

An Overview of the 2011 National Patient Safety Goals

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In 2002, The Joint Commission established its National Patient Safety Goals (NPSGs) program and the first set of NPSGs was effective January 1, 2003. The NPSGs were established to help accredited organizations address specific areas of concern in regards to patient safety.

The development and annual updating of the NPSGs is overseen by an expert panel of widely recognized patient safety experts, as well as nurses, physicians, pharmacists, risk managers, and other professionals who have hands-on experience in addressing patient safety issues in a wide variety of health care settings.

This 60 minute program will provide an overview to the 2011 NPSGs. Discussion will focus on patient safety principles, developing measures for NPSGs, data collection and analysis, the challenges, strategies, tips and good practices for improving systems related to the challenging national patient safety goals. The program includes discussion, case studies on good practice examples and the opportunity for participants to identify strategies that you can implement within your organizations immediately.

Target Audience

This activity is relevant to the entire hospital and medical staff, particularly organization leaders, managers, and supervisors, and staff responsible for performance improvement, patient safety, and risk management initiatives.

Objectives

After completing this activity, the participant should be able to:

1. Describe the need for the new National Patient Safety Goals and Requirements.
2. Explain the 2011 National Patient Safety Goals and Requirements that are appropriate to the services their organization provides.
3. Identify compliance strategies for the newest, most challenging National Patient Safety Goals and Requirements.

Presenters:

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