

# Quality Data Model (QDM) User Group Meeting | Minutes

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5 Minutes	Announcements	Jen Seeman (ESAC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There is no Cooking with CQL session for August, will resume in September.</li> <li>Next QDM User Group Meeting is scheduled for September 16, 2020 <b>[Note:</b> Subsequent to this QDM User Group call, the September 16, 2020 meeting was cancelled since follow up for the topics discussed on this August 19 meeting require consideration of HL7 Working Group Meeting discussions during the week of September 21-25. The next QDM User Group Meeting will occur October 21, 2020.]</li> </ul>
30 Minutes	Defining Primary versus Principal Diagnosis	Floyd Eisenberg (ESAC)	<p><b><u>Overview:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Encounter Diagnosis Use Case</u></b>            Some HL7 discussions have considered how to address an encounter-related <i>primary</i> diagnosis. The use case is to unite the payor “claims world” and the patient’s view, specifically allowing the patient to see the same <i>primary</i> diagnosis on their clinical visit summaries and the Explanation of Benefit (EOB) form referencing the same encounter. Note that the clinical encounter diagnosis in FHIR uses Encounter.diagnosis and the EOB data original with FHIR’s Claim.diagnosis.</p> <p>Some discussions for HL7 C-CDA efforts suggested identifying a <i>primary</i> diagnosis for this use case as a substitute for the <i>principal diagnosis</i> that currently exists with C-CDA work. They are concerned about our use of Encounter.diagnosis.rank and Encounter.diagnosis.use (with role = billing diagnosis) to identify a principal diagnosis.</p> <p>To assist with understanding the difference between <i>principal</i> and <i>primary</i> diagnosis, the following clinical scenario takes a patient with osteoporosis through a hospitalization for hip replacement surgery.</p>

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			<p><u>FHIR Evaluation for QI-Core – US Core Encounter</u>  US Core STU 3.1.1 (for FHIR R4 – 4.0.1) – <a href="#">Encounter</a> profile</p> <p>Each Encounter <b>must have</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A status</li> <li>▪ An classification such as inpatient, outpatient or emergency</li> <li>▪ An encounter type</li> <li>▪ A patient</li> </ul> <p>Each Encounter <b>must support</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ An encounter identifier</li> <li>▪ Providers involved in the encounter</li> <li>▪ When the encounter occurred</li> <li>▪ <b>Reason for the visit [note – this is not the same as Encounter.diagnosis]</b></li> <li>▪ The discharge disposition</li> <li>▪ Where the encounter occurred</li> </ul> <p>Profile specific implementation guidance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ To search for an <b>encounter diagnosis</b>, query for Condition resources that reference the Encounter of interest and have a category of encounter-diagnosis. An example search is shown in the <a href="#">Condition Quick Start</a> section.</li> </ul> <p><u>These elements can be viewed in the Differential View for what US Core Encounter MUST SUPPORT: HL7 FHIR US Core Structure Definitions-Encounter</u></p> <p><u>Further detail in US Core about how to use Encounter.reasonCode to determine a <i>primary</i> diagnosis:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ US Core – MUST SUPPORT <a href="#">US-Core-R4 Encounter.reasonCode</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Definition: Reason the encounter takes place – expressed as a code. For admissions, this can be used for a coded admission diagnosis.</li> <li>– The diagnosis can be coded using Encounter.reasonCode: CodeableConcept and SHOULD be taken from <a href="#">valueset-encounter-reason</a> (SNOMED clinical findings, procedures, context-dependent categories, events).</li> <li>– However, there is no Encounter.<i>use</i> or Encounter.<i>role</i> to specify a primary, principal, billing or other diagnoses. To do that, <a href="#">US Core Profiles</a> refer to <a href="#">Extensions</a>: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <a href="#">Registry of standard extensions</a> that can be found in the FHIR specification</li> <li>▪ Additional extensions may be registered on the HL7 FHIR registry at <a href="#">HL7 FHIR Registry</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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					<a href="#">remote</a>	Remote Diagnosis
					<a href="#">retrospective</a>	Retrospective Diagnosis
					<a href="#">self</a>	Self Diagnosis
			<p>Claim and Encounter also have two similar concepts defined a bit differently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Claim.diagnosis.sequence</a> (R4 - A number to uniquely identify diagnosis entries, R5 – <i>instance identifier</i>)</li> <li>• <a href="#">Encounter.diagnosis.rank</a> (R4 – Ranking of the diagnosis (for each role type), R5 – No change)</li> </ul> <p>Further discussions planned during the upcoming HL7 virtual Working Group Meeting in September about Encounter Diagnosis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Monday, September 21 Patient Care call 2-4 PM ET</li> <li>▪ Thursday, September 24 Cross-Group Project call 2-4 PM ET</li> <li>▪ Friday, September 25 Financial Management call 12-2 PM ET</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">HL7 CQI Workgroup September 2020 Virtual WGM Agenda</a></p> <p><b>Discussion:</b> Rob McClure (MD Partners) noted it is important to understand what is meant by Principal Diagnosis and there is value in having the same code and code system in both the clinical summary and the EOB. The groups should harmonize, clearly state what is meant by principal and ensure the value sets meet the needs of individual implementers. Joe Kunisch (Memorial Hermann) suggested mapping is determined at the local level. Ultimately, it will be defined by the measure developer. For example, for a lab diagnosis, if no field exists, the software will extract the principal diagnosis because that's why they have the lab results. Rob agreed and suggested it is important to let HL7, CMS, and other stakeholders know about the challenges associated with allowing for all these differences. Joe suggested it is important that the workgroups include a coder when considering steps forward. Lisa Anderson (NCQA) asked if the Structured Docs working group is involved in these discussions. ESAC indicated the topic arose from work in the</p>			

