

NAIIS Provider Outreach Workgroup – Meeting Summary

Date of Meeting: August 6, 2015

Topic/Focus: Quality Improvement Programs and Maintenance of Certification Project Requirements

Speakers/Facilitators:

- Laura Lee Hall (American College of Physicians)
- Tricia Nowalk (University of Pittsburgh)

Meeting Summary:

The speakers gave presentations on today's topic. (Laura Lee Hall discussed the ACP Residency Training Program and the *I Raise the Rates* Program, while Tricia Nowalk presented information about the University's *Four Pillars* Program.) The workgroup discussed ideas for action and decided to focus outreach effort on the Quality Improvement Networks funded by Medicare.

Resources Shared:

Slide Set

- [Quality Improvement: A Lever for Increasing Adult Immunizations?](#) (Hall)

Document

- [American Board of Medical Specialties: Requirements for Practice Performance Assessment](#)

Reference Websites

- [Quality Improvement Projects Targeting Immunization](#) (developed by Provider Workgroup in 2014–15)
- [Medconcert](#)
- [Adult Immunization & Quality Improvement for Residents](#) (ACP Residency Program Resources]
- [The 4 Pillars Immunization Toolkit](#)
- CMS Quality Improvement Efforts:
 - [An Immunization Q&A with Shiree Southerland](#)
 - [Quality Improvement Organizations](#)

Action Item(s)/Workgroup Products:

Work with CMS to develop a webinar for Medicare providers about quality improvement resources and principles aimed at adult immunization rate increases.