

IHE-RO Planning Committee

Monday, January 16, 2012

3:00-4:00 p.m. ET

Planning Committee Chairs:

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Mission Statement: The American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology (ASTRO) has formed a multi-society Task Force to undertake an initiative to promote the Integration of the Healthcare Enterprise (IHE) – Radiation Oncology (RO), fostering seamless connectivity and integration of radiotherapy equipment and the patient health information systems. The Task Force will include members from ASTRO, RSNA, American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM), the American College of Radiology (ACR) and the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA). In addition, members of the International community have also been invited to participate in IHE-RO. The IHE-RO Task Force, in close collaboration with radiotherapy product manufacturers, will develop appropriate integration profiles for radiation therapy and setup a demonstration of seamless communication among the full array of radiotherapy products.

ASTRO Conflict of Interest Statement: This is a reminder to all Committee members regarding three important obligations. First, recall and review the ASTRO Conflict of Interest Policy and the information you provided on your disclosure form. If there is any material information that has changed or that you believe raises potential conflict of interest issues with respect to today's agenda or at any time throughout the course of our Committee work, please be sure to bring the matter to my attention. Second, we all have a duty of loyalty to ASTRO in our work on this committee, which includes the obligation to maintain the confidentiality of any confidential work or discussions and not to disseminate committee materials or work product without clearing it with the Committee Chair. Third, it is important for us to carefully observe antitrust principles and refrain from any discussion that could be viewed as encouraging collective market action.

- I. Call to Order (Field, 15 min)
 - a. Approval of Minutes from December 19, 2011 t-con
 - b. Actions arising from minutes

- II. Reports and Updates
 - a. Use Case Development Cycle 2012 (Rengan, 10 min)
 - I. Use Case Themes
 - b. Web Tool Demonstration (Kapoor, 15 min)
 - c. Other Business?
 - I. PC meeting at ASTRO HQ on Feb. 25

III. Tentative Future Meetings for 2012

Conference Call:

- February 20, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- March 19, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- April 16, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- May 21, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- June 18, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- July 16, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time
- August 20, 2012 at 3-4pm Eastern Time

Face-to-face meetings:

- PC meeting February 25, 2012 at ASTRO Headquarters
- PC meeting at 2012 Connectathon at ASTRO Headquarters?
- PC meeting at 2012 ASTRO Annual Meeting in Boston, October 28-31, 2012

IV. Adjourn