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From: Dianne Smith
Sent: Monday, March 20, 2006 2:19 PM
To: Heather Predham
Subject: RE: ATIPP Request

Heather,

I told Pat you called on Friday regarding your message below. She advised no, you don't need to clarify this with everyone. If you still need Pat to call you, please let me know.

Dianne

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From: Heather Predham
Sent: Friday, March 17, 2006 11:04 AM
To: Patricia Pilgrim
Subject: RE: ATIPP Request

Hi,

I didn't mean that it wouldn't be someone from here....I just need everyone to gather the info and someone here will coordinate the review and determine what needs to be exempted....which is usual...it just shouldn't be me

Call me.....do I need to clarify this with everyone?
Heather

-----Original Message-----

From: Patricia Pilgrim
Sent: Friday, March 17, 2006 11:01 AM
To: Heather Predham; Robert Williams; Susan Bonnell; Pam Elliott; Terry Gulliver; Donald Cook; Nebojsa Denic; Sharon Smith; George Tilley
Cc: Elizabeth Strange-Hollett; Debbie Parsons; Dianne Smith; Denise Dunn; Joyce Penney
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In my opinion, this has to stay with Quality for now. We cannot have individual programs and departments

taking the lead in responding to these requests. If it means we have to put an extra resource in quality until we get our permanent structure worked out, well that is what we have to do. Some "ONE" person has to coordinate this. My thoughts, for what they are worth.....Pat

From: Heather Predham

Sent: Thursday, March 16, 2006 8:08 AM

To: Robert Williams; Susan Bonnell; Pam Elliott; Patricia Pilgrim; Terry Gulliver; Donald Cook; Nebojsa Denic; Sharon Smith; George Tilley

Cc: Elizabeth Strange-Hollett; Debbie Parsons; Dianne Smith; Denise Dunn; Joyce Penney

Subject: FW: ATIPP Request

Hi,

I forgot to say that your search would include documents from May 1st 2005 to March 10, 2006....

Sharon, would you be able to pass this on to the oncologists in your area?

Heather

-----Original Message-----

From: Heather Predham

Sent: Wednesday, March 15, 2006 3:42 PM

To: Robert Williams; Susan Bonnell; Pam Elliott; Patricia Pilgrim; Terry Gulliver; Donald Cook; Nebojsa Denic; Sharon Smith; George Tilley

Cc: Elizabeth Strange-Hollett; Debbie Parsons; Dianne Smith; Denise Dunn; Joyce Penney

Subject: ATIPP Request

Hello everyone,

I just received the ATIPP request from Mark Quinn at CBC for "all reports, memos, letters, briefing notes and e-mails at the Eastern Regional Health Authority between May 1, 2005 and the present - - regarding hormone receptor tests for people with breast cancer."

A couple of things:

1) I can't handle this request. Pam and I have chatted about this already; since I've been so involved we certainly don't want any perception of bias in completing the request. I'm not sure who will coordinate the request, we will have to determine that tomorrow, but we will let you know.

2) The clock has started to tick...we have 30 calendar days to complete the request.....**that gives us until April 14 to have the request completed, including determining what can be excluded, speaking to legal counsel if need be and determining the cost.....** what I need for all of you to do is start gathering all information that you have re: ER/PR. Anyone else in your area involved in this issue would also have to be notified and start gathering information. This includes doing a search on your computers and e-mails using the keywords "ER/PR" or "estrogen" etc. If you are unsure how to do this search, let me know.

We have to gather all the information together to review it and see what information must be excluded from release. The two biggest issues will of course be the personal information and information pertaining to a quality review, and therefore protected under the Evidence Act.

The person coordinating this release of information will get us all together in the very near future.

If you have any questions, let me know

Heather