

Standards Navigator

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SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator provides information and tools related to standards that play a significant role in health software and software intensive medical devices. In addition to information on existing standards, SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator keeps you up to date on new standards activity and gives you expert insight into future changes to existing standards.

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November 2014 Standards Navigator Overview

Medical device software

- No new documents this month.

Medical Devices

- A final draft (FDIS) of **IEC 62366-1: Medical devices – Part 1: Application of usability engineering to medical devices** was issued for final vote. This standard contains the requirements for a usability engineering process for medical devices. It focusses on applying the usability engineering process to optimize medical device usability as it relates to safety. A companion technical report (IEC 62366-2, currently under development) is comprehensive and has a broader focus. It focuses not only on usability as it relates to safety, but also on how usability relates to attributes such as task accuracy, completeness and efficiency, and user satisfaction.

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- The FDA has issued its final guidance for Infusion pumps. In addition to other requirements, this guidance recommends that information to demonstrate that the new or modified device is as safe and effective as the legally marketed predicate device and does not raise different questions of safety and effectiveness in comparison to the predicate device should be provided in the format of a safety case.

The FDA guidance is available at <http://www.fda.gov/downloads/MedicalDevices/DeviceRegulationandGuidance/GuidanceDocuments/UCM209337.pdf>

Health IT and mobile health applications

- A new project (NP) has been proposed for **Health informatics - Framework of Event Data & Reporting Definitions for the Safety of Health Software**. The proposal is for a new technical specification (TS) to define those data elements needed for identification of particular events including incidents, near-misses and unsafe conditions, as well as outlining good principles, relevant concepts and a process model for the recording, analysis and reporting of event-specific information related to the safety of health software.

The NP proposal is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

Quality

- No new documents this month.

Security

- A new project proposal has been issued for IEC 80001-2-x: Application of risk management for IT networks incorporating medical devices – Part 2-x: Application guidance – Guidance for use of security assurance cases to demonstrate confidence in IEC/TR 80001-2-2 security capabilities. This part of IEC 80001 establishes a security case framework and provides guidance to medical device manufacturers, IT vendors and HDOs for developing, interpreting and updating security cases for networked medical devices. This report leverages on the requirements set out in ISO/IEC 15026-2 for the development of assurance cases. It is not intended that this security case framework will replace a risk management strategy, rather, the intention is to compliment risk management and in turn provide a greater level of assurance for a medical device.

The NP proposal is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Office of Inspector General (OIG) indicated that it would be investigating security of medical devices in hospitals during fiscal year (FY) 2015. The following statement is from the OIG FY 2015 work plan.
 “We will examine whether CMS oversight of hospitals’ security controls over networked medical devices is sufficient to effectively protect associated electronic protected health information (ePHI) and ensure beneficiary safety. Computerized medical devices, such as dialysis machines, radiology systems, and medication dispensing systems that are integrated with electronic medical records (EMRs) and the larger health network, pose a growing threat to the security and privacy of personal health information. Such medical devices use hardware, software, and networks to monitor a patient’s medical status and transmit and receive related data using wired or wireless communications. To participate in Medicare, providers such as hospitals are required to secure medical records and patient information, including ePHI. (42 CFR § 482.24(b).) Medical device manufacturers provide Manufacturer Disclosure Statement for Medical Device Security (MDS2) forms to assist health care providers in assessing the vulnerability and risks associated with ePHI that is transmitted or maintained by a medical device. (OAS; W-00-15-42020; various reviews; expected issue date: FY 2015)”

Software Engineering

- A final committee draft (FDIS) of **ISO/IEC 29119-4 Software and Systems Engineering — Software Testing — Part 4: Test Techniques** has been circulated for vote. The purpose of ISO/IEC/IEEE 29119-4 Test Techniques is to define software test design techniques (also known as test case design techniques or test methods) that can be used within the test design and implementation process that is defined in ISO/IEC/IEEE 29119-2 Test Processes. ISO/IEC/IEEE 29119-4 does not prescribe a process for test design and implementation; instead, it describes a set of techniques that can be used within ISO/IEC/IEEE 29119-2. The intent is to describe a series of techniques that have wide acceptance in the software testing industry.

