## Init3bes20 - Model Validation

## Pre Interview:

| Item | Information/Response |
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| Date: | $04 / 05 / 2009$ |
| Requirement \# unique id <SemCon Ops Initiative>. <br> <analysts initials><requirement number> <br> e.g. Init1dbw1 <br> (eventually linked to Use Cases) | Init3bes20 |
| Originator/Customer's Name: | Sal Mungal, Guide to Mentors |
| Originator/Customer's Company: | Duke University |
| Stakeholder Community: <br> Enter appropriate category of stakeholder from Primary <br> Stakeholders: | Software and Application designers and architects <br> Software and Application engineers and developers |
| - Software and Application designers and architects <br> - Software and Application engineers and developers <br> - Scientific and medical researchers <br> - Medical research protocol designers <br> - Clinical and scientific research data and metadata <br> managers |  |
| Clinicians <br> - Patients <br> - Medical research study participants <br> - Broader Stakeholders: caBIG® Community WS NIH <br> projects and related commercial COTS vendors <br> (caEHR, SDO's (HL7, CDISC); International <br> Collaborators (e.g NCRI, cancerGrid, China), <br> Government and regulatory bodies (FDA, CDC, <br> ONC) <br> (link to view SemConOps Stakeholders description). |  |
| Summary of requirement pre-interview, by Reviewer: |  |
| Recommended Next Step Enter one: Follow-up interview, <br> Observe, Use Case Template (text), Use Case Model <br> (formalized/UML diagram), Group Discussion, Prototype, <br> Waiting Room | The cyclic references in models is not a good practice and is preventing uploading of the XSD representations of the models to <br> caGrid XSD repository (GME). More information is available from attached presentation. A tool or model validation service that <br> enforces the model policies/best practices (e.g. entity naming rules, prevention of cyclic references, association directionalities <br> (naming etc.) for NCI-CBITT locale. This service can be utilized by model/knowledge repository loading tools, a tool like SIW and <br> even code generators. |

