NATIONAL QUALITY FORUM

Surgery Endorsement Maintenance 2010
Steering Committee
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AGENDA

3:00 pm  Welcome and Overview of Agenda
Arden Morris, MD, MPH, Co-Chair

3:05 pm  Continuation of Phase II Measures Follow-Up
• 0357: Abdominal aortic aneurysm volume (AAA) (IQI 4) (Saigal)
• 0359: Abdominal aortic artery (AAA) repair mortality rate (IQI 11) (risk adjusted) (Saigal)
• 0365: Pancreatic resection mortality rate (IQI 9) (risk adjusted) (Dutton)
• 0366: Pancreatic resection volume (IQI 2) (Dutton)

3:25 pm  Discussion of AAA Related and Competing Measures
• 0357: Abdominal aortic aneurysm volume (AAA) (IQI 4)
• 0359: Abdominal aortic artery (AAA) repair mortality rate (IQI 11) (risk adjusted)
• 0736: Survival predictor for abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA)
• 1523: In-hospital mortality following elective open repair of small AAAs
• 1534: In-hospital mortality following elective EVAR of small AAAs

3:55 pm  Harmonization of Prophylactic Antibiotic Measures
Prophylactic Antibiotics: Discontinued
• 0529: Prophylactic antibiotics discontinued within 24 hours after surgery end time (maintenance measure)
• 0128: Duration of antibiotic prophylaxis for cardiac surgery patients (maintenance measure)
• 0637: Discontinuation of prophylactic antibiotics (cardiac procedures) (endorsed measure)
• 0271: Discontinuation of prophylactic antibiotics (non-cardiac procedures) (endorsed measure)

Prophylactic Antibiotics: Selection
• 0528: Prophylactic antibiotic selection for surgical patients (maintenance measure)
• 0268: Selection of prophylactic antibiotics: First or second generation cephalosporin (endorsed measure)
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*Prophylactic Antibiotic: Timing/Received*
- **0527**: Prophylactic antibiotic received within 1 hour prior to surgical incision
- **0472**: Prophylactic antibiotic received within one hour prior to surgical incision or at the time of delivery-caesarean section (endorsed measure)
- **0269**: Timing of prophylactic antibiotics-administering physician (endorsed measure)
- **0270**: Timing of antibiotic prophylaxis-ordering physician (endorsed measure)

4:05 pm  **Review of Measure 1741: Consumer assessment of healthcare providers and systems (CAHPS) ® surgical care survey**

4:50 pm  **NQF Member/Public Comment**

4:55 pm  **Next Steps**  
*Alexis Forman, MPH, Senior Project Manager*

5:00 pm  **Adjourn**