

PHDSC Ad Hoc Task Force on Electronic Health Record-Public Health (EHR-PH)

**RE-EVALUATION OF HL7 EHR-S FUNCTIONAL MODEL
FROM PUBLIC HEALTH PERSPECTIVES**

CALL FOR PARTICIPATION

Stay Involved -- Respond by January 13, 2010 via e-mail to Regina Austin: regina@hln.com

Dear Members and Friends of the Consortium:

The Public Health Data Standards Consortium (Consortium) *is re-launching the Ad Hoc Task Force on Electronic Health Record-Public Health (EHR-PH)* in collaboration with the Health Level Seven (HL7) Electronic Health Record (EHR) Working Group.

In 2003-2004, the Consortium participated in the validation of the original HL7 Electronic Health Record Systems (EHR-S) Functional Model. This validation was conducted by members of the PHDSC Ad Hoc Task Force on EHR-PH.¹

The ISO-approved HL7 EHR-S Functional Model Release 1.1 is undergoing the re-evaluation.

We invite participants from local, state and federal public health agencies, healthcare organizations, public health professional associations, schools of public health, health IT vendor organizations, private sector and individuals interested in public health to join the Consortium in re-evaluation of the HL7 EHR-S Functional Model Release 1.1.

Our Goal is to re-evaluate the HL7 EHR-S Functional Model to assure that public health perspectives from the federal, state and local agencies and public health research community are met in the Model.

Process & Time Commitment. The overall timeframe is **January, 2010 - May, 2010.**

The PHDSC Ad Hoc Task Force volunteers will review the model and related documents from various public health perspectives, document their recommendations, and present these recommendations to the HL7 EHR Working Group in May 2010.

Volunteers will participate in **seven 2-hour conference calls during the Task Force timeframe.** We will be using *LiveMeeting*® web-conferencing capabilities and the same call-in number for our calls.

The **1st call** is scheduled on **January 14, 2010 1-3pm ET**

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During this call we will provide an overview of the current version of the model and discuss the re-evaluation methodology, deliverables, and timeframe. Please see the tentative agenda for the 1st call below.

I look forward to your participation in this important PHDSC Initiative.

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Sincerely,

Anna Orlova, Ph.D.
Executive Director



¹ Public Health Data Standards Consortium. Electronic health record-public health perspectives. White Paper. PHDSC Ad Hoc Task Force on the Electronic Health Record-Public Health. March 9, 2004.: 27p. plus 9 Attachments. ULR: http://www.phdsc.org/health_info/ehr-task-force.asp

PHDSC Ad Hoc Task Force on EHR-PH

Re-Evaluation of HL7 EHR-S Functional Model: Scope of Activities and Timeline

Activities	Proposed Dates
PHDSC Call for Participation	12/18/09
Deadline for response from potential participants	01/13/10
1 st Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	01/14/10 1-3pm ET
2 nd Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	01/27/10 3-5pm ET
3 rd Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	02/10/10 3-5pm ET
4 th Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	02/24/10 3-5pm ET
5 th Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	03/10/10 3-5pm ET
6 th Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	03/24/10 3-5pm ET
Recommendation document	04/13/10
7 th Call of EHR-PH Task Force Participants	04/14/10 3-5pm ET
Presentation at HL7 Meeting, May 2010	05/16-21/10

For the calls on and after 1/27/10 (2nd - 7th calls)

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Tentative Agenda

1.00-1.10pm	Welcome and Introductions, <i>Anna Orlova</i>
1.10-1.20pm	Project Overview, <i>Hetty Khan</i>
1.20-1.35pm	EHR-S FM v1.1 Overview, <i>Gora Datta</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biosurveillance Use Case Mapping
1.35-1.45pm	Public Health Activities at HL7, <i>Michelle Williamson</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vital Registration Functional Model
1.45-2.05pm	EHR-S FM Re-Evaluation Methodology, <i>Anna Orlova</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHDSC-2004 EHR-PH Evaluation Overview • Proposed Methodology for Re-Evaluation and Timeline
2.05-2.45pm	Discussion on Re-evaluation Methodology
2.45-3.00pm	Project Management Tools, <i>Regina Austin</i>