

## NAIIS Provider Outreach Workgroup – Meeting Summary

**Date of Meeting:** October 1, 2015

**Topic/Focus:** “Build-a-Webinar”: Planning Session/Workgroup Exercise

- Purpose: to develop a webinar for CMS-funded Quality Improvement Networks)

**Speakers/Facilitators:**

- Susan Farrall and Aparna Ramakrishnan (CDC)
- Mary Beth Kurillo (American Immunization Registry Association)
- Sheree Southerland and Cailin Callonge (CMS)

**Meeting Summary:**

This meeting was a group exercise to elicit feedback and direction for a webinar to be delivered to the Quality Improvement Networks (QINs) funded by CMS. These QINs aim to improve adult immunization rates of Medicare beneficiaries in 37 states. They need information about lessons learned and other tips for improving these rates, as well as information about how to efficiently effectively engage their patients on adult immunization. This workgroup meeting served as a planning session for a webinar delivered to the QINs on November 9, 2015.

**Resources Shared:**

*Slide Set*

- [Improving Adult Immunization Rates: Resources and Ideas for Medicare Providers](#) (Farrall and Ramakrishnan)  
(Note: slide set from final presentation delivered on November 9, 2015/ earlier draft shared during workgroup call)

*Reference Websites*

- [Quality Improvement Organizations](#)
- [Current Work of Quality Improvement Organizations](#)
- Press Release (7/18/2014): [CMS launches next phase of new Quality Improvement Program](#)

**Action Item(s)/Workgroup Products:**

On November 9, delivered webinar about adult immunization to 60 persons representing the Quality Improvement Networks who are working with Medicare providers in 37 states.