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			<p>Examples Task Force (CDA) and Structured Documents when that group looked at QRDA's use of encounter diagnosis rank for principal diagnosis. Lisa Nelson (Max.md) brought the issue to the HL7 Clinical Quality Information (CQI) Workgroup and she has been invited to bring other stakeholders in the patient summary primary diagnosis discussions to the HL7 Working Group Meeting sessions noted above.</p> <p><b>Resolution/Next Steps:</b>  The CQI agenda is available at: <a href="#">HL7 CQI Workgroup September 2020 Virtual WGM Agenda. Following the discussions at the HL7 Working Group Meeting, the QDM User Group will review options (October QDM User Group meeting).</a></p>
30 Minutes	Referencing Telehealth Visits	Floyd Eisenberg (ESAC)	<p><b>Overview:</b>  The change in healthcare delivery during the current pandemic led to a significant change to telehealth visits. CMS provided a list of visit codes that can be used for in-person or virtual visits and eCQM developers determined which of the measures that used those visit codes could be reported and which would represent a significant departure from measure intent. ESAC provided a reference to how a virtual visit might be expressed in FHIR with QI-Core and asked about implications for QDM.</p> <p>QDM's datatype "Encounter, Performed" attributes do not include any attribute specific to virtual visit. Generally, measure developers interested in specific visit types use the encounter value set to represent it. Current "Encounter, Performed" attributes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>relevantPeriod</i></li> <li>• <i>admission source</i></li> <li>• <i>diagnoses</i> (3 components) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>diagnosis (code)</i></li> <li>- <i>presentOnAdmissionIndicator (code)</i></li> <li>- <i>rank</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>discharge disposition</i></li> <li>• <i>length of stay</i></li> <li>• <i>priority</i></li> <li>• <i>author dateTime</i></li> <li>• <i>code</i></li> <li>• <i>id</i></li> <li>• <i>facility locations</i> (may appear 0 or many times) (Each component will have:</li> </ul>

