

HIMSS10 Interoperability Showcase Planning & Technical Webinars-

HIMSS10 “Getting to Know You” Calls: Showcase staff will make contact with a marketing and technical representative from **each** organization participating in the Showcase. The purpose of this call is to provide 1:1 assistance and enough time for Q&A with the overall objective of ensuring that everyone is prepared for all Showcase and Connectathon-related deliverables, due dates, testing requirements and processes.

Dates: October – November 2009

Duration:

- New Showcase participants can expect calls to last 20 – 30 minutes.
- Calls with experienced Showcase veterans will be brief and have a duration contingent on their questions.

We encourage members of marketing and technical teams to attend. Additional information will be posted on the HIMSS10 Marketing and Technical Contacts Google Groups (details on Page 2).

HIMSS10 New Showcase Planning Webinar Series: In lieu of the Showcase kick-off (face-to-face) meeting conducted in the past during October, the Showcase staff will present a series of five (5) Showcase Planning Webinars to serve as “check-points” to ensure all participants are up-to-date with their obligations and preparations for the Showcase. **All sessions are mandatory, registration is required, and attendance will be taken. Organizations that fail to participate may be excluded from Showcase scenario tours.**

- **Dates:** October 2009 through February 2010 – One per month as detailed in the schedule on Page 6.
- **Scheduling:** To accommodate potential schedule conflicts, each mandatory Webinar will be held twice – one on a Thursday and the second on a Friday. All participants must attend one of the two scheduled sessions for each of the five (5) Webinars.
- **Register:** Please use the links listed on the detailed schedule found on Page 6 to register in advance.

HIMSS10 Showcase Technical Review Webinars: Similar to previous years, additional webinars with smaller niche groups participating in a specific role / scenario (e.g. infrastructure, patient care devices) will be scheduled as needed until March 1, 2010.

To help ensure system readiness prior to the Showcase event, **participation in these webinars is required in addition to the Planning webinars listed above. The Planning Webinars will cover general information relevant to all participants; the Technical Review Webinars are additional detailed calls for the smaller groups participating in the various scenarios.** As with the Showcase Planning webinars, attendance will be recorded and those failing to participate may be excluded from participating in that role / scenario in the Showcase. Additional information will be sent to the primary Technical contact(s) using the HIMSS10 Technical Contacts Google Group and the HIMSS Interoperability Showcase News (details listed on Page 2).