



Fireside Chat
Answering Your National Pediatric
Readiness Quality Initiative (NPRQI)
Questions
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Objectives

After participating in this session, attendees will be able to:

- Describe three elements of the NPRQI Participant Organization Agreement
- Identify three benefits of the Patient Safety Quality Improvement Act
- Describe the role of the PSQIA in my organization's work with NPRQI





Speakers



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NPRQI Background

The National Pediatric Readiness Quality Initiative was created to drive national quality improvement efforts for pediatric emergency care delivery. NPRQI provides standardized quality measures so EDs can measure, reflect and improve on their pediatric clinical care processes.



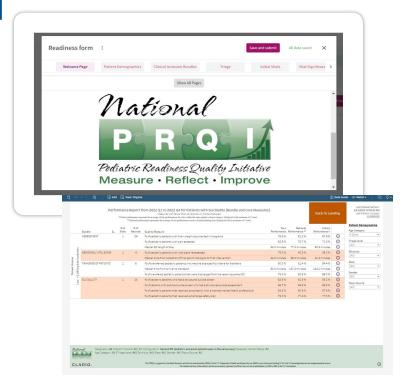






NPRQI Background

- NPRQI is the data portal that will be used for the Pediatric Readiness Quality Improvement Collaborative (PRQC)
- Once PRQC ends, sites can continue using the data portal to measure, reflect, and improve their pediatric emergency care







PSO/PSQIA Background

- The Center for Patient Safety (CPS) works with hundreds of healthcare organizations throughout the care continuum including hospitals, nursing homes, medical offices, emergency medical services (air and ground), pharmacies, behavioral health centers, home care and hospice, ambulatory surgery centers, and many national and state associations.
- NPRQI's leaders have contracted with CPS to assure that the project's work is confidential and privileged under the Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act (PSQIA).







PSO/PSQIA Background

- Participants in the project will only notice the PSO involvement in minor ways. The Participant Organization Agreement signed by each ED will acknowledge that they are entering into an agreement with CPS to provide PSO services in the context of the project.
- NPRQI's engagement with CPS will have no effect on the participants' relationships with other PSOs. It only involves the specific work that takes place within this project.



Participant Organization Agreement National Pediatric Readiness Quality Initiative

I. Background:

- A. [JPO) has agreed to participate in the National Pediatric Readiness Quality Initiative (NPRQI), an initiative conducted under the University (hereafter referenced as NPRQI Program). The NPRQI program provides a platform for acute care hospital emergency departments to engage in quality improvement efforts based on evidence-based, standardized quality metrics that reflect optimal delivery of pediatric emergency care for children
- B. NPRQI is the implementation arm of the National Pediatric Readiness Project. The goal of NPRQI is to support emergency departments (EDs) to ensure high quality emergency care for children in their communities.
- C. NPRQI Program has contracted with the Center for Patient Safety (CPS), a federally-listed Patient Safety Organization (PSO), and is conducting this project under the umbrella of the PSO. The information submitted to the project and the identifiable work product it generates, as well as the deliberations that take place, are protected by federal privilege and confidentiality under the Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act (PSQIA). See NPRQI Welcome Packet for overview: www.nprqi.org.
- D. The NPRQI Program is a Quality Improvement effort organized and operated under the Dell Medical School at The University of Texas at Austin (University). University is a public research university of the State of Texas.
- E. NPRQI Program will receive certain confidential data that may be classified as Protected Health Information (PHI) that is protected under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and the HIPAA Regulations, Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH Act) and state law, including the Medical Records Privacy Act (MRPA), and is permitted to manage such information only in accordance with HIPAA and the HIPAA Regulations, HITECH Act, and MRPA. The Parties agree that this data is being transmitted for quality improvement efforts in support of the Pa



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PSQIA Q&A

- What is a PSO?
- What is the relationship of NPRQI and The Center for Patient Safety?
- What are patient safety activities?
- What are benefits to health care providers who work with a PSO?
- What is considered PSWP?
- What are privacy and confidentiality protections for PSWP?
- Do participants have to do anything special to maintain the confidentiality of PSWP?





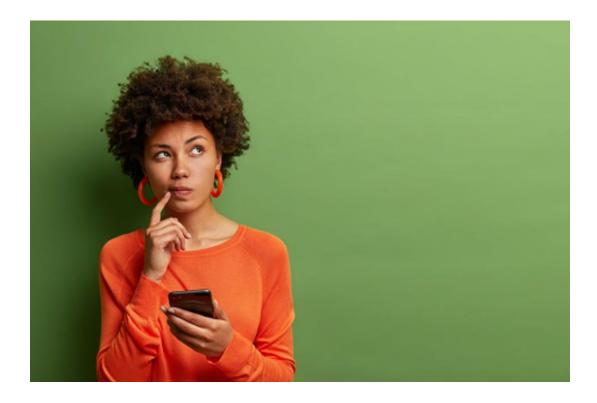
POA Q&A

- What is included in the Participant Organization Agreement?
- Who is the appropriate person to sign the POA at my site?
- Can participant organization agreements be modified?
- Can my hospital network or system view my site's data?
- If my organization is part of a larger network, does a separate POA need to be signed by each site?
- Will my organization's performance be shared with other participating organizations?





Q&A Session







Complete Registration for the Data Platform

- Share demographics
- Provide data platform users
- Include name, email, phone # of POA signatory
- Upload signed POA to data portal registration



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