

Update on NCRA Informatics Efforts

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Informatics Committee

Purpose/Mission

- To carry out the Informatics elements of the Strategic Plan.**
- Provide the Informatics leadership for NCRA.**
- Monitor & encourage informatics role in Cancer Registry profession**
- Customize NCRA website Informatics Section**



(Chair: Elaine Collins)

Informatics Subcommittees

- **EHR Policy Group Networking Subcommittee**
(Chair: Elaine Collins)
- **Guidebook Subcommittee**
(Chair: Laurel Gray)



EHR Policy Group

Networking Subc Mission/Purpose

Identify organizations developing and implementing standards

Monitor integration of standards into EHR

Assess impact of standards on Cancer Registry activities

Comment on proposed national standards impacting work of NCRA membership



EHR Policy Group Networking Subcommittee

**Report findings to NCRA Board, membership,
and partner organizations**

- **Provide information to assist Board and membership to:**

- take advantage of opportunities inherent in
electronic cancer data**

- meet challenges in adopting new practices**



EHR Organizations/Legislation/ Programs

- **Office of National Coordinator – ONC**
 - **Health IT Policy Committee**
 - **Health Standards Committee**
- **ARRA – HITECH**
- **Meaningful Use**
- **CCHIT / HL7 / DICOM / IHTSDO / HIMSS / AHIMA
/ NAACCR / NPCR / CAP**



NCRA EHR Subc Activities

Publications

Newsletter and journal articles

Registry text chapters

Resource bibliography

Comments on proposed rules

Updates on EHR organizations

NCRA webpage

Liaison to NAACCR Interoperability Committee



EHR Subc Volunteer Opportunities

- **Contribute Informatics manuscripts**
- **Participate in Other committee activities**
- **Contribute to NCRA website**
- **EHR Networking Subc Needs You!**



EHR Registry Challenges

- **Influence EHR Design:**
 - **Vocabularies**
 - **Classification systems**
 - **Transmission Methodology (HIE)**
 - **Mapping Programs**
- **Learn evolving EHR Methodology**

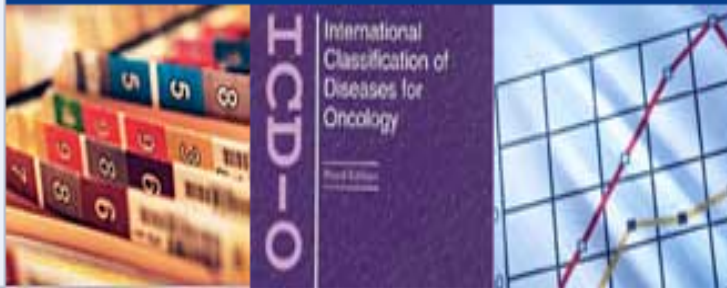


Guidebook Subc Mission/Purpose

Develop, maintain and publicize a Guidebook for Informatics.

Develop, maintain and publicize an Informatics Success Stories Notebook.





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- ▶ Advocacy
- ▶ Advertising
- ▶ The Connection
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- ▶ Journal of Registry Management
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- ▶ State & Local Search

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- Informatics Now & in the Future
- Success Stories
- **Informatics Guidebook**
- EHR Policy Organization Networking

INFORMATICS NOW AND IN THE FUTURE

The Informatics Committee is charged with the task of reaching out the NCRA membership in a survey format to gain a better understanding of our member's experiences in managing the changes being implemented through electronic medical record sources. This information will be gathered and updated in the Guidebook on Informatics and the NCRA website.

Informatics Section Website Contents

- **Informatics Now and In the Future**
- **Tell your Informatics Story**

- **Informatics Guidebook**
- **Informatics Bibliography**

- **EHR Policy Organization Networking Abstracts**



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Thank you!

