The Joint Commission Recognizes Organizations for Contributing to 2023 Performance Measure Initiatives and Projects

In 2023 many accredited health care organizations assisted The Joint Commission in further strengthening performance measurement and quality improvement. This article shares information on these activities and thanks these organizations for their support and participation.

**Joint Commission Accelerate PI™ (Performance Improvement) Webinar Series**

The Joint Commission webinar series provides an opportunity for organizations to learn about important aspects of performance improvement. The tools, resources, and examples are intended to assist organizations with quality improvement initiatives that lead to consistent, high-quality patient care. The first webinar focused on stratification of key patient safety and quality measures to examine health care disparities and assist organizations on the journey to health care equity, regardless of where they are on the path. The second webinar shared resources and real-life examples of identifying and engaging physician leaders in quality improvement efforts.

**2023 Accelerate PI Webinar Contributors**

- **Using Data to Identify Disparities Across Patient Groups**
  - Missouri Hospital Association – Jefferson City, Missouri
  - University Health – Kansas City, Missouri

- **Physicians Engagement in Quality Improvement**
  - Wisconsin Hospital Association – Fitchburg, Wisconsin

Additional information (for example, recordings, presentation slides) about Accelerate PI and other quality measurement webinars/video webinars can be found on The Joint Commission’s Quality Measurement Webinars & Videos page.

**Joint Commission Patient Safety and Hospital Harm eCQMs Pilot Testing in Collaboration with the AIR**

The Joint Commission, in collaboration with the American Institutes for Research (AIR), engaged organizations to pilot test patient safety and hospital harm electronic clinical quality measures (eCQMs). These organizations assisted in developing important measure-related initiatives, including data collection, feasibility, reliability, and/or validity measure testing. The Joint Commission thanks these organizations for their valuable participation.
2023 Patient Safety and Hospital Harm eCQMs Pilot Testing Contributors
- Northwell Health – New Hyde Park, New York
- Loma Linda University Health – Loma Linda, California
- Hackensack Meridian Mountainside Medical Center – Montclair, New Jersey
- Maria Parham Health – Henderson, North Carolina
- Hospital Menonita Guayama – Guayama, Puerto Rico
- East Alabama Medical Center – Opelika, Alabama

Joint Commission Early Access of CY 2023 DDSP eCQM Module and Chart-Abstracted Measure (CAM) Module
The Joint Commission recognizes the following organizations, which participated in the early access and testing of the calendar year (CY) 2023 Direct Data Submission Platform (DDSP) prior to its launch. These organizations provided valuable feedback, which assisted with the successful launch of DDSP updates.

2023 Early Access and Testing of DDSP eCQM and CAM Module Contributors
- Northwest Community Hospital – Arlington Heights, Illinois
- University of Alabama at Birmingham – Birmingham, Alabama
- North Alabama Medical Center – Florence, Alabama
- RCHP Florence, LLC – Muscle Shoals, Alabama
- RHN Scott Memorial Health – Scottsburg, Indiana
- Spring View Hospital – Lebanon, Kentucky
- DLP Person Memorial Hospital, LLC – Roxboro, North Carolina
- DLP Rutherford Regional Health System, LLC – Rutherfordton, North Carolina
- DLP Wilson Medical Center, LLC – Wilson, North Carolina
- Southern Tennessee Medical Center, LLC – Winchester, Tennessee
- Essent PRMC, LP – Paris, Texas
- Danville Regional Medical Center, LLC – Danville, Virginia
- Clinch Valley Medical Center – Richards, Virginia
- Fauquier Medical Center, LLC – Warrenton, Virginia
- Wythe County Community Hospital, LLC – Wytheville, Virginia
- RCCCH Trios Health, LLC – Kennewick, Washington
- Newark Beth Israel Medical Center – Newark, New Jersey
- Cookeville Regional Medical Center – Cookeville, Tennessee
- Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center – Los Angeles, California
- Henry County Medical Center – Paris, Tennessee
- Willamette Valley Medical Center – McMinnville, Oregon
- Pinelake Regional Hospital – Mayfield, Kentucky
- Westpark Springs, LLC – Richmond, Texas
- Raleigh General Hospital, LLC – Beckley, West Virginia
- Kempsville Center for Behavioral Health – Norfolk, Virginia
- UHS of Wyoming, Inc. – Casper, Wyoming
- River Park Hospital – Huntington, West Virginia

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