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			<u>OBSENC</u>	<p>observation encounter</p> <p>An encounter where the patient usually will start in different encounter, such as one in the emergency department (EMER) but then transition to this type of encounter because they require a significant period of treatment and monitoring to determine whether or not their condition warrants an inpatient admission or discharge. In the majority of cases the decision about admission or discharge will occur within a time period determined by local, regional or national regulation, often between 24 and 48 hours.</p>
			<u>PRENC</u>	<p>pre-admission</p> <p>A patient encounter where patient is scheduled or planned to receive service delivery in the future, and the patient is given a pre-admission account number. When the patient comes back for subsequent service, the pre-admission encounter is selected and is encapsulated into the service registration, and a new account number is generated. Usage Note: This is intended to be used in advance of encounter types such as ambulatory, inpatient encounter, virtual, etc.</p>
			<u>SS</u>	<p>short stay</p> <p>An encounter where the patient is admitted to a health care facility for a predetermined length of time, usually less than 24 hours.</p>
			<u>VR</u>	<p>virtual</p> <p>A patient encounter where the patient and the practitioner(s) are not in the same physical location. Examples include telephone conference, email exchange, robotic surgery, and televideo conference.</p>
			<p>However, “Encounter, Order” and “Encounter, Recommended” map differently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ “Encounter, Order” code: <a href="#">ServiceRequest.code</a> using ValueSet-us-core-procedure-code (CPT, SNOMED-CT, HCPCS Level II alphanumeric codes)</li> <li>▪ “Encounter, Recommended” code: <a href="#">ServiceRequest.code</a> using ValueSet-us-core-procedure-code (CPT, SNOMED-CT, HCPCS Level II alphanumeric codes)</li> </ul> <p>Most eQMs now use the same value set for all three (performed, order, recommended):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ “Encounter, Performed” code: procedure codes (<b>not</b> <a href="#">Encounter.class</a> codes)</li> <li>▪ “Encounter, Order” code: procedure codes (similar to <a href="#">ServiceRequest.code</a>)</li> </ul>	

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ “Encounter, Recommended” <i>code</i>: procedure codes (similar to <a href="#">ServiceRequest.code</a>)</li> </ul> <p>Blueprint recommendations (Table 17) is consistent with the current approach in eCQMs “Encounter, Order”; “Encounter, Performed”, “Encounter, Recommended” – SNOMED CT procedure (transition – CPT, HCPCS, ICD-9 Procedures, ICD-10 CM, ICD-10 PCS)</p> <p>Therefore, the current QDM to QI-Core mapping for “Encounter, Performed” <i>code</i> to class might be incorrect and it is inconsistent with current practice.</p> <p><b>ESAC asked the User Group to consider the following change for QDM to QI-Core mapping:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Map QDM “Encounter, Performed” <i>code</i> to <a href="#">Encounter.type</a> with value set <a href="#">ValueSet-us-core-encounter-type</a> (SNOMED CT descending from the concept 308335008 (Patient encounter procedure (procedure)) and from the Current Procedure and Terminology(CPT) designated for Evaluation and Management (99200 – 99607) (subscription to AMA Required))</li> <li>▪ Reference <a href="#">Encounter.class</a> as a <b>new element</b> (not in QDM as an attribute) to define <a href="#">v3ActEncounterCode/vs</a></li> <li>▪ <b>CONSIDER</b> – do existing EHRs share “Encounter.class” information and should QDM 5.6 add an “Encounter, Performed” <i>class</i> attribute to allow different types of visits?</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion:</b></p> <p>Lisa Anderson (NCQA) asked if a new attribute called “Encounter.class” would support modifier codes to indicate a telehealth visit. ESAC believes the FHIR value set binding is extensible to allow use of such modifier codes. Joe Kunisch (Memorial Hermann) was not sure and would need to investigate how it is captured. Mia Nivera (TJC) asked about capturing emergency and virtual or ambulatory and virtual visits. For example, a telehealth visit from the emergency department of the hospital to the paramedics in the patient’s home. ESAC suggested in this case the encounter type is most likely ER visit with the class as virtual. Mia then asked what the purpose of the emergency definition is within the class. ESAC suggested there may be some overlap in definitions in the value set shown and harmonization of concept representation might be a good topic to raise with the Patient Administration Workgroup, the owner of the FHIR Encounter resource. Yan Heras noted for QRDA, Encounter Performed, encounter code is an HL7 Version 3 datatype which allows the qualifier, with the name of virtual. You select encounter code and indicate it is virtual.</p> <p><b>Resolution/Next Steps:</b></p> <p>ESAC will raise the issue of reconciling encounter class and type with the Patient Administration</p>

