

REGION A HEALTH IT COMMUNITY COLLEGE CONSORTIUM – MEMBER COLLEGE MEETING**THURSDAY, Feb 17, 2011 2:00-3:15 pm PST****Conference Dial-In number: #559.546.1100****Participant Code: 862965#****NOTES**

Attended: Jim Aspevig; Dorine Bennett; Cindy Brown; Jeffrey Brunz; Helen Andries Clarke; Patricia Dombrowski; Jamie Husher; Abdolreza Maftoun; Mary McMahon; Margaret Murphy; Sue Shibley; Carol Smedley; Rita Spear; Anthony Valterra; Paul Wild, Michele Royer

	<i>Discussion</i>	<i>Action</i>
Operations Plan due noon PST, Wednesday, March 2nd <i>Jeffrey</i>	Due the week after HIMSS. Jeffrey sent new templates with 3 new tabs (v.5) that MCs can use for their SRs. Let Jeffrey know if there are any questions. Thanks for the consortium summaries. Jeffrey will share the summarized reports for Region A.	
Information on HIMSS conference	Go to the HIMSS conference site – my HIMSS conference calendar and see best of the best. Breakdown: Key note address Mon and Wed am. Views from the top 300 educational sessions- you can view the educational sessions online by track. It is a good way to decide which ones you would like to attend. See the career services pavilion, educational special interest meeting, and the REC townhall. The Region A calendar includes staffing schedule. MCs can bring marketing materials if you like, we will bring the USB drives and regional handouts. Our booth is 8279 on University Row. Region A meets at 11:30 on Monday at the Region A university row booth. Still no meeting room to announce but we will update you at the	MCs – Please send Helen your cell phone numbers and your hotel information.

	11:30 meeting at the booth. See the Carter Services Opportunities and ppt on Monster career development. There will be an optional Wednesday dinner – we are currently looking into venues- Margaret will send out info and details tomorrow. Jeffrey says there is an iphone app for HIMSS. Jeffrey reminds everyone to please take the shuttles vs. taxis. All conference hotels have free shuttles every 15 min. On Thursday airport transportation is free from the conference – they have baggage check at the conference. There will be free wireless so we can stay in contact through email and you can check your email throughout the day.	Margaret will send out info and details tomorrow on optional Wednesday dinner.
What else?	Please do not attend any vendor presentations for gift cards, etc. since we are there on federal funds. <i>Next Region A Meeting March 3. Thanks!</i>	