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- A committee draft (DIS) of **ISO/IEC 30130 Software engineering – Capabilities of Software Testing Tools** has been circulated for vote. This International Standard defines the framework to which capabilities of software testing tools are allocated in order to identify the capabilities of products being used by any project for software testing. The framework is defined by objectives of testing, granularity of software to be tested and capabilities

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- A committee draft (DIS) of **ISO/IEC DIS 25022 Systems and software Engineering – Systems and software Quality Requirements and Evaluation (SQuaRE) – Measurement of quality in use** has been circulated for vote. This International Standard is a part of the SQuaRE series of international standards. It provides a set of measures for the characteristics of quality in use (defined in ISO/IEC 25010) that can be used for specifying quality in use requirements (in conjunction with ISO/IEC 25030) and measuring and evaluating quality in use (in conjunction with ISO/IEC 25040 and ISO/IEC 25041).

The quality measures included in this International Standard were selected based on their practical value. They are based on established practice (including for example [4] in the Bibliography), They are not intended to be exhaustive, and users of this International Standard are encouraged to refine them if necessary.

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- A committee draft (DIS) of **ISO/IEC DIS 25024 Systems and software Engineering – Systems and software Quality Requirements and Evaluation (SQuaRE) – Measurement of data quality** has been circulated for vote. This International Standard is a part of the SQuaRE series of international standards. It provides a set of data quality measures that can be used for measuring and evaluating data quality, by referring other SQuaRE series of standards, especially ISO/IEC 25012 SQuaRE – Data quality model.

The set of data quality measures in this International Standard is selected based on their practical value. They are not intended to be exhaustive and users of this standard are encouraged to refine them if necessary.

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

- A committee draft (DIS) of **ISO/IEC DIS 19770-3 Information technology – IT asset management – Part 3: Software entitlement schema** has been circulated for vote. This part of ISO/IEC 19770 establishes a set of terms and definitions which may be used by the industry when discussing software entitlements (the key elements within software licenses). It also provides specifications for a file format which enables the digital encapsulation of software entitlements, including associated metrics and their management.

The draft standard is available on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.

STANDARDS & GUIDANCE DRAFTS STILL IN REVIEW

	Topic	Use / Users	Description
IEC 60878	Medical Devices	Manufacturers	<p><i>IEC TR 60878: Graphical symbols for electrical equipment in medical practice</i></p> <p>This technical report is a comprehensive collection of all graphical symbols used on medical electrical equipment. It is intended for the easy finding of a certain symbol and related ones in one single source, concentrating on this special field of application.</p>
IEC 60601-4-2	Medical Devices	Manufacturers	<p><i>IEC TR 60601-4-2: Medical electrical equipment - Part 4-2: Guidance and interpretation - Electromagnetic immunity; performance of medical electrical equipment and medical electrical systems</i></p> <p>This International Technical Report provides guidance on achieving immunity with regard to electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) or EMC performance. Based on the intended use, medical electric equipment and medical electric systems should have adequate immunity to provide the performance specified by the manufacturer in the presence of electromagnetic disturbances.</p>

