

CMAG

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Agenda

- Purpose of the Content Managers Advisory Group
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Purpose of CMAG

- Assist SNOMED International in setting priorities for its content development work
- Provide national perspectives on SNOMED International's ongoing content development work.
- Provide an avenue for National Content Extension Managers to collaborate on content focused topics relevant to national extensions and SNOMED International

Objectives

- Limit crossover with Member Forum
- Increase effectiveness and output of group
- Increase awareness and understanding of national development activities
- Provide a forum for discussion about content topics
- Increase participation by member countries

Roles and Responsibilities

Chairs - Director of Content and Mapping, Senior Terminologist

Group members - country representatives put forward by MF representative

Responsibilities - content specific focus

- Gather input and feedback from national stakeholders
- Provide national input and feedback
- Provide updates on national content development activities
- Monitor and contribute to CMAG forums
- Task and finish sub group involvement
- Assist in identification of clinical experts - clinical resource database

Meetings

Currently four a year - plan to increase to six meetings a year

- Two face to face (April, October)
- Four virtual (Early February, June, Late August, Early December)

Communication via confluence site outside of meetings

Example of Agenda Topics

- Discussion on briefing notes
- National content development activities
 - Country updates - opportunity to share and identify common work areas
 - National requests for information from other countries e.g. terming, use of specific content
- Potential work areas
 - e.g. Allergy CRG presentation to determine country priority on an area of content change
- Extension authoring queries - looking to set up a forum
- Policies, procedures and processes
 - e.g. National content identified by a second country as useful, provision of international inactivation reports,

National Content Modeling Discussion Forum

- Plans to set up a forum for national extension authors to assist each other with modeling queries
- Located on the CMAG confluence site
- SNOMED International would support but Modeling Forum would be led by members of the group