

# **PACS Discussion**

## **Topic: System Architecture**

*Does the PACS you're considering offer the following?*

	<u>MedPACS</u>	<u>Vendor B</u>	<u>Vendor C</u>
1. Is the system completely scalable to grow as your needs grow?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Are increases in archive capacity included in the per study fee (i.e. no upgrade charges)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Is the archive all spinning media so images and reports are on-line (no waiting for near-line or off-line fetching)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Can the system be configured as an on-site ASP or installed in a central location serving a number of separate hospitals or imaging centers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Is a robust and secure operating system like Linux used in the archive?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Are disaster recovery capabilities included as standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>