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ISO/IEC 15026-3 DIS	Software Engineering	Manufacturers	<p><i>ISO/IEC 15026-3 Systems and software engineering — Systems and software assurance — Part 3: Systems integrity levels</i></p> <p>This International Standard specifies the concept of integrity levels with corresponding integrity level requirements that are required to be met in order to show the achievement of the integrity level. It places requirements on and recommends methods for defining and using integrity levels and their integrity level requirements.</p>
ISO/IEC 25066 DIS	Software Engineering	Manufacturers	<p><i>ISO/IEC 25066 Systems and software engineering — Systems and software Quality Requirements and Evaluation (SQuaRE) — Common industry Format for Usability — Evaluation Reports</i></p> <p>This International Standard describes the Common Industry Format (CIF) for reporting usability evaluations. It provides a classification of evaluation approaches and the specifications for the content items in an evaluation reports (content elements).</p>
ISO/IEC 19770-2 DIS	Software Engineering	Manufacturers	<p><i>ISO/IEC 19770-2 Information technology — Software asset management — Part 2: Software identification tag</i></p> <p>This part of ISO/IEC 19770 provides an International Standard for software identification (SWID) tags. The software identification tag is a standardized data structure containing identification information about a software product that supports new and automated management functions.</p>
ISO 27799 DIS	Security	Manufacturers	<p><i>ISO 27799 Health informatics — Information security management in health using ISO/IEC 27002</i></p> <p>ISO 27799 applies ISO/IEC 27002 to the healthcare domain in a way that carefully considers the appropriate application of security controls for the purposes of protecting personal health information.</p> <p>The DIS can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</p>

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FDA draft guidance for MDDS	Medical devices	Manufacturers	<p><i>Medical Device Data Systems, Medical Image Storage Devices, and Medical Image Communications Devices – Draft Guidance for Industry and Food and Drug Administration Staff</i></p> <p>In this draft guidance FDA notifies MDDS manufacturers that it does not intend to enforce compliance with regulatory controls for this type of medical device.</p> <p>The draft FDA guidance is available at http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/DeviceRegulationandGuidance/GuidanceDocuments/ucm401785.h tm</p>

REFERENCES

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ONC 10-Year Vision	Health IT	Health IT infrastructure	<p><i>ONC 10-Year Vision to Achieve an Interoperable Health IT Infrastructure</i></p> <p>The document can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page or at http://www.healthit.gov/sites/default/files/ONC10yearInteroperabilityConceptPaper.pdf</p>
BSI white paper	Medical devices	Manufacturers	<p><i>“The proposed EU regulations for medical and in vitro diagnostic devices”</i></p> <p>The white paper can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page</p>
EC green paper	Health IT	Manufacturers	<p><i>“Green Paper on mobile Health (mHealth)”</i></p> <p>The green paper can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page</p>
IMDRF SaMD Definitions	Software	Manufacturers	<p>Software as a Medical Device (SaMD): Key Definitions Report on international harmonization of definitions for software as a medical device. Adopted by IMDRF in November.</p> <p><i>The report can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</i></p>
Euro Commission	Medical Devices	Manufacturers	<p>Commission recommendation of 24 September 2013 on the audits and assessments performed by notified bodies in the field of medical devices.</p> <p><i>The document can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</i></p>

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FDA Safety communication on cybersecurity	Security	Manufacturers and hospitals	FDA has become aware of cybersecurity vulnerabilities and incidents that could directly impact medical devices or hospital network operations. This safety communication recommends that medical device manufacturers take steps to limit opportunities for unauthorized access to medical devices and hospitals take steps to evaluate network security and protect the hospital systems. The FDA also recommends prompt reporting of events that have impacted the performance of a medical device or hospital network.
ICS-CERT Alert regarding medical devices with hard-coded passwords	Security	Manufacturers , hospitals	ICS-CERT is issuing this alert to provide early notice of a report of a hard-coded password vulnerability affecting roughly 300 medical devices across approximately 40 vendors. According to their report, the vulnerability could be exploited to potentially change critical settings and/or modify device firmware. The alert also identifies baseline mitigations for reducing risks to these and other cybersecurity attacks.
ONC Patient Safety Action & Surveillance Plan	Health IT safety	Health IT manufacturers , hospitals	The final version of the ONC plan that has the objectives to use health IT to make care safer and to continuously improve the safety of health IT.
<i>ONC contract with the Joint Commission to investigate health IT-related safety events</i>	Health IT safety	Hospitals, health IT manufacturers	The purpose of this contract is to ensure that there is an early detection system on health IT-related safety issues, including those associated with EHRs.

