



Canada Safe Imaging Imagerie Sécuritaire Canada

ISRQSA Meeting

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Update on major goals

Major goals

- Straightforward
 - Increase visibility in the radiology community and beyond
- Doable with effort
 - Implement the 5 stars system in hospitals and healthcare institutions
- Aspirational
 - Create a Canadian Dose Registry

Increase visibility in the radiology community and beyond

- Achieved integration with the Canadian Association of Radiologists.
- Governance revisited with renewed commitment of participating organizations.
- Administrative support in place.
- Web site refreshed, available in English and French.
- Presence at meetings.
- CSI award reconducted for second year with support of the Canadian Radiological Foundation, and widely advertised.



Implement the 5 stars system in Canadian hospitals and healthcare institutions

- The Canadian Association of Radiologists in partnership with CAMRT and COMP, has identified the Canadian version of the 5 Stars as a useful tool to be included in the mandatory accreditation process to be implemented in Canada.
- First target is mammography, followed by CT.
- Process has been initiated and work will be done in conjunction with the CAR Accreditation Committee.

Aspirational... but not impossible

- Create a Canadian Dose Registry.
- A symposium on Dose Monitoring will take place September 23 to 25 in Sherbrooke, Quebec.
 - Discuss objectives and benefits of dose monitoring;
 - Review current status of dose monitoring;
 - Share international experiences;
 - Assess technical requirements and strategies to implement a dose registry in Canada.

