

**American Telemedicine Association
Special Interests Groups
Goals and Priorities 2003-2004
Status Report 9/03**

Teledermatology SIG

C = Goal Completed

I = Goal In-progress

(Please provide information in bullet format.)

	Goals and Priorities	Due Date	Status (C, I)	Progress To Date	Future Plans	Person Responsible
1.	Develop the Teledermatology list serv.	July 2003	C	SIG members subscribed to list serv. List serv utilized for general and subcommittee business.	Continue to use list serv.	Anne Burdick, Hon Pak
2.	Review literature on validated tools for outcomes for teledermatology.	Dec 2003	I	Outcomes subcommittee meeting held in April 2003. Literature review completed.	Erin will complete summary and distribute to subcommittee for additional information.	Erin Warshaw
3.	Draft recommendations for E&M and CPT codes for store and forward teledermatology.	Dec 2003	I	Hon has resolved E&M coding (use 99241 series)	Will discuss CPT issues with Joe Kvedar re: capturing workload credit on referring end.	Hon Pak, Dan Siegel
4.	Do a review of the literature for teledermatology and summarize all pertinent findings in a tabular format for the ATA web site.	Dec 2003	C	John has completed. Needs to be posted on website and distributed via listserve	John has completed this review and has agreed to periodically update it.	John Whited
5.	Develop a method to collect teledermatology activities in the United States.	Dec 2003	I	Anne exploring addition of questions to AAD, ATSP, HERSA questionnaires. Anne has resident working on tabulating data	Erin surveyed the VA telemedicine email group in 7/03. Anne will discuss plans with Karen for ADAM meeting.	Anne Burdick, Karen Edison, Erin Warshaw
6.	Develop standards for	Dec	I	Hon is working on	Continue effort with members	Hon Pak

	technician training and photographs.	2003		developing the standards and guidelines.	of the standards subcommittee. Will post on page web.	
7.	Develop a method to have the ATA/3Gen Resident/Fellow award and presentation given during a concurrent session.	Sept 2003	I	Approved by ATA. Confirming participation of 3Gen. Announcement drafted for distribution.	Distribute announcement via list serv, web site, Professors of Dermatology.	Erin Warshaw
8.	Develop a liaison with AADA and the Internet Dermatological Society.	Mar 2004	I	ATA working with AADA for ATA booth at AADA meeting 2/04.	Considering other options such as joint reception with IDS, hospitality suite, etc	Erin Warshaw Hon Pak
9.	Participate in the review of abstracts for the 2004 ATA Annual Meeting.	May 2004	I	Submitted names for abstract reviewers to ATA.	Considering developing mini-symposium on specific topics and invite speakers to host.	Erin Warshaw