



### Neurology Portfolio Standing Committee, Fall 2019

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NQF is currently seeking to fill gaps for the Neurology project in the following areas: patient and caregiver representatives. Please contact the project team at [neurology@qualityforum.org](mailto:neurology@qualityforum.org) to submit a nomination. Thank you for your interest

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