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			<p>workgroup. The User Group will consider whether it makes sense to add another attribute to QDM, or whether it is more reasonable to leave QDM as is and modify the QI-Core mappings as noted in the discussion. Plan for reviewing again at the October 2020 QDM User Group meeting after the HL7 virtual Working Group Meeting in September.</p>
30 Minutes	Expressing Imaging Studies in QI Core	Floyd Eisenberg (ESAC)	<p><b>Overview:</b>  The Joint Commission asked about the appropriate terminology to reference an imaging study with QI-Core, i.e., an imaging study that has a result (to indicate it was performed) but without specifying what should be the result.  ESAC initiated the discussion by indicating how QDM and QDM to QI-Core mapping would address a result as an observation:</p> <p><b>Blueprint terminology recommendations (Table 17)</b>  “Assessment, Performed”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>code*</i> (i.e., the observable entity question) – LOINC</li> <li>▪ <i>result</i> (i.e., the answer to the question) – SNOMED CT (disorders, findings) or LOINC normative responses</li> </ul> <p>“Diagnosis Study, Performed”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>code (i.e., the test name)</u></li> <li>• <i>result</i> (i.e., the findings from the study) – SNOMED CT (disorders, findings) or LOINC normative responses</li> </ul> <p><b>FHIR Evaluation for QI-Core – QI-Core STU 4 Observation Use Case</b>  <b>Evaluate newborn care</b> – eCQM evaluating if a newborn had a CT scan or MRI done during the encounter. It does not look for a specific result, only that one exists.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">["Diagnostic Study, Performed": "Moderate Neurological Complications"] BrainScan  where BrainScan.result is not null</p> <p><b>For FHIR transition, which QI-Core resource is appropriate? There are two QI-Core resources to consider:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ ImagingStudy resource is referenced by Observation and DiagnosticReport,</li> <li>▪ Observation with Observation.partOf ImagingStudy</li> </ul>

