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The Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC) develops the functional and conformance testing requirements for the testing and certification of Electronic Health Records (EHRs) to the certification criteria adopted by the HHS Secretary. Only ONC-Approved Test Methods can be used to test products intended for certification in the ONC HIT Certification Program. Test Methods (test procedures, test data, and test tools) are used by Accredited Testing Laboratories (ATLs) and ONC-Approved Certification Bodies (ONC-ACBs) to evaluate the conformance and functionality of Complete EHRs and EHR Modules.

The Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT (ONC) values feedback and input from our various stakeholders. All Test Procedures will undergo public review and comment before being finalized and approved by the National Coordinator. The public comment period remains open for 30 days from the time of release.

October 8th, 2014 – November 7th, 2014 is the public comment period for the 2014 Edition Release 2 updated draft Test Procedures and applicable test data files. The draft Test Procedures can all be found below.

To provide feedback, please follow the steps below:

- 1. Select the test procedure you would like to review.
- 2. After reviewing the test procedure, click the "Submit a Comment" button.
- 3. Fill in the pop-up form with a summary of your comment, your comment, and your name/organization/email. You may also attach files.
- 4. Click "Submit."

Criteria

Criterion #	Certification Criterion Name	Test Procedure
§170.314(a)(18)	Computerized Provider Order Entry – Medications	§170.314(a)(18) Computerized Provider Order Entry – Medications
§170.314(a)(19)	Computerized Provider Order Entry – Laboratory	§170.314(a)(19) Computerized Provider Order Entry – Laboratory
§170.314(a)(20)	Computerized Provider Order Entry – Diagnostic Imaging	§170.314(a)(20) Computerized Provider Order Entry – Diagnostic Imaging
§170.314(b)(8)	Transitions of Care – Send and Receive via Edge Protocol	§170.314(b)(8) Transitions of Care – Send and Receive via Edge Protocol
§170.314(b)(9)	Clinical Information Reconciliation and Incorporation (CIRI)	§170.314(b)(9) Clinical Information Reconciliation and Incorporation (CIRI)
§170.314(e)(1)	View, Download, and Transmit to a 3rd Party with Edge Protocol Testing	§170.314(e)(1) View, Download, and Transmit to a 3rd Party with Edge Protocol Testing
§170.314(f)(7)	Ambulatory Setting Only – Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Syndromic Surveillance	§170.314(f)(7) Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Syndromic Surveillance
§170.314(g)(1)/§1 70.314(g)(2)	Automated Numerator Recording/§170.314(g)(2) Automated Measure Calculation	§170.314(g)(1) Automated Numerator Recording/§170.314(g) (2) Automated Measure Calculation
§170.314(h)(1)	Applicability Statement for Secure Health Transport	§170.314(h)(1) Applicability Statement for Secure Health Transport
§170.314(h)(2)	Applicability Statement for Secure Health Transport and XDR/XDM for Direct Messaging	§170.314(h)(2) Applicability Statement for Secure Health Transport and XDR/XDM for Direct Messaging
§170.314(h)(3)	SOAP Transport and Security Specification and XDR /XDM for Direct Messaging	§170.314(h)(3) SOAP Transport and Security Specification and XDR/XDM for Direct Messaging