

**Standardization and Registry Development Steering Committee
January 26, 2023**

Attendance					
Members Present:		Rich Pinder	Valerie Yoder	Board Liaisons Present:	
Heather Stabinsky	Robin Harris Billet	Jenna Deniaud	Lori Koch	NAACCR Staff Present:	
Randi Rycroft	Georgia Yee	Valerie Somma	Wendy Aldinger	Lori Havener	Guest: Mary Brant Sarah Burton
Peggy Adamo	Mary Jane King	Winnie Roshala		Jim Hofferkamp	
Gary Levin	Sandy Jones			Karen Knight	
AGENDA ITEM			DECISION		ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
1. Roll					
2. Review minutes/action items from December minutes					
3. Discussion Items					
a. UDS WG report – Mary/Sarah The group held 10 meetings in 2022 and 1 in 2023. Since the last report: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2023 Surgery Code Crosswalk was discussed and approved, pending approval by S&RD • The Data Dictionary is going through a data restructure project. IMS has been working closely with Monica Thornton and Lori Havener to rebuild the data dictionary database. The new structure will be more user-friendly and allow states to export state-specific lists of variables. The goal is to have the new database ready for version 24. • New data items and revisions for 2024 are pending field testing, as well as MLTG and HLSC approval. Mary listed all changes being considered. • A new WG charter was completed and submitted to Lori Havener. 					
b. Death Clearance Manual review – Jenna/Valerie S. Jenna and Valerie reviewed the Death Clearance Manual and inserted several comments/suggestions. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A typo in the Change Log needs to be corrected. • Suggested meeting with members of the task force to review comments and answer some questions. 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Those in attendance voted to approve posting the Death Clearance Manual once the final comments are resolved. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Georgia Yee abstained. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jenna and Valerie will review the document for any possible items that have been retired. • Jenna and Valerie will meet with the TF regarding comments/questions. • Lori will forward the documents to Bobbi Matt and help a meeting take place.
c. Surgery Codes and Crosswalk - Jim Starting with cases diagnosed in 2023 we are moving from the surgery of primary site code used for 2003-2022 to a new data item. The format is now a 4-character code, although most code definitions are the same. The exception is skin as there was a significant update for the skin chapter and Jim explained the crosswalk developed. Jim gave an overview of the crosswalk and document that will show surgery code changes by year. He also pointed out special notes to keep in mind. Jim informed the group at the next UDS WG meeting they will create a task force to begin looking at 2024 surgery codes.			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Those in attendance voted to approve the crosswalks and documents presented for posting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gary Levin abstained. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jim will post the crosswalks and documents

<p>d. Information Blocking Rule - Sandy This was developed by Sandy and Karen Knight. The goal to provide to registries assistance in getting data reported in the format needed. It will help guide them in getting cooperation from labs (and other reporting sources) and how to file a claim if a data provider does not comply. Nothing regarding FHIR was included. Karen and Sandy explained the process in depth and discussed with the group. This will be distributed to the registry directors and managers as an FYI after it is looked into a little further. Possibly hold a webinar in the future to answer questions and make clarifications.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sandy will talk to the ONC whether a claim has been filed and the outcome. Also, what qualifies as a health care provider and are there exceptions.
<p>e. Board Strategic Priorities and Initiatives - Colleen Winny shared with the group an overview of the Board Strategic Priorities & Initiatives for 2023-2026 that were developed over the last year. There was somewhat of a disconnect between the NAACCR Mission Statement and the work being done. She shared the strategic pillars that were developed. Work is being done with steering committees and their chairs. The strategic priorities selected were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Certification ○ Minimal Dataset/Partial Records ○ Race And Ethnicity Reporting ○ Informatics, Artificial Intelligence & Cloud Technology <p>Winny also shared the work being done to improve communication, promote diversity, inclusion and equity, engaging in advocacy and policy development, and broadening training to wider audiences. She detailed what is being asked of the steering committees to complete Strategic Initiatives Reporting form.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lori H. said the strategic initiatives template will be addressed with the group and likely completed via email. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete and return Strategic Initiatives Reporting form to Winny Roshala no later than February 24th.
<p>f. Cancer Informatics Advisory Group update – Eric/Gary No update.</p>		
<p>g. Mid-Level Tactical Group update – Colleen No update.</p>		
<p>4. Other Business</p>		
<p>5. Board liaison report – Wendy/Lori K.</p>		
<p>6. Tweet worthy for Communications SC</p>		
<p>7. Next Meeting</p>	<p>Thursday, February 23 at 12:00 – 1:30 pm eastern</p>	