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			<p>The User Group previously agreed to recommend use of <b>Observation</b> and include reference to <b>Imaging Study</b> (e.g., Observation.partOf ImagingStudy). ESAC suggested in the next update to QI Core, that it may help to indicate MUST SUPPORT for the <b>partOf</b> element to allow reference to an Imaging Study to indicate the source of the observation.</p> <p><b>Discussion:</b> Yanyan Hu (TJC) recalls the conversation and asked ESAC to confirm whether the plan is to use Observation with or without result. ESAC confirmed Observation indicates a result is present. Imaging Study alone does not include an indication that there is a result. Yanyan asked if we will continue to follow CMS Blueprint terminology for the FHIR resource. ESAC suggested this question should be posed to the Governance Group. Specifically, the Blueprint provides guidance for which terminology to use for QDM datatypes and attributes because QDM does not have terminology bindings. However, FHIR (and therefore QI-Core) has specific terminology and value set bindings for many resources and elements. Therefore, the Blueprint may need to retire Table 17 (the terminology recommendations) after the transition to FHIR since FHIR specifies the bindings for interoperability. The Blueprint table is still followed for QDM since QDM is a conceptual data model that does not have value set bindings..</p> <p><b>Resolution/Next Steps:</b> The User Group did not recommend any changes to QDM at this time.</p>
15 Minutes	QDM Errata – Section 2.6.5	Floyd Eisenberg (ESAC)	<p><b>Overview:</b> <b>Section 2.6.5 of QDM 5.5 provides an example of how to use the QDM entities to specify an Individual Actor is a Member of an Organization (existing content):</b></p> <p>Define “Qualifying Encounters” [“Encounter, Performed”: “Inpatient”] Encounter where Encounter.participant is “Organization”</p> <p>define “Eye Exam Order” [“Intervention, Order”: “Diabetic Eye Exam”] ExamOrder where ExamOrder.requester is Practitioner and ExamOrder.requester.id in (Encounter.participant as Organization)</p> <p>define “Eye Exam Complete” [“Intervention, Performed”: “Diabetic Eye Exam”] EyeExam where EyeExam.performer is Practitioner and EyeExam.performer.id in Encounter.participant.organization</p>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- role</li> <li>- specialty</li> <li>- qualification</li> <li>- <b>ADD</b> organization.id (cardinality 0..*)</li> </ul> <p>Alternatively, QDM could maintain its current structure, requiring the performer of different activities within an expression to be the same individual or the same organization and await the FHIR transition for this capability.</p> <p>In either case, a QDM Known Issue should indicate the fact that Section 2.6.5 is incorrect and will not work. Moreover, the Known Issue could indicate that limiting the performer of two actions to be the same individual has potential consequences in the measure results. Consider the following example:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">["Physical Exam, Performed": "Blood Pressure"] BP and [Encounter, Performed": "Office Visit"] OfficeVisit where BP.performer.id = OfficeVisit.participant.id</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ In this example, the expression expects the individual performing the blood pressure examination to be the same individual who is the primary participant for the encounter.</li> <li>▪ Stated another way, To conclude TRUE, the same individual taking the BP MUST be the same as the primary participant for the OfficeVisit.</li> <li>▪ This expression will conclude FALSE If the BP performer is a device or a nurse and the OfficeVisit participant is a physician.</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion:</b> ESAC noted this issue was raised on a Cooking with CQL session. The stakeholder asked how to indicate the performer of the activity is in the same organization. Joe Kunisch (Memorial Hermann) suggested significant challenges in connecting individuals to organizations. Currently, organizations are identified by tax id. His organization has employed physicians and private physicians. Private physicians do their own billing with their own tax id number; such data is not necessarily shared with the Memorial Herman system. The scenario would be difficult to implement.</p> <p><b>Resolution/Next Steps:</b> Further discussion is needed. Stakeholders should consider whether this is worthwhile and feasible. Will include in the next QDM User Group to determine if there is any interest in adding the <i>organization.id</i> attribute to QDM 5.6 Practitioner entity. Based on discussion, ESAC will move</p>

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15 Minutes	HL7 FHIR Connectathon 25	Rob Samples (ESAC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <a href="#">HL7 FHIR Connectathon</a> will be held VIRTUALLY between September 9-11, 2020.</li> <li>▪ The CMS eCQM Standards Team will continue to participate in the <a href="#">Clinical Reasoning Track</a> with a focus on Quality Measurement and Clinical Decision Support (CDS) Use Cases.</li> <li>▪ The <a href="#">2020-09 DaVinci Gaps in Care/Member Attribution</a> Track will also continue testing the use of Data Exchange for Quality Measures (DEQM IG) for gaps in care and testing the use of the Member Attribution.</li> </ul> <p><b>Clinical Reasoning Track Objectives</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Continue testing Quality Measurement use cases. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Evaluate FHIR-based eCQMs written with CQL.</li> <li>– Test eCQM structure, packaging, and reference libraries from draft MAT on FHIR export packages.</li> <li>– Test and validate the use of the QI-Core model in CQL authoring.</li> <li>– Test supplemental data use cases for eCQMs.</li> <li>– Test continuous variable and stratified eCQMs.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Test the use of FHIR resources in alignment with FHIR R4 Implementation Guides (IG). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– QI-Core IG.</li> <li>– Quality Measure IG.</li> <li>– Data Exchange for Quality Measures (DEQM) IG.</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Test FHIR Clinical Guidelines example content (in coordination with the Care Planning and Public Health tracks).</li> <li>▪ Test the new `order-select` hook using CDC Opioid Prescribing (in coordination with the CDS Hooks track).</li> <li>▪ Conduct end-to-end testing: identify a gap, close gap and report measure, specifically Breast Cancer Screening--CMS 125v8 or v9 (in coordination with the DaVinci DEQM Gaps in Care track).</li> <li>▪ Continue investigation of bulk import support.</li> <li>▪ Test the ExecutableLibrary profile.</li> <li>▪ Test the following CMS Measures for FHIR R4:</li> </ul>

