

Anesthesiology Performance Improvement and Reporting Exchange (ASPIRE)

Quality Committee Meeting Notes – Monday, August 28, 2017

Attendees: P=Present; A=Absent; X=Expected Absence

P	Abdallah, Arbi 'Ben' (Wash U)	P	Kennedy, Jori (Sparrow)
P	Agarwala, Aalok (Mass Gen)	P	Lagasse, Robert (Yale)
P	Angel, Alan (Bronson Battle Creek)	P	Lacca, Tory (Michigan)
P	Aziz, Michael (OHSU)	P	Ladd, Chris (Michigan)
P	Biggs, Daniel (Oklahoma)	P	Lins, Steve (Bronson Battle Creek)
P	Becker, Aimee (U of Wisconsin)	P	Louzon, Kathryn (Beaumont Royal Oak/Troy)
P	Laura Bonello (Beaumont)	P	McKinney, Mary (Beaumont Dearbor/Taylor)
P	Bornhoft, Katie (Michigan)	P	Nachamie, Anna (Weill Cornell)
P	Brightman, Deena (Henry Ford)	P	Nanamori, Masakatsu (Henry Ford Detroit)
P	Carlington, Jen (St. Mary)	P	Pardo, Nichole (Beaumont Grosse Pointe)
P	Coons, Denise (Bronson Battle Creek/Kalamazoo)	P	Peterson, William (Sparrow)
P	Crawford, Joan (Mercy Muskegon)	P	Poindexter, Amy (Holland)
P	Domino, Karen (U of Washington)	P	Pywell, Carol
P	Fleisher, Lee (Pennsylvania)	P	Quinn, Cheryl (St. Joes Oakland)
P	Heiter, Jerri (St. Joseph)	P	Saager, Leif (Michigan)
P	Jameson, Leslie (Colorado)	P	Saha, Amit (Wake Forest)
P	Hightower, William (Henry Ford)	P	Shah, Nirav (Michigan)
P	Hitti, Nicole (Weill-Cornell)	P	Silvasi, Daniel (Beaumont Troy)
P	Housey, Shelley (Michigan)	P	Smith, Susan (Beaumont)
P	Brandy Horton (A4)	P	Tollinche, Luis (Memorial Sloan Kettering)
P	Kadry, Bassam (Stanford)	P	Tyler, Pam (Beaumont Farmington Hills)
P	Kaye, Toni (ASA AQL)	P	Rensch, Robert (Bronson Kalamazoo)

Agenda & Notes

1. Minutes from July 24, 2017 meeting approved- posted on the website for review. Recording available as well.
2. Upcoming Events
 - a. ASA/MPOG Retreat will be in Boston in October 20, 2017. Agenda finalized and has been posted on the website.
 - b. Meetings for your calendar
 - i. 4/20/2018: Collaborative Meeting with MSQC at Schoolcraft College, VistaTech Center
 - ii. 7/20/2018: Aspire Collaborative Meeting at Lansing Community College
 - iii. 10/12/2018: MPOG/ASPIRE Retreat at the American Society of Anesthesiologists Meeting in San Francisco
3. Announcements & ASPIRE Updates
 - a. MOCA Part IV and ASPIRE
 - i. Currently building Registration tool
 - ii. Adjustments to email and ASPIRE Dashboard will be made before rolling out service
 - b. QCDR Update
 - i. Group reporting practices:
 1. Complete consent and Improvement Attestation form and submit by November 17, 2017

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- ii. Individual reporting practices:
 - 1. Continue to complete consents
 - 2. Individual Improvement Activity attestation forms to be distributed in September
 - iii. QCDR Agreements: Submit by November 1, 2017
 - iv. Mid-Year performance summaries in progress: Distribute in September
 - v. Continue to update Provider contacts
 - c. MPOG Import Manager
 - i. Change in process to extract data
 - ii. Simplifies extract for sites
 - iii. More “work” for coordinating center, but also allows for easier troubleshooting, which ultimately will result in LESS work for your IT teams
 - iv. All new data types (PACU, etc.) will be using MPOG Import Manager
 - v. All new sites will be utilizing MPOG Import Manager
 - vi. Will be working with existing sites to convert
 - vii. Will be reaching out to existing sites to start a plan
 - d. Provider Feedback Email Schedule
 - i. Submitted cases didn’t finish measure processing before Dashboard was generated
 - ii. Measure processing is taking longer than before
 - iii. Dashboards take longer to generate than before – growing pains of measure conversions
 - iv. No great diagnostic about why measure performance is not accurate on dashboard
 - e. Dashboard conversion is complete
 - i. Case counts, passed, failed, excluded cases, and trend line included
 - ii. Expect changes to Dashboard view based on your feedback
- 4. 2018 ASPIRE Updates
 - a. Will be able to expand by approx. 4 sites for 2018
 - i. New sites intake meetings underway
 - ii. New sites announced September 2017
 - iii. Still planning on application server funding request
 - b. Measure Updates – Peds
 - i. Tran 01
 - 1. Exclude pediatric cases (<12 years old) where either transfused PRBC or EBL was greater than 30 cc/kg
 - 2. Require a pre-transfusion hgb/hct before the first unit and only require a recheck after 15 cc/kg of PRBCs have been administered
 - ii. Tran 02
 - 1. Exclude pediatric cases (<12 years old) where either transfused PRBC or EBL was greater than 30 cc/kg
 - 2. Add exclusion for congenital heart disease patients: Exclude patients less than 12 years old undergoing a cardiac procedure (CPT: 00560, 00561, 00562, 00563, 00567, 00580)

- c. Measure Update TOC
 - i. Audit tool in development – piloting at UMHS for ongoing sites
- d. Measure decisions
 - i. Cards
 - 1. Will build measure for troponin increase greater than 0.6
 - 2. In addition to, but not currently replacing CARD 01
 - 3. May need to create a more broadly applicable measure for QCDR
 - ii. Pulmonary
 - 1. Will build measures for tidal volume < 8cc/kg IBW
 - iii. OME
 - 1. Formula final decisions pending with Epic workup
 - 2. Will move ahead and reconcile later
- e. How to define personally performing cases
 - i. All of case?
 - ii. Majority?
 - iii. Majority + start?
 - iv. Something else? Breaks?
 - 1. Suggestions from group
 - a. Mike Aziz: Exclude breaks of less than 45 minutes at a time, essentially find a way to exclude the break when given by CRNA/Resident
 - b. Mike Aziz: Don't count cases as personally performed when attending giving break, and there are 30 minute portions with only Attendings signed in.
 - c. Leslie: Teasing this out becomes an issue when a portion of cases (eg 20%) are personally performed. If an entire hospital only does personally performed cases, it is not much of a problem.
 - d. If attending is solo for more than 50% of the case, we can bill as personally performed.
 - e. Personally forming at beginning of case also is more important than middle or end.
 - f. Use Attestation completed at end of case to assign as personally performed case.
 - g. Create phenotype for personally performing case.
 - v. Reason: For sites that have this model, want to enable filtering cases
- f. Data Quality Emails
 - i. Quarterly email: Data Summary Progress
 - 1. Is this email useful and used on a monthly basis?
 - 2. Possible revisions based on feedback

Meeting concluded at 10:47.