

GS1 UK Healthcare User Group Meeting Notes 6th March 2018

Present

Andrew Crosbie	MHRA
James Mayne	Derby Teaching Hospitals
Jackie Pomroy	NHS South of England Procurement Services (Chair)
Vicky Green	Medtronic
Jane Hawkes	University Hospital of North Tees
Judie Finesilver	NHS
Jo Goulding	NHS Digital
Claire Clarke	GS1 UK (Facilitator)
David Weatherby	GS1 UK
Steve Graham	Department Of Health

Apologies

David Lawson	Guys & St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
Hugh Hamer	WMS Supplies

Agenda

1. Welcome and competition policy
 2. Apologies/ Nomination of Vice Chair
 3. Agree minutes and review actions
- Items to Review
4. UK Registries - Andy Crosbie
 5. Staff ID – Documentation attached for review / comment
 6. OPCS Coding – Documentation attached for review / comment
 7. Getting started with GS1 document – Jane Hawkes / GS1
 8. GS1 & NHS Digital standards
 9. Path lab samples, track and trace, using GS1 vs other current local or international standards.
- AOB

Minutes

Item 1 Welcome and competition policy

Jackie Pomroy drew the attention of the meeting to the GS1 Competition policy

Item 2 Apologies for absence/ Nomination of Vice Chair

Jackie Pomroy reported that apologies had been received as shown above.
Jo Goulding was nominated as Vice Chair of the HUG and was accepted.

Item 3 Minutes agreed and accepted

Item 4 UK Registries – Andy Crosbie

MHRA and the DHSC *Scan4Safety* team organised a half day meeting with UK implant registries on 13 December 2017. There were about 30 participants including:

- DHSC
- MHRA
- GS1 UK
- six *Scan4Safety* demonstrator sites
- National Joint Registry
- NICOR (cardiac registries)
- Breast and Cosmetic Implant Registry (BCIR)
- Mesh Registry Working Group
- Health Quality Improvement Partnership (HQIP).

The aim of the meeting was to discuss how real time device scanning could be used to improve registry data collection. There was general consensus that the use of GS1 unique identifiers for products, patients, clinical teams and location could be beneficial in improving the accuracy and efficiency of registry data gathering processes.

The *Scan4Safety* demonstrator sites have subsequently nominated Stuart MacMillan from Leeds to work with BCIR / NHS Digital and James Mayne from Derby to work with NJR. MHRA continues to seek better engagement with NICOR (which moved from UCL to Barts in mid-2017); the mesh registry has still not been established - though DHSC / NHSE are currently considering a way forward on this.

Item 5 Staff Identification

GS1 Staff Identification document is ready to publish and taken to the group for agreement. Concern from a member of the group regarding new CCIO at NHSE and NHSi is keen to address Staff ID and questioned whether document should be seen by CCIO.

ACTION- Staff ID document to be sent to Simon Eccles stating that if no response then document will be published on 19th March 2018

Item 6 OPCS / ICD10 Coding

GS1 UK have worked with NHS digital to create the cross reference table of OPCS to GTINs. The OPCS to GTIN reference table will be released via TRUD via NHS Digital.

ICD10

NHS Digital cautious to address ICD10 cross reference to GDTI as ICD10 coding system belongs to WHO.

ACTION – GS1 UK (DW) to write to WHO/ ICD10 to request a meeting to discuss usage of ICD10 with GDTI

Item 7 Getting started with GS1 in Trusts

Document has been delayed and will be ready to share by early May 2018

ACTION- teleconference to be put in to review document ahead of the next meeting

Item 8 GS1 UK & DSCB standards (Data Coordination Sub Board) Hosted by NHS Digital

GS1 UK are working on 4 standards with DCSB

2 Updates

- i. Infrastructure Standard – if using barcodes then GS1 should be utilised. Plan is to add in RFID
- ii. ISB1077- Updating to reflect current needs and ensure that standard appears current. Plan is to add in the SRIN to the ISB1077. The benefit of the SRIN is it provides positive patient Identification and removes the issue that stickers / another wristband could be scanned instead of the wristband on the patient.

2 New submissions

- i. EPCIS Standard- if healthcare capturing events then EPCIS should be utilised
- ii. Core Business Vocabulary – again if events are being captured then the language in the CBV should be utilised.

Item 9 Pathology Lab Samples

Discussion regarding whether any trust was tracking samples and how they were tracking these. It was discussed that there is the ISBT128 for blood and Genomics England were discussing utilisation of GS1 standards. Acknowledgement that there is a Memorandum of Understanding between the two.

ACTION – GS1 (DW) to send MoU to Jo Goulding

AOB

Healthcare Safety Investigation Branch (HSIB)

International workshop on global use and application of UDI

MHRA – FDA convergence

Please see attached document for details.

Request to have Scan 4 Safety meeting minutes by Judie Finesilver

Many thanks for your time in participating in the GS1 UK HUG