ONC guidance on annual surveillance plans by authorized certification bodies	Surveillance of certified EHRs	Authorized EHR certification bodies	Authorized Certification Bodies are expected to conduct surveillance on EHRs that they have certified. This guidance provides the priorities for topics to assess in the surveillance plan. Safety-related capabilities and security capabilities are two of the four areas for priority identified in this guidance.
TEAM-NB position paper on use of ISO 14971:2012	Risk management	Manufacturers	Describes the steps TEAM-NB members plan to verify where relevant if requirements of EN ISO 14971:2012 have been met. This should help manufacturers update their risk management procedures and files to maintain compliance with the Essential Requirements of the directives, when building on the presumption of conformity. <i>The position paper can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</i>
TEAM-NB "Vision on Revision"	Regulation	Regulators, Manufacturers, Notified bodies	This document forms the input of TEAM-NB into the debate on The Revision of European Legislation on Medical Devices. Contributions came from BSI Germany, BSI UK, DEKRA Netherlands, TUV Austria, and TUV Sud. <i>The report can be found on the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</i>
Report	Interoperability	Medical device manufacturers, Hospitals, Regulators	AAMI/FDA Interoperability Summit report An AAMI/FDA sponsored summit meeting on medical device interoperability was held in late 2012. This report documents the discussion and identifies themes from the summit. This report can be found at http://www.aami.org/interoperability/Interoperability_Summit_publication.pdf

Report	Wireless	Hospitals, Medical device manufacturers	<p>AAMI Wireless Workshop report</p> <p>A workshop with approximately 80 invited medical wireless experts was held in late 2012. This report documents the discussion and outcomes of this workshop. A follow-up meeting is planned for March 2013.</p> <p>This report can be found at http://www.aami.org/wireless/2012_Wireless_Workshop_publication.pdf</p>
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Report	Security	Medical device manufacturers, Regulators	<p>GAO report on FDA review of certain medical devices</p> <p>The General Accounting Office does investigations for the US Congress. In this report they reviewed how FDA reviewed implanted medical devices that used wireless communications for security vulnerabilities that could cause safety concerns. They looked at two devices that researchers had shown could be controlled by use of off-the-shelf radio devices. In their findings, they criticized FDA for not reviewing security capabilities in these devices, even though they determined that FDA had the authority to do so. This will certainly result in FDA increasing their scrutiny of security for these type of devices. Since a security vulnerability in a device that is wirelessly communicating over a network seems to surely pose a risk as well, it is likely that FDA will also increase security scrutiny of all devices that use wireless communications.</p> <p>Dr. Kevin Fu testified to the National Institute of Standards and Technology <u>Information Security & Privacy Advisory Board</u> that "Conventional malware is rampant in hospitals because of medical devices using unpatched operating systems. There's little recourse for hospitals when a manufacturer refuses to allow OS updates or security patches."</p> <p>A report of the meeting can be found in the MIT Technology Review http://www.technologyreview.com/news/429616/computer-viruses-are-rampant-on-medical-devices-in-hospitals/</p> <p>The article states that "In September, the Government Accountability Office issued a <u>report</u> warning that computerized medical devices could be vulnerable to hacking, posing a safety threat, and asked the FDA to address the issue. The GAO report focused mostly on the threat to two kinds of wireless implanted devices: implanted defibrillators and insulin pumps. The vulnerability of these devices has received widespread press attention (see "<u>Personal Security</u>" and "<u>Keeping Pacemakers Safe from Hackers</u>"), but no actual attacks on them have been reported.</p> <p>Fu, who is a leader in researching the risks described in the GAO report, said those two classes of device are "a drop in the bucket": thousands of other network-connected devices used for patient care are also vulnerable to infection. "These are life-saving devices. Patients are overwhelmingly safer with them than without them. But cracks are showing," he said. (Fu was <i>Technology Review's</i> <u>Innovator of the Year</u> in 2009.)"</p> <p>One of Dr. Fu's collaborators in research that showed an implanted defibrillator could be hacked was Dr. William Maisel who is now the Deputy Director for Science at CDRH. FDA staff has indicated that they are in the process of revising the FDA Cybersecurity Guidance. This guidance will likely include recommendations for manufacturer's security programs for devices and additional recommendations for security information to be provided during pre-market review of devices that are intended for use on a network. In addition, the guidance is now expected to provide information on when a security issue is reportable to the FDA and when a security event will result in a recall.</p> <p>Another interesting bit of information in this report was the FDA response that they had hired a consultant (later determined to be McKinsey) to assess how they review software and make suggestions for improvements. This assessment is supposed to be completed by the end of 2012.</p>
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Report	Mobile medical devices	Medical devices manufacturers, Hospitals, Regulators	<p>FCC report on Mobile Medical Devices</p> <p>The FCC created an independent mHealth Task Force, to research the barriers to rapid deployment of mHealth technology and develop recommendations to government and industry to address those barriers. This report documents the task force recommendations for achieving 5 goals:</p> <p>Goal 1: FCC should continue to play a leadership role in advancing mobile health adoption.</p> <p>Goal 2: Federal agencies should increase collaboration to promote innovation, protect patient safety, and avoid regulatory duplication.</p> <p>Goal 3: The FCC should build on existing programs and link programs where possible in order to expand broadband access for healthcare.</p> <p>Goal 4: The FCC should continue efforts to increase capacity, reliability, interoperability and RF safety of mHealth technologies.</p> <p>Goal 5: Industry should support continued investment, innovation, and job creation in the growing mobile health sector.</p> <p>Recommendations include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • greater collaboration with other US Federal agencies • promoting the availability of broadband for healthcare • harmonizing spectrum allocations for healthcare internationally • industry use of standards based technologies for transmitting authenticated messages and encrypted health information <p><i>This report can be found on the Standards Navigator web page</i></p>
Report	Health IT	Hospitals, EHR vendors, MD manufacturers	<p>Institute of Medicine report – Health IT and patient safety</p> <p>The Institute of Medicine produced a report on the impact of Health IT on patient safety. The report had a number of recommendations for the Secretary of HHS.</p> <p><i>A presentation on the recommendations and the entire report are available at the SoftwareCPR Standards Navigator web page.</i></p>

