WG8 - IMIA Working Group Health Information Systems (HIS)

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Brief Background

- Promote systematic development and research in the field of health information systems;
- Promote research and efforts on efficiency and cost-effectiveness of health information systems for the healthcare, health delivery and access to health;
- Promote research and development in the domain of sustainability in health information systems;
- Promote evaluation, identify and assess problems and success factors of health information systems.
Achievement - Events and projects conducted and publications completed

Current activities focus on **clinical data reuse** (or secondary use).


Preparation of a white paper reporting about recent workshops (Göttingen in 2014, Medinfo 2015), a collaboration between multiple members active in the working group (mentioned below).

**Participation - Engagement and participation in IMIA and health informatics events and activities**


**Outreach - Recruitment and engagement of new members and target communities, publicity and representation at major events and/or on social media**

Preparation of publications based on collaborations between several working group members (white paper about recent workshops, mentioned above).

The LinkedIn page we created for WG members communication is still regularly used.

**Collaboration - Working with other IMIA WG/SIGs or external organizations or institutions**

Collaborations with the AMIA, as submissions of proposals for a panel and a workshop focused on clinical data reuse at the fall 2016 annual conference and 2017 TBI/CRI summit; both submissions were unfortunately not accepted.