

PITUS 18 – 20 Working Groups Update
January 2019
Working Group 1 – Evaluation and Promotion Chair – Ken Sikaris
Meeting 7 – 08 January 2019 <ul style="list-style-type: none">* SPIA Audit/Survey Report draft in progress, due on 17 January 2019* Final list of 13 tests approved to support ADHA's Pathology Terminology Adoption Program (PTAP)
Meeting 8 – 22 January 2019 <ul style="list-style-type: none">* SPIA Audit/Survey Report v1.0 provided to the Department of Health on 17 January 2019* Final list of 13 tests (minimum one test per discipline) endorsed by RACGP on 16 January 2019* Further SPIA promotional opportunities with ADHA, MSIA & HL7 Australia discussed
Working Group 2 – Terminology Development Chair – Lawrie Bott
<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Nil wg2 meetings held in January
Working Group 3 – Systems Design and Compliance Chair – Michael Legg
<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Nil wg3 meetings held in January
Working Group 4 – SPRC Infostructure and Conformance Chair – David Ellis
Meeting 3 – 14 January 2019 <ul style="list-style-type: none">* Terminology for the electronic reporting of pathology tests to be developed for:<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Carcinoma of the ovary Fallopian tube and primary peritoneal site2. Endometrial cancer3. Cervical cancer4. Polypectomy and local resections of the colorectum (first SPRC to be developed)* Continue liaisons with University of Nebraska (UNMC) and International Collaboration on Cancer Reporting (ICCR) while developing all SPRC terminology
Working Group 5 – Report Standardisation Chair – Graham Jones
Meeting 2 – 08 January 2019 <p>Discussions continued:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">* Optimisation and standardisation of test headings and groupings required to assist GPs when searching for results* Issues re use of generic report names received via My Health Record (MyHR)* How to mark off requested order as being complete via HL7 message (Australian messaging standards)* Target goal – to enable results to get back into MyHR and GP desktops in a safe, reliable and searchable format