in 1987, [Health Level Seven International](http://www.hl7.org) is the global authority for healthcare information interoperability and standards with affiliates established in more than 30 countries. HL7 is a non-profit, ANSI accredited standards development organization dedicated to providing a comprehensive framework and related standards for the exchange, integration, sharing, and retrieval of electronic health information that supports clinical practice and the management, delivery and evaluation of health services. HL7's more than 2,000 members represent approximately 500 corporate members, which include more than 90 percent of the information systems vendors serving healthcare. HL7 collaborates with other standards developers and provider, payer, philanthropic and government agencies at the highest levels to ensure the development of comprehensive and reliable standards and successful interoperability efforts.

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