

April 21: Two-part Webinar on Quality Indicators use of Present on Admission (POA) Data

The AHRQ Quality Indicators team is providing a two-part webinar series to review the use of Present on Admission (POA) data. The first part of this webinar series will provide an overview of the POA data element, including the issues, value, and the methodological approach. We will also provide two examples of POA model steps – for the Patient Safety Indicator (PSI) and the Inpatient Quality Indicator (IQI). The second part of this webinar series will provide a technical overview of the POA methodology that will include the statistical approach used to incorporate POA data into the software.

Part 1 will be offered on May 12, 2010, 2:00-3:30 EST and Part 2 will be offered on May 14, 2010, 2:00-3:30 EST. To avoid going over the number of allotted dial-in ports, we request that you group in conference rooms when possible. Please note that the session will be recorded and posted to the AHRQ QI site (<http://www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov/>) in case you are unable to attend or do not have access to the Webex service.

Access Information:

May 12, 2010, 2:00-3:30pm EST:

Toll Free Number: 1-877-601-3553; passcode: AHRQ POA

Participants can join the event directly at:

<https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join.php?i=PW7495710&p=AHRQ%20POA&t=c>

May 14, 2010, 2:00-3:30pm EST

Toll Free Number: 1-877-939-8827; passcode: AHRQ POA

Participants can join the event directly at:

<https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join.php?i=PW7495738&p=AHRQ%20POA&t=c>

If you have not accessed this Webex service in the past, it is advisable to do so at least 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the session to avoid missing part of it, as it can take a few minutes to set this up the first time.