

Minutes from National iMedConsent™ VANTS Call

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1. Dialog Medical Update

The next patch is currently scheduled for late January or early February. It will include content updates as well as several new software functionalities.

As a reminder, contact Dialog Medical directly (enterprise@dialogmedical.com) for the smoothest service experience. Logging a ticket through Remedy is not the best way to get iMedConsent support.

2. iMedConsent Handbook

The iMedConsent Handbook is in the final stage of concurrence, and should be released to the field in the coming weeks barring unforeseen resistance. I will provide an update at the next POC meeting to keep you abreast of the latest developments.

3. Policy and Form Update

No updates available on the timeline for release of the following forms, publications, and enhancements:

- Informed Consent Handbook revisions (including blank consent form templates and changes to the consent form expiration, witness requirement, and update to “who can sign”)
- Opioid Agreement (aka Pain Agreement)
- Signature for receipt of drugs in pharmacy

Oxygen safety documents will be released in the next patch update.

4. CCOW/Vergence Upgrade

The bulk of the remainder of the call was spent discussing the status of the Vergence upgrade rollout. We were joined on the call by Adele Cerbone, the OI&T lead for the CCOW upgrade project. Adele described the three-phase implementation strategy being employed. Phase 1 includes upgrading the vaults in the OI Field Offices (OIFOs), and regression testing of the upgrade on all programs that are CCOW-dependent. Phase 2 is targeted to begin January 6, and will include implementation in Regions 1 and 4. Phase 3, in which Regions 2 and 3 will be implemented, will begin as soon as Phase 2 is complete (est. sometime in February). The national rollout is set to be complete sometime in late March 2009.

Many thanks to Adele for the update, and we wish her a speedy and smooth implementation!