



Scientific Methods Panel: Subgroup #1 Conference Call

October 9, 2018

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm ET

Participant Instructions

Follow the instructions below 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.

1. NQF staff and Scientific Methods Panel members dial **(833) 274-4477**; members of the public dial **(833) 542-2904**.
2. Provide the operator with the conference ID **6386284**.

Meeting Objectives

- Review the Scientific Acceptability of fall 2018 complex measures

2:00 pm

Welcome and Review of Meeting Objectives

Karen Johnson, Senior Director, NQF

2:05 pm

Review of Complex Measures – Fall 2018

Karen Johnson, Senior Director, NQF

Andrew Lyzenga, Senior Director, NQF

Ashlie Wilbon, Senior Director, NQF

Scientific Methods Panel Subgroup #1 Members

- **3450** Practice Environment Scale - Nursing Work Index (PES-NWI) (composite and five subscales) – *Patient Safety Fall 2018*
- **1716** National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-wide Inpatient Hospital-onset Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) Bacteremia Outcome Measure – *Patient Safety Fall 2018*
- **1717** National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-wide Inpatient Hospital-onset Clostridium difficile Infection (CDI) Outcome Measure – *Patient Safety Fall 2018*
- **0753** American College of Surgeons – Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (ACS-CDC) Harmonized Procedure Specific Surgical Site Infection (SSI) Outcome Measure – *Patient Safety Fall 2018*
- **2456** Medication Reconciliation: Number of Unintentional Medication Discrepancies per Patient – *Patient Safety Fall 2018*
- **0729** Optimal Diabetes Care – *Primary Care and Chronic Illness Fall 2018*
- **3474** Hospital-level, risk-standardized payment associated with a 90-day episode of care for elective primary total hip and/or total knee arthroplasty (THA/TKA) – *Cost and Efficiency Fall 2018*

3:50 pm

Next Steps

May Nacion, Project Manager, NQF

4:00 pm

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