Regulation	Regulation	Medical device manufacturers , IVD manufacturers	<p>EU draft proposed new Medical Device Regulation and In-Vitro Device Regulation</p> <p>These draft regulations can be found at</p> <p>http://ec.europa.eu/health/medical-devices/files/revision_docs/proposal_2012_542_en.pdf - medical devices</p> <p>http://ec.europa.eu/health/medical-devices/files/revision_docs/proposal_2012_541_en.pdf - In-vitro devices</p>
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STANDARDS CURRENTLY UNDER DEVELOPMENT OR REVISION

	Topic	Use / Users	Description
IEC 62304 Amendment 1	Software Life Cycle	Medical Device manufacturers, Regulators	<p>Amendment to the Medical Device Software Life Cycle standard. This standard is harmonized in the EU. The amendment addresses software safety classification and how to be compliant with legacy software.</p> <p>Current status: Comments received on the CDV are being resolved.</p> <p>Expected completion: 2015</p>
IEC 82304-1	Health Software	Medical device manufacturers, Regulators	<p>New standard on Health Software: General Requirements. This standard is intended to be for standalone software products and to cover the product level requirements such as product validation, labeling, documents to be provided to the user, etc.</p> <p>Current status: Comments received on the second CD are being resolved.</p> <p>Next step: A CDV is expected to be circulated in early 2015.</p> <p>Expected completion: 2015</p>
ISO 13485	Medical devices	Medical device manufacturers, Regulators	<p>The Quality Management System standard is being revised to bring it into alignment with ISO 9001:2008.</p> <p>Next step: Second DIS.</p> <p>Expected completion: 2016</p>