



**Regionalized Emergency Medical Care Services (REMCS)
Expert Panel Meeting
October 17, 2012**

National Quality Forum
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8:00am	Continental Breakfast
8:30am	Welcome <i>Stephen Pitts, MD (co-chair)</i> <i>Suzanne Stone-Griffith, RN, MSN, CNAA (co-chair)</i> <i>Angela Franklin, JD, Senior Director</i> <i>Adeela Khan, MPH, Project Analyst</i> <i>Jesse Pines, MD, Consultant</i>
9:00am	Introductions and Disclosure of Interest <i>Ann Hammersmith, JD, NQF General Counsel</i>

- 9:15am **Project Introduction**
Angela Franklin
Jesse Pines
- 9:30am **Overview of Proposed Paper and Framing Questions**
- 9:45 am **Emergency Preparedness: Discussion of Concepts / Measures**
- Measurement Issues
 - Reconciling Daily Crowding and Disaster Surge
 - Current Measures
 - Conceptual Models
- 12:00 pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**
- 12:15 pm **Lunch**
- 12:45pm **Crowding and Boarding: Discussion of Concepts / Measures**
- Looking at Current Measures
 - Conceptual Framework and Definitions
 - Measurement Issues
- 2:45 pm **Accountability and Regionalization**
- 3:45pm **Break**
- 4:00pm **Pathway from REMCS Concepts to REMCS-based NQF-Endorsed Performance Measures**
- Discussion of Existing Concepts and NQF Criteria
- 5:15pm **NQF Member and Public Comment**
- 5:30 pm **Adjourn**