



# Standards Version Advancement Process (SVAP) Client Advance Notice 2025

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This is a Standards Version Advancement Process (SVAP) advance notification to Tenzing Medical, LLC partners for the Tenzing VistA Health IT, **no action is required**. This is information only in advance of Tenzing Medical releases supporting the ONC Certified Tenzing Vista.

The Standards Version Advancement Process (SVAP) permits health IT developers to voluntarily update health IT products certified under the ONC Health IT Certification Program to newer versions of adopted standards as part of the “Real World Testing” Condition and Maintenance of Certification requirement (§170.405).

Using SVAP, certified health IT developers are permitted to voluntarily use a newer approved version of a standard than is adopted in regulation. Currently, this flexibility is limited to standards that are adopted in the certification criteria required to meet the “Real World Testing” Condition of Certification, which include §170.315 (g)(7) through (g)(10),

Developers updating their already-certified Health IT Modules are required to provide advance notice to their clients and their ACB before adopting a newer approved version of a standard and the advance notice is required to be posted at a publicly accessible URL.

Health IT developers taking advantage of the SVAP flexibility must ensure that their Real World Testing plans and results of the certified health IT modules address these updated standards. Additionally, health IT developers updating their already certified



health IT modules are required to provide advance notice to their clients and ONC-ACB before adopting a newer approved version of a standard.

With the SVAP, Tenzing Medical will the following SVAP updates in support of Clinical exchange and interoperability for criteria

**§170.315: (g)(10)**

HL7® FHIR Bulk Data Access (Flat FHIR) (v2.0.0:STU 2)

As this new version of the standards is now an acceptable version for interoperability functionality, previous versions of the standards will no longer be supported. This New standard is expected to improve real-time data sharing with better interoperability, scalability and developer accessibility. Users will be able to access patient(s) records through a secure, trusted connection with greater efficiency.