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5 Minutes	General Discussion	Floyd Eisenberg (ESAC)	Attendees had no further questions or discussion topics.
5 Minutes	Next Meeting	Traci Psihas (ESAC)	<p><b>Agenda items for next QDM user group meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Contact us at <a href="mailto:qdm@esacinc.com">qdm@esacinc.com</a></li> <li>– Or start a discussion: <a href="mailto:qdm-user-group-list@esacinc.com">qdm-user-group-list@esacinc.com</a></li> </ul> <p><i>If you attend the QDM User Group meetings but do not receive communications or have access to the QDM User Group List, please send an email to <a href="mailto:QDM@esacinc.com">QDM@esacinc.com</a> so you may be added to the distribution list.</i></p> <p><b>Next user group meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Since the major points of discussion require input from the upcoming HL7 Working Group Meeting (September 21-25), the planned September 16, 2020 will be cancelled.</li> <li>– Next QDM User Group meeting will be October 21, 2020 from 2:30 to 4:30 PM ET.</li> </ul>

## Invitees/Attendees:

Attended	Name	Organization
N/A	Abrar Salam	The Joint Commission
N/A	Alex Borenstein	Greenway Health
N/A	Alex Lui	Epic
N/A	Andy Kubilius	The Joint Commission
N/A	Angela Flanagan	Lantana
N/A	Ann-Marie Dunn	Unknown
N/A	Ann Philips	NCQA
N/A	Anna Bentler	The Joint Commission
X	Anne Coultas	All Scripts
N/A	Anne Smith	NCQA
N/A	Amira Elhagmusa	Battelle
N/A	Balu Balasubramanyam	MITRE
N/A	Ben Hamlin	NCQA
N/A	Benjamin Bussey	Unknown
N/A	Beth Bostrom	AMA
N/A	Brian Blaubeux	Northern Westchester Hospital
N/A	Bidget Blake	MITRE
N/A	Brooke Villarreal	Unknown
N/A	Bryn Rhodes	ESAC
N/A	Carolyn Anderson	Primary care practice
N/A	Chris Moesel	MITRE
N/A	Cindy Lamb	Telligen
X	Claudia Hall	Mathematica
N/A	Corrie Dowell	BSW Health
N/A	Dalana Ostile	Providence Health Sys
N/A	Dawn Lane	Covenant Health
X	Dave Mishler	Care Evolution
N/A	David Brian	Unknown
N/A	David Clayman	Allscripts
N/A	Debbie Hall	University of Maryland
X	Debbie McKay	Unknown
N/A	Deidre Sacra	McKesson
N/A	Doug Goldstein	Epic
N/A	Drew Keller	Unknown
X	Evelyn Cody	Unknown
X	Floyd Eisenberg	ESAC
N/A	Gary Rezik	QIP
N/A	Ganesh Shanmugam	Glenwood Systems
X	Gayathri Jayawardena	ESAC
X	Grace Glennon	Yale CORE
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N/A	Lizzie Charboneau	MITRE
X	Lynn Perrine	Lantana
N/A	Maggie Lohnes	IMPAQ
N/A	Marc Hadley	MITRE
X	Marc Hallez	The Joint Commission
N/A	Marc Overhage	Cerner
N/A	Margaret Dobson	Zepf Center
N/A	Matt Hardman	Unknown
N/A	Marilyn Parenzan	The Joint Commission
N/A	Martha Radford	NYU
N/A	Melissa Van Fleet	Alliance Health Oklahoma
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N/A	Michael Mainridge	Unknown
N/A	Michael Ryan	Unknown
N/A	Mike Nosal	MITRE
N/A	Michelle Dardis	Mathematica
N/A	Michelle Hinterberg	MediSolv
N/A	Michelle Lefebvre	IMPAQ
N/A	Mike Shoemaker	Telligen
N/A	Mukesh Allu	Epic
N/A	Nathan R	Unknown
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