

NEMSQA-Quality Measures Committee Conference Call

Date: Tuesday, December 18, 2019

Time: 3:00 PM CST

AGENDA

1. Committee Structure
2. Leadership selection.
3. Ground rules for the committee.
4. Process for reviewing EMS Compass Measures
5. Process for identifying new measures
6. Process for guiding the prioritization of measures and output of the MDC?
7. EBG Naloxone group to develop/operationalize measures as a way to get a quick win, nail down the development process as we ramp up the other aspects of our work
8. Harmonizing with our health system partners
9. Measuring success. Identify goals for the first 9 months of 2019. Tracking of our work.
10. How do we keep the public/Stakeholders informed?

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In Attendance:

MEASUREMENT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES: Michael Redlener MD, FAEMS (National Association of EMS Physicians), Theresa Morrison-Quinata (Emergency Medical Services for Children), Sean Andrews (Health and Human Services Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response), Paul Brennan (International Association of EMS Chiefs), Peter Fischer MD, FACS, Jonathon Washko (Northwell Health), Kathleen Brown, MD (Children's National Health System), Diane Pilkey (Emergency Medical Services for Children), Brooke Burton (National EMS Management Association), Lori Hollowell (American Heart Association), Sara O'Donnell (Emergency Medical Services for Children), Meagan Hollern (National Registry of EMT's)

NHTSA STAFF: Dr. Jon Kromer, David Bryson

ACEP STAFF: Pat Elmes, Mari Houlihan, Rick Murray

1. Dr. Redlener opened the meeting and Mr. Elmes took the role.
2. Discussed the National Quality Forum
 - a. Algorithm
 - b. Timeline
3. Strawman Chart offered by Mr. Washko. (attached)
 - a. See amended version after discussion. (attached)
 - b. Group discussed Submission Prioritization and Submission Process
4. Group suggested better conference call platform for next meeting. E.g. "Zoom"
5. Discussion of QM Committee Workgroups by Mid-January
6. Meeting dates for next face to face were discussed. Options include EMS Today at the end of Feb. (not favorable) and Eagles (March 1 and 2) at ACEP HQ (favorable)
 - a. Day after EAGLES best for NAEMT.