



Public Webinar: Addressing Performance Measure Gaps in Home and Community-Based Services to Support Community Living

December 5, 2014

12:00 pm – 2:00 pm ET

Participant Instructions:

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Webinar Objectives:

- Build a shared understanding of the project objectives, activities, and committee nominations process
- Solicit early input on the project’s research approach and resources to explore
- Engage a broad public audience in the development of an operational HCBS definition and conceptual measurement framework

12:00 pm **Welcome and Review of Meeting Objectives**

Jamie Kendall, Director, Office of Policy Analysis and Development, Administration for Community Living

Wendy Prins, Vice President, National Quality Partners, NQF

12:15 pm **Project Overview**

Juliet Feldman, Project Manager, NQF

- HCBS project objectives and planned activities
- Committee nominations process
- Opportunities for others outside the committee to participate

12:40 pm **Q&A Session with All Participants**

12:55 pm Approach to Research Activities

Sarah Lash, Senior Director, NQF

- Planned approach for the synthesis of evidence
- Planned approach for the environmental scan of measures and measure concepts
- Early feedback on research activities
- Opportunity for comments from and discussion among project advisors

1:20 pm Q&A Session with All Participants

1:35 pm Developing HCBS Definition and Conceptual Framework

Sarah Lash, NQF

1:45 pm Call to Action and Next Steps

Juliet Feldman, NQF

- From public participants NQF is seeking:
 - Sources to consult for synthesis of evidence or environmental scan
 - Existing HCBS measurement frameworks
 - Measures and measure concepts related to HCBS
- Next steps for committee nominations and project milestones

1:50 pm Final Q&A Session with All Participants

2:00 pm Adjourn