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HQIC Cohort - CAUTI and CLABSI Spring 2022



Register Here:

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*****CORRECTED REGISTRATION LINK*****

Thursday, June 2, 2022 1-2 p.m. ET | 12-1 p.m. CT | 10-11 a.m. PT CLICK <u>HERE</u> TO REGISTER FOR THE KICK-OFF CALL!

Event Description:

Your hospital has been selected to participate in a six-month patient safety cohort to improve **catheter-associated urinary tract infections (CAUTI)** and/or **central line-associated bloodstream infections (CLABSI)** and associated performance metrics. Alliant HQIC will hold kick-off calls in May and June to provide an overview, timeline and describe action periods for the cohorts. After the call, your quality improvement advisor and subject matter experts will provide 1:1 coaching and education for your hospital teams. At the conclusion of the cohort, hospitals will share accomplishments and success stories with each other. Hospitals are encouraged to participate in two, possibly three patient safety cohorts over the next six months. **Note:** CAUTI and CLABSI will be separate cohorts, but will have one kick-off call.

Kick-Off Call Objectives:

- 1. Provide an overview of the patient safety cohorts, timeline and team expectations
- 2. Discuss the importance of baseline data and target goals for each cohort
- 3. Share quality improvement tools and resources to be used in 1:1 coaching during action periods

About Hospital Quality Improvement Contractors (HQIC):

The HQIC is a four-year program dedicated to improving behavioral health outcomes with a focus on decreased opioid misuse, patient safety with emphasis on reduction of harm, and care transitions with a focus on high utilizers. HQIC supports rural, critical access hospitals and hospitals that are low performing and serving vulnerable populations.



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