



## National Quality Partners: Antibiotic Stewardship Kick-off Webinar

May 20, 2015 | Time: 10:00-11:30 am ET

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### Meeting Objectives:

- Create partnerships between diverse stakeholders on antibiotic stewardship
  - Provide a compelling business case for antibiotic stewardship
  - Implement promising practices, innovative solutions, and measurement strategies for antibiotic stewardship in healthcare settings
  - Contribute ideas on next steps for the National Quality Partners Antibiotic Stewardship efforts
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10:00 am

#### Welcome and Introductions

*Wendy Prins, MPH, MPT, Vice President, National Quality Partners*

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- Genesis of the National Quality Partners' Antibiotic Stewardship work

10:10 am

#### Highlights from the National Action Plan for Combating Antibiotic-Resistant Bacteria

*Christine K. Cassel, MD, President and CEO, National Quality Forum*

- Review specific goals and objectives related to antibiotic stewardship, including performance measurement, surveillance, and incentives for data reporting

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#### The Crisis of Antibiotic Resistance and the Need for Urgent Action

*Ed Septimus, MD, Medical Director, Infection Prevention and Epidemiology, HCA*

- The burning platform for antibiotic stewardship
- Improving clinical practice patterns to curb misuse and overuse of antibiotics

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#### Measures and Tools for Antibiotic Stewardship in Healthcare Delivery

*Arjun Srinivasan, MD, Associate Director for Healthcare Associated Infection Prevention Programs, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*

- Using existing measures more effectively and partnering on new measures of antibiotic use and resistance
- Setting standards for hospital policies and learning from best practices and innovative models

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**10:55 am      Consumer and Provider Perspectives**

*Daniel Wolfson, MHSA, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, ABIM Foundation and Project Director, Choosing Wisely Campaign*

- Targeting antibiotic overuse through the Choosing Wisely Campaign
- Resources for physicians and patients and “antibiotics hub”
- Specialty group commitments

**11:05 am      Open Discussion of Partner Exemplars**

**11:25 am      NQP’s Path Forward on Antibiotic Stewardship**

*Wendy Prins, MPH, MPT, Vice President, National Quality Partners*

- The need for a multistakeholder approach for partnership and action

**11:30 am      Adjourn**