NEUROLOGY
Steering Committee Meeting
June 20-21, 2012

National Quality Forum
Executive Building
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Washington, DC 20005
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PUBLIC AGENDA

DAY ONE DIAL-IN INFORMATION

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Day 1: June 20, 2012

9:30 am    Welcome
            David Knowlton, MA, Co-chair
            David Tirschwell, MD, Co-chair
            Karen Johnson, MS, Senior Director

9:40 am    Introductions and Disclosure of Interest
            Ann Hammersmith, JD

10:00 am   Project Introduction and Overview of Evaluation Process
            Karen Johnson, MS, Senior Director
            Suzanne Theberge, MPH, Project Manager

10:15 am   Consideration of Candidate Measures
0437: STK 04: Thrombolytic Therapy (The Joint Commission) [TJC]
0242: Tissue Plasminogen Activator (t-PA) Considered (AMA-PCPI)
2022: Tissue Plasminogen Activator (t-PA) Initiated (AMA-PCPI)

11:00 am  **Break**

11:10 am  **Consideration of Candidate Measures**
- 1952: Time to Intravenous Thrombolytic Therapy (American Heart Association/American Stroke Association) [AHA/ASA]
- 0438: STK 05: Antithrombotic Therapy By End of Hospital Day Two (TJC)
- 0435: STK 02: Discharged on Antithrombotic Therapy (TJC)
- 0325: Discharged on Antithrombotic Therapy (AMA-PCPI)
- 0439: STK-06: Discharged on Statin Medication   (TJC)

12:30 pm  **NQF Member and Public Comment**

12:45 pm  **Lunch**

1:15 pm  **Consideration of Candidate Measures (Continued)**
- 2017: Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Computed Tomography (CT) or Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Reports (AMA-PCPI)
- 0434: STK-01: Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis (TJC)
- 0240: Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) Prophylaxis for Ischemic Stroke or Intracranial Hemorrhage (AMA-PCPI)
- 0436: STK-03: Anticoagulation Therapy for Atrial Fibrillation/Flutter (TJC)
- 0241: Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Anticoagulant Therapy Prescribed for Atrial Fibrillation at Discharge (AMA-PCPI)
- 0243: Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Screening for Dysphagia (AMA-PCPI)
- 0440: STK-08: Stroke Education   (TJC)
- 1955: NIH Stroke Scale Reported (AHA/ASA)
- 0244: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services (AMA-PCPI)
- 0441: STK-10: Assessed for Rehabilitation   (TJC)
3:30 pm  
***Break***

3:45 pm  
**Consideration of Candidate Measures (Continued)**
- Related and Competing Measures

5:45 pm  
**NQF Member and Public Comment**

6:00 pm  
**Adjourn**

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**Day 2: June 21, 2012**

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8:00 am  
**Welcome, Recap of Day 1**

*Mr. Knowlton*

*Dr. Tirschwell*

8:10 am  
**Consideration of Candidate Measures (Continued)**
- 0467: Acute Stroke Mortality Rate (IQI 17) (Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality)
- 2026: Hospital 30-day, all-cause, risk-standardized mortality rate (RSMR) following an acute ischemic stroke hospitalization (CMS/Yale New Haven Health Services Corporation/Center for Outcomes Research and Evaluation)
- 2027: Hospital 30-day, all-cause, risk-standardized readmission rate (RSRR) following an acute ischemic stroke hospitalization (CMS/Yale)
• 0442: Functional Communication Measure: Writing (American Speech-Language-Hearing Association) [ASHA]
• 0443: Functional Communication Measure: Swallowing (ASHA)
• 0444: Functional Communication Measure: Spoken Language Expression (ASHA)
• 0445: Functional Communication Measure: Spoken Language Comprehension (ASHA)

10:15 am  Break

10:30 am  Consideration of Candidate Measures (Continued)
• 0446: Functional Communication Measure: Reading (ASHA)
• 0447: Functional Communication Measure: Motor Speech (ASHA)
• 0448: Functional Communication Measure: Memory (ASHA)
• 0449: Functional Communication Measure: Attention (ASHA)

11:45 am  NQF Member and Public Comment

12:00 pm  Lunch

12:30 pm  Additional Discussion Topics
• Related and Competing Measures
• Measure Harmonization
• Measure Gaps

3:00 pm  NQF Member and Public Comment

3:15 pm  Next Steps and Committee Timeline
  Ms. Johnson
  Ms. Theberge

3:30 pm  Adjourn