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Dear Sir or Madam,

Cerner Corporation, a leading supplier of electronic health record, clinical and revenue cycle information systems appreciate the opportunity to submit comments on certain of the provisions of the current standards approved by the National Coordinator during this open comment period in the Standards Version Advancement Process. We offer comments on the individual standards/implementation specifications outlined below.

Cerner Corporation hopes these comments will be of value to ONC in considering possible update to any of the current standards/implementation specifications. We are happy to help clarify any of the comments should ONC wish to pursue any such conversations with us during the period of public comment review.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Travis', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

John Travis  
Vice President and Regulatory Strategy Executive  
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## **HL7 Implementation Guide for CDA® Release 2: IHE Health Story Consolidation, DSTU Release 1.1 (US Realm) Draft Standard for Trial Use July 2012**

§ 170.315(b)(1) - Transitions of care/§ 170.315(b)(2) - Clinical information reconciliation and incorporation

This standard expired on September 22, 2017. It was superseded by C-CDA Release 2.1 and was not extended again after its initial use for Meaningful Use Stage 3.

This standard was intended to support use of certified systems that had not yet been certified to the 2015 Edition for providers who had not yet transitioned to Meaningful Use Stage 3 during the time period when CMS allowed use of either 2014 Edition or 2015 Edition CEHRT to support Stage 2 or Stage 3 participation in Promoting Interoperability. If a system is certified as 2015 Edition CEHRT, they can support 2.1 and would no longer need to support the generation of 1.1. Those on 2.1 will still be able to receive and process 1.1 created documents leveraging the 2.1 version of the standard. As such, we do not have any comment towards a standard that may be advanced under this.