

# NATIONAL QUALITY FORUM

**Surgery Endorsement Maintenance 2010  
Steering Committee-Workgroup B Conference Call  
April 28, 2011  
4:00pm**

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## AGENDA

- 4:00 pm      **Welcome and Overview of Meeting Goals**  
*Melinda Murphy, RN, MS, Senior Director*  
*Alexis Forman, MPH, Project Manager*
- 4:05 pm      **Role of Discussion Leader at Steering Committee Meeting**  
*Ms. Murphy*  
*Ms. Forman*
- 4:10 pm      **Discuss Preliminary Ratings of Assigned Measures**  
*Group Members*
- **0357:** Abdominal aortic aneurysm volume (AAA) (IQI 4)
  - **0359:** Abdominal aortic artery (AAA) repair mortality rate (IQI 11) (risk adjusted)
  - **1523:** In-hospital mortality following elective open repair of small AAAs
  - **1534:** In-hospital mortality following elective EVAR of small AAAs
  - **1548:** Surveillance after endovascular abdominal aortic aneurysm repair (EVAR)
  - **1540:** Postoperative stroke or death in asymptomatic patients undergoing carotid endarterectomy
  - **1543:** Postoperative stroke or death in asymptomatic patients undergoing carotid artery stenting (CAS)
  - **1531:** Follow-up assessment of stroke or death after carotid revascularization
- 5:50 pm      **NQF Member/Public Comment**
- 5:55 pm      **Next Steps**  
*Ms. Forman*
- 6:00 pm      **Adjourn**