



NQF Scientific Methods Panel Fall 2020 Measure Evaluation Meetings

October 28, 2020

11:00 am – 3:00 pm ET

October 29, 2020

11:00 am – 2:00 pm ET

Participant Instructions

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

**Please note different URL and Meeting IDs for days 1 and 2.*

1. Direct your web browser to the following URL:
 - Day 1: <https://zoom.us/j/92571107477>
 - Day 2: <https://zoom.us/j/92182102214>
2. Enter your first name and last name in the appropriate fields
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 - Day 1: **1-312-626-6799** Meeting ID: **925-7110-7477**
 - Day 2: **1-312-626-6799** Meeting ID: **921-8210-2214**

Meeting Objectives

- Reach consensus on select measures identified for discussion
- Discuss methodological issues presented during measure evaluation

Day 1: Wednesday, October 28, 2020

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| 11:00 am | Welcome, Introductions, and Disclosures of Interest
<i>Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert</i>
<i>Shantanu Agrawal, President and CEO</i>
<i>Sheri Winsper, Senior Vice President, Quality Measurement</i>
<i>David Nerenz, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair</i>
<i>Christie Teigland, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair</i> |
| 11:15 am | Meeting Overview
<i>Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert</i> |
| 11:20 am | Evaluation Updates
<i>Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spring 2020 Cycle Updates• Fall 2020 Cycle Overview |
| 11:35 am | Process Overview and Evaluation Reminders |

Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert

12:00 pm Break (15 mins)

12:15 pm Measure Evaluation

Subgroup 1

All-Cause Admissions and Readmissions Standing Committee

- 0505 Hospital 30-day all-cause risk-standardized readmission rate (RSRR) following acute myocardial infarction (AMI) hospitalization (Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services and Yale New Haven Health Services Corporation – Center for Outcomes Research and Evaluation (CORE))

Subgroup 2

Primary Care and Chronic Illness Standing Committee

- 3599 Pediatric Asthma Emergency Department Use (University of California San Francisco)

Subgroup 3

Patient Safety Standing Committee

- 0141 Patient Fall Rate (American Nurses Association)
- 0202 Falls with injury (American Nurses Association)

2:50 pm Opportunity for Public Comment

3:00 pm Adjourn

Day 2: Thursday, October 29, 2020

11:00 am Welcome and Review of Meeting Objectives

Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert

David Nerenz, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair

Christie Teigland, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair

11:10 am Discussion of Criteria and Evaluation Guidance

Sai Ma, Managing Director / Senior Technical Expert

David Nerenz, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair

Christie Teigland, Scientific Methods Panel Co-Chair

- Correlations used to claim validity
 - Example measures for reference: 3592
- Acceptable thresholds for reliability
 - Example measures for reference: 1891, 0505, 2515, 0230
- Comparison of reliability statistics
 - Example measures for reference: 1891, 0505, 2515, 0230

1:40 pm Opportunity for Public Comment

1:55 pm Next Steps

Hannah Ingber, Senior Analyst

2:00 pm Adjourn