



**Cancer Endorsement Maintenance
Steering Committee Meeting
March 13-14, 2012**

National Quality Forum
Executive Building
1030 15th Street, NW, Suite 900
Washington, DC 20005
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Please use the following information to access the conference call line:

Dial-in Number: 877-329-7568

Event Confirmation Code: 1999824

Event Title: Cancer Endorsement Maintenance Steering Committee Meeting

PUBLIC AGENDA

Day 1: March 13

8:00am **Continental Breakfast**

8:30am **Welcome**

Angela Franklin, JD, Senior Director

8:40am **Introductions and Disclosure of Interest**

Ann Hammersmith, JD

9:00am **Project Introduction and Overview of Evaluation Process**

Ms. Franklin

Lindsey Tighe, MS, Project Manager

9:15am **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Melanoma and Hematology)**

- 0561: Melanoma Coordination of Care (AMA-PCPI)
- 0650: Melanoma Continuity of Care – Recall System (AMA-PCPI)
- 0562: Overutilization of Imaging Studies in Melanoma (AMA-PCPI)
- 0377: Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS) and Acute Leukemias – Baseline Cytogenetic Testing Performed on Bone Marrow (AMA-PCPI)

11:15am **NQF Member and Public Comment**



- 11:30am **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Hematology continued)**
- 0378: Documentation of Iron Stores in Patients Receiving Erythropoietin Therapy (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0379: Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) – Baseline Flow Cytometry (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0380: Multiple Myeloma – Treatment with Bisphosphonates (AMA-PCPI)
- 12:30pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**
- 12:45pm **Lunch**
- 1:15pm **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Oncology)**
- 0381: Oncology: Treatment Summary Communication – Radiation Oncology (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0383: Oncology: Plan of Care for Pain – Medical Oncology and Radiation Oncology (paired with 0384) (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0384: Oncology: Pain Intensity Quantified – Medical Oncology and Radiation Oncology (paired with 0383) (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0386: Oncology; Cancer Stage Documented (AMA-PCPI)
- 3:30pm **Break**
- 3:45pm **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Oncology and Lung)**
- 1854: Barrett’s Esophagus (CAP)
 - 1790: Risk-Adjusted Morbidity and Mortality for Lung Resection for Lung Cancer (STS)
- 4:45pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**
- 5:00 pm **Adjourn**



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Day 2: March 14

8:00am **Continental Breakfast**

8:30am **Welcome, Recap of Day 1**

8:45am **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Palliative)**

- 0210: Proportion receiving chemotherapy in the last 14 days of life (ASCO)
- 0211: Proportion with more than one emergency room visit in the last days of life (ASCO)
- 0212: Proportion with more than one hospitalization in the last 30 days of life (ASCO)
- 0213: Proportion admitted to the ICU in the last 30 days of life (ASCO)

10:30am **Break**

10:45am **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Palliative continued)**

- 0214: Proportion dying from Cancer in an acute care setting (ASCO)
- 0215: Proportion not admitted to hospice (ASCO)
- 0216: Proportion admitted to hospice for less than 3 days (ASCO)
- 1822: External Beam Radiotherapy for Bone Metastases (ASTRO)

12:15pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**

12:30pm **Lunch**



- 1:00pm **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Prostate)**
- 0382: Oncology: Radiation Dose Limits to Normal Tissues (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0388: Prostate Cancer: Three Dimensional Radiotherapy (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0389: Prostate Cancer: Avoidance of Overuse Measure – Bone Scan for Staging Low-Risk Patients (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0390: Prostate Cancer: Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy for High-Risk Patients (AMA-PCPI)
 - 0625: History of Prostate Cancer – Cancer Surveillance (ActiveHealth Management)
 - 1853: Radical Prostatectomy Pathology Reporting (CAP)
- 3:00pm **Measure Gaps**
- 3:30pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**
- 3:45pm **Next Steps/Project Timeline**
Ms. Franklin
Ms. Tighe
- 4:00pm **Adjourn**